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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

UNITED STATES VETERANS' BUREAU,
Washington, D. C., December 7, 1925.

To the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Congress:

Pursuant to the provisions of section 14 of the act of June 7, 1924, (Public No. 242, 68th Cong.), I have the honor to submit the following report of activities of the United States Veterans' Bureau for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925.

This Fourth Annual Report of the United States Veterans' Bureau reviews the developments in the administration of veterans' relief during the first year of application of the liberalizing provisions of the World War veterans' act of 1924. By virtue of these provisions it has been possible to increase the benefits received by many, and to admit to the beneficiary class thousands of others who were not entitled to relief under prior laws. It has been possible to extend the splendid hospital facilities of the Government to the ill veteran without reference to the service origin of his disability. Finally, it has been possible through further decentralization of authority and action to effect that direct contact between the bureau and the claimant so essential to the proper and expeditious adjudication of his claim.

A review of this report will permit the measure of the additional relief provided and of the administrative reform accomplished, as well as indicate the extent of the responsibility of the United States Veterans' Bureau to-day.

Respectfully,

FRANK T. HINES, *Director.*

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ANIZATION OF U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

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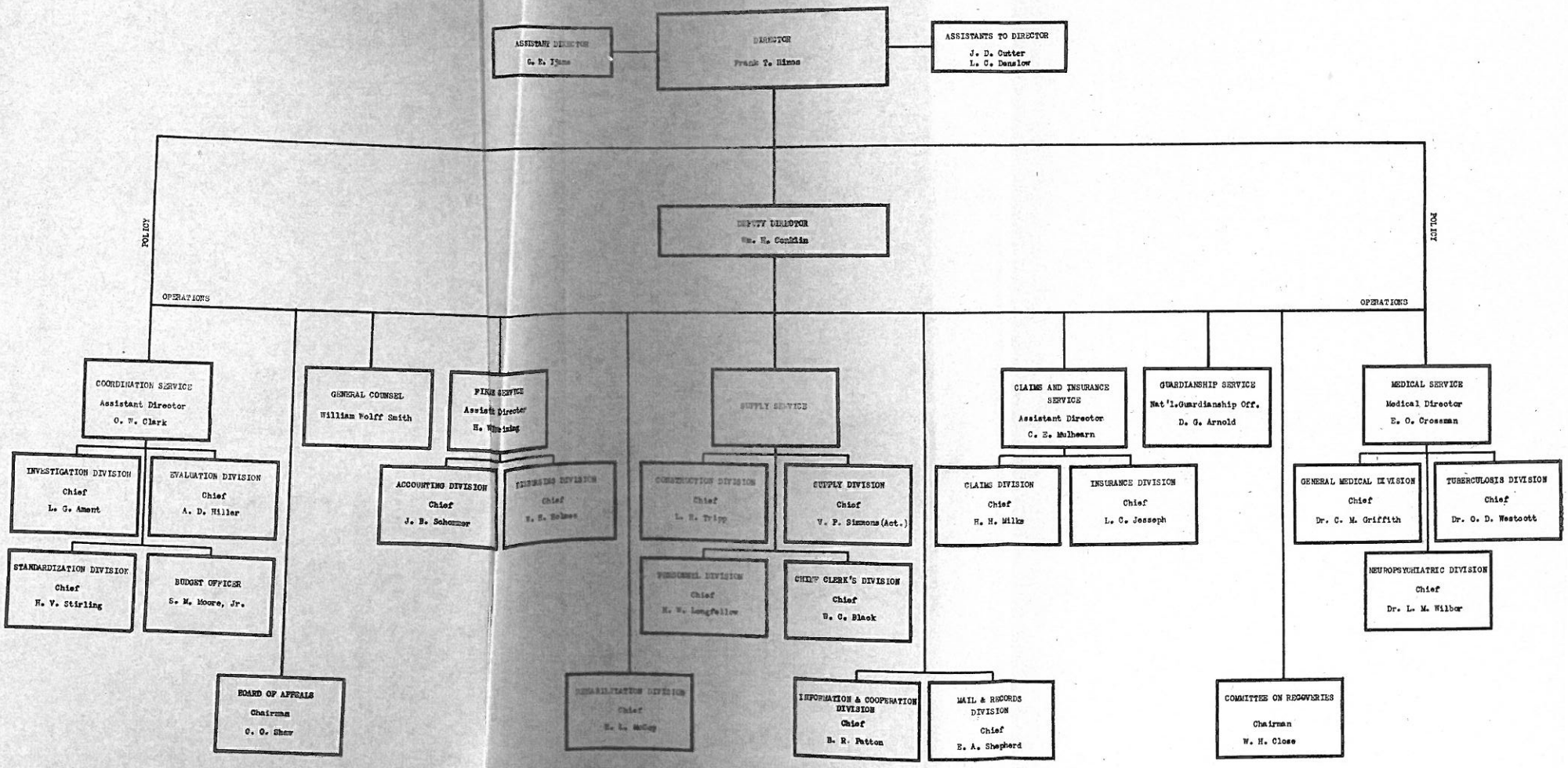

Total Personnel as of July 1, 1925
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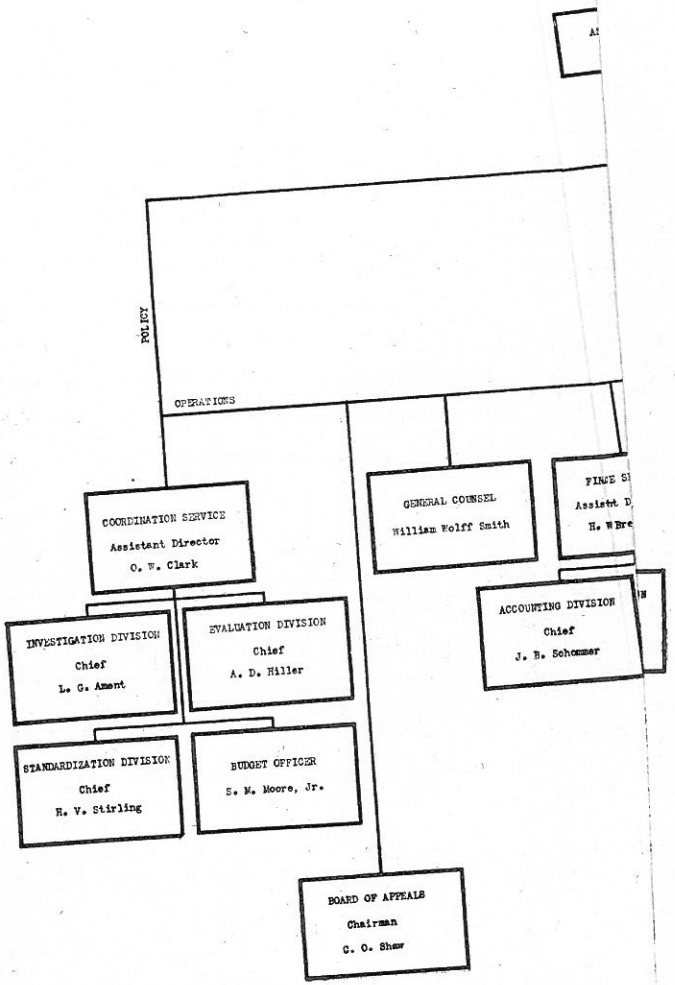

ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1925

INTRODUCTION

During the fiscal year of 1925 as over no other period has the service of the United States Veterans' Bureau been brought to the disabled veteran. Inspired by a broad policy of decentralization of authority, and made possible through the provisions of liberal legislation, this extension of service to the disabled is the outstanding accomplishment of the year in the administration of veterans' relief.

At the close of the previous fiscal year the World War veterans' act of 1924 had but recently been enacted. It was realized at that time that through the provisions of that act the United States Veterans' Bureau was confronted with an exceptional opportunity to so mold its organization and change its manner of operation as to accomplish maximum effectiveness. That this opportunity was met with a full consciousness of its import is apparent in the light of objectives attained. That increased effectiveness in service was achieved can be best appreciated through a study of the progress made during the year.

DECENTRALIZATION

Complete decentralization of authority and action has been the goal of students of the system of veterans' relief since its inception. This goal was premised on the theory that only through bringing the activities of veterans' relief closer to the men they serve can there obtain the direct action considered essential for the proper consideration of the merits of individual cases and necessary for the expeditious adjudication of claims. Throughout the fiscal year 1925 the process of further decentralization was taking place, and at its close decentralization to its ultimate practical limits was in the final stages of accomplishment.

It may appear that all too slowly has this decentralization and extension of service progressed, but tracing briefly the steps taken in this process one can readily see how steadily and far it has advanced. Initial steps were taken in administering the rehabilitation act when the Federal Board for Vocational Education developed from a completely centralized control in Washington to what may be called the decentralized plan of supervision, which, together with adjudicating claims for rehabilitation in 14 district offices, proved to be satisfactory. This decentralization process progressed by successive stages from the early days of the work in 1919, more especially, up to the establishment of the Veterans' Bureau, in respect to responsibility for authorizing training courses. Similarly, the Public Health Service in developing the medical-relief program, with hospital and dispensary facilities scattered throughout the country, perforce had to establish a field supervisory force and set up 14 district offices for this supervision. The Bureau of War Risk Insurance, however,

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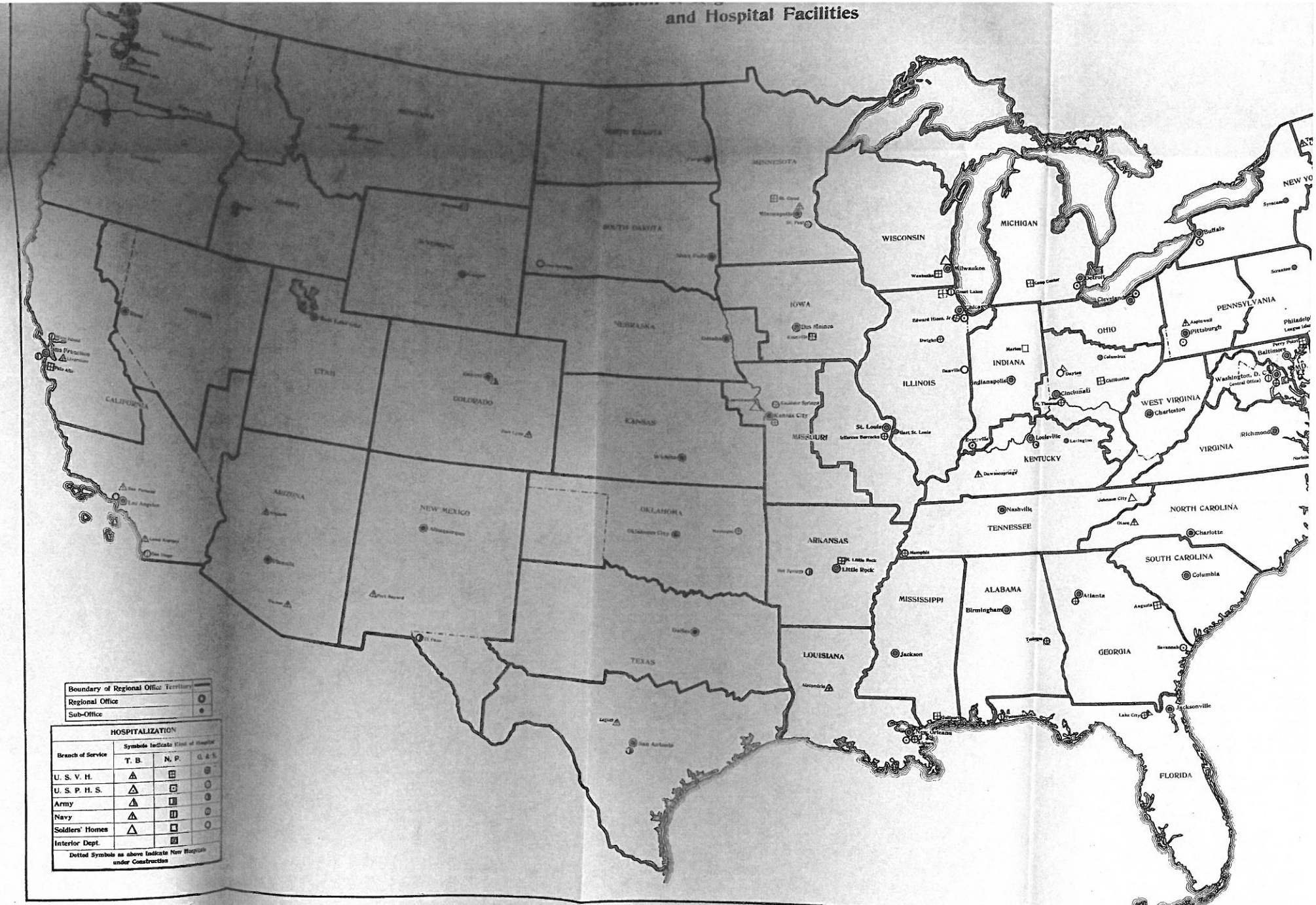


was not at liberty to expand its field organization beyond 8 small offices which were maintained for the purpose of making contact with its beneficiaries, but which were wholly inadequate for the purpose intended. While some relief to the Bureau of War Risk Insurance was effected as a result of the Executive order of April 19, 1921, transferring the district office functions of the Public Health Service to it, no authority existed for actual decentralization of claims action and payments until the act of August 9, 1921. This act, in establishing the United States Veterans' Bureau, authorized the establishment of 14 district offices, and further permitted these 14 offices to exercise such powers "for hearing complaints, and for examining, rating, and awarding compensation claims, granting medical, surgical, dental, and hospital care, convalescent care, and necessary and reasonable aftercare, granting vocational training, and all other matters delegated to them by the director as could be performed lawfully under this act by the central office." Under this act disability compensation cases were first decentralized to the 14 district offices, and authority was granted concurrently to the field to make disability awards and eligibility determination. Through the succeeding four years, by the exercising of the delegating powers of the director, the authority of field offices was continuously extended, to the end that it might be commensurate with their increasing responsibility and thereby permit freedom in administrative action.

By successive stages increased authority was granted to include the making of initial payments on awards in December of 1921; the adjudication of authorized claims for reimbursement on account of treatment and travel in March of 1922; the payment of maintenance allowances, and for medical care, tuition, and supplies of trainees in August of 1922; the payment of regular monthly disability compensation awards, except permanent and total, in November of 1922; the appointment of guardianship officers in March of 1924; and the establishment of rehabilitation survey boards in April of 1924, through which boards there was delegated to every suboffice, with certain limitations, authority to prescribe courses, approve changes in courses, determine rehabilitation, and to hear general complaints relative to training. In June of 1924 the last step in the decentralization of vocational training was made through the delegation to suboffices of complete responsibility for the award and provision of training without limitation as to duration of courses, except as prescribed by law; and suboffices were further authorized to review their own action and reinduct into training when evidence proved that rehabilitation was premature. In accordance with the World War veterans' act of 1924 regional offices were established and decentralization to them was commenced, the first cases being shipped during August, 1924. Claims and rating boards were at that time established, which permitted the claimant to appear personally before those charged with determining the claimant's degree of disability. In November of 1924 the submitting of awards involving retroactive payments to central office was discontinued, and there was delegated to the field the payment of authorized burial expenses, and all unauthorized or irregularly authorized claims for reimbursement for medical and traveling expenses. In January of 1925 there was commenced the decentralization of the central board of appeals, which was completed in July, in order to

General Order No. 284, issued August 28, 1924, established regional and suboffices and defined the territory embraced by each. Fifty-one regional offices were initially designated and later extended to 54. In the delineation of regional territories adherence to State lines was made wherever practicable. Certain recognition, however, had to be given to the distribution of load, general accessibility from the standpoint of travel, and facilities for expeditious service, with the consequence that in some instances counties in one State were included in the territory embraced by regional offices located in another State. Furthermore, because of the considerable load and its distribution in certain States, two offices were of necessity established, these States being New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Missouri, Texas, and California.

Concurrently with the order establishing regional offices, there was issued General Order No. 285, which outlined the following powers which would be exercised by the regional office under the orders and regulations of the United States Veterans' Bureau: (1) The examining of claimants and beneficiaries, the making of medical ratings, and the awarding of compensation claims; (2) the granting of vocational training, the supervision of training, and the securing of employment opportunities; (3) the granting of medical, surgical, and dental hospital care, convalescent care, and necessary and reasonable aftercare; and (4) when specifically authorized, the making of payments for compensation, training allowances, and for administrative expenditures. The decentralization of finance activities from district offices to regional offices, to carry out the provision for making payments, was authorized on February 25, 1925. General Order No. 285 further established in each regional office a medical division, a claims division, a rehabilitation division, and a service division, the chiefs of such divisions being responsible to the regional manager. There was also authorized the position of regional manager, and when necessary a legal advisor, a statistician, and cooperators. No modifications were permitted in the organization of any regional office from the plan outlined in this bureau instruction, except in smaller offices where the complete organization as outlined would not be required, and these only upon approval of central office.

With the establishment of regional offices, regional managers were delegated authority in all matters coming within the jurisdiction of their regional area. This brought action by the bureau, so far as possible, to the disabled veteran at his home, and carried out the policy of decentralization of operations.

It seemed extremely likely that with decentralization to 54 primary field offices the cost of administration would increase. The reorganization which was necessary in the field to meet the requirements of the new law produced many conditions and tendencies counter to those most favorable for effecting a reduction in administrative overhead. In the practical working out of this plan, however, there was presented a special opportunity to build up in the regional offices a more compact organization than had been possible in the district offices and, because of this fact, and because of the fact that the attention of all responsible field officials was directed to the necessity of having their personnel requirements conform to actual need, it was possible to reduce materially the cost of administration

of field offices during the past year over that of the previous year. This factor, coupled with the diminution in the volume of rehabilitation work to be performed, resulted in the decrease of district and regional office personnel during the year from 11,522 to 9,878 employees, with a net reduction in aggregate annual salaries of $1,993,211. It is significant that this reduction was accomplished with no breakdown in the quality of service and in the face of a considerable extension in authority to the field offices. There is no question but what this reduction in regional office personnel will continue throughout the fiscal year 1926 and there is every indication that the extent of this reduction for the first quarterly period will approximate 1,000 employees.

CLAIMS AND RATING BOARDS

Under the old system of disability rating there had been a lack of opportunity on the part of the beneficiary to personally appear before the rating officer in the interest of his claim. Under that system ratings were made by the medical referee, often located many miles from the point of examination and in no sense in direct contact with the medical examiner or claimant, upon the basis of the case history and of the recent physical examination. This process did not permit the rating officer to have an intimate knowledge or an adequate picture of the claimant's disability. It was considered that rating under this procedure frequently worked an injustice upon the claimant. To correct this, plans were adopted for the formation in the field of claims and rating boards, whose primary function it was to be responsible for both the examination and rating of the man through personal contact with the claimant. With the establishment of regional offices, one or more claims and rating boards were put in operation in each regional office, established in accordance with the authority of Regulation No. 74, dated August 12, 1924. These claims and rating boards consist of five regular members, including one claims examiner, one claims reviewer, one vocational specialist, and two general medical referees, one of whom shall be a general medical examiner. In addition to these there is assigned to the board such special medical and dental members as may be necessay to determine the medical facts in each case. The members of the claims and rating boards are responsible to and under the administrative jurisdiction of the regional manager. The claims examiner is responsible for the technical accuracy and legal correctness of the awards and for writing the explanation of the legal points involved in the decision of the board where the decision is unfavorable to the beneficiary. The claims reviewer is responsible for the technical accuracy and legal correctness of the ratings and awards made thereon and of the briefs of all claims referred to the central board of appeals. The vocational specialist assists in the determination of equitable disability ratings by recommending ratings upon the basis of the claimants' employability in civil occupations, and reflects the decisions of the rehabilitation survey group in cases where employability through rehabilitation must be considered. The medical examiner makes general examinations of claimants and is responsible for the assignment of claimants to appropriate specialists for examination, and for the completion of all necessary steps in each examination and the proper recording of re-

sults. The medical referee reconciles the ratings of the different physicians, considers the ratings made by the board with previous rating and with the rating prescribed in the official medical rating table and with the principles established by law and official instructions, and is responsible for writing the explanation of the decision of the claims and rating board in cases where the decision is unfavorable to the beneficiary and the question involved is of a medical nature. All actions to which the members of the board are signatory are taken in executive session. The claims and rating board combines and coordinates the medical, legal, and vocational activities in rating disabilities for the adjudication of claims and employs a direct method of operation which requires that the members of the board who make or determine ratings shall see the claimant in person. The decision of the claims and rating board is final and binding so far as any regional office is concerned, and is subject to revision only by the central board of appeals in consideration of appeal cases.

Concurrently with the issuance of this regulation, there was issued General Order No. 279, which outlines the procedure which these boards were to follow. The scope of responsibility of the claims and rating board originally included the following questions: (*a*) Disability compensation other than permanent total and death; (*b*) legal eligibility for vocational training; (*c*) hospitalization and medical treatment; (*d*) reimbursement for loss of wages incident to examination; (*e*) reimbursement for unauthorized medical treatment rendered as a result of emergency; and (*f*) claims of bureau employees. These original functions were subsequently extended to include disability compensation for permanent total cases. Authority was further granted to regional managers to incur expenses on account of the travel and transportation of claimants for the purpose of having a physical examination made, and to permit their appearance before the board. In the carrying out of this rating procedure expeditious action has resulted, with a greater satisfaction being experienced in the reaction to the ratings by the claimants themselves, for not only is the process of rating more fair but it also permits mutual understanding between the board and the claimant. A measure of the increased satisfaction is the reduction in appeals received by the central board of appeals over decisions of field offices, which appeals for 1924 totaled 23,283 and for 1925 totaled 17,929.

With the establishment of the claims and rating boards in the several regional offices it appeared entirely possible to decentralize action further, and consequently authority was granted to these boards to travel outside the home city of the regional office. As a consequence claims and rating boards are traveling to places where there is a concentration of the disabled, such as hospitals and the larger cities of the territory, for the purpose of accomplishing adjudications on the ground. It has been further contemplated to permit a board to travel throughout a State at specified periods. This has been tried in certain localities, but has not as a rule been attended by complete success, in view of the limited examining facilities available at many of the smaller cities and towns. It is difficult at times to obtain proper laboratory and X-ray examinations, and the final examination made in the more complicated cases is unsatisfactory and makes necessary reexamination in the regional office.

CENTRAL OFFICE

The plan of central office organization established in January of 1924, and as amended during that fiscal year, so far as the operating services were concerned, withstood the test of experience and proved itself essentially sound. Except for minor adjustments in the interest of efficiency within the several services, the medical, claims and insurance, finance, and supply services and the independent rehabilitation division continued their operations throughout the year as originally planned and established. Through instructions issued during the year concerning the authority, responsibility, and duties of assistant directors and of certain units of organization, there resulted a clearer conception of the scope of individual authority, and any possibility of overlapping of functions was eliminated.

It was, however, realized that, with the great amount of general supervision and correlative work necessary in the proper performance of central office activities, it was physically impossible for the director to give proper attention to matters of policy with which he must be primarily concerned. Consequently, to enable the director to devote more time to matters of policy and procedure, and to the supervision of field activities, there was established on March 17, 1925, the position of deputy director, whose function it is (*a*) to act for the director in his absence, and (*b*) to supervise the operating functions of the bureau. All questions involving matters of policy, however, continue to be considered by the director alone, and such action as the deputy director may take on matters delegated to him are governed by established policies. With the appointment of the deputy director, the position of assistant director, supply service, was abolished and the control of matters within the province of this service was transferred to the deputy director, together with the direction of the information and cooperation division and the subsequently established mail and records division.

In the annual reports for the fiscal years 1923 and 1924 a theory of organization was advanced, which in effect would separate the planning and control of bureau functions in the sense of initiating new procedure, and measuring the proper and practical working out of plans from the functions of the several operating services. This theory was premised on the assumption that officials having jurisdiction over the operation and administration of the primary functions of the bureau, such as compensation, vocational training, medical service, and supply, have their time so occupied with the duties of their offices that the function of planning and control become subordinate. In conformity with this theory, upon reorganization in January of 1924, the planning and control services were established, the former comprised of the policy and procedure division, the office management division, and the budget office, and the latter comprised of the inspection division, the statistics and costs division, and the information and cooperation division.

This plan of organization was not in all respects satisfactory, so in order to better correlate and coordinate matters of policy and control, the planning and control functions were reorganized during April, 1925, through the establishment of the coordination service, under an assistant director, comprised of the investigation, stand-

ardization, and evaluation divisions, and the budget office. Broadly speaking, the functions of this new service were to make audits, investigations, and inspections; to compile and evaluate statistical data; to prepare estimates of needed appropriations, and maintain control of the budget; to supervise the application of the classification act of 1923; and to assist in the standardization of organization, policy, and procedure. While the control functions, through the investigation and evaluation divisions, were little changed as a result of this reorganization, the planning phase was changed from one of direction and initiation to one of assistance and cooperation. Planning in the sense of initiation, development, and modification of policies and procedures reverted to the operating services and divisions; and the planning functions as reorganized in the coordination service considered proposed new, or modified, plans to be assured that they were properly coordinated and would not interfere with the operations of such other services as might be involved.

With the establishment of regional offices and of claims and rating boards there were automatically abolished district boards of appeal as such, which left as an appeal group only the central board of appeals located in Washington, D. C. This action was premised on the assumption that through the more satisfactory adjudication of claims resulting from the functioning of claims and rating boards the number of appeals would be materially reduced. However, pending the determination of the actual number of appeals resulting from this new organization the former district boards of appeal were continued as special boards in certain localities. Immediate experience showed that the number of appeals from the action of field offices would be reduced to such an extent that the facilities of the central board of appeals at Washington would be adequate to handle them. Furthermore, with the central board of appeals handling appeals direct from regional offices there would be avoided the duplication of effort previously necessary on many cases, and one step in the appeal procedure would be eliminated. With the decision that only one appellate group was necessary, it became apparent that much time would be lost through the transfer of appeals from all over the United States to Washington and, in order to expedite the handling of appeals, and to further carry out the policy of decentralization, plans were inaugurated to effect the decentralization of the central board of appeals to the headquarters of the five coordination areas set up in the field. Authority was first granted for the establishment of a section of the board of appeals in San Francisco in January, to be almost immediately followed by authorization for the establishment of a section of the board at New Orleans. On July 2, 1925, this authority was further extended to decentralize the balance of the board to the area offices at Boston, New York, and Chicago. This decentralization has been completed and, except for appeals on central office cases, the only appeals remaining to be adjudicated by central office at Washington are those in the instance of appeals to the director over the decisions of the sections of the central board of appeals. Concurrently with the decentralization of the board of appeals the remaining special boards in the areas affected were discontinued.

For the purpose of continuing in central office the handling of death cases, the adjudication of which it is considered inadvisable to decentralize, and of cases of residents of foreign countries and of the territorial and insular possessions of the United States, which classes of cases were rated by the central board of appeals prior to its decentralization, there was established a rating section in the claims division by Regulation No. 114, dated July 6, 1925. On account of the close relationship between death and the payment of insurance awards by an opinion made in central office, this section is operating in such a manner that the awarding of all death benefits is most expeditiously effected.

In order to facilitate and expedite the action on, and care of, correspondence and records of the ex-service men and their beneficiaries and dependents, there was established on May 11, 1925, a mail and records division, which is held responsible for the receipt and dispatch of all incoming and outgoing mail; for the custody, preservation, maintenance, and operation of all file records of the bureau in central office; and for the storage and disposition of inactive and "dead storage" records throughout all of the bureau's activities. The establishment of this new division not only places under one direction correlated activities but also centralizes the maintenance and control of files which previously had been under the jurisdiction of the operating services, and permits the definite fixing of responsibility for the proper maintenance of these valuable records.

In accordance with section 28 of the World War veterans' act, as amended, it is provided that there shall be no recovery of payments from any beneficiary who in the judgment of the director is without fault on his part, and where in the judgment of the director such recovery would defeat the purpose of benefits otherwise authorized, or would be against equity and good conscience. To apply and enforce this section of the act, there was established on October 7, 1924, the committee on recoveries, to function directly under and be responsible to the chief of the claims division, to consider the facts of each case under the jurisdiction of central office, or referred by the regional office to central office for decision, where an unauthorized payment to a beneficiary had been made. Concurrently, there was established in each regional office a similar committee to find and brief the facts in each regional-office case, and to prepare recommendations as to whether or not recovery should be made. It was provided that these recommendations would be transmitted to the central office committee for final decision, except that in especial cases where it was clearly evident that recovery would defeat the purpose of benefits otherwise authorized, and would be against equity and good conscience, and the beneficiary was without fault on his part, the regional manager was authorized to make immediate and final decision However, on June 6 and 8, 1925, the central office and regional committees on recoveries were reorganized and the regional committees on recoveries were vested with authority to adjudicate finally any case properly before them in which there was an overpayment of not more than $300, and to waive recovery where such waiver was justified by law and facts. Under this reorganization the central committee on recoveries and the regional committee on recoveries were placed under the immediate jurisdiction of the director and regional manager, respectively.

SUPERVISION AND INSPECTION OF FIELD ACTIVITIES

Under the provisions of General Order No. 256, dated April 1, 1924, central-office control (inspection) and investigation functions were to be performed by representatives of the inspection division, central office, assigned to four control areas, designated as areas A, B, C, and D. The offices of these control areas were designated as control-area headquarters, and to each of them were assigned control officers and investigators, who were to make personal contact with every field station within their respective areas, and to ascertain whether field stations were functioning according to bureau regulations and procedure, and to collect evidence to determine the merits of specific charges or allegations. This in effect decentralized the functions of inspection. This field inspection organization was reorganized, effective October 30, 1924, which reorganization not only placed the control officers and investigators under the immediate direction of the director and increased the areas of jurisdiction from four to five, but also increased the scope of authority to include supervision. However, shortly after this reorganization it appeared that a supervising staff operating solely from area headquarters would soon lose the intimate contact with central office, and therefore would not be able to adequately interpret the field to the central office nor could they interpret the central office to the field. Moreover, the continuing of the function of supervision in the area offices would have interfered materially with the direction of the administrative functions of the operating services and divisions, to the responsible heads of which had been delegated the responsibility for technical supervision in the field. As a consequence, an amendment to the order establishing control offices was made, effective December 11, 1924, which eliminated supervision from the functions of control officers, although there were added to the remaining functions "such additional duties as may be assigned by the director." Thus, the functions of control officers were essentially limited to those of inspection and investigation, and it was intended that a clean line of demarcation be drawn between responsibility for investigation and inspection and responsibility for supervision. On April 27, 1925, the designation of area chief control officer was changed to chief coordinator, and control areas became known as coordination areas.

The fact was never lost sight of, however, that direct field supervision must be conducted and that when competent supervisors had been secured for this supervisory work the bureau's functioning would be materially improved, and a more unified organization of the entire bureau would result. This was especially true with reference to medical activities, and, in recognition of this fact, under the provisions of General Order No. 216, dated April 17, 1925, five medical supervisors were authorized, to be under the jurisdiction of the medical director. The duties of these supervisors are the study and corrective correlation of medical activities in regional offices, suboffices, hospitals, and dispensaries, without interfering in any particular with the duties assigned to the chief coordinators or the coordination service, although the duties of the supervisors include the taking of appropriate action on medical matters submitted to them by the chief coordinators of the areas concerned. It is, however, provided that

action by these supervisors will not involve any new policy or new administrative procedure, such matters being referred to central office. One medical supervisor serves in each coordination area. It is of particular significance in the carrying out of this authority that the medical supervisors appointed are administrative officers of the medical service who rotate between the field and central-office service, thus making it possible that they keep in touch with the latest policies and procedures that have been developed through the agency of central office, and furthermore that they directly apply the results of their experience in solving administrative difficulties, so that the plans and policies of central office will be built upon experience and practices that have resulted from immediate contact with the beneficiaries and facilities.

ADMINISTRATION

The United States Veterans' Bureau has held the position that effective administration is possible in an enterprise of the magnitude and character of that of veterans' relief only when operations have, so far as practicable, been completely decentralized. During the past year emphasis in the administration of the functions of this bureau has been placed on decentralization, which was in the final stages of accomplishment at the expiration of the fiscal year. The chief points of this decentralization have been discussed. Administrative reform, however, has not been confined to the decentralization of activities but has been broadly applied to all functioning units.

Clear conceptions of scopes of authority and the duties of the several operating services have been made possible by official definition, resulting in the elimination of misunderstanding and of possible overlapping or duplication of functions. Through new or revised manuals of procedure in the instances of supply, finance, and rehabilitation work all current administrative processes have been correlated and consolidated, materially increasing administrative efficiency and ease of operation. With the issuance of manuals of medical and claims procedure, now being compiled, this important administrative advance will have been completed.

In considering the details of modified and new procedure and in determining the necessity of bureau issues, it is essential that all affected divisions have the opportunity to study and comment upon the proposals in the light of their own operations and experience. While this practice has existed from the beginning, there had been a lack of systematic opportunity for detailed round-table discussions among officials intimately acquainted with operating procedure, with a consequent possibility of immediately clearing up differences of opinion or misunderstanding. Delay had been experienced in coordination between the proposing and other interested departments, and interest had a tendency to become perfunctory. To correct this condition, in December of 1924 there was established a coordination committee, composed of representatives of all services in central office, whose primary duty it was to serve as a clearing house for all proposed bureau issues. This committee meets biweekly, and through its detailed and frank discussions it has been possible to expedite and regulate the issuance of bureau instructions, and there has resulted a clearer understanding among all divisions of the problems of each division and of the bureau as a whole. Not only has the work of

this committee been directed toward the expeditious coordination of proposed instructions, but also toward the equally important task of attempting to combine and bring current in one issue the several instructions on the same subject or directly related subjects which may have been issued from time to time in the past.

There still remains before the bureau a most important constructive task, namely, the compilation of a complete manual embracing in a combined and correlated form the procedure of all activities. The need for such a manual is becoming more apparent, and with the general stabilization of policy and procedure the practicability and advisability of immediate effort along these lines becomes increasingly evident.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

The construction of modern fireproof hospital facilities has been expedited. Construction under the authority of the so-called second Langley bill has been completed, and projects under subsequent authorities are either in the process of construction or are being planned. Every effort in the design of these new facilities has been directed not only toward having the structures conform to the requirements of advanced therapeutics, but also to the peculiar needs of the patients themselves, particularly in the line of greater personal comfort and adequate recreational facilities. Of particular significance has been the installation of radio equipment in all hospitals in the form of loud speakers wherever feasible, and of ear phones for the bedridden case. Careful thought has been given to the selection of new sites and to the making permanent of existing hospitals to the end that the permanent hospital to be constructed will be, so far as practicable, so located as to serve most conveniently the beneficiaries in the areas assigned to it.

MEDICAL

In the field of medical activities the preparation of the comparatively numerous regulations and general orders necessitated by the provisions of the World War veterans' act was completed with dispatch. In devising these new instructions to fit the needs of the organization, opportunity was taken to apply the experience gained in the several years' work of the bureau in supplying care and treatment to its beneficiaries. The result was a series of instructions which made for a simpler and more flexible procedure well adapted to meet the needs of the claimants. Through these instructions there was decentralized certain authority to the medical officers in charge of hospitals. Particular effort was made to systematize procedure governing admissions to and discharges and transfers from hospitals and to define hospitalization for observation, treatment, and in emergency, with the intention of effecting such a control of hospital admissions and discharges as would minimize unnecessarily prolonged hospitalization for observation or treatment and would insure an available bed supply not only for beneficiaries whose disabilities had been connected with service, but for the additional load of hospital patients suffering from conditions not due to service. For the purpose of aiding in the establishment of an adequate disability rating, and in order to establish diagnosis and outline the treatment which must be given for physical improvement in the more difficult cases, two diagnostic centers have been established. These

centers, at the Cincinnati General Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio, and at Mount Alto, Washington, D. C., afford the most modern facilities and equipment, with attending staffs of superior qualifications, and by their operation a claimant is given complete satisfaction, as far as the limitations of medical science permit. Arrangements were made during the year with the American College of Surgeons for the survey of every Veterans' Bureau hospital by representatives of the college. It is the aim of the bureau to have all of its hospitals considered by the American College of Surgeons as standard hospitals, in accordance with the requirements of that body. To be assured that every effort is being made toward establishing conditions and methods of treatment that would be conducive to the greatest improvement and cure of patients, there have been placed at convenient points throughout the country medical supervisors charged with the responsibility of standardizing methods and equipment. A most important aid and addition to the medical service since its inception is the medical council, organized in March of 1924 for the purpose of elevation of the character of medical service rendered. The first general session of this council was held in July, and similar conferences followed in November of 1924 and February of 1925. The members of this council represent outstanding specialists in the several branches of medicine, and through its support and counsel definite progress has been made. In field operations it appeared that there were being ordered too frequent physical examinations, and during the year effort was made to limit such requests for examinations in accordance with real necessity. Of primary importance in this reduction was the survey in all regional offices of requests for physical examinations pending in the calendar files with a view to eliminating the necessity for ordering examinations in some cases where examinations were ordered under former procedure. It was found in many cases that the necessity for examination no longer existed, and in clearing the pending files of these cases there resulted naturally a reduction in the number of men reporting for examination. In one of the larger regional offices, of 910 examination requests scheduled for July, 110 requests were eliminated by careful review; and it has been estimated that by this careful check it will be possible to eliminate from 12 to 15 per cent of scheduled examinations that would have been unnecessary.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

During the past year in the field of rehabilitation an intensive campaign was waged to insure that all claimants who had not previously had the opportunity, and were eligible and feasible for vocational training, were offered a final opportunity to enter training before the last date for induction, June 30, 1925. The various pending loads, together with the several thousand new cases uncovered in the course of the campaign, were disposed of and some 7,000 new inductions effected. With the passing of the last date for original induction the training program has resolved itself into two primary problems: First, the completion of training of men who have for one reason or another proved themselves difficult to train and who have lingered in courses beyond the normal time; and second, providing the most practical training leading to the earliest possible employment in the cases of men who entered within recent months. These two pressing prob-

lems make it necessary to change somewhat the direction of emphasis and to give practically entire attention to the problem of facilitating the transition to employment. It appears that the best method of bringing about rehabilitation is to make the last months of training, in cases where placement training can properly and advantageously be prescribed, approximate as closely as possible the conditions of actual employment, on the theory that, if placement trainees can be brought in the last months of training to do the same work on the same terms as other employees, there will be no difficulty in securing employment. Every effort will be directed toward rendering trainees employable within the time allotted by law.

There still remains before the bureau the problem of those cases who, because of their physical condition, could not be inducted prior to July 1, 1925, together with those cases where progress in training has been, or will be, so retarded as to prevent completion of training prior to July 1, 1926. There are many men who have been in hospitals with serious disabilities for years. Some of these men are now recovering to an extent which would permit them to follow a course of training with benefit. As the law now stands there is no provision for the industrial rehabilitation of these veterans. It is believed that the Government should provided some means to aid these men through the provision of some instruction to follow closely on, or possibly be in connection with, physical and mental improvement.

COMPENSATION CLAIMS

During the past year in claims work emphasis was placed upon applying expeditiously to all claims the numerous provisions of the World War veterans' act, as amended. This was effected through the review of all claims in the field and central office, and at the close of the fiscal year this review had been practically completed in the regional offices and of the 350,000 cases held in central office about 50 per cent had been surveyed. The net result of this review was a material increase in active awards and, consequently, in total disbursements for this purpose.

INSURANCE

In this phase of bureau activities there was a continuous effort during the year to effect reinstatement of insurance. Especially was this applied in the instance of disabled veterans, in view of the fact that the act of June 7, 1924, required that the application for reinstatement for insurance by a veteran having a service connected disability should be made within one year after the passage of that act, or within two years after date of lapse or cancellation. The limitation of one year expired June 7, 1925, although reinstatement may still be made if the insurance has not lapsed two years or more. The provisions for reinstatement were given all possible publicity, including the forwarding to each disabled veteran complete information as to his insurance rights and privileges, with his compensation check for May. Some 12,000 applications for reinstatement of insurance by disabled veterans have been approved under the act.

The World War veterans' act, as amended, designated the date for conversion of yearly renewable term insurance as July 2, 1926. In anticipation of the expected necessity for conversion by this date, requests are being received for insurance at a lower premium than the

ordinary life rate. The bureau is fully aware of the fact that many term insurance contracts are with disabled veterans incapable of earning a full livelihood, and that in other instances conversion will be impossible because of financial inability at this time to meet the higher level rates. In order that the protection for these men may be continued for a time, consideration is being given to the extension of protection through a short-term policy at a premium rate less than that called for under the ordinary life plan. However, the continuance of insurance on a premium basis less than ordinary life rates necessarily results in a higher premium later, and in view of the fact that the average age of veterans is now 33 the selection of a legal-reserve level-premium insurance should not be postponed longer than a few years.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION

The initial administrative work in connection with the World War adjusted compensation act has been practically accomplished through the adjudication of more than 2,747,500 applications by the end of the fiscal year. The satisfactory handling of this great number of cases reflects an unusual and interesting administrative accomplishment. In administering this act every effort has been made to carry out its letter and spirit, which provides against the assignment or negotiation in any way of the benefits conferred. Undoubtedly, the most important future work in connection with this act will be found in the matter of loans which are authorized upon the security of the certificate two years after the date of its issuance.

GUARDIANSHIP

During the year the bureau perfected its system of protection for its beneficiaries under guardianship. Guardianship officers have been appointed in regional offices who exercise a supervisory check over guardianship in their areas, and through these field representatives there have been uncovered many cases where guardians have not functioned in an efficient manner and have not accounted for all the trust funds paid to them by the bureau. A very thorough investigation in each case of this character is conducted, and in some instances action looking toward the forfeiture of bond, as well as criminal proceedings, has been instituted. This phase of bureau activities is relatively new, but the importance of the work itself can not be minimized, and the reception it has met throughout the country from all sources has been most gratifying.

PERSONNEL

In establishing the present organization of the bureau the policy has been continued to employ in key positions, so far as possible, properly qualified ex-service men and women. The percentage of male employees who are ex-service for the bureau as a whole is now 51.7, varying from 33.5 per cent at supply depots to 87.5 per cent for the central board of appeals. In the regional offices 70.4 per cent of the male employees are ex-service, and for central office this percentage is 54.14. On July 1, 1924, these percentages were 67.9 and 51.9, respectively, indicating that with the turnover in personnel ex-service men are gradually taking the place of non-

service men. It is realized that the quality of the work of the bureau is dependent upon the morale of its personnel, and to encourage this morale every effort is directed toward placing personnel in positions according to their fitness and through the recognition of individual endeavor. A distinct phase of the personnel problem is the question of building up and maintaining a high standard of medical service sufficiently flexible to permit effective operation. One of the first and most necessary steps toward this goal is to make the medical service sufficiently attractive to secure and retain well-trained, conscientious physicians. It would seem that this can best be accomplished through the establishment of a permanent medical corps.

THE BUDGET

With the commencement of the fiscal year 1925 the control of the budget was extended to all appropriations. A careful study was made of the accounting methods employed throughout the bureau, and as a consequence there was approved a plan for installing bookkeeping machines, to be in operation July 1, 1925. This method of accounting not only will prove to be more efficient from an accounting standpoint, but also will result in a reduction in the personnel in this activity. Coincident with this approved accounting system, there has been compiled a revised accounting bulletin, which, aside from being specific on matters concerning which field stations were formerly in doubt, contains a detailed classification of accounts in line with the General Accounting Office Bulletin No. 1, "Objects of expenditure." The establishment of this uniform accounting procedure for all offices of the bureau will undoubtedly result in a highly satisfactory control of all expenditures.

DISABILITY SCHEDULE

Whereas under preceding acts disability ratings had been based upon average impairments of earning capacity resulting from injuries in civil occupations, etc., the World War veterans' act of 1924 made necessary the preparation of a schedule entirely different, based "upon the average impairments of earning capacity resulting from such injuries in civil occupations *similar to the occupation of the injured man at the time of enlistment.*" It became evident at once that Congress under this provision had imposed a great constructive task upon the bureau. It was first necessary to ascertain what precedents were obtainable and what experience of other governments could be utilized. A notable lack of fundamental studies confronted the bureau from the beginning, and it was accordingly necessary to do much pioneer work upon this schedule of ratings. Its preparation involved the survey and grouping of the many thousands of specialized occupations in the American industries, and the inherent difficulty of the work was increased by a scarcity of precedents. This new schedule has been completed and will be ready for issuance on approximately November 1, 1925, for immediate application in the determination of the disability rating. Since in all probability the total active disability awards will increase within the next several months to 230,000, it is obviously administratively impractical to attempt to adjust concurrently all active awards on the basis of the new schedule. Consequently, upon the release of the new schedule, it will be provided, with certain exceptions, that only as claimants

appear for reexamination or become ready for discharge from hospital will the adjustment of rating be accomplished in the light of the new schedule and of such occupational data as may be required.

Although the preparation of this schedule has taken approximately one year, the rating of veterans has not been retarded, for the decisions of claims and rating boards have been based upon a consideration of all the facts in determining a rating in each case. The time involved has permitted the bureau to give material consideration to the many complicated factors that had to be properly evaluated in order to produce a rating with values that will be just and equitable to the veteran. The new law requires that the bureau shall from time to time readjust this schedule of ratings whenever actual experience shows it to be not in keeping with actual conditions and, in conformity with this provision, there will be organized in central office a permanent joint committee of carefully selected employees who will make continuous study of the occupational and medical data in the schedule, with the object of effecting such revision as may appear necessary from experience in the field.

NEW LEGISLATION

On December 5, 1924, Public No. 292 (68th Cong.) was passed, making appropriations to supply deficiencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, and for other purposes. Of significance to the United States Veterans' Bureau in this act was the appropriation of $900,000 to meet the deficiency in the vocational rehabilitation appropriation; the appropriation of $1,188,500, to remain available until June 30, 1925, for administrative expenses in connection with the carrying out of the provisions of the World War adjusted compensation act; the appropriation of $3,850,000, and the authority to incur obligations in addition to this amount not to exceed $3,000,000, for additional hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities, authorized under Public No. 197 (68th Cong.), approved June 5, 1924; the appropriation of $26,629,398 for the payment of adjusted service credits of not more than $50 each, and for the payment to dependents of deceased veterans the quarterly installments due on adjusted service credits in excess of $50 each, as provided by the World War adjusted compensation act; and the appropriation of $100,000,000 to the adjusted service certificate fund for the payment of the face value of each adjusted service certificate in 20 years from its date, or on the prior death of the veteran.

Public No. 587 (68th Cong.), approved March 3, 1925, authorized an appropriation of $10,000,000 to provide additional hospital and out-patient dispensaries for persons entitled to hospitalization under the World War veterans' act of 1924. This appropriation was based upon a study by the United States Veterans' Bureau as to its needs to complete its permanent hospital program, so far as conditions at that time indicated. This act further stipulated that upon the completion of the hospital program under the act no contract or other hospital or institution, other than those hospitals and institutions under the jurisdiction and control of the United States Veterans' Bureau, or those governmental hospitals or institutions specified in section 10 of the World War veterans' act of 1924, should be used, except where, due to the nature of a claimant's disease or

disability, it would endanger his life to remove him from such hospital to a Veterans' Bureau hospital, or in the event of extreme emergency in the discretion of the director.

On March 4, 1925, there was enacted Public No. 628 (68th Cong.), amending the World War veterans' act of 1924, the most important provisions of which were (1) the consolidation in one section of the various provisions of the existing act relative to forfeiture of rights to compensation and insurance and the liberalization of these provisions, with particular respect to insurance; (2) the providing of compensation and hospitalization for all men whose disability incurred in service has resulted in practically permanent and total disability, irrespective of misconduct; (3) the restoration of many important insurance provisions essential to the insurance contract which were not incorporated in the act of June 7, 1924; (4) the provision for the immediate distribution of insurance payable to the veteran's estate, thus eliminating the necessity for endless administration of these accounts by the bureau; and (5) making the embezzlement of funds received from the bureau by guardians a Federal offense.

These acts are printed in full in the appendix, and special phases are discussed in the text of each service concerned where sufficient experience has obtained to make this practicable.

BUREAU ACTIVITIES

Throughout the main body of this report there are shown statistical analyses and tabulations descriptive of the details of operation and of the benefits granted under the law. While a résumé of the outstanding facts concerning benefits dispensed is given under appropriate headings in the following pages, this résumé confines itself to general totals and permits only a general picture of the extent and quality of relief furnished. Students of the system of veterans' relief are urged to examine carefully these detailed data, in order that they may comprehend fully the significance of the provisions of the law, and adequately measure the magnitude of the problem.

DEATH AND DISABILITY COMPENSATION

To date, a total of 182,573 death claims have been filed. In addition to these original death claims, there have been 25,052 disability claims terminated because of the death of the veteran. Therefore the potential load of death claims was 207,625 on June 30, 1925. Awards have been made on 78,107 of these cases, or 37.6 per cent of the total. This seemingly small percentage of awards of total claims for death compensation results from three primary reasons: (1) That in effect, certain of these claims were not actual claims of dependents, but rather were the result of building up claims by the bureau based on casualty lists, without knowledge of possible dependency; (2) that on many claims dependency did not in fact exist; and (3) that in other cases, death was not a result of service.

A total of 819,358 claims have been filed for disability compensation, the greatest number being filed during the fiscal year 1921. During that period 205,702 claims were filed, or 25 per cent of the total. Five hundred and sixty-seven thousand nine hundred and ninety disability claims, or 69 per cent of the total of all disability claims, were filed during the period from June 30, 1919, to June 30, 1922. Awards have been made on 412,151 of these claims, or on 50 per cent of the

total number of claims filed. Thirty-seven per cent of the total number of claims awarded were awarded during the fiscal year 1920. During 1925, 35,814 awards have been terminated, 35 per cent of these being discontinued because the disability of the veteran was less than 10 per cent. Thirty thousand three hundred and fifty-seven disability compensation claims were disallowed during the fiscal year 1925, 69 per cent of these disallowances being for the reason that the veterans' disabilities were not connected with service.

During 1925, 20,530 original awards for disability compensation were made, as opposed to 10,312 during 1924, indicating the influence of the World War veterans' act of 1924, as amended, on awards. This figure of awards for 1925 would apparently indicate, assuming work current at the commencement and the end of the fiscal year, that 55.6 per cent of the 36,871 new claims filed were allowed; actually, however, this is not a fact and but 6,332 of these cases, or 17 per cent, were allowed, the difference representing awards on 14,198 cases disallowed under legislation in effect prior to June 7, 1924.

ACTIVE DISABILITY COMPENSATION AWARDS

On June 30, 1925, compensation payments were being made to 211,644 disabled veterans, the monthly value of these awards being $7,985,670. The number of awards active on June 30, 1925, showed an increase of 32,607 over the active awards on June 30, 1924, and the monthly value of the awards active on June 30, 1925, showed an increase of $1,337,400 over the value of awards active on June 30, 1924. There had been a decrease of 4,053 in the number of active awards from June 30, 1923, to June 30, 1924, and it is probable that there would have been an even larger decrease during the fiscal year 1925 had it not been for the enactment of the World War veterans' act of 1924.

TABLE No. 1.—*Total cases affected and compensation paid under the provisions of the World War veterans' act of 1924, as amended*

[As of June 30, 1925]

Reasons for award or amended award	Active awards		Terminated awards	
	Number	Total amount paid to date	Number	Total amount paid
Neuropsychiatric disability	9,034	$3,800,326	513	$100,369
Tuberculosis disability	8,737	7,110,861	845	334,031
Compensation and pension paid	215	285,647	6	6,208
Increased dependents' pay (disability)	2,982	181,170	469	8,182
Increased dependents' pay (death)	10,184	654,604	687	16,581
Double permanent total	8	11,962		
Blindness ($150)	314	221,642	7	1,347
Nurse ($50)	673	238,094	171	25,502
Total deafness	80	29,224	2	305
Encephalitis lethargica	316	260,431	6	2,121
Amœbic dysentery (amebiasis)	146	69,270	25	5,437
Paralysis agitans	102	118,174		
Diseases resulting from own misconduct	210	200,064	97	31,162
Loss of use of limbs—permament total	3	3,650		
Time limit extended	1,075	350,768	17	1,998
Injury or aggravation of injury	6	3,757		
Compensation for paralysis, paresis, or blindness due to own misconduct (amendment as of Mar. 4, 1925)	108	52,324	6	1,890
Total	33,491	13,591,968	2,851	535,133

NOTE.—2,107 beneficiaries having had six months' neuropsychiatric hospitalization have been, or are being, hospitalized at $20 per month, thereby reducing expenditures for compensation in these cases by $620,606.

Tuberculosis was the disabling cause in 21.7 per cent of all compensable cases. There were 45,839 cases on which tuberculosis was the major disability, the monthly payment on these cases being $2,873,565. The average monthly compensation payment was $62.69. Of the compensable tuberculosis cases, 9,161 were rated permanent total and 14,824 were rated temporary total. In other words, 52 per cent of all compensable tuberculosis cases were rated totally disabled. Of all tuberculosis cases rated less than totally disabled, 44 per cent were receiving ratings from 10 to 20 per cent, representing to a large measure cases which have become inactive.

Neuropsychiatric diseases were the major cause of disability in 44,845 cases, or 21.1 per cent of all compensable cases. The monthly payment for this class was $2,017,705, and the average monthly payment was $44.99, as compared with $49.26 on June 30, 1924. This decrease in the average monthly payment for neuropsychiatric cases was due to section 202, paragraph 7, of the World War veterans' act of 1924, providing for the reduction of monthly compensation to $20 for permanently insane claimants who have been hospitalized for six months or more and who have no dependents. On June 30, 1925, compensation had been reduced to $20 in 2,107 of these cases. Sixteen thousand six hundred and thirty-six compensable neuropsychiatric cases, or 37 per cent of the total, were rated totally disabled, 7,230 of these being rated temporary total and 9,406 permanent total.

General medical and surgical conditions were the cause of disability in 120,960 compensable cases, or 57.2 per cent of the entire number of cases on which disability compensation was being paid. The monthly value of compensation payments for these general medical and surgical cases was $3,094,400, or an average monthly payment of $25.58. Included in this general classification were 8,657 cases involving diseases of the ear, nose, and throat, including total deafness, and 5,916 cases of the eye and annexa, involving total blindness. There were approximately 480 cases of total blindness, the monthly payment for each case being $150, with an additional payment of $50 for an attendant. There were 522 amputation cases rated permanent total, involving the loss of both arms or both legs, or one arm and one leg; $100 is paid in these cases, with an additional $50 for an attendant, where necessary. There were 13 double permanent total cases, each receiving $200 per month, with an additional $50 for an attendant. These cases involve the loss, or the loss of use, of both eyes and both arms or legs, or both arms and both legs.

The average rate of monthly compensation payment for all classes of disability has varied but slightly in the past three years. On June 30, 1923, the average rate of compensation was $37.16; on June 30, 1924, $37.13; and on June 30, 1925, $37.73. Forty-two per cent of all compensable cases were rated less than 20 per cent disabled, and 67 per cent of all compensable cases were rated less than 50 per cent disabled.

In July of 1923 a regulation was issued making it necessary to review all temporary awards with a view to placing them on a permanent basis wherever it was reasonably certain that the claimant's disability had reached a stationary level. As a result of this review, the percentage of active awards rated on a permanent basis increased

from 19 per cent on June 30, 1923, to 41 per cent on June 30, 1924, and to 49 per cent on June 30, 1925. The placing of 49 per cent of all compensable claims on a permanent basis has resulted in a material saving in the cost of examination service, and has reduced the inconvenience to claimants caused by the necessity of frequent examinations. Permanent total awards have shown a net increase of 5,137 during the fiscal year 1925, and permanent partial awards have shown a net increase of 24,562 during this period, this increase being largely attributable to the policy of changing awards from a temporary to a permanent basis wherever warranted.

Research work in the class of disabilities known as fractures and amputations of long bones has made possible five-year experience curves based on the period of duration and the amount of disability, which furnish a reliable index to measure the results of, and the estimated compensation for this class of disability. These histographs can be used with the assurance that comes only when a large group is available as in the case of the compensable World War veterans, 8.10 per cent of whom were rated compensable for a fracture or amputation disability. This class of disability costs monthly approximately $664,576 or, on an average, $33.78 per beneficiary. It is significant that 74 per cent of the fracture and amputation cases have been rated on a permanent basis, while this action has been possible in only 49 per cent of the total compensable cases. Approximately 70 per cent of the fracture and amputation cases are rated less than 50 per cent and 32 per cent are rated less than 20 per cent. Among the total claims submitted for fracture and amputation disabilities 17.8 per cent have been disallowed or terminated because of a degree of disability of less than 10 per cent.

ACTIVE DEATH COMPENSATION AWARDS

On June 30, 1925, compensation payments were being made to the dependents of 65,958 veterans who died in the service or after discharge as a result of disease or injury incurred in line of duty. The total monthly payment to these dependents in June of 1925 was $1,744,090, or an average of $26.44 for each case. In 65 per cent of these cases compensation was being paid where the parents of the deceased veteran were his only dependents, showing the large percentage of unmarried men who have died as a result of service. Compensation was being paid to 16,346 widows, 19,989 children, and 57,284 parents of veterans who died as a result of service. Twenty-one thousand one hundred and seven of the deaths for which compensation is now being paid, or approximately 32 per cent of the total number, were due to casualties in action, while disease caused 62 per cent of the deaths. Of all the deaths from disease 64 per cent were caused by disease contracted during service in the United States.

In 4,932 death compensation cases the beneficiaries reside in the possessions of the United States, or in foreign countries, the monthly compensation in these cases amounting to $128,905. The largest number of foreign beneficiaries reside in Italy, there being in that country the beneficiaries of 1,755 deceased veterans.

The number of active death compensation awards has increased from 57,971 in June of 1924, at a monthly value of $1,482,765, to 65,958 in June of 1925, at a monthly value of $1,744,090. This increase is due to the deaths during the year of veterans who died

as a result of a service-connected disability, and also to the review of all death compensation claims, taking into consideration the provisions of the World War veterans' act of June 7, 1924, as to the service connection of certain cases which had been previously disallowed. The increase in the average rate of death compensation from $25.58 in June of 1924, to $26.44 in June of 1925 is also due to the provisions of the act of June 7, 1924, by which compensation to widows and children of deceased veterans was increased. There have been approximately 10,000 cases in which this increased compensation has been awarded to dependents.

In addition to compensation, insurance payments were also being made on all but 12,259 cases, which means that 81 per cent of these deceased veterans carried some form of Government insurance at the time of their death.

INSURANCE

On June 30, 1925, insurance records were maintained for 552,340 veterans carrying $2,865,028,729 of insurance. The number of men carrying yearly renewable term insurance was 177,328, and the amount of insurance carried was $1,372,091,391, while those carrying converted insurance numbered 375,012, and the amount of insurance carried was $1,492,937,338. This latter amount of insurance is classified as follows: Ordinary life, $329,087,411.47; 20-payment life, $524,501,019.89; 30-payment life, $90,756,474.92; 20-year endowment, $297,971,855.76; 30-year endowment, $108,701,966.37; endowment at age 62, $105,063,161.67; extended insurance, $36,855,447.53. In maintaining the foregoing total insurance the average number of premium remittances received monthly during the fiscal year was approximately 320,000, and the amount of insurance premiums received monthly was more than $4,360,000. The total amount of premiums received on account of yearly renewable term insurance to June 30, 1925, was $432,953,777.30 while the total liability incurred on account of claims under term insurance was $1,341,247,980. The total income from United States Government life (converted) insurance from premiums and interest on investments as of this date was $188,138,666.77. That part of this fund which is not required for the payment of claims and cash surrenders and loans to policyholders is invested in Government securities, the amount of such investments as of June 30, 1925, being $143,024,138.84. From excess interest earned on these investments dividends are paid to policyholders, which may be received in cash or applied to the purchase of paid-up or extended insurance. The total amount set aside for the payment of dividends is $10,366,748.69, of which amount $8,624,715.61 have been disbursed as cash dividends.

TERM AND AUTOMATIC INSURANCE CLAIMS

On June 30, 1925, monthly installments of term insurance were being paid to 10,470 permanently and totally disabled veterans, the total amount of insurance being $87,836,097. The average amount of insurance was $8,389, and the average monthly payment was $46.14, or $5.75 for each $1,000 of insurance. Monthly installments of term insurance were being paid to the beneficiaries of 141,384 deceased veterans, the total amount of insurance involved being

$1,275,216,688. Of the 10,470 disabled veterans receiving payments of term insurance, 4,224 were suffering from tuberculosis and 3,219 from neuropsychiatric diseases. Disability insurance payments have been discontinued because of the death of 12,649 veterans who were receiving awards because of permanent and total disability; 8,992, or 71 per cent, of these deaths were caused by tuberculosis. Diseases of the respiratory system were the cause of death in 51,616 cases on which insurance payments were being made on June 30, 1925. Most of these deaths occurred in 1918 from pneumonia and influenza. Tuberculosis was the cause of 13,345 deaths for which term insurance is now being paid. Diseases of the respiratory system and tuberculosis caused 80 per cent of all the deaths from disease of veterans whose beneficiaries were receiving term insurance on June 30, 1925.

Of all claims on which installments of term insurance were being paid on June 30, 1925, there were 79,067 deaths from disease, 52,149 deaths resulting from casualty in action, 2,107 from drowning, 1,261 from airplane accidents, and 6,800 from other accidents and injuries. In 18,174 cases, payments were being made to widows, in 94,674 cases to parents, and in 25,812 cases to brothers and sisters. It is evident that a large percentage of deceased veterans who were insured were single, as 62 per cent of these veterans named parents as beneficiaries. Beneficiaries of 6,543 deceased veterans reside in possessions of the United States or in foreign countries. The amount of insurance on which payments were being made was $56,212,355. Initial payments were made during 1918 on 69 per cent of all the awards active on June 30, 1925.

The effects of section 303 of the World War veterans' act of 1924, as amended March 4, 1925, which provided for the payment to the estate of all unpaid installments of term insurance in a lump sum, where the designated beneficiary dies before the payment of 240 installments, had scarcely been felt on June 30, 1925. However, to October 1, lump-sum payments will have been made on 1,459 cases in the amount of $7,815,053.

The total outstanding liability for term and automatic insurance claims was $1,044,993,033 as of June 30, 1925. Of this amount $25,547,683 was the liability for automatic insurance.

Automatic insurance payments were being made to the dependents of 8,038 deceased veterans, the insurance amounting to $34,849,164. In 6,831 of these cases, payments were being made to dependent parents, and in 826 cases to widows. Payments of automatic insurance were being made to 307 permanently and totally disabled veterans who did not apply for term insurance, and whose disability was incurred within 120 days after enlistment. Automatic insurance payments were being made on 299 cases where the beneficiaries resided in United States possessions or in foreign countries, the amount of insurance being $1,297,246.

CONVERTED INSURANCE CLAIMS

Through the calendar year 1924 there had been a total of 1,564 awards made to permanently and totally disabled veterans for converted insurance in the amount of $6,728,896. There have also been awards made as a result of the death of 4,081 veterans in the amount of $17,319,917; 33.37 per cent of these deceased veterans

were carrying 20-year endowment policies, 25.4 per cent were carrying 20-payment life, and 25.7 per cent ordinary life. At the end of the calendar year 1924, payments were being made to 1,247 permanently and totally disabled veterans in the amount of $5,253,921. Tuberculosis was the cause of disability in 53.1 per cent of these cases, and psychiatric diseases were the disabling cause in 18.6 per cent of these cases. In addition to the active disability claims, 304 disability claims have been terminated by death of the veteran, and 13 awards have been terminated because of recovery. Of the disability claims terminated by death, tuberculosis was the disabling cause in 68.4 per cent of the cases. The disease causing the largest number of deaths of veterans whose beneficiaries have been awarded converted insurance was tuberculosis, being the cause of 22.7 per cent of these deaths. Miscellaneous diseases, accidents, and injuries were the cause of 22.4 per cent of the deaths, and diseases of the circulatory system were the cause of 12 per cent of the deaths.

The greatest number of deaths of veterans carrying converted insurance occurred during 1924, this number being 952 as compared with 944 in 1923, and 892 in 1922.

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION

A total of 2,845,180 applications for benefits under the World War adjusted compensation act were received by the bureau during the period from August 26, 1924, through June 30, 1925. Of these, 2,747,518, or 97 per cent, were adjudicated and initial action had been taken on the balance, which comprised for the most part dependency cases awaiting the submission of necessary evidence. Adjusted service certificates were authorized to the number of 2,640,177, with a face value amounting to $2,732,809,167. Eighty-nine thousand eight hundred and thirteen cash payments were made to veterans, amounting to $2,959,319.92. Awards were made on 17,528 dependency claims, amounting to $6,339,871.49. Claims of beneficiaries under adjusted service certificates numbered 4,416, and payments of this class amounted to $4,634,013.88. The total value of all adjudicated claims for benefits under this act amounted to $2,742,107,858.41. Monthly receipts of applications reached their maximum in October, 1924, when 571,000 were received. A gradual reduction in receipts took place during subsequent months, and during June but 55,990 were received. Applications received from or on account of veterans who had served in the Army were about 10 times greater than those received from any other service, totaling 2,527,868; applications from men who had served in the Navy totaled 267,246, and from men in the Marine Corps 50,066. As to the number of applications adjudicated by State of residence, New York led with 240,824, to be followed by Pennsylvania with 201,598, Illinois with 187,520, and Ohio with 149,569.

HOSPITALIZATION

With the passage of the World War veterans' act on June 7, 1924, it was anticipated that there would be a material increase in the number of admissions during the year over the previous year and in the patient load at any one time. This expectation was borne out by experience, which showed that the total of 76,812 admissions

exceeded the admissions for 1924 by 16 per cent, although in fact this number was less than the admissions for the fiscal years 1921, 1922, and 1923. With the increase in admissions, there naturally resulted an increase in the patient load, which mounted from a total of 21,730 to a peak of 30,753 during February, subsequently to subside to 26,610 on June 30, 1925. Approximately 17 per cent of the total admissions were the result of the provisions of paragraph 10, section 202, of the World War veterans' act, providing for general hospitalization regardless of origin of disability. Of the admissions under the first sentence of paragraph 10, section 202, approximately 17 per cent were veterans of wars other than the World War; and of those admitted under the second sentence of paragraph 10, approximately 13 per cent were veterans of wars other than the World War. Of the total patients hospitalized as of June 30, 1925, approximately 15 per cent were being hospitalized as a result of the general hospitalization provisions.

The policy of hospitalizing to the greatest extent possible in Government hospitals was continued. Bearing in mind this policy, the trend in admissions during the past several years is significant. In the fiscal year 1920, 45 per cent of the total admissions were to State and civil hospitals; in 1924 this per cent was 19.36; whereas in 1925 it had been reduced to 10.87. To a considerable degree the results accomplished under this policy have been made possible through the carrying out of the permanent construction program of the bureau. Not only in admissions has this trend been noticeable, but also in the distribution of the hospital load. At the commencement of the fiscal year 17,328 patients, or 82 per cent of the total, were in Government hospitals, whereas at the close of the fiscal year 22,754, or 86 per cent, were so hospitalized.

There was a general numerical increase in patients of this bureau being hospitalized in hospitals under the control of other Government services. At the beginning of the year 5,626 patients were in all other Government hospitals, which figure has increased at the end of the year to 6,607, the greatest number being in the hospitals of the United States Army and the national homes for disabled volunteer soldiers, having 2,001 and 2,293 patients, respectively. In Veterans' Bureau hospitals there was a net numerical increase of patients of 4,445, the percentage of total patients being hospitalized in these hospitals increasing during the year from 54 to 61. This increase in Government hospitalization obtained for all types of disease, neuropsychiatric cases increasing during the year from 72 to 78 per cent, tuberculosis cases from 80 to 85 per cent, and general cases from 93 to 96 per cent.

At the commencement of the fiscal year 39 per cent of all patients were suffering from tuberculosis, 44 per cent from neuropsychiatric conditions, and 17 per cent from general conditions, whereas at the end of the fiscal year these percentages were 36, 46, and 18, respectively. Numerically there was a net increase during the year in all types of patients under treatment, the greatest increase being experienced in neuropsychiatric cases, which cases increased from 9,929 at the commencement of the year to 12,139 at the end of the year. These figures indicate clearly that from the standpoint of hospitalization and custodialship the most important future problem will be in connection with the neuropsychiatric case. This is substantiated

by reference to the chart No. 3 showing the periodic variation of patients in all hospitals, which shows that, while the general and tuberculosis cases decreased from the peak in February by some 1,000 and 2,000 cases, respectively, the neuropsychiatric cases since the peak have shown but a slight decline.

HOSPITAL FACILITIES

Increased hospitalization in Government facilities was made possible largely through the increase in the facilities themselves. At the commencement of the fiscal year there were 15,861 beds available in all United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals, classified as follows: Tuberculosis, 6,510; neuropsychiatric, 5,203; and general, 4,148. A net increase in total beds available in these hospitals of 4,794 was accomplished; the beds in tuberculosis hospitals increasing in number to 7,604, in neuropsychiatric hospitals to 7,719, and in general hospitals to 5,332.

The increase in tuberculosis facilities was brought about through the extension facilities at Alexandria, La., and Fort Bayard, N. Mex.; to the making available of additional facilities at Rutland, Mass., and Legion, Tex.; and through the opening of new hospitals at Tupper Lake, N. Y., Castle Point, N. Y., and Livermore, Calif.

Increased neuropsychiatric facilities resulted from making available additional facilities at Perry Point, Md.; Knoxville, Iowa; Augusta, Ga.; Gulfport, Miss.; North Little Rock, Ark.; and Sheridan, Wyo.; by making available all beds scheduled at Northampton, Mass., and Chillicothe, Ohio, and by the opening of new hospitals at Camp Custer, Mich., and St. Cloud, Minn.

Beds in general hospitals were increased through making available additional facilities at Algiers, La.; Memphis, Tenn.; and Muskogee, Okla.; by the conversion of the Tuskegee, Ala., hospital to a general hospital; and by the opening of the new hospital at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Included in the above figures are six new hospitals opened during the year with an aggregate capacity of 2,101 beds. No United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals were closed during the year.

In considering the hospital beds reported available in veterans' hospitals established for tuberculosis, neuropsychiatric, or general diseases, it is to be borne in mind that with each of these classes of hospitals, more especially general hospitals, there are set aside certain beds for cases other than those for which the hospital is principally used. Where it is reported that there are 7,604 beds in hospitals established for tuberculosis cases, there are included in this number some 148 beds for general cases and 18 beds for neuropsychiatric cases. These beds are located in the three tuberculosis hospitals at Helena, Mont., Fort Lyon, Colo., and Camp Kearney, Calif., where, due to the lack of Government general hospital facilities within the general area covered by these hospitals, it has been necessary to establish a limited number of beds to meet local requirements for this type of hospitalization. Similarly, among the 5,332 beds in general hospitals, there are some 906 beds for tuberculosis cases and 966 beds for neuropsychiatric cases. The setting aside of beds in general hospitals for tuberculosis and neuropsychiatric cases obtains for all general hospitals, and is due to the fact that prior to permanent hospitalization a bureau beneficiary is admitted to a general hospital for observation and diagnosis. Furthermore, emergency cases of this character frequently arise, and space must be immediately available to take care of them pending the making available of facilities for their care in hospitals specifically established for them.

In addition to the facilities made available by hospitals under the immediate jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau, there are 9,824 beds made available through other Government agencies, including the War Department, Navy Department, national homes for disabled volunteer soldiers, the Public Health Service, and St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C., these services furnishing 2,665, 2,370, 3,322, 534, and 933 beds, respectively, representing 41 individual hospitals. Of these 9,824 beds in other Government hospitals 3,130 are for tuberculosis cases, 2,214 for neuropsychiatric cases, and 4,480 for general cases. Thus, it will be seen that in all Government hospitals, including those under the direction of the United States Veterans' Bureau, there was available on June 30, 1925, a grand total of 30,479 beds, representing a net increase over the fiscal year for all Government beds of 5,469.

HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

New construction was accomplished during the fiscal year under three distinct authorities, as follows:

(1) Public 194 (67th Cong.), approved April 20, 1922, which authorized the appropriation of $17,000,000 for hospital construction. Appropriations in accordance with this authority were made on March 20, 1922 ($12,000,000), and on April 2, 1924 ($5,000,000).

(2) Fiscal appropriations: "Medical and hospital services, 1925," which made available $2,666,050, plus the unexpended balance of the amount appropriated for the fiscal year 1924, to alter, improve, or provide facilities in the several hospitals under the jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau, so as to furnish adequate accommodations for its beneficiaries; to include ordinary maintenance and repair. No part of this appropriation was to be expended for the purchase of any site for a new hospital, for or toward the construction of any new hospital, or for the purchase of any hospital.

(3) Public 197 (68th Cong.), approved June 5, 1924, which authorized the appropriation of $6,850,000 for hospital construction. To carry out the provisions of this act $3,850,000 was appropriated and authority granted to incur obligations not to exceed an additional $3,000,000 by Public 292 (68th Cong.), approved December 5, 1924.

All construction under the first authority (the so-called second Langley Act) will be accomplished by July 29, 1925, with the completion of the 218-bed tuberculosis hospital at Aspinwall, Pa., to be opened for the reception of patients on October 10, 1925. During the year under this authority there were completed four new hospitals, furnishing 789 beds for neuropsychiatric cases, 125 beds for general cases, and 268 beds for tuberculosis cases at Camp Custer, Mich.; St. Cloud, Minn.; Excelsior Springs, Mo.; and Livermore, Calif. In addition,

there were opened during the year the two tuberculosis hospitals at Tupper Lake and Castle Point, N. Y., furnishing 758 beds, which were completed toward the close of the fiscal year 1924.

Under the fiscal appropriations only alterations and additions to existing hospitals are permitted. Construction which was completed at existing hospitals during the fiscal year added 952 beds, including 635 neuropsychiatric beds at Perry Point, Md., and Augusta, Ga.; 235 general beds at Lake City, Fla., and Memphis, Tenn.; and 82 tuberculosis beds at Rutland, Mass. In addition, the construction of 76 general beds at Washington, D. C., and 250 tuberculosis beds at Rutland, Mass., was commenced.

With the appropriation of $3,850,000 on December 5, 1924, plans were immediately commenced for the further carrying out of the bureau's permanent construction program, and was so advanced by the end of the fiscal year that construction at two sites had commenced, each of which projects were to be completed by January, 1926. These projects include the 234-bed tuberculosis hospital at San Fernando, Calif., and the 325-bed neuropsychiatric hospital at Great Lakes, Ill. In addition, there had been purchased from these funds the 375-bed general hospital at Muskogee, Okla., a relatively new hospital which had been previously leased by the Government from the State of Oklahoma.

FUTURE HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

From the foregoing, it will be seen that at the close of the fiscal year the construction of new permanent hospitals was being accomplished at but two projects. Consideration was, however, being given to the balance of the program comprehended by the $6,850,000 authority, and during the early months of the fiscal year 1926, plans for the remaining projects will be developed to the point where it will be possible to award the contract for the construction of additional tuberculosis facilities to be erected at the site of the Soldiers' Home at Hot Springs, S. Dak., and to issue bids for the construction of the new 400-bed general hospital at Fort Snelling, Minn. Sites for the new 300-bed general hospital on the west coast and for the new 1,000-bed neuropsychiatric hospital in New York have been definitely selected at Portland, Oreg., and Northport, Long Island, N. Y., respectively. It is anticipated that all construction under this authority will be completed during the fiscal year 1927.

In January of 1925 a detailed study of existing hospital facilities was made, as opposed to the patient load at that time. From this study, it was evident that a definite need existed for new hospital beds over and above those provided for under the authority of $6,850,000 and by the fiscal appropriations for 1925 and 1926. In this study four primary elements were considered: First, the need for beds over and above those already existing; second, the need for replacing temporary facilities where continued utilization was apparent; third, the need for replacing leased facilities where the existing facilities were unsatisfactory and continued utilization was apparent; and fourth, the need for purchasing leased facilities where the construction was modern and permanent, and where continued utilization was apparent. In developing the study along these lines specific needs, as shown by data at that time available, were determined upon, which in the aggregate included a total of 4,759 beds, classified as follows: Tuberculosis, 2,779; neuropsychiatric, 1,380; and general, 600. It was at that time estimated that the cost of these beds, not including the possible cost of any land which might have to be purchased, although most of the construction considered necessary was to be at existing sites, would approximate $14,887,000. It is not to be considered that these 4,759 beds represented a net numerical increase in beds, but rather represented new permanent beds classified in accordance with the four classes of need previously referred to. In other words, of this total, 1,280 beds represented a numerical increase over existing facilities, which in the great majority were for the insane; 1,650 represented replacements of temporary beds by permanent beds entirely for tuberculosis cases; 1,350 represented beds to replace leased facilities unsatisfactory for purchase; and 479 represented the beds at the leased hospital at Legion, Tex., which it was considered should be purchased.

Recommendations based upon this study were submitted to Congress and, as a result, under date of March 3, 1925, through Public 587 (68th Cong.), authority was granted for the appropriation of $10,000,000 to round out the bureau's permanent hospital construction program. Funds were not appropriated to carry out any of this new construction, so the development of construction contemplated under this authority has been held in abeyance pending the actual appropriation of funds by the Sixty-ninth Congress.

From a practical viewpoint, construction can keep pace only with the ability of the construction force of the United States Veterans' Bureau to properly prepare plans and supervise construction. Practically all of the projects concerned in the complete program are major projects, and, bearing in mind the practical and technical difficulties involved in the erection of a new hospital, the ultimate completion of the hospital construction program, so far as existing authorizations are concerned, must be several years away. It is, however, estimated that all projects contemplated will have been completed, or be under actual construction, by June 30, 1927. When the projects included under all existing authorities are completed it is estimated that there will be available in Government-owned hospitals under the immediate jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau approximately 22,100 permanent beds.

Whether additional authorization for further permanent hospitalization will be necessary with the completion of all projects now contemplated is problematical. While the United States Veterans' Bureau estimated the cost of rounding out its program at $14,887,000, Congress authorized but $10,000,000 on the assumption that it would take several years to actually expend funds under this authority, and, due to the variation in patient load, especially for tuberculosis and general medical and surgical cases, the estimates of needs as recommended by the bureau might not be borne out by actual experience. There is no question as to the wisdom of the action by Congress in this matter. Congress has been especially generous in the matter of hospital construction, having authorized for this purpose appropriations to a total of $64,595,000, under which authorizations there have been actually appropriated $51,595,000, these totals not including such moneys as have been made available through fiscal appropriations.

TREND OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS AND TREATMENTS

Continued decrease was experienced in the number of physical examinations made during the year. While 1,144,330 examinations were made, this total represented a reduction over the fiscal year 1924 of 218,965, and a reduction over the fiscal year 1923 of 382,436. During the fiscal year 1925 there was a decrease in every class of examination except neuropsychiatric, where the number increased over the previous year by 9,771. This increase was due to the extension of the presumptive period, as provided by section 202 of the World War veterans' act, as amended.

One million two hundred and fifty-seven thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven out-patient treatments were given during the year, which represented a decrease over the number of treatments rendered in 1924 of 445,350, and over those rendered in 1923 of 841,457. This decrease in the volume of medical work has naturally resulted in a decrease in medical and dental personnel in field offices. This reduction is specifically shown by the fact that during the year in district and regional offices there was a net decrease of 75 full-time physicians, 40 full-time dentists, 231 part-time physicians, and 1 part-time dentist, or a total of 347 physicians and dentists, with a saving in annual salaries of $564,000.

Coincident with this reduction in the volume of out-patient work in the field, there has been continued the policy of performing as much work as possible through salaried personnel of the bureau, with the elimination so far as practicable of fee-basis personnel. In 1923, 78,935 examinations were made by fee-basis examiners, or 5.48 per cent of the total; in 1924, 54,044 examinations were made on a fee basis, or 4.1 per cent of the total; whereas in 1925 but 36,159 examinations were made on a fee basis, or but 3.2 per cent of the total. The numerical decrease in dental examinations on a fee basis is equally interesting, the records showing that for 1923, 1924, and 1925 the totals of such examinations were 13,575, 2,593, and 2,060, respectively.

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

The act of June 7, 1924, provided that all new entrances into training should be discontinued as of June 30, 1925, and all training activities should terminate June 30, 1926. The establishing of a date subsequent to which all entrances into training would be discontinued necessitated a complete review of all claimants carried in pending status, in order that the individual applicant might be advised of his rights and the provisions of the law. The pending status consisted of three subdivisions, namely, pending eligibility, pending registration, and pending induction.

Pending eligibility.—A determined effort was made to contact all claimants who had filed a formal or informal application for training on or before June 30, 1924, subsequent to which date no application for training could be considered. The number of applicants contacted is indicated by the fact that approximately 5,000 were rated eligible during the fiscal year 1925. This is remarkable in view of the fact that more than seven years had elapsed since the first entrance into training was effected and approximately 330,000 had previously been rated eligible for training.

Pending registration.—On May 31, 1924, the approximate date of the approval of the act of June 7, there were 1,044 applicants pending registration and during the succeeding 13 months 6,794 applicants were registered for training, which gives a total of 7,838 cases registered and declared in need of training subsequent to the passage of the act and prior to June 30, 1925.

Pending induction.—On May 31, 1924, there were 9,220 applicants pending induction into training, 4,853 pending assignment, and during the succeeding 13 months 7,838 cases were registered for training, which made a total of 21,911 applicants whose final status was determined prior to June 30, 1925. An effort was made to contact each of the 21,911 applicants referred to above before June 30, 1925, in order that they might be advised of their rights and the provisions of the act relative to the last date prior to which entrance into training could be effected. The final disposition of these applicants was as follows:

Entered training	6,349
Lapsed eligibility	8,592
Canceled registration	6,265
Deceased	705

On May 31, 1925, there were 55,145 trainees in training status and 6,349 new applications were effected on or before June 30, 1925, or a total in training status for the period of 61,494. During this this period, however, 38,557 terminations were effected and only 22,937 trainees were in training status as of June 30, 1925.

This decrease in trainees had a material effect on the number of training facilities to be utilized during the fiscal year 1926. The general policy of training on the job has increased the per cent of trainees carried in placement and project training to a marked degree and caused a corresponding decrease in the number of trainees carried in other types of training. As a result, it became apparent early in the fiscal year that the vocational schools maintained by the bureau would not be required as additional training facilities. Therefore all schools maintained by the bureau were discontinued as of June 30, 1925. The bureau schools closed during the fiscal year 1925 were:

	Closed
Evergreen School for the Blind	June 1, 1925
Colorado Springs, Colo	Dec. 31, 1924
Denver, Colo	June 30, 1925
Baltimore, Md	Dec. 31, 1924
Albuquerque, N. Mex	June 30, 1925
Pascagoula, Miss	July 30, 1924
Waynesville, N. C	Dec. 31, 1924
Chicago Trade School, Chicago, Ill	May 31, 1925
San Antonio, Tex	Aug. 31, 1924
Chicago School of Music, Chicago, Ill	Apr. 30, 1925
Salt Lake City, Utah	June 30, 1925
Bellevue, Nebr	Oct. 31, 1924
Brookline, Mass	Apr. 30, 1925
Portland, Me	Oct. 31, 1924
Washington, D. C	Dec. 31, 1924
Perry Point, Md	Dec. 31, 1924

During the fiscal year 1925, 33,343 trainees terminated training. This was approximately 59 per cent of the total training load for the period. This marks the greatest per cent of terminations since the

establishment of the rehabilitation division. The following table illustrates the gain in per cent of terminations by sections for the fiscal years 1922 to 1925, inclusive:

Fiscal year	Per cent of terminations	
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402
1922	11.1	11.2
1923	24.2	24.9
1924	54.1	69.6
1925	58.8	64.0

Rehabilitations and completions show a larger gain in per cent than terminations, as follows:

Fiscal year	Per cent rehabilitation and completed	
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402
1922	8.6	5.8
1923	17.9	12.0
1924	32.5	31.4
1925	50.5	39.4

Employment.—Training directly into employment has been the guiding factor in selecting training facilities whenever possible, with the end in view that the individual trainee would be absorbed into the training facility as an employee at the time the training program was completed. The success of the policy of training into employment is noted in the comparatively few rehabilitated trainees for whom employment has not been secured. On June 30, 1925, there were 654 trainees for whom employment opportunities had not been provided who had been rehabilitated subsequent to April 30, 1925. These men were, however, still drawing maintenance and support allowances. This number represented only 13.8 per cent of the number rehabilitated during May and June. In addition to this number, there were 244 cases rehabilitated prior to May 1, 1925, who were still unemployed and for whom the bureau retains responsibility for employment service.

ADMINISTRATIVE ECONOMIES

The fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, has been marked by unusual expansion and development of United States Veterans' Bureau to meet the requirements imposed by the necessity for administering the adjusted compensation act and the World War veterans' act of June 7, 1924. Both of these acts had the effect of increasing the number of claimants for benefits, and the World War veterans' act especially liberalized the legal provisions so that the necessity for greatly extending the bureau's service was imperative.

The immediate need resulting from these acts was for service not only more extended but more expeditious. Reorganization was accomplished. It is significant that as the result of vigilant attention given to controlling conditions the necessary changes in organization were brought about in such a manner that many economies were immediately observable, although many of the most advantageous can be actually measured only after the new organization has been in operation over an extended period.

The process by which the reorganization was brought about was utilized as a means of effecting as much economy as possible. It is obvious that a great saving has been effected by holding regional offices to a number adequate for highly satisfactory service, thereby cutting down by a very large, though not exactly measurable, amount the cost of administration of the field. This reduction in the cost of field administration from a personnel standpoint has been discussed, together with the reduction in the number of suboffices. In the aggregate the reduction in district and field personnel over the fiscal period amounted to 1,644 employees, with a corresponding net savings in salaries for this class of personnel totaling $1,993,211.

Through readjustment of leased space in connection with the carrying out of the decentralization program, it has been possible to effect a saving of some 62,800 square feet in office space, representing an annual saving of $142,513 in rentals. Further rental reductions were accomplished through closing of vocational schools, with annual rentals aggregating $145,533; and through the reduction of leased hospital facilities, with an annual saving aggregating $30,178. These savings in rentals for the fiscal year 1926 over leases in force for the fiscal year 1925 total $318,224.

Requisitions for maintenance and repair at field stations were received for work estimated to cost $2,900,000, while the amount actually approved for expenditure was but $1,720,000, a difference of $1,180,000. This reduction was effected through the cancellation of all unnecessary projects, the deferring of projects not considered absolutely essential, by reestimating requisitions and substituting less expensive material which would answer the same purpose as that requested, and by reducing to a minimum all requisitions for material with a view toward maintaining at stations the smallest stocks of supplies possible without hindering operations. Much of this saving was effected by supplying material from surplus property, and during the year by reconditioning and furnishing laundry machinery from surplus, the estimated saving of funds which would have been necessary, if equipment was bought new, was $150,000.

In the operation of hospitals a material reduction in the per diem operating costs was effected. During the fiscal year 1924 the operating expenses for all United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals totaled some $19,484,000, resulting in a per diem cost of operation of $4.62. During the fiscal year 1925 the operating expenses totaled $23,354,500, which resulted in a per diem operating cost of $4.04. Thus, while the expenses for 1925 exceeded the expenses for 1924, the number of patient days in 1925 exceeded those in 1924 by more than 1,500,000, resulting in a decrease in the per diem operating expense of $0.58 per patient. Had the per diem cost of operation of hospitals for 1925 been similar to that for 1924, the cost during 1925 would have been $3,383,000 in excess of what was actually reported.

Through the utilization of full-time salaried personnel of the bureau it was possible to reduce the cost of medical examinations and treatments and dental examinations and treatments, accomplished on a fee basis, by approximately $34,000 and $20,000, respectively.

A saving of some $22,700 has been effected in the operation of the bureau orthopedic shops. A further saving in excess of $45,000 has been made in the purchase and repair of orthopedic and prosthetic appliances from contract, utilized where facilities of the orthopedic workshops of the bureau are not available.

During the fiscal year, due to changes in design in connection with new construction work, the cost of which was estimated at $0.45 per cubic foot, the cost has been reduced to approximately $0.40 without detriment to the building, construction, or hospital facilities, thereby materially reducing the cost per bed. Further economies have been effected in new construction by combining certain facilities, such as affecting storage space in basements of buildings and in connection with construction of garages, shops, etc., thereby eliminating the necessity for the construction of separate structures for these purposes.

During the fiscal year, as a result of a study of supplies and equipment on hand, it has been possible to transfer to other Government agencies material for their use to a total value of $455,000. Certain other property which was of no use to this bureau, nor of any use to any other Government agency, was sold and there was realized on this property some $25,500. It is considered that the transfer and sale of such material is a definite saving to the Government.

Since April of 1925 the former rate of $1.50 per day charged for the care and maintenance of beneficiaries of the Canadian soldiers' civil reestablishment in United States veterans' hospitals has been raised to $3.75 per day. Since an average of about 200 men are located in United States veterans' hospitals monthly, this will mean an additional saving of $13,500 a month to the bureau.

Many other economies are mentioned throughout the body of the report, which in the aggregate mean a material savings in all operating appropriations. Especially are these savings applicable to the administrative appropriations of salaries and expenses, printing and binding, and administrative expenses of the adjusted compensation act. Through the practice of strict economy in the application of funds appropriated under these appropriations, and through the maintenance of a systematic control of the budget, it is estimated that it will be possible to return to the Treasury from these appropriations approximate amounts, as follows:

Salaries and expenses, 1925	$3,038,000
Administrative expenses, World War adjusted compensation act, Veterans' Bureau, 1924 and 1925	350,000
Printing and binding, 1925	103,700
Total	3,491,700

COST OF ALL VETERANS' ACTIVITIES

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, the total disbursements for all purposes amounted to $393,755,857, representing a decrease of $21,382,540, in comparison with disbursements during the previous fiscal year. This reduction was due principally to the decrease in the number of men undergoing vocational training, the total disbursement for this purpose amounting to $60,482,478, as compared with $106,954,450 for the previous year. The disbursements during 1925 for both compensation and term insurance showed an increase over

the previous year, compensation increasing from $115,494,991 in 1924 to $129,597,457 in 1925, and term insurance payments increased from $101,239,648 to $104,136,493 for these years. The disbursements for medical and hospital services for 1925 also showed an increase over those for 1924, being $33,033,371 and $29,618,747, respectively.

The total appropriations for the fiscal year 1926 amount to $405,713,559, compared with $481,957,898 for 1925. The appropriations for 1925 include $100,000,000 for the adjusted service certificate fund and $26,629,398 for cash and dependency payments, and $3,850,000 for hospital construction, while the appropriations for 1926 include but $50,000,000 for the adjusted service certificate fund and $12,000,000 for cash and dependency payments. The appropriation for vocational rehabilitation for 1926 is $38,000,000, compared with $89,000,000 for 1925; while the appropriation for medical and hospital services for 1926 was reduced to $35,000,000, as compared with $42,000,000 in 1925. Appropriations necessary for all purposes for 1927, exclusive of the appropriation for the adjusted service certificate fund, and for hospital construction, are estimated at approximately $314,965,000.

There is shown below the percentage distribution of all disbursements made during the fiscal year 1925, as compared with those for the fiscal year 1924. In considering these figures, it is to be borne in mind that they represent disbursements only, and when all obligations incurred during the year have been made and recorded, the percentage distribution will change but slightly. Attention is further invited to the fact that in the personnel in field offices are included professional and technical personnel at clinics. Therefore the per cent applicable to salaries at these offices can not be construed as representing administrative overhead, which latter per cent is materially lower after deducting from total salaries the salaries of clinic personnel.

	1925	1924
Salaries:		
Hospitals	3.67	2.50
Field offices	4.71	4.88
Central office	1.94	1.71
Administrative expenses (other than salaries)	1.37	1.70
Vocational rehabilitation:		
Training allowances	13.61	22.51
Other training expenses	1.75	3.26
Medical and hospital expenses (other than salaries)	8.39	7.13
Hospital facilities and services (construction)	.99	2.22
Compensation	32.91	27.82
Term insurance	26.44	24.39
United States Government life insurance	2.28	1.81
Adjusted service and dependent pay	.77	----------
Adjusted service certificate fund	1.17	----------

PERSONNEL

At the close of business on June 30, 1924, there were 27,035 employees on the rolls of the bureau, whose aggregate annual salaries totaled $42,476,378; while at the close of business on June 30, 1925, there were 27,622 employees, with aggregate annual salaries of $44,127,386, showing a net increase during the year of 587 employees and $1,651,008 in annual salaries. It has been indicated in previous pages that through reorganization it was possible during the year to

reduce the field personnel, exclusive of hospitals, by 1,644 employees, at an annual saving of $1,993,211 in aggregate annual salaries. However, this saving through field reorganization was more than offset by the increase in employees at United States veterans' hospitals, due to the opening up of new hospitals at Tupper Lake, N. Y.; Beacon, N. Y.; Excelsior Springs, Mo.; Camp Custer, Mich.; St. Cloud, Minn.; and Livermore, Calif., and to the increase in facilities at existing hospitals which demanded increased personnel. As a result of these increased personnel demands, personnel at hospitals showed a net increase during the year of 2,640 employees, at a net increase in aggregate annual salaries of $3,664,862, there being a total of 12,818 employees, with aggregate annual salaries of $18,248,549, in all hospitals at the close of the fiscal year on June 30, 1925. If, however, there were excluded the personnel assigned to new hospitals during this period from this total increase in hospitals, there would have obtained for the year for the entire bureau a net reduction of 570 employees and a saving of $53,654 in aggregate annual salaries.

MEDICAL SERVICE

With the exception of the medical rating subdivision which, on October 21, 1924, was transferred to the central board of appeals directly under the director's jurisdiction, the organization of the medical service, central office, during the past fiscal year did not materially change. The direct administration of United States veterans' hospitals, the coordinating and general supervisory control of the medical service in the field, the initiation and promulgation of procedure bearing upon the rating of disabilities and the provision of medical care and treatment, and the devising of policies related to medical problems, continued as the main functions of the medical service in central office, Washington, D. C.

The passage of the World War veterans' act, approved June 7, 1924, necessitated extensive changes in the organization of medical activities in the field. Immediately after the passage of this legislation the medical service, in cooperation with the other services and divisions in central office, began steps to effect decentralization of the rating of disabilities, physical examination of claimants, and provision of medical and dental care and treatment from the former district offices to the regional offices and suboffices called for under the act referred to. Notwithstanding the redistribution of medical personnel, records, and equipment that was required through this further decentralization of medical activities in the field, the reorganization proceeded with comparative expedition, and was fully effected without undue delay or material inconvenience to the bureau's beneficiaries.

The preparation of the comparatively numerous new regulations and general orders necessitated by the provisions of the World War veterans' act affecting medical activities was completed by the medical service soon after that act had been passed. In devising these field instructions to fit the needs of the organization, opportunity was further taken to apply the experience gained in the several years' work of the bureau in supplying care and treatment to its beneficiaries. The result was a series of instructions which, while accomplishing proper economies, made at the same time for a simpler and more flexible procedure, well adapted to meet the needs of claimants. For example, medical officers in charge of United States veterans' hospitals were given authority to effect interhospital transfers, under certain conditions, without the intermediation of regional offices. This will save time and correspondence. Medical officers in charge of United States veterans' hospitals were, under the redrafted regulations covering travel of claimants, given authority directly to effect the return of eloped insane beneficiaries to hospital, with attendant or attendants as needed. In an exceptionally detailed instruction, General Order No. 59-C, issued June 1, 1925, a particular effort was made to systemize procedure governing admissions to and discharges and transfers from hospitals, and to define hospitalization for observation, for treatment, and in emergencies. These instructions were intended to effect such control of hospital admissions and discharges as would minimize unnecessarily

prolonged hospitalization for observation or treatment, and insure an available bed supply not only for beneficiaries whose disabilities had been connected with military or naval service, but for the additional load of hospital patients, suffering from conditions not due to such service, authorized under the provisions of subsection 10, of section 202, of the World War veterans' act.

Another administrative reform, effected in new orders, was achieved in devising a new procedure regarding patients furloughed from hospitals, both bureau and contract. Heretofore, when an insane patient was furloughed for the usual 90 days or more, his vacated bed was held open. Hospitals are now required to report such bed as vacant upon departure of the patient, thereby cutting out the cost of maintaining a vacant bed, while at the same time making such vacant bed available for some other equally entitled insane beneficiary requiring prompt hospitalization.

By the terms of a general order, effective April 17, 1924, there were assigned to the medical service five medical supervisors, whose duties, under the jurisdiction of and acting for the medical director in the field, are the study and corrective correlation of medical activities in regional offices, suboffices, hospitals, and dispensaries of the bureau. While action initiated by these medical supervisors can not involve new policy or new administrative procedure, the authority vested in them is sufficiently broad to permit of the taking of immediate remedial action wherever conditions are found requiring it. This service has proven distinctly valuable. Field stations, through the visits of these medical supervisors, are made better acquainted with the spirit and letter of central office instructions and policies, while the central office, in turn, is kept more closely in touch with field needs than is always possible through correspondence. The desideratum of uniformly applied, standardized methods in all stations is better realized through this personal contact of medical supervisors with field conditions.

Further administrative advance made by the medical service during the past fiscal year was accomplished through the creation of a hospital survey board for each regional office. The duties of these boards will consist of the thorough survey of the bureau's patients in hospitals, Government and contract, in their respective regional territories, in order to determine the need for continued hospitalization; of transfer to national soldiers' homes for domiciliary care; or of discharge from hospital, with or without recommendations for outpatient treatment in bureau dispensaries. These hospital surveys, to be made semiannually, after the approval of the need by the medical director, will further serve to reinforce the provisions of General Order 59-C, aimed to secure a proper flow of patients in and out of hospitals, and so insure an available bed supply to meet the bureau's hospitalization load.

SCHEDULE OF DISABILITY RATINGS

The former provisions of the war risk insurance act, as amended, calling for the preparation of a schedule of disability ratings based upon the average impairments of earning capacity resulting from injuries in civil occupation, etc., were amended by section 202, subsection (4), second paragraph, of the World War veterans' act as, amended, to require preparation of a schedule based "as far as practicable, upon the average impairments of earning capacity resulting from such injuries in civil occupations *similar to the occupation of the injured man at the time of enlistment*," etc. This feature of the new legislation represented by the World War veterans' act imposed upon the bureau one of the heaviest constructive tasks that has ever confronted it. Immediately after the imperatively necessary new regulations and general orders covering general field conduct of medical activities, discussed in the preceding paragraph, had been developed and promulgated, intensive work was begun upon the new schedule of disability ratings. Investigation disclosed that the only precedent experience with occupational rather than average ratings that could be utilized by the bureau was that of the California Industrial Accident Commission. Messrs. Albert W. Whitney, G. F. Michelbacher, and William Leslie, the actuarial experts who devised the "Schedule for rating permanent disabilities under the workmen's compensation, insurance, and safety act," of California, were engaged as consultants, but were unable to meet in conference at the central office until October 27, 1924. Besides the very valuable and unselfish cooperation of these experts, the bureau utilized all available related studies of other Federal departments and State employees' compensation commissions, especially the "Wages and hours of labor" and "Descriptions of occupations" bulletins of the Department of Labor, "Trade specifications" of the United States Army, publications of the Department of Commerce and Census Bureau, and of the Bureau International du Travail, Geneva, Switzerland. Other data were developed by correspondence. As work on the schedule progressed, however, it became increasingly clear that in volume, comprehensiveness, and complexity the new schedule must necessarily go far beyond any work previously attempted along occupational lines, and that such work must be largely pioneer effort on the part of the United States Veterans' Bureau. Despite the inherent magnitude and difficulties of this task, the schedule has been completed and is now undergoing final check and revision of data before being sent to the printers. The provisions of section 202 (4) of the World War veterans' act, as amended, require that "the bureau shall from time to time readjust this schedule of ratings whenever actual experience shall show that it is unjust to the disabled veteran;" and in conformity with this it is purposed to make continuous study of the occupational and medical data in the schedule with the object of effecting such revisions as may appear required from experience in its field employment.

MEDICAL COUNCIL

The most important aid and addition to the medical service since the beginning of the care and treatment of disabled ex-service men and women is the medical council of the Veterans' Bureau. This organization was created in March, 1924, by the director, upon the advice of the medical director, for the purpose of elevation of the character of the medical service rendered by the bureau to its claimants and beneficiaries.

The first general session was held July 22, 23, and 24, 1924, at central office. Similar conferences followed November 10 and 11, 1924, and February 27 and 28, 1925.

The medical council consists of physicians and experts of national prominence, who are specialists in neuropsychiatry, tuberculosis, internal medicine, surgery in its various branches, public health, hospital and dispensary administration, medical statistics and research. Stated meetings are held quarterly with the medical director and central office staff for the consideration of the medical problems of the bureau. At the end of each session, recommendations are submitted to the director. The members of the medical council visit the hospitals and regional offices of the bureau between conferences in order to become familiar with the actual operations of the medical service and to make suggestions toward their improvement. The membership is as follows:

Officers.—Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, permanent chairman; Dr. Kennon Dunham, vice chairman; Dr. Malcolm T. MacEachern, secretary; Dr. Roy D. Adams, secretary executive committee; Dr. Karl Schaffle, bureau representative

Group on hospitals, dispensaries and general medical welfare.—Dr. Louis H. Burlingham, Barnes Hospital, St. Louis, Mo.; Mr. Michael M. Davis, jr., 17 West Forty-third Street, New York, N. Y.; Dr. S. S. Goldwater, Mount Sinai Hospital, Fifth Avenue and One hundredth Street, New York, N. Y.; Dr. Malcolm T. MacEachern, 40 East Erie Street, Chicago, Ill.; Dr. W. C. Rappleye, New Haven Hospital, New Haven, Conn., secretary; Dr. Winford H. Smith, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md.; Col. R. U. Patterson, Office Surgeon General, United States Army, Washington, D. C., chairman.

Committee on general medicine and surgery.—Dr. Lewellys F. Barker, 1035 North Calvert Street, Baltimore, Md.; Dr. George W. Crile, Euclid Avenue at Ninety-third Street, Cleveland, Ohio; Dr. Joel E. Goldthwait, 372 Marlborough Street, Boston, Mass.; Dr. George Morris Piersol, 1913 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.; Dr. Ray Lyman Wilbur, Stanford University, California, chairman.

Group on neuropsychiatry.—Dr. A. M. Barrett, State Psychopathic Hospital, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Dr. C. Macfie Campbell, 74 Fenwood Road, Boston, Mass.; Dr. George H. Kirby, Psychiatric Institute, Ward's Island, New York; Dr. G. M. Kline, Department of Mental Diseases, Statehouse, Boston, Mass., secretary; Dr. W. F. Lorenz, Wisconsin Psychiatric Institute, Mendota, Wis.; Dr. G. E. Myers, 518 March-Strong Building, Los Angeles, Calif.; Dr. Thomas W. Salmon, 123 East Fifty-third Street, New York, N. Y.; Dr. Sidney I. Schwab, Humbolt Building, St. Louis, Mo.; Dr. Douglas A. Thom, 520 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston, Mass.; Dr. William A. White, St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C.; Dr. D. J. McCarthy, 2025 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa., chairman.

Group on tuberculosis.—Dr. Kennon Dunham, Union Central Life Building, Cincinnati, Ohio; Dr. William LeRoy Dunn, Medical Building, Asheville, N. C.; Dr. James Alexander Miller, 379 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.; Dr. H. A. Pattison, 370 Seventh Avenue, New York, N. Y., secretary; Dr. F. C. Smith, Assistant Surgeon General, United States Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Roy D. Adams, 204 Stoneleigh Court, Washington, D. C., chairman.

Group on investigation and research.—Dr. Alfred E. Cohn, Rockefeller Institute, Sixty-sixth Street and Avenue A, New York, N. Y.; Dr. Allen K. Krause, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md.; Dr. Horatio M. Pollock, State Hospital Commission, Albany, N. Y.; Dr. J. W. Schereschewsky, United States Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Louis I. Dublin, 1 Madison Avenue, New York, N. Y., chairman.

As a result of the activities of the medical council a section on medical research was established in the medical service. The functions outlined for this section were the study of all available medical data by which the results so far accomplished by the bureau might be measured; the investigation of the character of clinical work conducted in the centers established by the bureau; the establishment of standards and definitions to effect their improvement; and the promotion and encouragement of research work in the field.

The establishment of the two diagnostic centers for the exhaustive study of cases presenting difficulties of diagnosis or which are the subject of medical controversy is also the result of the recommendations of the medical council. These centers at the Cincinnati General

Hospital, Cincinnati, Ohio, and United States Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C., afford the most modern facilities and equipment, with attending staffs of superior qualifications. By their operation a claimant is given complete satisfaction as far as the limitations of medical science permit. The expense of the Government is at the same time reduced by the elimination of unnecessary hospitalization, travel from one institution to another, and excessive consultation fees which might otherwise be incurred.

Another step taken by the council to improve the character of professional work in the hospitals conducted by the bureau was the arrangement with the American College of Surgeons for the survey of every Veterans' Bureau hospital by representatives of the college, in order that all of the bureau's hospitals might be accepted by the American College of Surgeons as standard hospitals in accordance with the requirements of that body.

The medical council indorsed the bureau's program for postgraduate instruction of its medical officers in tuberculosis, neuropsychiatry, and other subjects.

At the second conference of the medical council the advisory committee on nursing, which was recommended by the medical director, was considered, and at the third conference the members of this committee met with the council. The advisory committee is as follows:

Miss Clara D. Noyes, director nursing service, American Red Cross, chairman; Miss Adda Eldredge, president American Nursing Association; Miss Elizabeth Fox, president National Organization for Public Health Nursing; Miss Laura R. Logan, dean Illinois Training School for Nurses; Miss Harriett Bailey, department of education, University of New York; Maj. Julia C. Stimson, superintendent Army Nurse Corps, War Department; Miss J. Beatrice Bowman, superintendent Navy Nurse Corps, Navy Department; Miss Lucy Minnigerode, superintendent of nurses, United States Public Health Service.

The function of this committee is to advise the medical director and the medical council upon the subject of nursing, with the object of improving the nursing service to disabled veterans in Government hospitals. The interest and cooperation of these leaders in the nursing profession has been evidenced by an improvement in the manner in which the bureau nurses are employees, and a greater realization of the opportunities which are offered by such service.

Beginning with the second conference, the medical council emphasized the importance of being representatives of the bureau and its beneficiaries concentrate upon the subject of cure or physical restoration to the normal as far as possible rather than upon the feature of compensation for disability.

A medical journal, issued monthly, to contain special articles contributed by the personnel of the medical service, news items, and orders and instructions to the field, which was advocated by the medical director, received the hearty indorsement of the council, and, with the assistance of a special committee, was established at the close of the fiscal year.

The medical council is at present engaged in the study of the standardization and improvement of out-patient treatment and social service; the causes of the large turnover in the lower grades of hospital personnel; the survey of hospitals for discharge of patients not requiring hospitalization; the study of the future load of hospitalization and dispensary examinations and treatment; the domiciliary care of patients who have reached the maximum benefit from hospitalization; and other questions of future medical policy.

PERSONNEL

Since the operation of United States veterans' hospitals is directed from Washington, D. C., it is considered essential that an intelligent control be exercised at all times on professional personnel activities, and to that end there is maintained in the medical service a personnel unit which acts as a clearing house for matters concerning medical and technical personnel for hospitals and other field stations. Questions arising as to employment, assignment, transfer, discontinuance, and discipline of such personnel are considered, and appropriate recommendations for action are made, to be accomplished through regular administrative channels. Correspondence is conducted through the personnel division of the bureau, with which close cooperation is maintained.

In order that expeditious selection and assignment of professional and technical personnel may be effected, a card record is maintained, showing details of education, training, and experience in various special lines. A file of personnel on duty at the various hospitals and offices is also accessible, so that the persons on duty at any station are quickly determined, and the standard ratio of personnel to patients can be maintained.

At the end of each six months medical officers in charge of bureau hospitals and chiefs of other offices submit a confidential report upon each medical officer serving under them. These are subjected to a critical analysis; any cases of inefficiency, improper personal conduct, or maladjustment are brought to the attention of the medical director, so that he may recommend proper corrective measures.

The opinion expressed in the annual report for the preceding fiscal year that "one of the first and most necessary steps toward raising the standard of medical service is to make it sufficiently attractive to secure and retain well-trained, conscientious physicians, a large percentage of whom must have special knowledge in the special fields of medicine, particularly diseases of the lungs and neuropsychiatry," is again stressed. The best way to accomplish this ideal is, it is thought, by creation of a United States Veterans' Bureau medical corps, and in this viewpoint the medical service has the support of the medical council of the bureau and of the ex-service men's organizations. It is expected that the veterans' legislation to be presented at the next session of the Congress will embody a provision for such United States Veterans' Bureau medical corps.

DISABILITY RATINGS

Pending the redistribution of personnel and case records from the former 14 district offices to the 54 regional offices set up under authority of section 7 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, it was necessary for a short time to continue the rating of cases through the district machinery. On August 12, 1924, Regulation No. 74 was promulgated, effective August 26, outlining the organization, duties, and jurisdiction of claims and rating boards in regional offices.

The intent of the organization and functioning of regional office claims and rating boards was to have the rating of a claimant's disability made at the point where he was physically examined, on the assumption that such personal contact with the claimant permitted of a more equitable evaluation of the degree of disability presented.

The policy followed during the fiscal year was to place as many cases as possible upon a permanent rating basis in order to avoid the expense to the bureau and inconvenience to claimants entailed through reexaminations. Cases to be placed upon a permanent basis were defined in Regulation No. 98, effective March 27, 1925, as those in which it was indicated that the disability had reached a stationary level and was reasonably certain to continue so throughout the claimant's life. Examinations for application of a permanent rating were made, wherever possible, by a board of three physicians, at least one of whom was a specialist in the major disability of the claimant. It was further provided in Regulation No. 98 that—

> No beneficiary whose disability has been given a permanent rating, either total or partial, shall be reexamined except as follows: (*a*) Upon request of the beneficiary or his duly authorized representative, accompanied by evidence showing changed conditions; (*b*) claimants carrying a permanent total disability award for active tuberculosis, pulmonary or otherwise, will be reexamined at intervals of 18 months, and such reexaminations will be made by a board in accordance with the provisions of section 7092 of Regulation No. 98; (*c*) in connection with treatment, prosthesis, or training these examinations are not to be used for rating purposes and no permanent rating shall be altered upon such an examination in the absence of approval of central office; (*d*) when reexamination is ordered by central office as a result of information showing changed conditions furnished by regional manager.

Up to October 21, 1924, there functioned in central office, as a part of the medical service, a central office medical rating section, which handled death cases, permanent total disability claims, cases of claimants resident in foreign countries and insular possessions of the United States, residents of rehabilitation centers and schools, cases of bureau employees, etc. On October 21, 1924, this medical rating section in central office was abolished and its personnel and duties taken over by the central board of appeals.

The control, standardization, and uniform application of disability ratings in the central and in regional offices during the past fiscal year continued to be maintained through the medical service, by the initiation and promulgation of pertinent regulations and general orders, and through correspondence with field offices relative to rating procedure in general, and in connection with disputed or problem cases. This work is a comparatively heavy and responsible addition to the regular work of the medical service. The extreme importance of supervising and controlling ratings makes it advisable that the future formulation and direction of rating policy and procedure in central office and regional offices be in the hands of a carefully selected, particularly competent, permanent committee of physicians from the medical service and employees of the rehabilitation division, which committee will advise the director. It is purposed to set up such a central office organization as soon as the new schedule of disability ratings, previously referred to, has been promulgated. It is further contemplated to provide a continuous machinery of inspection of field practice in rating, so as to secure the highly necessary standardization of methods, applied in accordance with the provisions of the schedule of ratings mentioned.

ADMINISTRATIVE ECONOMIES

The travel of employees from central office to the field and from one field station to another has been reduced and kept to the mini-

mum of actual and visible necessity during the past year. Similarly, travel of claimants has been decidedly reduced. Transfers of patients from one hospital to another, particularly over long distances, have, during the past fiscal year, been made only for sound medical reasons shown. A corresponding saving in the costs of attendants to accompany such transferred patients has followed this better control of transfers. A saving in this item for 1925 over 1924 is indicated to the extent of $225,000.

The decentralization of authority to medical officers in charge of hospitals to effect local purchase of food and emergency supplies has resulted in very appreciable savings. The hospital heads have been able to secure low competitive bids, and in addition merchants are allowing a discount of one-half of 1 per cent in bills paid locally, preferring this to awaiting payment on vouchers submitted to central office. In one station, where the purchases of this sort averaged $20,000 a month, the annual saving accomplished ran close to $1,200 a year; and with the general extension of the practice to others of the 50 hospitals of the bureau, a saving of over $60,000 a year may well be effected.

The installation of machine shops at bureau hospitals to make repairs of machinery, hospital equipment, etc., has made possible a substantial saving over costs of such repairs through local contracts.

By recommendations to the supply service as to standardized stocks of drugs, chemicals, apparatus, etc., and by refusals to approve requisitions for anything other than such standard articles, except in clearly demonstrated exceptional cases, a decided saving has been effected. Instead of proprietary remedies put out by commercial drug houses, the medical service has insisted upon the use of economically prepared national formulary preparations made up by its own pharmacists.

A gratifying reduction in costs of hospital messes has been accomplished by use of fruit and vegetables, poultry, and dairy products furnished from the hospital farms. With progressive extension of agricultural and animal husbandry activities in connection with the bureau hospitals this saving will continually be augmented, while at the same time the patients' dietary is very much improved by these fresh food supplies.

At the beginning of the fiscal year 1925 there were in civil and State hospitals 4,786 patients of this bureau, which figure represented 21.12 per cent of the total patients in all hospitals. On June 30, 1925, there were 4,294 patients in these hospitals, a reduction of 492 cases. While this latter figure does not represent a heavy numerical decrease, it is significant in that the 4,294 cases in such hospitals at the present time represent but 16.1 per cent of the total patients in all hospitals, as opposed to 21.2 per cent a year ago. This reduction in contract patients has been instrumental in establishing the present favorable per diem cost of operation of United States veterans' hospitals.

The following leases which were in effect during the fiscal year 1924 have been discontinued for the fiscal year 1925:

	Annual rental
United States Veterans' Hospital No. 26, Greenville, S. C.	$3,550.50
United States Veterans' Hospital No. 54, Arrowhead Springs, Calif.	62,500.00
United States Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla.	22,500.00
Total	88,550.50

In connection with the foregoing, two additional leases were consummated during the fiscal year 1925, one for an annual rental of $1,800 for nurses' quarters at Excelsior Springs, Mo., and the other for $1,020 for certain quarters at Rutland, Mass. It will be noted that the two latter leases aggregate $2,820 per annum. This figure subtracted from the reduction indicated above leaves a net reduction of $85,730.50.

Since April 1, 1925, the former rate of $1.50 per day charged for care and maintenance of beneficiaries of the Canadian Soldiers' Civil Reestablishment in the United States Veterans' Bureau has been raised to $3.75 per day. Since an average of about 200 Canadian ex-service men are located monthly in United States veterans' hospitals, this will mean an additional saving of $13,500 per month to the bureau.

As a result of an informal investigation it was found that when allied ex-service men (principally Canadian) were placed in Army and Navy hospitals reimbursement for this service to the Army and Navy was accomplished through deductions from the allotment of funds made to the services for the care of this bureau's beneficiaries, and no separate accounting was rendered the bureau whereby reimbursements could be called for from the department of soldiers' civil reestablishment, Canada, for such service furnished their ex-service men. A careful check on the files of these men showing dates and places of admission has resulted in accounts being forwarded to Canada for settlement approximating $50,000. These accounts are now being paid.

REGIONAL MEDICAL SERVICE

A more detailed and statistical report of medical work in regional offices appears elsewhere in this volume as a part of the general record of all activities in regional offices. (See pp. 385 to 387.)

At the close of the fiscal year, June 30, 1925, there were 54 regional offices, 11 suboffices, and 30 medical-treatment stations in operation. Depending upon the claimant load at these regional offices and suboffices, there was operated by the medical service at each one of the following standard types of dispensaries:

Class A consisted of a complete unit, comprising clinics in internal medicine, general surgery, tuberculosis, neuropsychiatry, ophthalmology, diseases of the eye, ear, nose, and throat, urology, orthopedics, physiotherapy, dentistry (six chairs), X-ray clinical laboratory and pharmacy, with facilities for administration and social service, occupying approximately 8,500 square feet of floor space.

Class B consisted of a similar unit in which the surgical clinic embraces urology and orthopedics. The dental clinic had two chairs instead of six, and the section of physiotherapy was omitted, the floor space occupying 4,216 square feet.

Class C consisted of clinics in medicine, surgery, and eye, ear, nose, and throat, with a small clinical laboratory, one dental chair, and an X ray (if X-ray contracts justified its establishment), occupying 2,352 square feet.

The medical-treatment stations were located at Bangor, Me., Worcester and Lawrence, Mass., Rochester, N. Y., Houston, Tex., Macon, Ga., Montgomery, Ala., Bridgeport, Conn., New Haven, Conn., Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Utica, N. Y., Troy, N. Y., Norfolk, Va.,

Roanoke, Va., Knoxville, Tenn., Shreveport, La., Lafayette, La., Mobile, Ala., Gadsden, Ala., Evansville, Ind., Dayton, Ohio, Danville, Ill., Eau Claire, Wis., Grand Rapids, Mich., Lincoln, Nebr., Davenport, Iowa, Pueblo, Colo., Boulder, Colo., Tucson, Ariz., and San Diego, Calif. The facilities at these stations permit of physical examinations and treatments which do not require full laboratory equipment. They are not standard dispensaries.

At the following United States veterans' hospitals an out-patient service was maintained during the past fiscal year: Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass.; No. 81, Bronx, New York City; No. 32, Washington, D. C.; No. 65, St. Paul, Minn.; and No. 88, Memphis, Tenn.

The medical activities of regional offices and suboffices include the making of physical examinations, including spinal examinations (X ray, laboratory analyses and tests of blood, urine, feces, spinal fluid, etc.), and the furnishing of care and treatment (including hospitalization, out-patient relief, nursing follow-up, dental, prosthetic and orthopedic appliances, etc.). In addition, the medical activities at regional offices (not at suboffices) includes detail of trained physicians as medical members of claims and rating boards. The medical care and treatment furnished by the bureau is carried beyond regional office and suboffices into the claimant's community and home. Follow-up nurses, operating under direction of the regional medical officer and the suboffice medical officer, and guided by a card index in these offices giving the names and addresses of all beneficiaries requiring special periodic contacts, work out from these offices into remote sections of the country where transportation is primitive and travel laborious and difficult. In addition, under the liberal authority conferred by General Order No. 308, wide provision is made for treatment of beneficiaries by designated examiners and private physicians, under supervision of the regional offices. This brings the service to the beneficiary who is too ill to travel to a bureau hospital or dispensary, or when, by reason of comparative inaccessibility, it is more advantageous and less expensive to arrange for locality treatment rather than to travel the beneficiary into a field station of the bureau.

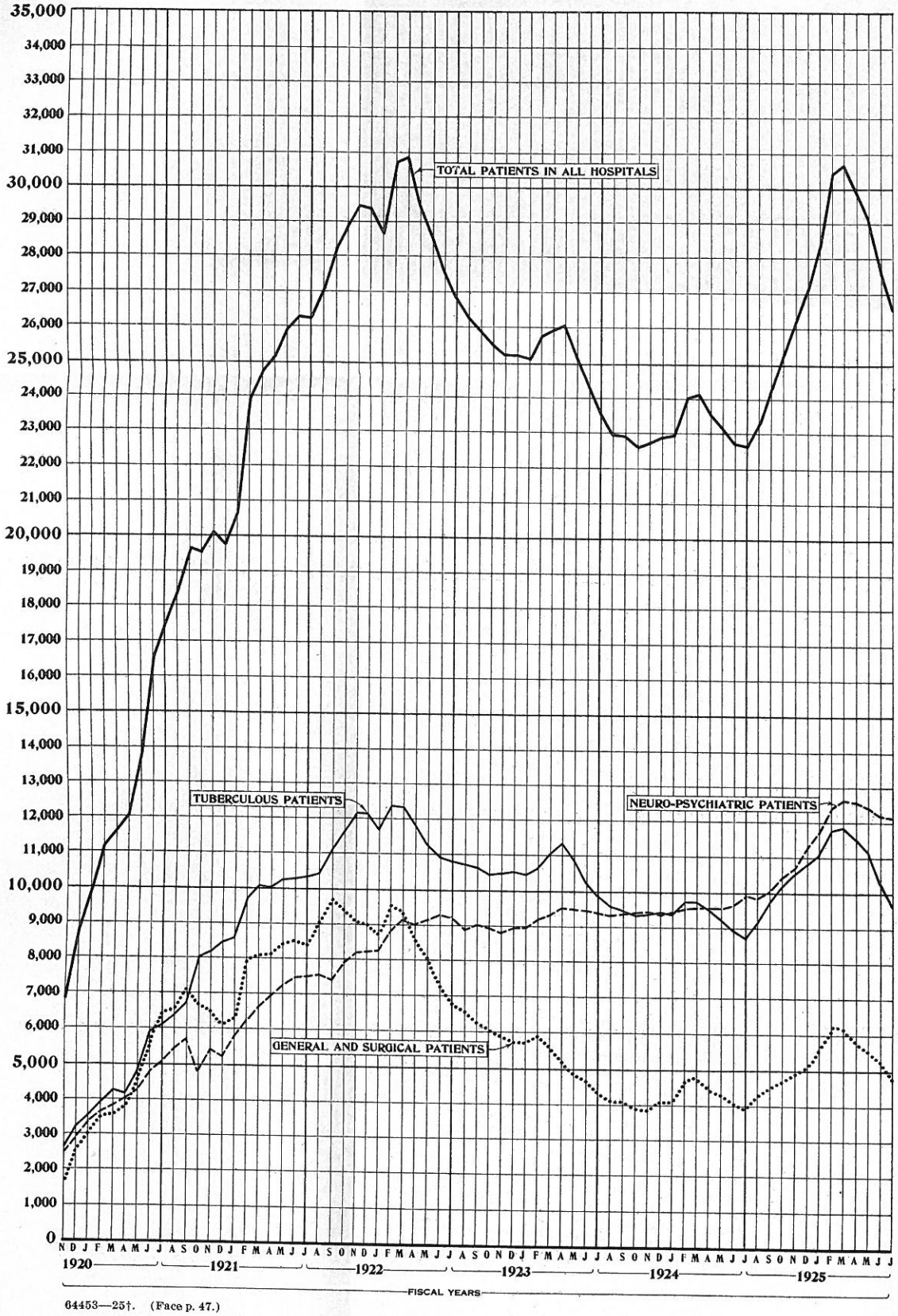
The provisions of section 202 (10) do not authorize out-patient treatment for the nonservice connected disabilities of potential beneficiaries of that section, which was one of the outstanding features of the new legislation incorporated in the World War veterans' act. However, besides the out-patient load of beneficiaries whose disabilities were service connected, the dispensary facilities of the bureau, during the past fiscal year, were utilized for examination of applicants for retirement because of total disability from the classified civil service under authority of section 5 of the act of May 22, 1920; for the examination and treatment of beneficiaries of the United States Employees Compensation Commission, under authority of section 9 of the act of September 9, 1916; for examination of beneficiaries of the Pension Bureau upon request; for examination of trainees applying for civil-service positions; and, through a reciprocal arrangement with Canada and other countries allied with the American forces in the World War, for examination and treatment of foreign ex-service men.

CHART No. 3

U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

Actual Number of Patients Remaining in All Hospitals

From October, 1919, to July, 1925



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No. 52. Boise, Idaho.
No. 53. Dwight, Ill.
No. 59. Tacoma, Wash.
No. 63. Lake City, Fla.
No. 65. St. Paul, Minn.
No. 67. Kansas City, Mo.
No. 69. Fort Thomas, Ky.

No. 27. Alexandria, La.
No. 41. New Haven, Conn.
No. 50. Whipple, Ariz.
No. 51. Tucson, Ariz.
No. 55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex
No. 60. Oteen, N. C.
No. 64. Camp Kearney, Calif.
No. 68. Minneapolis, Minn.
No. 72. Helena, Mont.

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No. 24. Palo Alto, Calif.	No. 78. North Little Rock, Ark.
No. 37. Waukesha, Wis.	No. 81. Bronx, N. Y.
No. 42. Perry Point, Md.	No. 86. Sheridan, Wyo.
No. 44. West Roxbury, Mass.	No. 94. American Lake, Wash.
No. 49. Philadelphia, Pa.	No. 95. Northampton, Mass.
No. 57. Knoxville, Iowa.	No. 97. Chillicothe, Ohio.
No. 62. Augusta, Ga.	No. 100. Camp Custer, Mich.
No. 74. Gulfport, Miss.	No. 101. St. Cloud, Minn.

Total 16

Guided largely by the advice of the medical council of the bureau, earnest effort was made to maintain a high standard of service in the bureau's hospitals. The medical officer in charge and their staffs are selected from high type, proficient possibilities, and they are kept in touch with the best thought and practices of their profession by a liberal encouragement of medical books, journals, opportunities for attendance upon postgraduate courses given by the bureau, and by staff conferences. The most eminent specialists of the communities in which the hospitals are located are engaged as consultants, in order that the patients and the resident staffs of the hospitals may have the benefit of expert advice and assistance. Similarly, consistent effort was made during the fiscal year to keep up a high grade of nursing, dietetic and reconstruction service by selection of persons with the requisite training and experience who are attracted by the salaries offered by the Government.

The provisions of section 202, subsection 10 of the World War veterans' act, as amended, that—

> All hospital facilities under the control and jurisdiction of the bureau shall be available for every honorably discharged veteran of the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection, the Boxer Rebellion, or the World War suffering from neuropsychiatric or tubercular ailments and diseases paralysis agitans, encephalitis lethargica or amoebic dysentery, or the loss of sight of both eyes regardless whether such ailments or diseases are due to military service or otherwise, including traveling expenses as granted to those receiving compensation, and hospitalization under this act. The director is further authorized, so far as he shall find that existing Government facilities permit, to furnish hospitalization and necessary traveling expenses to veterans of any war, military occupation, or military expedition since 1897, not dishonorably discharged without regard to the nature or origin of their disabilities: *Provided*, That preference to admission to any Government hospital for hospitalization under the provisions of this subdivision shall be given to those veterans who are financially unable to pay for hospitalization and their necessary traveling expenses. In the insular possessions of the United States, the director is further authorized to furnish hospitalization in other than Government hospitals.

made an extra demand upon the available bed supply in United States veterans' hospitals that was appreciably felt during the fiscal year, and which was in part responsible for the high peak load of 30,753 hospital cases, which was reached in February of 1925. A detailed carefully worked out procedure for admission of these cases to hospitals through the regional offices is set forth in General Order No. 292. It is to be expected that a continually increasing number of potential beneficiaries under the generous provisions of section 202, subsection 10, will avail themselves of the right to hospitalization therein conferred; and it will, in consequence, be necessary that the medical service exercise due vigilance in insuring available beds,

particularly for the service-connected cases. General Order No. 59-C, "Procedure in hospital admissions, transfers, and discharges," and General Order No. 327, "Hospital survey boards," were devised to meet this anticipated contingency.

GENERAL MEDICAL HOSPITALS

Particular emphasis has been placed during the past fiscal year upon the hospitalizing of such beneficiaries as would be benefitted thereby and discharging patients who have received the maximum benefit of hospitalization. As a part of this program especial attention has been paid to the receiving wards, where the incoming patients are placed for observation and examination which include complete physical, serological, and, whenever indicated, X-ray reports. Marked advancement along this line has been made in Hospial No. 67, Kansas City, Mo.; No. 59, Tacoma, Wash., which is now practically a diagnostic center for the surrounding territory; and No. 90, Muskogee, Okla., which has opened also a three-bed lock ward for disturbed patients.

Further, to insure correct diagnosis, 28 beds were made available on January 20, 1925, at Cincinnati General Hospital which, with a staff of outstanding specialists, appointed as consultants, provides a center to which are sent cases in which there have been differences of opinion as to diagnosis and treatment. The use of these facilities is limited to the immediately surrounding regional offices. In the East on May 15, 1925, Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C., was converted into a diagnostic center, available for the regional offices east of the Mississippi, except those allocated to the Cincinnati diagnostic center. The former staff was reinforced by a number of prominent specialists, appointed in a consultant capacity. The bed capacity remained unchanged except for an additional few beds provided as a result of construction work which increased the plant by a nurses' home, recreation building, storehouse, and refrigeration plant.

Supplementing the thorough physical examination of the patients upon admission, another examination is made before discharge, so that there may be no dissatisfaction on the part of the patient, and full information can be given to the rating boards in the regional offices in order to expedite adjudication of the disability claims.

That these examinations and the intervening treatment may be of the best and most up-to-date possible, every hospital has an educational program, varied according to the needs of the station and the available facilities. For example, practically all hospitals have regular clinical meetings where cases are discussed, papers read, or lectures given. Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla., No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., and No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo., give lectures and hold clinics for nurses, aides, and technical personnel. The clinics of the city of New Orleans have been particularly kind in offering their laboratories, libraries, lectures, and other facilities for the use of the staff at Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La. Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn., in addition to the clinical meetings has organized a medical society, holding meetings once a month which are addressed by prominent medical men from all over the State.

The educational programs are not limited to the personnel but include the patients themselves. This is particularly true in regard to diabetic, tuberculous, and trachomatous cases, where the patient's care of himself is of utmost importance.

Education in another way is carried on by occupational therapy personnel, which occupies hands and minds of the patients while incidentally teaching a craft. Among the patients physically fitted for it, actual study is prescribed.

Certain of the hospitals have had an unusual number of special types of cases permitting of special arrangements for treatment. Thus, at Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn., extensive study has been made on amebiasis and peptic ulcer, and distinct progress made in treatment of arthritic cases. At Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg., intestinal parasites are given special study. At Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla., special clinical studies of gall-bladder disorders and heart cases were made. The treatment of trachoma has been especially developed at Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky.

The laboratories at all general hospitals have been better equipped than heretofore, and aided materially in proper diagnosis and treatment, and in research work.

An increasing confidence in Veterans' Bureau hospitals among communities and beneficiaries is evidenced by expressions of appreciation and by the increased number of beneficiaries willing to be admitted for surgical treatment. Hospital No. 59, at Tacoma, Wash., particularly comments on this attitude which is further evidenced by the steadily decreasing number of patients leaving hospital without official leave, against medical advice, or for other reasons.

Since the report of last year the opening of Hospital No. 99, at Excelsior Springs, Mo., on October 15, 1924, has given an additional 125 beds for the care of general medical and surgical cases. This station, consisting of 15 acres of ground, with 9 permanent and 6 temporary structures, is now Government owned. The hospital building proper is of tile with stucco finish, and is fireproof. There is a complete set-up for X-ray work and a well-equipped laboratory. Nephritics, diabetics, arthritics, and cases of valvular heart disease are especially treated at this hospital; and, since June 4, 1925, all types of surgical cases have been admitted there.

Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., has been operating a general medical service since August 23, 1924, but continues to care for colored beneficiaries suffering with tuberculous and neuropsychiatric disabilities as well as general medical or surgical cases.

Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho, now has facilities for tuberculous patients and for those suffering from nervous and mental disorders, except the insane, which facilities are of great value to the regional offices in that territory.

This fiscal year closed with 17 general medical and surgical hospitals, having an aggregate of 5,319 beds, exclusive of 28 beds used for diagnosis only. With the additional beds, enlarged physical plants, improved equipment, and educational program, it is felt that in the past fiscal year the general hospitals of the bureau have given service to the beneficiaries that will compare favorably with the best of civilian institutions.

TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITALS

During the past fiscal year, Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y., Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y., and Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif., were opened, making an addition of 1,117 beds for tuberculosis beneficiaries to the 6,386 beds which were already available. The opening of the two hospitals in New York state relieved an excessive demand for hospitalization in that section of the country which has the largest ex-service population. The new hospital in California relieves the pressure in the southwest, not only from the native population, but also from the large number of migratory patients.

The sixth postgraduate school in tuberculosis was held at Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y., during January and February, under the direction of Dr. Nathan Barlow. The plan of the course was as follows:

1. A preliminary course of study consisting of a review of the fundamental branches upon which knowledge of tuberculosis is based. This preliminary course of study was completed before the opening of the session.
2. A series of lectures, lantern slides demonstrations, clinics, and other means of instruction by special lectures from among the most eminent authorities upon the various subjects. These lectures were so arranged as to make a consecutive course of instruction.
3. Individual instruction by small sections in anatomy, pathology, physical diagnosis, laryngology, radiology, clinical laboratory technique, and animal experimentation.

Medical officers were detailed to this course from all over the country, and have in turn communicated much of the knowledge obtained there to the members of the staffs of their own hospitals upon their return.

A review of the individual reports of the various hospitals is very encouraging in the general indications that particular emphasis has been placed upon the subject of treatment, with especial effort toward individualization or more personal study on the part of the medical officers of each case as an entity. It is also gratifying to note that the morale of the patient body has been much improved, doubtless as a result of the measures cited. There has been a reduction of disciplinary action, in some instances to as small a number as three cases during the year. In practically every hospital the patients receive individual instruction in their own care and the methods necessary for the protection of others. They are also given health talks in groups, by members of the staff, and occasionally by visiting physicians.

There has been a notable elevation of the standard of professional work in the majority of hospitals, evidenced by the formation of clinical societies, with the study of cases upon admission and discharge and the reading of medical papers. Nurses, aides, and dietitians have also participated in courses of instruction, and have sometimes availed themselves of lectures in those hospitals which are located near teaching centers.

Considerable improvement in physical plants has been effected, notably the destruction of old and insanitary temporary buildings, as at Fort Bayard, N. Mex., and the erection of additional permanent structures, as at Walla Walla, Wash., where the completion of the new administration building has released space for 22 additional beds and provided quarters for 30 of the personnel In several in-

stances special construction has facilitated heliotherapy, as in the bureau hospitals at New Haven, Conn.; Helena, Mont.; Walla Walla, Wash.; and Rutland, Mass. The screening of porches has provided greater comfort and increased capacity at Whipple Barracks, Ariz., and Helena, Mont. The water supply has been made more adequate at Fort Bayard, N. Mex.; Oteen, N. C.; and Castle Point, N. Y. Several of the western stations have their own dairy herds, while farm produce is raised upon the reservations of many of the hospitals.

Special forms of treatment, such as heliotherapy, including that of the larynx, artificial pneumothorax, artificial pneumoperitoneum, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, and graduated exercise, are in general use. Greater diagnostic facilities have been provided by the enlargement of clinical laboratories and X-ray departments, with additions to their equipment; the grouping of specialistic units, such as the eye, ear, nose, and throat clinic, dental clinic, etc.; and the addition of basal metabolism apparatus, and in one instance (Fort Bayard) an electrocardiograph. The installation of radio apparatus to the extent of a head set for each bed, and "loud speakers" for each ward, should be included as a therapeutic as well as recreational facility.

The dietetic service, on the whole, has been improved, particularly in the variety, preparation, and service of food, with, at the same time, a reduction in cost.

Surgical procedure has been conservative, and in the hands of experts, at several of the stations. The results have been uniformly good.

Greater interest has been evinced on the part of medical officers in charge and their staffs as to the fate of their patients following discharge. The medical officer in charge at Camp Kearney, Calif., makes it a point to interview personally each patient at the time of discharge, to learn his impression of the hospital and his treatment, and to ascertain his reasons for leaving, unless regularly discharged, and his plans for the future. At Dawson Springs, Ky., a booklet is sent to the family of each patient after his admission which sets forth the precautions which should be taken by the family and the encouragement and assistance which should be given the patient during his hospitalization, and after his discharge. This hospital also conducts a follow-up system by mail on all discharged cases, through the medium of the Red Cross.

The chief problem which remains in the administration of the bureau's tuberculosis hospitals is the large turnover in personnel among orderlies, janitors, maids, cooks, kitchen helpers, waiters, and laborers. The solution would appear to be an increase of pay for such positions and the provision for better quarters.

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC HOSPITALS

The 16 neuropsychiatric hospitals now operated by the bureau have made every effort to serve the beneficiary and have used all means known in an endeavor to effect rehabilitation.

The making of an early diagnosis as soon as possible has resulted in expediting claims, and the present policy of having the claims and rating boards from the regional offices visit the hospitals has worked out satisfactorily in securing an expedited adjustment of claims.

The neuropsychiatric activities, presenting as they do so many complex considerations and requiring a highly specialized administration, are perhaps the most important in the medical service. From the very nature of these ailments, embracing mental as well as neurological cases, hospitalization and custodial care are required in a very large percentage of them at sometime during their contact with the bureau. As one gets farther away from the cessation of the war there are more and more of these whose disabilities have been continuous since discharge who will not recover. This is particularly true of those afflicted with the chronic deteriorating types of psychoses (insanities). They will require custodial care in an institution the remainder of their lives; and in the majority of instances life expectancy will not be materially lessened by reason of their mental state. It can be seen, then, that these cases will be cumulative in institutions at least for an indefinite number of years.

As a result of the provisions of section 200 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, extending the period of presumption of service connection of neuropsychiatric diseases to January 1, 1925, there has been a material increase in the number of permanently disabled insane entitled to care and compensation. These cases have in many instances been beneficiaries of the various States, cared for in State institutions, and the burden of their care has now been changed to the bureau.

The care of honorably discharged veterans of prior wars suffering from neuropsychiatric ailments, in accordance with section 202 (10) of the act just mentioned, will further tax the capacity of this special type of hospital. From the very fact that hospitalization plays such an important part in the care of these patients the activities of this branch will of necessity embrace the activities of these hospitals.

There has been a consistent endeavor on the part of those in charge of this work to place, in so far as it is possible, all such cases on a permanent basis of compensation. Surveys of bureau and contract hospitals, examinations by boards of specialists, and special review of the cases in the central and regional offices have been made. As a result, all those showing a progressive mental disease without remission, and exhibiting other manifestations which make it reasonable to suppose they will be totally disabled for the remainder of their lives, have been placed on permanent total ratings. In other instances where the disability is not total but represents a somewhat fixed point of progression toward possible recovery, an appropriate permanent partial rating has been made. These cases are largely represented by peripheral nerve injuries, residuals of gunshot wounds and other trauma, which at this time have become sufficiently removed, with respect to time from the date of the infliction of the original injury, to class them as having reached maximum improvement.

During the year two new neuropsychiatric hospitals were opened. Hospital No. 100, at Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., was opened on October 15, 1924, and had, at the end of the fiscal year, 447 patients under treatment. Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn., was opened September 15, 1924, and at the end of this fiscal year was caring for 328 patients. During the year five new buildings have been completed at Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md. These build-

ings furnish 346 additional beds for that institution. A recreation hall accommodating 600 patients was also constructed there, together with a swimming pool situated in the basement of the recreational building. Plans were formulated and construction started for a 325-bed hospital at Great Lakes, Ill. Consideration was given to the erection of a 1,000-bed hospital to be located near New York City, at Northport, Long Island. A new kitchen and refrigerating plant were constructed at Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo. The size of the mess hall at Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss., has increased and a new storehouse built.

The total number of neuropsychiatric patients cared for at the beginning of this fiscal year in Veterans' Bureau institutions was 5,182. At the end of the fiscal year the census was 7,433, an increase during the year of 2,251 patients.

The character of equipment, professional services, care, and efforts expended in the way of diversional and occupational therapy in the past year will not only compare most favorably with services maintained by State and private institutions, but will in many instances show that the bureau is rendering a service of far greater efficiency than would have been available to these patients in their own communities or in similar institutions maintained by the individual States.

Competent clinical laboratory facilities are quite necessary for complete and efficient study of these cases, and the bureau has maintained such facilities in each of its neuropsychiatric hospitals. Reports of these institutions show that these facilities have been utilized to the utmost and that they have proven their value in every instance. The X-ray services available in this type of institution have been of decided value.

While it is appreciated that the majority of insane beneficiaries will require hospital care for an indefinite number of years, the fact has not been lost sight of that remissions occur permitting patients to return to their communities from time to time, and in some instances even to resume their former activities in society. To this end every effort has been exerted to prevent any attempt to delay regression and ultimate deterioration in the insane. Occupational therapy has been an integral part of each institution. Cooperation and interest of the patient have been sought in various manual pursuits in which his interest can be aroused. Such diversions as basketry, weaving, leather work, toy making, gardening, chicken raising and bee culture, farming, etc., have been utilized. At one hospital 90 per cent of the patients were busy at some period of the day with a type of occupational therapy work. More and more effort along this line is constantly being made, and it has come to notice that benefit has been derived even in those cases apparently deteriorated. Instances in which spontaneous interest has been aroused have been followed by notable improvement in deportment, tidiness, and cooperation in patients whose intellectual level approaches the vegetative stage.

In addition to those procedures largely in the domain of occupational therapy, reports show that each and every institution has had the able assistance of the American Red Cross, the Knights of Columbus, and other organizations, in organizing and carrying out diversional entertainments for the benefit of the patient. All hospitals were equipped with radio, and also with a library for patients and personnel, including a collection of medical works for the staff. What has been stated elsewhere of the value of diversional occupation in general applies with particular force to patients suffering from nervous and mental diseases.

Other well-recognized aids in the treatment of these cases, as hydrotherapy, electrotherapy, physiotherapy, and in selected cases psychotherapy, have been made use of.

Insofar as practicable all bureau hospitals have had the advantages of local consulting specialists to whom problem cases have been presented. The institutions are equipped with modern operating room facilities and both minor and major operations are performed, including nose and throat work, by the part-time and full-time specialists. The value of this consulting service is twofold—it benefits the patient requiring it as well as the resident staff who derive stimulation and counsel from these eminent specialists.

There has been freedom from any serious epidemic diseases. In one hospital the new patients are given the Schick test and those found susceptible to diphtheria infection are immunized by the usual methods.

Out-patient treatment and supervision of patients who have returned to the community have been instituted and extended during the past year. These clinics have been maintained in Veterans' Bureau hospitals where they are sufficiently accessible to make this practicable, and at other points where not so practicable. They have proven of inestimable value, particularly those in association with hospitals. A check is maintained on the patient's adjustment in the community; sympathetic advice is given; symptoms of recurrences noted in their incipiency; and much valuable additional information in the case accumulated. Recognized as of great value to the patient, these clinics will serve to acquaint the bureau with all factors concerned in preventing its beneficiaries outside of hospitals from making an adequate social and economic adjustment.

Research work is being carried on in some degree in most of the hospitals but as yet the data are not sufficient to draw any definite conclusions. At Hospital No. 49, Philadelpha, Pa., some work is being done with the Kottman silver nitrate reaction test in cases of exophthalmic goiter and the reactions are compared with basal metabolism tests in the same disease. At Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich., study is being made of vascular symptoms in cases of dementia praecox. At Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss., some investigations have been undertaken by making white cell counts of the blood in an attempt to find differentia between epilepsy and hysteria. It has been found that cases of idiopathic epilepsy have a leucocytosis during the seizure. At Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash., nine patients suffering from the residuals of encephalitis lethargica are being treated with serum as outlined by Rosenow. It has not been in use long enough to draw any deduction. At Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass., some comparative work has been done by making basal metabolism tests on groups of psychotic and psychoneurotic patients. Also, spirometer readings have been taken on the same groups of patients. The psychoneurotics showed normal or above normal vital capacity and the psychotics tested, who were dementia praecox cases, showed readings of 58 per cent below normal

and 42 per cent normal or above normal. Two of the institutions have treated cases of general paralysis by inoculation with benign malaria plasmodia, which is the most recent method of treating this disease which offers any hope for improvement.

It has been gratifying to note the kindly feeling exhibited and cooperation usually extended by the citizens of the communities in which the bureau's neuropsychiatric hospitals are situated.

The medical officers of many of the hospitals have affiliated themselves with the local medical societies in their communities. Regular staff conferences are held in all of the neuropsychiatric hospitals. In some institutions the staff meets daily, in others three times a week. In some institutions in addition to these meetings, which are clinical conferences, are held to discuss hospital administration policies, and regulations and general orders from the central office are read and discussed. A few of the hospitals have formed their own medical societies, and meet evenings twice a month to review medical subjects of interest in the literature. It has been found beneficial to have lectures given by the staff to nurses and attendants regarding the care and treatment of mental diseases. In some of the smaller institutions where the personnel is hardly sufficient to warrant a course of lectures the nurses are invited to attend the regular staff meetings when the clinical discussions are held.

Efforts have been made by the hospitals to economize without in any way affecting the high character of care and treatment furnished to the patients. Material for making mattress covers was purchased instead of the finished product at Hospital No. 44, and the material was made into covers with a considerable saving. Some of the other hospitals have made similar savings. One hospital constructed a fence around the reservation without additional labor, the work being done mostly by patients for therapeutic reasons, but incidently saving several thousand dollars in labor. Some similar incidences on a smaller scale are frequently occurring in nearly all the hospitals.

There were no fires in any of the neuropsychiatric institutions of any consequence during the year.

At the end of the fiscal year 1924 there were in contract hospitals, including State hospitals for the insane, 2,785 patients, which number has been reduced during this fiscal year to 2,652. There have been completed 2,316 additional beds for psychotic patients. The facilities offered by the Department of the Interior, through St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C., have been utilized as heretofore. Between 900 and 935 bureau cases have been maintained in this institution during the present year.

The majority of the colored beneficiaries afflicted with neuropsychiatric diseases are cared for at Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., which is solely for colored beneficiaries.

A study of the situation at this time would seem to indicate that further expansion for the care of the mentally afflicted beneficiaries of this bureau will from time to time be necessary. Insanities in the ex-service men are the insanities of everyday life, in no way distinguishable from those suffered by nonservice members of the civil communities. The history of State insane hospitals has been one of steady growth; and inasmuch as the potential load of beneficiaries entitled to treatment in the bureau's neuropsychiatric hospitals embraces, through the provisions of section 202, subsection 10 of

the World War veterans' act, as amended, all honorably discharged veterans of the Spanish-American War, Philippine Insurrection, Boxer Rebellion, and the World War, without regard to service connection, a steady increase in hospital beds for these cases would seem necessary, in direct proportion to the normal ratio of insanity resulting from the stress and strain of their daily pursuits and the exigencies of modern civilization.

HOSPITAL STATISTICS

Many interesting phases of hospitalization are presented in the series of tables on in-patient relief, commencing with Table No. 22. This series covers the admission of patients in hospitals during the fiscal year 1925, the replacement and turnover in hospitals, the patients remaining under treatment June 30, 1925, and the hospital discharges, showing the disposition or condition on disposition and reporting the operations performed on veterans during the fiscal year.

ADMISSIONS

The hospital admission tables have been arranged so as to measure the increase in hospitalization, occasioned by the passage of the World War veterans' act, 1924. There are tables which show the particular type of hospital most affected, the effect of the extension of hospital benefits to veterans of wars other than those of the World War, and whether or not the hospital admissions have apparently reached their peak. Admissions of United States veterans during the fiscal year 1925 totaled 76,812, of which 39 per cent were first admissions, as against 64,053 total admissions for the previous year, of which 33 per cent were first admissions. The monthly admissions do not reflect the bell-shaped curve so conspicuous in the hospital load for the fiscal year, which mounted monthly by 2,000's, reaching a peak in February of 1925 with a total of 30,753 patients and sloped off at the same rate. The high admission figure for January is simply the seasonal peak. It is interesting to note that although this year's admissions are 16.61 per cent higher than those of the fiscal year 1924, they are 16 per cent lower than the hospital admissions for the fiscal year 1921; 42.82 per cent lower than for the fiscal year 1922; and 7.25 per cent lower than for the fiscal year 1923.

Much has been accomplished toward placing veterans in Government institutions. A review of the total admissions to State and civil hospitals reveals that the per cent of such admissions to total admissions during the past five years has had a gradual downward trend from 45.36 per cent in the fiscal year 1920, 19.36 per cent in the fiscal year 1924, to 10.87 per cent in the fiscal year 1925. This gratifying reduction has been made possible principally through the carrying out of the bureau's permanent construction program.

A general order authorized those veterans hospitalized under the first provision of section 202, paragraph 10, of the World War veterans' act, 1924, to be known as S. P. B. & W., and those under the second provision as W. O. E. This division was made purely as a matter of convenience, but a report of these beneficiaries constructed on this division gives a picture of the types of patients that are receiving hospitalization under this authority. Those patients known

as S. P. B. & W. are honorably discharged veterans of the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection, the Boxer Rebellion, or the World War suffering from neuropsychiatric or tubercular ailments or diseases, paralysis agitans, encephalitis lethargica, amebic dysentery, or the loss of sight of both eyes, regardless of whether such ailments or diseases are due to military service or otherwise. The W. O. E. group are those veterans of any war, military occupation, or expedition since 1897 not dishonorably discharged for whom hospitalization is authorized in so far as existing Government facilities permit, without regard to the nature or origin of their disabilities. The patients whose hospitalization was made under this authority are 17.24 per cent of the total admissions, approximately the same per cent of which are first admissions. The text table of admissions by area and branch of service shows that these admissions are uniformly scattered throughout the United States. Of those patients admitted under the first proviso, 16.93 per cent were veterans of wars other than the World War, whereas of those patients admitted under the second proviso 12.90 per cent were veterans of wars other than the World War. It will be noted that the largest group of these patients was admitted in May, 1925. However, it can not be concluded from these data that this authority for hospitalization has reached its maximum.

There were 425 female beneficiaries admitted for treatment during the year, 45.88 per cent of whom were treated in United States veterans' hospitals. The largest group of female beneficiaries are those patients suffering with tuberculosis.

During the fiscal year 1925 there were 667 allied soldiers treated by the United States Veterans' Bureau, 85.31 per cent of whom were treated in Government hospitals. By far the largest group of these patients is among the Canadians, who number 541 of the total cases.

TURNOVER AND REPLACEMENT

The turnover in the United States veterans' tuberculosis hospitals is gradually reaching normal. In 1920 there was a turnover of 428 per cent, which with each succeeding year became lower, such as 329; 239, until during the past year this was but 212. However, it is believed that there is still much work to be done in the reduction of the large number of disciplinary discharges, particularly those against advice of the medical officer in charge. Even in our older tuberculosis hospitals there are still as many as 40 per cent of the discharges for personal reasons, most of which are against advice of the medical officer in charge. Among the tuberculous population this condition is one not easily overcome, and to keep this figure down it requires the most persistent efforts on the part of the medical staff of the hospitals.

The per cent of turnover for the fiscal year of 1925 among those United States veterans' hospitals treating primarily neuropsychiatric conditions is 128. It is anticipated that the per cent for this type of patient will continue to become lower because as one moves farther away from the close of the war, there will remain to an increasing extent those patients whose disabilities have been continuous since discharge who can never recover. This influence is a very definite factor in stabilizing hospitalization for this type of patient. The

service rendered by the United States veterans' hospitals compares more and more favorably with that of State and private institutions, with each year's imporvement in the character of equipment, professional services, care and efforts extended in the way of diversional and occupational therapy. One of the most economical steps taken in the hospitalization of these patients is that of not considering, for statistical control purposes, the remissive periods as a part of hospitalization, which action allows immediate and constant use of all the available beds in United States veterans' hospitals, which previously were considered occupied and, therefore, unavailable during trial visits, paroles, or furloughs of these patients. In considering this group of hospitals, those where purely psychotic patients are under hospitalization, should be studied separately from those which have large neuropsychiatric wards. The high rate of turnover of patients at Waukesha, Wis., and at Gulfport, Miss., is due to the fact that there are practically no wards in these hospitals devoted to purely psychotic patients. The similarity in the per cent of turnover for the purely psychotic hospitals is suggestive of a uniform method of handling chronic deteriorating types of psychoses in the United States veterans' hospitals, and in comparison with previous years, indicates the stride made in furnishing more satisfactory service to these unfortunate veterans. United States Veterans' Hospitals No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich., and No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn., have both been in operation less than a year, which results in a large initial admission, therefore, a high turnover.

The per cent of turnover in veterans' general medical and surgical hospitals is 574, which is more than four times as high as that in the neuropsychiatric hospitals, and nearly three times as high as that in tuberculosis hospitals. An average of 56 days' hospitalization was furnished these patients. In United States Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C., the per cent of turnover is lower than the average for general medical hospitals, because a relatively large tuberculosis and neuropsychiatric ward is maintained. The fact that a large per cent of the patients are admitted for observation to certain United States veterans' hospitals, and are discharged after observation with no treatment indicated, causes a wide variance in the per cent of turnover for general medical hospitals. The hospitalization of patients for observation is indicative of the bureau's efforts to secure accurate current data on patients' disabilities, and to properly adjudicate their claims. The turnover in United States Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill., is probably slightly above the average because there are practically no tuberculosis or neuropsychiatric patients under hospitalization; this is also true of United States Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla. At United States Veterans' Hospital Edward Hines jr., Maywood, Ill., the average turnover is low, due to the relatively large tuberculosis and neuropsychiatric wards. The fact that this hospital has succeeded in reducing the number of disciplinary discharges 20 per cent this year is also a definite factor in lowering the per cent of turnover.

REMAINING UNDER TREATMENT JUNE 30, 1925

A survey of the reports relative to patients remaining under treatment June 30, 1925, reveals the fact that of the 26,610 total Veterans' Bureau beneficiaries under treatment, 241 were female beneficiaries,

and 1,791 were colored patients. The total patients remaining under treatment June 30, 1924, was only 21,730, which shows the hospital load on June 30, 1925, 4,880 patients heavier at the end of this year than last year. The peak was reached the last of February, 1925, when 30,753 patients were under treatment. In the report by hospital and 26 general classes of diseases, it will be noted that there are 1,287 cases reported as miscellaneous and unclassified. An effort has been made to have the diagnosis recorded at central office for each patient as soon as one is established. A very definite check is being exercised over the observation and extension of observation periods in hospitals for all veterans.

The report showing home address of patients is so constructed as to show the correlation between the location of the hospital and State of residence of the patient. It is revealed at a glance whether or not patients are hospitalized in institutions in their home State. The diagonal alignment of figures from left to right indicates the existence of such correlations for most of the hospitals. It will be noted that for certain special hospitals the distribution is very widely scattered. This is particularly true of tuberculosis hospitals in the Southwest, where patients from all the States of the Union are hospitalized. It is realized that something of the symmetrical and diagonal alignment of these tables is lost in breaking the table for printing; however, inspection will disclose the condition indicated.

A special study of the relationship of the several areas as regards patients hospitalized within their home State, as shown in the text table, indicates that area C has the smallest per cent, 36.94 of patients hospitalized within their home State, area E has the largest per cent, 74.63, while the other areas all have approximately 55 per cent of their patients hospitalized within their home State. The largest group of patients hospitalized outside their home State in areas A, C, and E is among the psychotic patients and in areas B and D among the tuberculous patients. The largest group of patients, on the whole, hospitalized outside their home State is among the tuberculosis patients, where there are 52.80 per cent. Even though the bureau's efforts have so far as practicable been directed to effect hospitalization within the patients' home State, the fact that the tuberculosis group has the largest per cent of cases hospitalized outside the home State is a natural one. Hospitalization of this nature is not always acceptable to the individual tuberculous patients, inasmuch as many of them are of the opinion that there is a distinct climatic advantage to be gained by residence in the West or Southwest, and there is a steady demand from men in the eastern hospitals to be transferred to the West on account of climate or altitude or both. There has, however, during the past few years, appeared what may result in a counterbalancing influence—namely, a desire on the part of certain patients who have been for several years resident in the West to return East to be near their homes and relatives; this tendency is noticeable particularly among those types of cases where there has been a decided advance of their diseased condition.

OPERATIONS

Two reports cover operations performed on veterans in all hospitals during the fiscal year of 1925. The first of these reports shows the specific operation performed, the general result, and whether the

surgery was done in a United States veterans' hospital or in one of the hospitals of the other services. There is a slight decrease in the number of operations performed during 1925 in comparison with those of the preceding year. In 1924, 15,402 operations were performed, while during this fiscal year 13,854 were performed. Approximately the same per cent was done each year in veterans' hospitals—namely, 46 per cent. Apparently as many operations were performed in the veterans' hospitals as it was found necessary to have performed for the veterans in all other groups. Each service appears to have had success in their work, having reported over 90 per cent of their operations successful. It is not possible to place a definite interpretation on the period from the operation to the discharge, since this time is frequently prolonged more by the patient's general condition and complicating diseases, than it is by that disease or condition for which the operation was performed. This is especially true in those operations of the common type, which form a large per cent of the total operations performed. United States Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky., does most of the trachoma work for the veterans' hospitals. It appears that during the past year real progress has been made in treating trachoma and educating the patient so as to care for himself and protect others from this contagious disease.

The second of these reports shows the specific hospital where the operation was performed, and also for comparative purposes, the total patients treated in the hospital during the fiscal year 1925. The total operations are divided between the type of anesthetic used—i. e., general or local. It can not be concluded that every operation requiring a local anesthetic is a minor one, but this information does have a certain value as an index to minor operations. It will be noted that the per cent of operations to total patients treated is much higher in some hospitals than in others, as is also true among the groups of hospitals, the per cent ranging from 33 per cent in marine hospitals to less than 1 per cent in State hospitals, the total averaging 14 per cent.

DISCHARGES

The most gratifying results of the bureau's care of the disabled veteran is made known from a general survey of the hospital discharges, for it is at this time that the real accomplishment of the year's efforts are placed in tabular statements. These tables show that during the fiscal year 1925, 71,268 Veterans' Bureau beneficiaries were treated and discharged, 51.11 per cent of whom were in some measure improved. There were 18,684 patients who were admitted to the hospital for special examination or observation, either to determine their need for hospitalization or out-patient care, or for compensation purposes. The large number of patients admitted for a study of their disease or condition is indicative of an ever-increasing service to the disabled, for it is by constant study of this nature that the most judicial application of the compensation laws can be made, as well as the best medical advice and treatment furnished.

Of the 5,672 transfers made from one hospital to another, 3,743 were transfers to United States veterans' hospitals. It is the object of

the bureau to have as many patients hospitalized within the United States veterans' hospitals as possible, and it is believed that this transfer figure points a step taken toward the accomplishment of this end. The discharge report, by month of disposition, shows a large number of discharges made in March, April, and May, 1925, which is significant of the downward trend of the hospital load after February of 1925.

It is interesting to note the similarity in the average days' hospitalization furnished for all diseases and conditions in United States veterans' hospitals, and those furnished by other Government institutions, particularly since the number of discharges of these services show such a close relationship. Among the 38,011 discharges from United States veterans' hospitals, the average days hospitalized were 97.2, whereas among the 33,257 discharges from other services there were 89.8 average days' hospitalization furnished. Another particularly interesting feature was that of the discharges against advice among the tuberculous patients. These discharges gave evidence that for patients of this character there is a dissatisfied, discouraged period, which comes at a time between 110 and 160 days' hospitalization. It is at this period that if certain patients demanding hospital discharge could be persuaded to remain in the hospital, more might be accomplished in the treatment of tuberculosis. This statement is based on the records of the 2,525 men discharged against advice of the medical officer in charge of the United States veterans' hospitals who had an average hospitalization period of 165.5 days. Such veterans comprised 22.73 per cent of the total tuberculous patients discharged from this group of hospitals. Apparently the same general condition exists in the hospitals of the other services, since records show that 890 were so discharged after they had been furnished a period of hospitalization averaging 183.7 days. When it is considered that the experience of both the veterans' hospitals and that of other services indicates that, on the whole, success in the treatment of tuberculosis is not obtained under 260 days' continuous hospitalization, the importance of discouraging tuberculous patients from moving from hospital to hospital, and even worse, at the first signs of abatement of the disease, actually leaving the hospital against advice of the medical officer in charge to return to community life, is appreciated. A study of the absence without official leave among this type of patient shows a striking resemblance to the per cent of cases so discharged from veterans' hospitals and those of other services, the per cent of such cases being 19.55 and 12.30 per cent, respectively. The administrative ability of the officials in charge of tuberculosis hospitals must be recognized when it is revealed that throughout the year not more than 2 per cent of the discharges were from disciplinary reasons. It is with just pride that the bureau points to the 354 veterans for whom their efforts to arrest an active tuberculous condition have apparently succeeded. It is with equal pride that 336 veterans are reported as reaching the apparently arrested stage; these men form 6.21 per cent of the total veterans discharged from hospitalization by the United States veterans' hospitals. This is an achievement which should be credited to the hospital officials and their personnel, for it is only by their hopefulness and confidence that any successful combat with tuberculosis is waged.

The report of the specific cause of death, classified according to the International Nomenclature of Causes of Death, shows that

during the fiscal year of 1925 there were 494 more deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis than from all the other diseases and conditions from which the veterans died in hospitals. It is perhaps largely due to the uniformly high standard of treatment and the bureau's practice of carrying patients through a thorough course of graduated exercises before discharge from the hospital that there has been a drop in the per cent of these deaths from 66.13 in fiscal year 1922 to 58.62 during fiscal year 1925. The bureau's hospitals are practically all equipped so as to furnish such special methods of treatment as artificial pneumothorax, heliotherapy, actinotherapy, etc., as may be indicated.

Those causes of death under the caption "External causes" are of unusual interest in the study of psychotics. It is generally recognized among those conversant with the care of the insane that by reason of their false beliefs and false sensory perceptions, ideas of suicide are frequently encountered and not infrequently persisted in until carried out. It is therefore due largely to the constant vigilance of those having charge of this large group of patients that reports for the fiscal year show only seven such regrettable occurrences in the United States veterans' hospitals.

A study of the deaths in United States veterans' hospitals indicate that the deaths from tuberculosis, neuropsychiatric conditions, and from general medical are in the following ratio, 66, 13, and 21. This low death ratio of neuropsychiatric patients would suggest that future hospitalization will deal very largely with this type of patient, particularly when this fact is substantiated by the evidence set forth in the total hospital load—that is, that even though the admissions for the year are 19.70 per cent neuropsychiatric, to 28.54 per cent tuberculosis, the comparatively low turnover in neuropsychiatric hospitals results in the current hospital load being in the ratio of 44.55 neuropsychiatric to 35.04 tuberculosis.

COST OF OPERATION OF UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITALS

Gross expenditures at veterans' hospitals during the fiscal year amounted to $28,803,845.19, or $6,750,590.29 more than was expended during the preceding fiscal years. Of this increase $2,186,442.81 occurred at tuberculosis hospitals, $1,358,808.74 at general hospitals. and $3,205,338.74 at neuropsychiatric type hospitals. The increase in general was due to a great extent to the opening of new hospitals, as No. 98 at Castle Point, N. Y., and No. 102, at Livermore, Calif., were included in the tuberculosis type hospitals; No. 99 at Excelsior Springs, Mo., in the general type hospitals; and No. 100 at Camp Custer, Mich., and No. 101 at St. Cloud, Minn., in the neuropsychiatric type. Further comparison of the two fiscal years indicates that the increased expenditures were for subsistence, fuel, material and supplies, new construction work and other miscelaneous contract services, which includes salaries.

The net operating expense for hopitalization, which does not include expense for new construction, nonexpendable equipment, or services performed to out-patients, was increased by $4,166,080.26, in comparison with similar expenses for the previous fiscal year. In considering this increase, it should also be remembered that 1,567,341 more in-patient days' relief were furnished during the year at a saving of approximately 58 cents per day, for the reason that the per diem for the fiscal year was $4.04, as compared with $4.62 during the previous year. This reduction in the per diem for

the increased number of days' service would indicate a saving of approximately $909,057.78.

Tables commencing on page 178 show these data for individual hospitals by object of expenditure.

INSULAR AND FOREIGN SUBDIVISION

This insular and foreign subdivision is charged with the conduct of all activities affecting United States ex-service men or women who are in our insular possessions and in foreign countries, and in addition is caring for allied ex-service men who may be temporarily or permanently located in the United States or in our insular possessions, upon authority for the service from the government under whose flag the men served, reimbursement being made to this bureau for any expense incident thereto. This subdivision also acts as a regional office in caring for bureau beneficiaries as above indicated.

The statistical data which follows under appropriate heads is self-explanatory, and represents the total volume of work cared for by the insular and foreign division during the fiscal year 1925:

AMERICAN UNIT		ALLIED UNIT	
Total number of cases acted upon	11, 785	Total number of cases acted upon	44, 095
Incoming mail	15, 782	Incoming mail	39, 437
Outgoing mail	17, 496	Outgoing mail	56, 885
Medical examinations ordered	2, 515	Dental examinations ordered	3
Medical ratings made	4, 104	Medical examinations ordered	3, 882
Admissions to hospitals	932	Admissions to hospitals	745
In hospital at present	328	In hospital at present	253
Investigation reports received	531	Telegrams received	563
Investigations initiated	663	Telegrams sent	424
		Checks received and sent	258

Admissions to hospitals

IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES

Country	Admissions during year	In hospitals June 30, 1925	Country	Admissions during year	In hospitals June 30, 1925
Canada	23	10	Poland	2	2
Czechoslovakia	1	0	Scotland	1	1
Danzig	2	0	Spain	1	0
Denmark	6	3	Sweden	1	1
England	4	3	Switzerland	4	5
France	8	1	Syria	1	1
Ireland	2	1	Yugoslavia	1	1
Italy	5	2			
Japan	2	1	Total	65	32
Norway	1	0			

IN INSULAR POSSESSIONS

Insular possessions	Admissions during year	In hospitals June 30, 1925
Canal Zone	27	5
Guam	4	3
Hawaii	47	30
Philippine Islands	500	180
Porto Rico	289	78
Total	867	296

Number now in training

In foreign countries	18	In insular possessions	21
Canada	8	Hawaii	5
France	6	Philippine Islands	1
Italy	2	Panama Canal Zone	1
Mexico	1	Porto Rico	14
Luxemburg	1		

Grand total, 39

There were 23 men in foreign countries and territorial and insular possessions rehabilitated during the year, in the following objectives: Mechanical engineering, dentistry, auto mechanics, agriculture, business management, oil geology, bookkeeper, and foreign trade.

Investigations

FOREIGN

Country	Initiated	Received	Country	Initiated	Received
Albania	2	4	Lithuania	34	41
Belgium	3	4	Mexico	1	0
British West Indies	10	4	Montenegro	1	1
Bulgaria	1	0	Netherlands	2	3
Canada	38	28	Newfoundland	1	1
China	1	1	Norway	17	7
Czechoslovakia	8	5	Palestine	1	0
Denmark	9	8	Poland	72	60
Dominican Republic	1	0	Portugal	1	1
England	11	10	Rumania	3	3
Esthonia	1	1	Scotland	9	4
Finland	5	6	South America	0	1
France	0	1	Sweden	20	14
Germany	7	4	Syria	6	3
Greece	41	30	Turkey	2	3
Ireland	53	41	Wales	3	0
Italy	181	141	Yugoslavia	10	7
Japan	0	1			
Latvia	0	1	Total	555	439

INSULAR AND TERRITORIAL

Canal Zone	1	1	Samoa	2	1
Guam	4	3			
Hawaii	5	2	Total	108	92
Philippine Islands	47	47			
Porto Rico	49	38	Grand total	663	531

The especially cordial relationship which has always existed with the Canadian Government in caring for respective beneficiaries of our own and the Canadian Government continues. Through the executive departments of the Government, particularly the Department of State, satisfactory and close liaison is had with bureau beneficiaries in foreign countries.

DENTAL ACTIVITIES

The dental subdivision of the medical service has general administrative control of all dental activities of the bureau. This jurisdiction covers dental activities in hospital and out-patient clinics and also dental relief provided beneficiaries by designated dentists serving on a fee basis. This subdivision makes recommendations regarding the appointment, promotion, and discontinuance of dental officers on salary basis and appointment and discontinuance of designated den-

tists serving on fee basis. All regulations and orders necessary under the law for proper determination of eligibility to receive dental relief are initially considered in the dental subdivision.

Dental relief is furnished upon proper authority to claimants of the United States Veterans' Bureau under four main classifications:

1. For claimants having lost teeth, structural loss of the alveolar ridge, mandible, or maxilla, due to traumatic injury, or oral disease incurred in the service.

2. For claimants having dental disability such as caries, pyorrhea, Vincent's stomatitis, etc., incurred in or directly traceable to service.

3. For claimants having an associated service-connected systemic condition where dental relief is indicated for a dental condition which is actually retarding recovery.

4. For claimants in vocational training under section 400 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, for an intercurrent dental disability which is palpably and demonstrably interfering with such training.

In addition to the above classification dental relief is rendered in hospitals for beneficiaries hospitalized under section 202, paragraph 10, of the World War veterans' act, 1924, for nonservice-connected systemic conditions. This relief is provided when, in the opinion of the ward surgeon, it is indicated as necessary adjunct relief for the condition for which the claimant is receiving hospital treatment. On account of the lapse of time since discharge in the majority of cases, the number of dental claims following under classes 1, 2, and 4 have greatly decreased.

Dental relief at the present time is principally authorized in cases coming under class 3, where adjunct dental relief for associated systemic conditions is indicated.

Some additional dental relief has been authorized during the past fiscal year on account of cases falling under section 202, paragraph 10, of the World War veterans' act, 1924, but this increase has been more than offset by the decrease in cases falling under classes 1, 2, and 4. This is shown in the following figures, as compared with the report of the preceding year:

	1924	1925
Total dental examinations	35, 704	24, 074
Total dental treatments	187, 884	116, 815

The number of out-patient dental clinics has been reduced from 46 to 38; the number of dentists at the chair in out-patient clinics from 89 to 66, 20 of whom serve in dual capacity of operators and administrators.

In the 54 regional offices there are in addition 19 dental officers on duty besides operators. The special duty of these regional office dentists is to pass on claims, authorize relief, and check vouchers covering relief rendered by designated dentists on fee basis.

There is an increase in the number of hospital dental clinics from 44 to 50, due to new hospitals being opened, but the number of dental officers on duty in these hospital clinics has only slightly increased from 77 to 80.

In many of the smaller regional offices dental relief is handled by the detailing of dental officers from other nearby regional offices a certain number of days each month. The saving in salaries effected by this procedure is large in comparison with the cost of travel and per diem.

The use of designated dentists upon a fee basis has been largely discontinued, except at localities remote from bureau clinics. However, yearly reappointments of designated dentists are made so that emergency cases may be cared for, and claimants referred to them for relief when the transportation expenses, etc., of bringing a claimant to a bureau clinic is in excess of what such relief would cost upon a fee basis.

Increased effort has been made to secure standardization of dental relief and to insure more uniformity of procedure in determining eligibility to receive dental relief and in the issuance of necessary authorizations.

PROSTHETICS

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, no particularly marked decrease has been made in the furnishing of orthopedic and prosthetic appliances.

There has been a considerable decrease in the amount spent for glasses furnished trainees, but this was to be expected owing to the fact that a great many claimants' training has terminated, relieving the bureau of the necessity of furnishing them with glasses to enable them to successfully carry on training. The amount of money spent for glasses for trainees during the past fiscal year was $8,667.14 against $17,751.14 for the previous fiscal year.

A considerable saving has been made on transportation for claimants in securing appliances. This has been accomplished by the insistence on having, when practicable, approved dealers in all territories, thereby permitting the local purchase of appliances and eliminating the necessity of furnishing claimants with transportation to and from other cities for the purpose of obtaining these appliances.

The check-up system maintained in central office has eliminated, to a great extent, the replacement of orders for articles that have been requested by claimants coming under the jurisdiction of a new regional office. These offices have been instructed that unless they have the complete data on a claimant, nothing should be authorized until definite information is received from central office as to the necessity of the article requested and whether or not the claimant is entitled to the prosthesis. Requests have been received in central office which a review of the records has frequently shown that the claimant has recently been supplied with the article requested and is therefore not entitled to a renewal.

A considerable saving is continually being effected in accepting only the bids of reputable firms that furnish the best type of appliance at a minimum cost.

Favorable comments are received in central office continually relative to the various prostheses produced in the orthopedic shops of the bureau. These shops turn out the highest grade of articles made from the best obtainable materials, and afford the claimants great satisfaction when it is practical to serve them, due to the fact that the articles are promptly constructed and properly fitted. Because of this prompt and efficient service, claimants are able to return to their duties without any great loss of time.

There has been taken up, during the past year, the making of facial prostheses for badly deformed faces. This work has been very favorably commented upon and has been accomplished at a great saving. Heretofore the cost of facial prostheses was from $500 to

$700 each. These appliances, made under the bureau supervision, cost considerably less than $100.

The estimated savings resulting from the operation of orthopedic shops by the bureau is indicated by the following statement of costs:

Annual orthopedic shop report July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925

Shop	Contract cost	Shop cost	Approximate saving
Boston, Mass.	$7,418.00	$3,426.00	$3,992.00
New York, N. Y.	23,768.92	17,073.43	6,695.49
Washington, D. C.	7,384.15	5,828.00	1,556.15
Atlanta, Ga.	2,491.20	1,483.68	1,007.52
Chicago, Ill.	18,762.93	10,674.19	8,088.74
Kansas City, Mo.	6,428.46	4,969.68	1,458.78
Grand total	66,253.66	43,454.98	22,798.68

Prosthetic appliances furnished by regional offices and veterans' hospitals for the fiscal year 1925

Appliances	Adjunct		Service		Trainee		Total	
	Claimant	Cost	Claimant	Cost	Claimant	Cost	Claimant	Cost
Acoustican			219	$3,463.81	21	$355.42	240	$3,819.23
Arch supports	101	$343.00	1,009	4,729.00	267	725.40	1,377	5,797.40
Arms, artificial			74	11,361.00			74	11,361.00
Arm repairs			324	1,967.76	7	53.50	331	2,021.26
Belts and trusses	113	835.97	1,290	9,110.47	237	1,286.46	1,640	11,232.90
Braces	62	1,318.25	1,667	31,836.34	74	1,112.90	1,803	34,267.49
Canes and crutches	7	40.30	523	2,371.27	7	14.85	537	2,426.42
Eyes, artificial	1	6.00	475	5,733.28	3	26.00	479	5,765.28
Glasses	833	2,394.23	767	2,098.51	3,537	8,687.14	5,137	13,179.88
Legs, artificial			680	81,830.95	6	705.00	686	82,535.95
Leg repairs			2,424	26,519.65	5	61.50	2,429	26,581.15
Shoes	47	213.60	1,892	29,069.34	103	484.90	2,042	29,767.84
Elastic stockings	15	74.17	1,276	6,463.63	57	267.31	1,348	6,805.11
Stump socks	1	2.16	3,197	14,637.36	6	34.25	3,204	14,673.77
Wheel chairs			29	1,492.94			29	1,492.94
Miscellaneous	8	35.15	191	2,277.65	11	14.32	210	2,327.12
Total, fiscal year 1925	1,188	5,262.83	16,037	234,962.96	4,341	13,828.95	21,566	254,054.74
Total, fiscal year 1924							25,257	272,815.45

PHYSIOTHERAPY AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, notable progress had been made in agricultural and allied activities in the neuropsychiatric hospitals of the service. The out-of-door occupations, which have provided favorable opportunities for administering prescribed occupational therapy for mental patients, have taken the form of dairying, swine raising, poultry raising, farming, gardening, and bee culture. Farming and gardening suitable to the available land and qualities of the soil at the several mental hospitals have been initiated with a minimum of expense, and have been enlarged from time to time consistent with good business management.

Reports received during the past year have indicated that these outdoor activities not only result in immediate therapeutic benefits to the patients, but also assist in supplying the hospital messes with fresh vegetables, milk, poultry, and eggs, and in furnishing forage for the dairy herds and other animals maintained on several hospital reservations.

Large acreage, and other facilities for dairying are available at the mental hospitals, No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa, No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio, and at the tuberculosis hospitals, No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex., and No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo. By means of the dairy herds maintained at these institutions fresh milk is furnished at considerably less cost than milk of similar quality can be purchased from private sources.

Swine herds have been maintained at hospitals No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif., No. 42, Perry Point, Md., No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex., No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa, No. 62, Augusta, Ga., No. 63, Lake City, Fla., No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo., No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo., No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio, and No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn., for the purpose of providing a profitable method of disposing of the large amount of usable garbage at these institutions and incidentally for providing activities and projects in occupational therapy.

In connection with the dairy herds and the swine herds, arrangements have been made during the past fiscal year with the Department of Agriculture for the appropriate supervision of the tuberculin testing of all dairy cattle at regular intervals, and for furnishing technical advice and supervising the inoculation of swine herds against hog cholera. Close cooperation has been maintained with this department and provision has been made that certain Farmers' Bulletins, available for free distribution by the Government, dealing with the latest scientific methods concerned with agriculture and allied occupations, be furnished to the hospitals interested.

Poultry projects are maintained at hospitals No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif., No. 42, Perry Point, Md., No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass., No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex., No. 60, Oteen, N. C., No. 74, Gulfport, Miss., No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark., No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash., No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., No. 94, American Lake, Wash., No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio. Great interest has been taken in these departments from an occupational therapy standpoint and, in addition to the therapeutic benefits which have resulted therefrom, economic and financial returns have been realized from the large quantities of fresh eggs and fresh poultry which have been furnished the hospital mess at a minimum of expenditure.

In connection with these out-of-door occupations effort has been made to prescribe occupational therapy suitable to the physical and mental condition and related to the special aptitudes and ability of the patient. Consideration is also given to the previous occupation and the vocation which the patient may be forced to follow after hospitalization by reason of his physical disability. This is done not with a view of training but, so far as practicable, to correlate the occupational therapy prescribed as a phase of treatment, with the future training and occupation of the patient.

Shoemaking and repairing departments are in operation at hospitals No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif., No. 42, Perry Point, Md., No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa., No. 95, Northampton, Mass., No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio, and No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich. These not only furnish indoor occupation of a masculine type but assist materially in keeping the shoes of the patients in good condition. Other practical forms of occupational therapy which benefit the patients and at the same time

aid in the upkeep of the hospitals are cement construction, carpentry, and cabinet work. In the closed wards more attention has been given to habit training for deteriorated psychotics.

In the tuberculosis and general hospitals occupational therapy has been continued in accordance with the methods previously in vogue. Crafts, academic, and commercial subjects are the major forms of occupational therapy in tuberculous hospitals while in the general hospitals this activity has been kept at a minimum.

No marked changes have occurred in the policies and methods of carrying on physiotherapy. The decrease of this work in out-patient clinics has continued, as was predicted in the annual report for 1923.

During this fiscal year five new hospitals have been staffed, and a 20 per cent increase has occurred in the patient population in veterans' hospitals, yet there has been a slight decrease in the total number of occupational therapy and physiotherapy technicians employed by the bureau. It has also been found practicable to discontinue the services of several full-time and part-time medical officers specializing in physiotherapy with a consequent reduction in expenditure.

During the fiscal year arrangements were consummated with the Hospital Commission of the State of New York to take over the occupational therapy carried on by the Veterans' Bureau for beneficiaries at Manhattan, Kings Park, and Buffalo State hospitals, effective July 1, 1925. In June, 1923, there were 25 occupational therapy employees reported at these institutions. While some reduction had been effected, the consolidated report for June, 1924, shows 22 bureau personnel on duty. The State takes over this work with no increase in the per diem charge for caring for beneficiaries, and the change therefore will not only result in increased efficiency, as it places the occupational therapy under the same control as the other medical care and treatment, but will result in a saving to the bureau of approximately $50,000 per annum in salaries and supplies.

Statistical reports for the fiscal year are included in Tables 2 to 20. (See pp. 72 to 92.)

NURSING

Central office supervision of the nursing work has been carried on as heretofore by one superintendent of nurses and one assistant superintendent. The administration of this nursing section in central office covers the nursing service both in hospitals and in the regional offices.

Nurses selected for the service must be citizens of the United States, graduates of accredited schools of nursing and registered nurses, able to qualify under the requirements of the United States Civil Service Commission. When assigned to duty in the regional offices, in addition to the requirements for hospital duty, they are required to have had a four-months' course in public health or visiting nursing, or, in lieu thereof, one to two years' experience in public-health nursing under a nurse supervisor. The follow-up work includes the treatment and observation of convalescents after discharge from hospital, so that relapse may be prevented. The maintenance of high standards has resulted in increasing loyalty, efficiency, and stability in this group of professional women.

The medical director during the past year has found it possible to buttress his nursing service by the appointment of representative

women from the national nursing organizations, upon an advisory committee of nurses to the medical council and the medical director. This committee met with the medical director and medical council of the United States Veterans' Bureau in Washington, D. C., February 27 and 28, 1925.

Following recommendations of the advisory committee of nurses, study classes have been organized in all Veterans' Bureau hospitals. The purpose of the class is for the study of nursing problems in general, with particular reference to nursing in Veterans' Bureau hospitals, the instruction of nurses in regard to their relations with Veterans' Bureau beneficiaries that come under their care, and for the advancement in nursing methods. The nurses are expected to prepare a paper on a nursing subject which will be read before the class. Following the reading of the paper there will be a general discussion by the nurses. From time to time it is expected that the doctors of the service will talk to the nurses on subjects of special interest to them.

Under date of March 12, 1925, Medical Service Circular 213 was issued to outline activities of nurses on duty in the regional offices. It is felt that this circular will strengthen and improve the service given by nurses to beneficiaries.

DIETETICS

The duties of the dietetic section have continued during this fiscal year as heretofore, consisting in the general supervision of all activities connected with the administration of the dietetic departments of the Veterans' Bureau hospitals.

All dietitians in the bureau's service are college or technical school graduates, meeting certain civil service requirements. Some, however, are best fitted for administrative work and others have had specialized training for dietotherapy work. Therefore, great care is exercised to place them in such positions that the hospitals will derive the full benefit of each person's special qualifications. This high standard has been maintained in the staffing of several new hospitals which have been opened during the past fiscal year. In addition to the care used in placing personnel, the commendable cooperation between the medical staff and the dietetic service has enabled the dietitians to be of greater value to the hospitals.

Dietaries submitted from the various hospitals are reviewed in central office and pertinent suggestions are made to the stations whenever necessary. Every attention is given to special diets wherever prescribed by the ward surgeons, which is an important feature of the dietitians' work in the general hospitals where there are many diabetic cases, and in the tuberculosis hospitals where there are many cases of malnutrition.

Economy is not stressed at the expense of the quality of the food furnished, but is effected by careful quantity buying and by reduction of waste. Equipment has been purchased from time to time which has added greatly to the efficiency of the departments.

TABLE No. 2.—*Hospital in-patient days of treatment furnished United States Veterans' Bureau beneficiaries by branch of service administering hospitals for fiscal years 1922, 1923, 1924, and 1925*

Branch of service	1922	1923	1924	1925
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	4,649,599	4,254,051	4,126,433	5,787,170
U. S. Public Health Service (U. S. Marine)	317,202	110,862	71,210	95,424
U. S. Army	558,542	622,222	615,122	772,823
U. S. Navy	326,125	330,168	322,603	468,888
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers	896,199	865,828	926,951	924,589
Interior Department (St. Elizabeths Hospital)	(1)	(1)	317,550	332,167
Civilian	3,369,384	2,711,585	1,639,285	1,549,604
Insular possessions	44,503	57,305	68,617	87,460
Total	10,161,554	8,952,021	8,087,771	10,018,125

[1] St. Elizabeths included in civilian.

TABLE No. 3.—*Total out-patient medical service, by months, classified by service rendered, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1925*

Months	Treated	Treatments	Examinations	Operations	Anesthetics	Sent to hospital	Hospital visits	Home visits
1924								
July	48,741	112,512	94,992	792	297	4,496	6,844	2,688
August	48,508	104,938	91,770	742	314	4,496	8,629	2,733
September	50,677	106,073	91,762	463	270	4,777	6,799	3,090
October	56,836	116,116	100,493	496	245	5,075	7,893	3,235
November	48,950	103,298	91,611	447	198	4,637	6,771	3,084
December	48,703	105,331	125,789	483	220	4,919	6,181	3,609
1925								
January	49,668	107,432	106,635	477	323	6,189	5,563	3,352
February	43,536	97,110	89,190	438	202	4,501	6,722	3,319
March	44,435	105,624	89,418	343	310	5,192	5,978	3,380
April	46,048	105,192	89,974	339	277	5,275	6,106	3,340
May	41,357	98,113	84,953	327	178	5,059	7,876	3,070
June	40,638	96,228	87,743	516	251	5,300	6,318	3,191
Total	568,097	1,257,967	1,144,330	5,863	3,085	59,916	81,680	38,091

TABLE No. 4.—*Classification of total examinations, by months and by kind of examinations, for fiscal year 1925*

Month	General medical	Eye, ear, nose, and throat	Neuropsychiatric	Tuberculosis	Surgical	Venereal and nonvenereal	X-ray	Physiotherapy	Dental	Total
1924										
July	35,991	12,287	7,483	14,100	9,021	1,517	11,743	1,054	1,796	94,992
August	34,528	12,203	7,422	13,600	8,621	1,315	11,695	917	1,469	91,770
September	32,551	12,580	7,906	14,029	8,569	1,431	11,987	942	1,767	91,762
October	35,784	12,988	9,369	14,675	10,055	1,492	13,474	755	1,901	100,493
November	31,877	11,475	8,634	15,100	8,417	1,334	12,269	791	1,714	91,611
December	40,650	14,517	14,975	22,674	10,056	1,745	18,111	667	2,394	125,789
1925										
January	35,426	13,526	11,213	15,883	10,387	1,109	15,938	851	2,302	106,635
February	28,743	12,068	8,988	12,671	8,626	1,265	13,641	1,228	1,960	89,190
March	28,882	12,561	9,228	13,322	8,605	1,277	12,299	957	2,287	89,418
April	31,142	12,488	8,806	14,023	8,227	1,377	11,451	398	2,062	89,974
May	31,335	10,744	7,911	12,927	7,414	1,226	10,766	330	2,300	84,953
June	32,345	10,257	8,303	13,976	7,465	1,704	10,889	682	2,122	87,743
Total	399,254	147,694	110,238	176,980	105,463	16,792	154,263	9,572	24,074	1,144,330

TABLE No. 5.—*Classification of total treatments, by months and by kind of treatments, for fiscal year 1925*

Month	General medical	Eye, ear, nose, and throat	Neuropsychiatric	Tuberculosis	Surgical	Venereal and nonvenereal	X-ray	Physiotherapy	Dental	Total
1924										
July	36,847	12,081	2,975	5,010	5,450	970	195	38,752	10,232	112,512
August	33,269	11,531	2,630	5,105	5,330	1,026	129	36,536	9,382	104,938
September	34,874	12,386	2,937	4,832	5,532	1,047	279	34,667	9,519	106,073
October	37,852	14,274	3,219	5,378	5,658	868	306	38,080	10,481	116,116
November	33,383	12,661	2,998	4,731	4,931	754	188	35,172	8,480	103,298
December	32,884	13,417	4,139	5,092	4,913	947	170	34,350	9,419	105,331
1925										
January	33,301	13,523	3,272	4,477	5,666	1,040	207	34,811	11,135	107,432
February	29,774	12,315	2,976	4,352	4,615	848	160	32,670	9,360	97,110
March	31,571	13,795	2,957	4,067	4,839	958	185	36,865	10,387	105,624
April	30,909	13,802	3,462	5,781	5,834	1,281	176	34,262	9,685	105,192
May	28,216	12,320	3,331	5,340	5,891	1,063	183	32,502	9,267	98,113
June	26,739	11,847	3,688	6,789	5,569	1,070	136	30,922	9,468	96,228
Total	389,619	153,952	38,584	60,994	64,228	11,872	2,314	419,589	116,815	1,257,967

TABLE No. 6.—*Total out-patient medical service by regional offices, classified by service rendered, for fiscal year ending June 30, 1925*

Regional office	Treatments	Examinations	Operations	Anesthetics	Sent to hospitals	Hospital visits	Home visits
Boston, Mass	127,766	61,558	119	834	806	661	2,586
Portland, Me	3,268	3,325	5		431	74	395
Manchester, N. H	4,319	3,073	15	1	231	23	466
Providence, R. I	25,088	10,777	58	61	322	56	207
Burlington, Vt	818	1,801			6	1	17
New York, N. Y	135,167	63,297	1,720	156	4,280	16,577	2,532
Buffalo, N. Y	25,321	17,969	170	38	835	4,787	1,354
Hartford, Conn	22,773	8,982	12	1	844	525	1,853
Newark, N. J	43,629	15,721	14		1,531	713	1,077
Philadelphia, Pa	106,012	53,717	9	3	2,487	408	1,261
Pittsburgh, Pa	18,849	23,458	113	31	2,013	1,561	1,292
Washington, D. C	22,588	23,339			1,797	76	1,071
Baltimore, Md	31,735	22,391	57	1	672	307	187
Richmond, Va	3,526	9,055	25	6	167	405	258
Charleston, W. Va	8,561	9,068	32	5	1,570	1,832	118
Atlanta, Ga	7,825	28,133	58	10	1,150	905	1,093
Jacksonville, Fla	183	7,230	2		653	25	44
Charlotte, N. C	2,548	10,457	7		632	128	384
Columbia, S. C	1,326	9,703	3		979	458	108
Nashville, Tenn	1,017	7,763	4	1	82	46	243
New Orleans, La	19,277	18,706	9		86	107	528
Birmingham, Ala	10,082	15,580	519	140	1,596	1,556	744
Jackson, Miss	2,225	18,062	7		1,353	423	243
Cincinnati, Ohio	47,549	39,554	194	2	2,337	3,124	1,391
Cleveland, Ohio	29,616	24,322	90	1	1,145	1,917	643
Indianapolis, Ind	33,813	29,325	425	77	2,621	6,378	1,154
Louisville, Ky	27,416	32,486	15	3	1,879	2,911	799
Chicago, Ill	69,630	64,274	310	4	2,973	263	1,142
Detroit, Mich	12,808	23,525	106	61	2,005	886	789
Milwaukee, Wis	17,821	25,218	72	4	918	227	427
St. Louis, Mo	35,291	53,893	47		1,190	4	635
Kansas City, Mo	14,547	22,766	58	19	729	157	473
Des Moines, Iowa	11,393	26,324	99	21	213	1,263	1,068
Omaha, Nebr	6,278	15,454	35	8	470	741	318
Minneapolis, Minn	68,149	56,501	60	6	3,832	13,049	1,163
Helena, Mont	5,928	5,574	13	5	1,001	201	165
Fargo, N. Dak	1,681	4,685	61	37	681	5,078	46
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	1,724	10,883	73	18	419	665	138
Denver, Colo	39,175	41,000	372	84	495	638	2,536
Albuquerque, N. Mex	9,085	11,792	37	3	855	604	1,814
Salt Lake City, Utah	4,875	8,980	90	31	70	1,926	239
Casper, Wyo	577	1,122	18		27	170	54
San Francisco, Calif	56,960	48,187	112	84	2,354	2,379	605
Los Angeles, Calif	58,549	27,454	23	1,196	756	1,237	1,195
Phoenix, Ariz	7,840	4,895	59	3	659	3,364	464
Seattle, Wash	25,271	17,279	12	7	1,108	441	203
Boise, Idaho	439	2,542		54	44		116
Portland, Oreg	6,519	15,455	152	42	437	314	140
Dallas, Tex	25,110	29,689	187	5	1,470	1,224	1,138
Little Rock, Ark	4,398	14,936	11	10	1,781	274	294
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,855	20,472	4	2	1,672	102	151
Wichita, Kans	3,364	4,988	9	9	226	294	305
San Antonio, Tex	4,709	16,802	154		1,013	36	365
Reno, Nev	1,694	788	7	1	13	159	60
Total	1,257,967	1,144,330	5,863	3,085	59,916	81,680	38,091

TABLE No. 7.—*Classification of total examinations, by regional offices and by kind of examination, for fiscal year 1925*

Regional office	General medical	Eye, ear, nose, and throat	Neuropsychiatric	Tuberculosis	Surgical	Venereal and nonvenereal	X-ray	Physiotherapy	Dental	Total
Boston, Mass	15,197	5,835	8,500	7,827	12,509	686	6,397	3,369	1,238	61,558
Portland, Me	2,267	204	522	203	68		56		5	3,325
Manchester, N. H	765	280	556	808	401		235	12	16	3,073
Providence, R. I	6,533	1,602	1,145	787	608		14		88	10,777
Burlington, Vt	938	58	465	135	183		21		1	1,801
New York, N. Y	14,435	11,700	5,348	11,639	6,425	568	11,353	178	1,661	63,297
Buffalo, N. Y	7,943	1,821	2,436	2,178	1,200	60	2,046	17	268	17,969
Hartford, Conn	2,887	1,907	1,166	1,364	1,048	12	311		287	8,982
Newark, N. J	3,982	1,128	2,579	2,767	2,370	1,119	1,038	459	279	15,721
Philadelphia, Pa	14,951	5,586	7,432	11,271	5,827	824	6,621		1,205	53,717
Pittsburgh, Pa	9,553	2,434	3,388	3,701	727	87	3,208		360	23,458
Washington, D. C	10,945	2,502	2,420	2,999	804	395	2,452		822	23,339
Baltimore, Md	6,301	4,550	3,067	2,351	1,746	1,857	1,992		527	22,391
Richmond, Va	4,775	805	937	1,515	878	30	30	1	84	9,055
Charleston, W. Va	4,226	1,284	1,030	1,639	692	32	59	21	85	9,068
Atlanta, Ga	12,167	2,656	2,941	6,438	2,057	550	1,186	93	45	28,133
Jacksonville, Fla	4,472	268	782	1,363	222	14	109			7,230
Charlotte, N. C	4,705	815	900	2,432	760	117	619		109	10,457
Columbia, S. C	3,286	987	665	2,157	324	1,913	212	15	144	9,703
Nashville, Tenn	3,832	1,166	418	1,762	464	27	93		1	7,763
New Orleans, La	12,665	1,276	951	1,469	1,212	113	701		319	18,706
Birmingham, Ala	5,585	1,653	1,515	2,589	2,459	1,353	55	5	366	15,580
Jackson, Miss	8,079	4,231	1,186	1,703	2,220	370	217		56	18,062
Cincinnati, Ohio	12,706	6,036	3,583	4,701	3,354	464	7,625	48	1,037	39,554
Cleveland, Ohio	8,576	3,373	2,401	3,303	2,045	112	4,370	8	134	24,322
Indianapolis, Ind	11,901	3,266	2,422	4,294	2,370	297	4,519		256	29,325
Louisville, Ky	15,198	4,854	1,883	5,162	2,025	265	2,925		174	32,486
Chicago, Ill	14,472	6,966	7,291	11,793	6,138	147	13,643	2,711	1,113	64,274
Detroit, Mich	8,131	1,917	2,846	4,187	1,791	279	3,991		383	23,525
Milwaukee, Wis	12,416	1,292	2,718	3,901	2,141	13	2,505		232	25,218
St. Louis, Mo	17,664	10,696	4,952	8,733	2,943	1,787	6,515		603	53,893
Kansas City, Mo	7,578	2,458	2,079	3,902	2,699	319	2,965	128	638	22,766
Des Moines, Iowa	4,816	4,117	3,232	3,054	2,735	18	7,539	12	801	26,324
Omaha, Nebr	3,184	4,505	1,105	1,701	1,914		1,596		1,449	15,454
Minneapolis, Minn	17,264	4,880	5,644	8,323	5,389	634	12,301	408	1,658	56,501
Helena, Mont	2,120	919	578	949	963	1	19		25	5,574
Fargo, N. Dak	1,613	607	535	979	608		224		119	4,685
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	2,346	1,863	920	1,280	1,308	69	3,017		80	10,883
Denver, Colo	14,514	4,362	1,679	7,661	4,640	49	5,631	7	2,457	41,000
Albuquerque, N. Mex	7,110	1,000	260	1,608	243	3	1,311	110	147	11,792
Salt Lake City, Utah	4,587	956	553	477	1,035	118	1,146		108	8,980
Casper, Wyo	717	17	83	134	24		130		17	1,122
San Francisco, Calif	21,271	7,198	1,986	3,036	1,969	13	10,427	1,401	886	48,187
Los Angeles, Calif	7,342	4,160	3,021	5,158	3,340	123	3,817		493	27,454
Phoenix, Ariz	1,874	369	173	1,350	165		750		214	4,895
Seattle, Wash	5,259	2,529	1,381	2,649	956	280	3,661		564	17,279
Boise, Idaho	1,260	127	139	304	189		323		200	2,542
Portland, Oreg	3,643	2,074	1,469	1,689	910	32	5,276		362	15,455
Dallas, Tex	9,909	4,348	2,351	4,023	4,283	838	3,232	131	574	29,689
Little Rock, Ark	6,050	1,696	1,140	2,507	1,034	12	1,652	316	529	14,936
Oklahoma City, Okla	6,666	3,480	1,803	4,349	2,120	54	1,287	122	591	20,472
Wichita, Kans	1,529	557	329	981	398	699	487		8	4,988
San Antonio, Tex	6,736	2,255	1,219	3,502	524	1	2,316		249	16,802
Reno, Nev	313	69	114	193	6	48	38		7	788
Total	399,254	147,694	110,238	176,980	105,463	16,792	154,263	9,572	24,074	1,144,330

TABLE No. 8.—*Classification of total treatments, by regional office and by kind of treatment, fiscal year 1925*

Regional office	General medical	Eye, ear, nose, and throat	Neuropsychiatric	Tuberculosis	Surgical	Venereal and nonvenereal	X-ray	Physiotherapy	Dental	Total
Boston, Mass	24,181	9,421	3,203	4,938	11,055	366	56	62,257	12,289	127,766
Portland, Me	2,160	238	165	237	49	1		385	33	3,268
Manchester, N. H	2,153	203	323	241	47	2		1,314	36	4,319
Providence, R. I	7,156	1,568	72	43	417			15,239	593	25,088
Burlington, Vt	516	6	48	135	11	4		86	12	818
New York, N. Y	15,842	16,323	671	12,694	10,232	920	260	61,490	16,735	135,167
Buffalo, N. Y	12,904	3,954	2,244	1,054	2,917	154	35	520	1,539	25,321
Hartford, Conn	10,947	2,014	731	2,239	2,047	26		3,985	784	22,773
Newark, N. J	3,687	1,253	643	1,039	1,120	13	2	34,809	1,063	43,629
Philadelphia, Pa	27,381	27,431	4,186	6,896	8,139	1,397	74	22,563	7,445	106,012
Pittsburgh, Pa	12,688	2,465	832	519	887	136	26	93	1,203	18,849
Washington, D. C	8,996	3,545	1,468	1,166	28	911		2,773	3,701	22,588
Baltimore, Md	8,754	4,398	1,060	192	519	143	41	14,198	2,430	31,735
Richmond, Va	2,530	476	7	26	316	42	1	15	113	3,526
Charleston, W. Va	1,675	770	5,755	103	175			15	68	8,561
Atlanta, Ga	5,467	1,330	1	42	340	260	231	110	44	7,825
Jacksonville, Fla	90	93								183
Charlotte, N. C	1,559	459	71	137	140	10			172	2,548
Columbia, S. C	1,171	68		56		2		2	27	1,326
Nashville, Tenn	536	285	3	2	172	18			1	1,017
New Orleans, La	9,643	1,741	204	161	769	302		3,522	2,935	19,277
Birmingham, Ala	5,122	1,368	158	423	1,039	750	4	49	1,169	10,082
Jackson, Miss	1,636	143		99	59	66			222	2,225
Cincinnati, Ohio	30,876	4,725	402	967	931	217	643	7,637	1,151	47,549
Cleveland, Ohio	16,017	2,652	1,498	1,467	356	44	23	7,017	542	29,616
Indianapolis, Ind	23,255	2,840	1,097	1,275	369	312	3	4,254	408	33,813
Louisville, Ky	14,216	3,839	526	3,608	833	47		3,963	384	27,416
Chicago, Ill	14,994	7,718	4,047	5,977	5,058	2,883		22,652	6,301	69,630
Detroit, Mich	4,953	975	668	1,400	702	6	30	2,872	1,102	12,808
Milwaukee, Wis	5,275	1,207	191	453	892	30	429	7,781	1,563	17,821
St. Louis, Mo	6,705	9,473	2,335	573	861	149		11,994	3,201	35,291
Kansas City, Mo	3,865	748	236	52	213	58		8,418	957	14,547
Des Moines, Iowa	5,237	2,346	1,460	516	889	16		310	619	11,393
Omaha, Nebr	4,042	1,144	160	278	154			317	183	6,278
Minneapolis, Minn	7,090	2,237	707	1,421	2,168	645		49,634	4,247	68,149
Helena, Mont	1,396	500	10	18	124	3	13	3,791	73	5,928
Fargo, N. Dak	128	833	21	35	316			217	131	1,681
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	508	917	70	19	49			54	107	1,724
Denver, Colo	16,237	9,383	221	1,052	1,576	36		698	9,972	39,175
Albuquerque, N. Mex	5,253	646	155	1,144	217				1,670	9,085
Salt Lake City, Utah	1,609	1,444	136	180	475	159	12		860	4,875
Casper, Wyo	448	10	11	20	26		3		59	577
San Francisco, Calif	13,403	4,614	718	1,150	1,302	16	400	23,444	11,913	56,960
Los Angeles, Calif	23,671	4,458	1,446	4,118	3,531	969	21	10,866	9,469	58,549
Phoenix, Ariz	2,379	1,801		1,392	754			3	1,511	7,840
Seattle, Wash	4,061	763		1	114	22		18,032	2,278	25,271
Boise, Idaho	348	1			21			66	3	439
Portland, Oreg	2,459	2,425	55	111	220	4	3		1,242	6,519
Dallas, Tex	6,415	5,042	414	503	833	212		10,997	694	25,110
Little Rock, Ark	1,638	499	4	244	221	2	3	75	1,712	4,398
Oklahoma City, Okla	695	210	18	58	110				764	1,855
Wichita, Kans	2,679	312	53	156	140	19	1		4	3,364
San Antonio, Tex	1,708	475	71	76	277			1,072	1,030	4,709
Reno, Nev	1,265	163	9	188	18				51	1,694
Total	389,619	153,952	38,584	60,994	64,228	11,872	2,314	419,589	116,815	1,257,967

TABLE No. 9.—*Total medical and dental treatments made by all examining physicians including fee basis, designated examiners, classified by regional offices and months, for fiscal year 1925*

Regional offices	1924					
	July	August	September	October	November	December
Boston, Mass	12,407	9,782	10,964	11,296	11,438	11,397
Portland, Me	276	302	247	279	269	300
Manchester, N. H	273	301	393	354	379	440
Providence, R. I	2,509	2,359	2,255	2,155	1,970	1,964
Burlington, Vt	84	37	101	79	60	55
New York, N. Y	12,242	10,142	10,616	11,949	9,960	11,141
Buffalo, N. Y	2,247	1,905	2,076	2,182	2,263	2,268
Hartford, Conn	1,753	1,671	1,637	1,903	1,990	2,140
Newark, N. J	4,191	4,159	3,487	4,105	3,218	3,531
Philadelphia, Pa	8,916	8,292	9,160	10,064	8,314	8,619
Pittsburgh, Pa	2,092	1,979	1,600	1,832	1,875	1,941
Washington, D. C	1,428	1,262	1,221	1,493	1,389	1,103
Baltimore, Md	2,620	2,299	2,556	3,067	2,586	2,688
Richmond, Va	353	352	344	401	344	251
Charleston, W. Va	596	627	638	792	834	995
Atlanta, Ga	878	900	900	927	762	615
Jacksonville, Fla	14	64	5	6	7	18
Charlotte, N. C	694	317	410	305	116	115
Columbia, S. C	160	149	97	94	55	157
Nashville, Tenn	204	77	131	101	127	90
New Orleans, La	1,563	1,091	1,370	1,471	2,188	1,151
Birmingham, Ala	979	1,046	917	1,188	837	724
Jackson, Miss	287	198	187	332	291	187
Cincinnati, Ohio	4,037	3,624	3,716	3,926	3,802	3,747
Cleveland, Ohio	2,607	2,266	2,532	2,985	2,798	2,884
Indianapolis, Ind	2,411	2,538	2,807	2,940	2,452	2,524
Louisville, Ky	2,877	2,725	2,615	2,901	2,223	2,084
Chicago, Ill	6,513	6,377	6,640	6,412	5,423	4,944
Detroit, Mich	1,803	1,643	1,060	1,179	1,372	1,200
Milwaukee, Wis	1,593	1,415	1,569	1,830	2,010	1,875
St. Louis, Mo	2,162	2,619	2,962	3,329	2,882	2,710
Kansas City, Mo	1,618	2,246	2,046	1,884	1,601	1,582
Des Moines, Iowa	883	725	1,120	1,243	823	1,265
Omaha, Nebr	690	501	309	344	353	383
Minneapolis, Minn	5,904	6,296	5,849	6,024	5,404	5,849
Helena, Mont	162	463	287	489	320	798
Fargo, N. Dak	55	11	25	30	52	40
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	103	110	121	145	132	241
Denver, Colo	3,136	2,974	3,511	3,747	3,171	3,630
Albuquerque, N. Mex	660	692	751	794	813	851
Salt Lake City, Utah	414	357	324	431	449	514
Casper, Wyo	34	79	62	51	51	49
San Francisco, Calif	5,351	5,769	4,523	5,672	4,977	5,037
Los Angeles, Calif	5,090	5,178	4,895	5,613	4,447	4,664
Phoenix, Ariz	590	549	504	770	797	629
Seattle, Wash	2,198	2,228	2,120	2,309	1,909	2,092
Boise, Idaho	70	25	84	5	5	6
Portland, Oreg	95	331	482	505	440	247
Dallas, Tex	2,505	2,285	2,332	2,566	2,174	2,278
Little Rock, Ark	513	407	420	573	319	492
Oklahoma City, Okla	252	192	169	206	117	116
Wichita, Kans	434	475	487	445	375	202
San Antonio, Tex	771	391	301	245	210	307
Reno, Nev	215	136	138	148	125	201
Total	112,512	104,938	106,073	116,116	103,298	105,331

TABLE No. 9.—*Total medical and dental treatments made by all examining physicians including fee basis, designated examiners, classified by regional offices and months, for fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Regional offices	1925						Total
	January	February	March	April	May	June	
Boston, Mass	11,292	10,433	10,759	9,888	9,389	8,721	127,766
Portland, Me	259	199	368	272	239	258	3,268
Manchester, N. H	361	388	399	412	336	283	4,319
Providence, R. I	1,916	1,853	2,149	2,002	2,080	1,876	25,088
Burlington, Vt	79	66	97	96	24	40	818
New York, N. Y	11,493	11,133	12,496	11,315	11,329	10,851	135,167
Buffalo, N. Y	2,429	2,016	1,937	2,346	1,874	1,778	25,321
Hartford, Conn	2,010	2,016	2,092	1,837	1,915	1,809	22,773
Newark, N. J	3,190	3,261	4,053	3,663	3,407	3,364	43,629
Philadelphia, Pa	9,263	8,934	9,642	8,631	8,221	7,956	106,012
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,594	1,167	1,334	1,207	1,147	1,081	18,849
Washington, D. C	1,469	1,827	2,754	3,004	2,656	2,982	22,588
Baltimore, Md	2,751	2,490	3,073	2,838	2,440	2,327	31,735
Richmond, Va	273	343	263	206	219	177	3,526
Charleston, W. Va	980	730	654	554	611	550	8,561
Atlanta, Ga	617	535	538	514	342	297	7,825
Jacksonville, Fla	18	23	28	0	0	0	183
Charlotte, N. C	156	118	73	64	68	112	2,548
Columbia, S. C	148	114	96	143	72	41	1,326
Nashville, Tenn	66	18	73	17	73	40	1,017
New Orleans, La	1,223	1,231	1,452	2,379	2,189	1,969	19,277
Birmingham, Ala	639	638	889	730	818	677	10,082
Jackson, Miss	206	107	124	121	115	70	2,225
Cincinnati, Ohio	4,281	4,102	4,304	4,395	3,973	3,642	47,549
Cleveland, Ohio	2,368	2,185	2,440	2,310	2,102	2,439	29,616
Indianapolis, Ind	2,751	2,468	2,424	3,751	3,269	3,478	33,813
Louisville, Ky	2,212	2,331	2,088	2,025	1,682	1,653	27,416
Chicago, Ill	5,335	3,672	5,456	6,798	6,164	5,896	69,630
Detroit, Mich	1,205	773	674	654	676	569	12,808
Milwaukee, Wis	1,627	1,647	1,138	983	1,061	1,073	17,821
St. Louis, Mo	2,894	2,763	3,297	3,230	3,034	3,409	35,291
Kansas City, Mo	1,089	269	324	335	561	992	14,547
Des Moines, Iowa	679	772	827	766	1,233	1,057	11,393
Omaha, Nebr	406	486	482	924	814	586	6,278
Minneapolis, Minn	6,256	5,582	6,011	5,232	4,496	5,246	68,149
Helena, Mont	801	625	550	513	482	438	5,928
Fargo, N. Dak	127	360	319	306	245	111	1,681
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	181	226	104	171	135	55	1,724
Denver, Colo	4,245	3,237	3,367	3,163	2,763	2,231	39,175
Albuquerque, N. Mex	637	770	861	825	670	761	9,085
Salt Lake City, Utah	537	397	262	472	356	362	4,875
Casper, Wyo	7	8	69	80	57	30	577
San Francisco, Calif	5,069	4,203	4,526	4,062	3,798	4,063	56,960
Los Angeles, Calif	5,468	4,891	4,698	4,905	4,056	4,644	58,549
Phoenix, Ariz	758	515	563	700	786	679	7,849
Seattle, Wash	2,206	1,926	2,437	2,273	1,988	1,585	25,271
Boise, Idaho	71	27	47	52	21	26	439
Portland, Oreg	289	117	623	829	1,158	1,163	6,519
Dallas, Tex	2,658	2,156	1,427	1,894	1,716	1,119	25,110
Little Rock, Ark	350	293	332	157	247	295	4,398
Oklahoma City, Okla	88	154	150	148	115	148	1,855
Wichita, Kans	174	182	99	101	171	219	3,364
San Antonio, Tex	231	195	200	262	670	926	4,709
Reno, Nev		138	182	137	140	134	1,694
Total	107,432	97,110	105,624	105,192	98,113	96,228	1,257,967

TABLE No. 10.—*Total medical and dental examinations made by all examining physicians, including fee basis, designated examiners, classified by regional offices and months, for fiscal year 1925*

Regional offices	1924					
	July	August	September	October	November	December
Boston, Mass	5,436	5,223	5,891	5,856	5,772	8,524
Portland, Me	256	209	291	384	361	676
Manchester, N. H	152	211	218	265	297	504
Providence, R. I	1,097	1,060	1,012	883	937	1,325
Burlington, Vt	163	112	149	182	178	172
New York, N. Y	4,991	4,668	4,660	5,041	4,351	5,079
Buffalo, N. Y	1,295	2,098	1,987	1,999	1,415	1,610
Hartford, Conn	609	518	593	920	590	931
Newark, N. J	1,264	1,053	1,125	1,567	1,171	1,425
Philadelphia, Pa	4,731	4,509	4,358	4,896	4,958	5,522
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,718	1,886	1,774	2,292	1,907	2,457
Washington, D. C	2,471	1,892	1,754	2,170	2,032	2,303
Baltimore, Md	1,556	1,577	1,924	1,937	1,954	3,333
Richmond, Va	995	935	616	671	572	1,138
Charleston, W. Va	476	421	476	595	699	1,885
Atlanta, Ga	2,919	2,338	1,411	2,067	2,501	5,960
Jacksonville, Fla	521	458	377	397	743	1,514
Charlotte, N. C	1,197	832	862	520	922	1,012
Columbia, S. C	942	506	663	471	751	2,308
Nashville, Tenn	347	413	631	404	609	819
New Orleans, La	1,854	1,878	1,787	1,669	1,357	1,040
Birmingham, Ala	1,328	1,654	1,504	1,739	1,202	931
Jackson, Miss	1,777	1,541	1,850	1,611	1,471	1,725
Cincinnati, Ohio	3,480	3,205	3,474	3,675	3,663	3,870
Cleveland, Ohio	1,888	1,988	2,190	2,410	2,125	2,357
Indianapolis, Ind	3,254	3,147	2,688	3,030	2,284	2,727
Louisville, Ky	2,490	3,038	2,730	3,498	2,378	2,953
Chicago, Ill	5,185	5,444	5,441	6,215	5,793	7,222
Detroit, Mich	1,957	2,148	2,080	1,850	1,589	2,604
Milwaukee, Wis	1,943	2,201	1,989	2,164	1,624	2,990
St. Louis, Mo	5,769	4,948	4,189	5,180	4,817	6,113
Kansas City, Mo	2,477	2,051	2,232	1,623	1,339	2,979
Des Moines, Iowa	2,174	1,324	2,114	2,054	1,616	3,002
Omaha, Nebr	961	830	1,093	1,036	823	1,711
Minneapolis, Minn	3,959	3,740	4,164	5,044	4,631	6,798
Helena, Mont	335	336	375	537	520	506
Fargo, N. Dak	316	296	273	472	405	392
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	694	669	574	1,216	1,127	1,796
Denver, Colo	3,658	3,139	3,364	3,454	3,132	4,115
Albuquerque, N. Mex	862	844	922	1,077	1,088	1,723
Salt Lake City, Utah	873	594	590	926	825	1,211
Casper, Wyo	73	22	72	42	99	132
San Francisco, Calif	2,554	2,955	3,187	3,692	3,900	4,530
Los Angeles, Calif	2,209	1,987	1,878	2,080	1,599	1,871
Phoenix, Ariz	257	370	231	459	350	739
Seattle, Wash	1,462	1,603	1,458	1,483	1,390	1,913
Boise, Idaho	208	285	347	242	186	300
Portland, Oreg	1,099	1,114	1,267	1,315	1,157	1,382
Dallas, Tex	2,432	2,965	2,147	2,462	2,433	2,573
Little Rock, Ark	1,212	1,266	1,269	1,376	1,313	1,843
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,576	1,569	1,619	1,633	1,211	1,560
Wichita, Kans	168	149	189	189	98	27
San Antonio, Tex	1,295	1,488	1,627	1,507	1,332	1,451
Reno, Nev	77	63	76	16	14	206
Total	94,992	91,770	91,762	100,493	91,611	125,789

TABLE No. 10.—*Total medical and dental examinations made by all examining physicians, including fee basis, designated examiners, classified by regional offices and months, for fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Regional offices	1925						Tota
	January	February	March	April	May	June	
Boston, Mass	6,615	4,911	4,457	2,898	2,267	3,708	61,558
Portland, Me	205	129	263	192	170	189	3,325
Manchester, N. H	227	264	291	203	234	207	3,073
Providence, R. I	1,065	960	671	568	650	549	10,777
Burlington, Vt	142	232	210	115	53	93	1,801
New York, N. Y	6,062	5,969	5,802	5,814	5,576	5,284	65,297
Buffalo, N. Y	1,526	1,228	1,230	1,186	1,168	1,227	17,969
Hartford, Conn	835	895	776	667	806	842	8,982
Newark, N. J	1,363	1,238	1,326	1,507	1,269	1,413	15,721
Philadelphia, Pa	4,802	4,421	4,506	3,968	3,463	3,583	53,717
Pittsburgh, Pa	2,500	2,309	1,991	1,468	1,520	1,636	23,458
Washington, D. C	2,478	1,831	1,612	1,518	1,489	1,789	23,339
Baltimore, Md	2,034	1,488	1,763	1,630	1,469	1,726	22,391
Richmond, Va	703	628	624	670	844	659	9,055
Charleston, W. Va	994	888	887	740	587	420	9,068
Atlanta, Ga	2,737	2,027	1,946	1,832	1,175	1,220	28,133
Jacksonville, Fla	590	343	475	632	602	578	7,230
Charlotte, N. C	742	619	889	983	900	979	10,457
Columbia, S. C	690	272	715	823	701	861	9,703
Nashville, Tenn	1,475	447	382	513	937	786	7,763
New Orleans, La	1,533	1,016	1,191	1,970	1,698	1,713	18,706
Birmingham, Ala	1,141	1,090	1,379	1,119	1,027	1,466	15,580
Jackson, Miss	1,390	1,399	1,906	1,237	1,111	1,044	18,062
Cincinnati, Ohio	3,941	3,063	2,995	3,045	2,799	2,344	39,554
Cleveland, Ohio	1,729	1,879	2,026	2,105	1,754	1,871	24,322
Indianapolis, Ind	3,019	1,981	1,272	1,897	1,874	2,152	26,325
Louisville, Ky	2,731	2,760	2,761	2,629	2,327	2,191	32,486
Chicago, Ill	6,294	4,074	4,273	5,508	4,361	4,464	64,274
Detroit, Mich	2,361	1,872	1,848	1,752	1,634	1,830	23,525
Milwaukee, Wis	2,386	1,766	1,628	2,225	2,165	2,137	25,218
St. Louis, Mo	4,558	4,413	3,932	3,639	3,327	3,008	53,893
Kansas City, Mo	1,920	1,344	1,429	1,942	1,825	1,605	22,766
Des Moines, Iowa	2,537	2,736	2,902	2,049	1,993	1,823	26,324
Omaha, Nebr	1,569	1,468	1,570	1,667	1,352	1,374	15,454
Minneapolis, Minn	5,730	5,604	5,559	4,153	3,577	3,542	56,501
Helena, Mont	682	430	402	381	497	573	5,574
Fargo, N. Dak	505	452	366	401	385	422	4,685
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	1,345	888	553	773	633	615	10,883
Denver, Colo	4,349	2,945	3,333	3,423	3,183	2,905	41,000
Albuquerque, N. Mex	832	837	886	996	839	886	11,792
Salt Lake City, Utah	816	635	765	600	529	616	8,980
Casper, Wyo	167	132	133	114	72	64	1,122
San Francisco, Calif	4,200	3,950	4,340	4,401	5,227	5,251	48,187
Los Angeles, Calif	2,259	1,825	1,852	3,053	3,169	3,672	27,454
Phoenix, Ariz	520	310	338	388	501	432	4,895
Seattle, Wash	1,666	1,545	1,410	1,364	1,162	823	17,279
Boise, Idaho	275	197	159	92	128	123	2,542
Portland, Oreg	1,786	1,174	1,266	1,119	1,357	1,419	15,455
Dallas, Tex	2,701	2,484	1,880	2,614	2,450	2,548	29,689
Little Rock, Ark	1,099	1,083	1,291	1,043	785	1,356	14,936
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,696	1,729	1,739	1,597	2,095	2,448	20,472
Wichita, Kans	6	6	256	1,276	1,134	1,490	4,988
San Antonio, Tex	1,107	941	890	1,406	2,053	1,705	16,802
Reno, Nev		63	72	69	50	82	788
Total	106,635	89,190	89,418	89,974	84,953	87,743	1,144,330

TABLE No. 11.—*Total examinations, divided into medical and dental, salary and fee, with per cent fee for fiscal year 1925*

Month	Medical				Dental			
	Total	Salary	Fee	Per cent fee	Total	Salary	Fee	Per cent fee
1924								
July	93,196	89,682	3,514	3.8	1,796	1,612	184	10.2
August	90,301	87,015	3,286	3.6	1,469	1,331	138	9.4
September	89,995	86,841	3,154	3.5	1,767	1,593	174	9.8
October	98,592	95,660	2,932	3.0	1,901	1,677	224	11.8
November	89,897	87,196	2,701	3.0	1,714	1,521	193	11.3
December	123,395	118,131	5,264	4.3	2,394	2,179	215	9.0
1925								
January	104,333	101,066	3,267	3.1	2,302	2,128	174	7.5
February	87,230	84,467	2,763	3.2	1,960	1,811	149	7.6
March	87,131	84,931	2,200	2.5	2,287	2,127	160	7.0
April	87,912	85,539	2,373	2.7	2,062	1,885	177	8.6
May	82,653	80,253	2,400	2.9	2,300	2,164	136	5.9
June	85,621	83,316	2,305	2.7	2,122	1,986	136	6.4
Total	1,120,256	1,084,097	36,159	3.2	24,074	22,014	2,060	8.6

TABLE No. 12.—*Total treatments, divided into medical and dental, salary and fee, with per cent fee for fiscal year 1925*

Month	Medical				Dental			
	Total	Salary	Fee	Per cent fee	Total	Salary	Fee	Per cent fee
1924								
July	102,280	98,453	3,827	3.7	10,232	9,727	505	4.9
August	95,556	91,983	3,573	3.7	9,382	8,943	439	4.7
September	96,554	92,501	4,053	4.2	9,519	9,109	410	4.3
October	105,635	102,200	3,435	3.2	10,481	10,036	445	4.2
November	94,818	91,434	3,384	3.5	8,480	7,983	497	5.9
December	95,912	92,191	3,721	3.9	9,419	8,912	507	5.4
1925								
January	96,297	92,884	3,413	3.5	11,135	10,747	388	3.5
February	87,750	84,377	3,373	3.8	9,360	8,970	390	4.2
March	95,237	92,103	3,134	3.3	10,387	9,818	569	5.5
April	95,507	92,059	3,448	3.6	9,685	9,179	506	5.2
May	88,846	85,455	3,391	3.8	9,267	8,759	508	5.5
June	86,760	83,449	3,311	3.8	9,468	8,920	548	5.8
Total	1,141,152	1,099,089	42,063	3.7	116,815	111,103	5,712	4.9

TABLE No. 13.—*Clinical laboratory classified examinations in United States dispensaries for the fiscal year 1925*

Station dispensaries	Blood				Urine	Feces, stomach and duodenum	Sputum		Spinal fluid		Bacteriological				Typhoid and paratyphoid	Miscellaneous
	Comp. fix.	Counts	Chemical	Others			Tuberculosis	Pneumococcus	Wass.	Others	Pus exudation dis. others	Dark field	Throat smears and cult.	Others		
CLASS "A"																
Boston, Mass	2	200	113	29	5,619	26	1,892	1			48	10	339	7		77
New York, N. Y	877	381	680	71	2,886	501	3,837	4			156	21	5,087	29	18	2,061
Philadelphia, Pa	1,821	1,143	225	9	9,888	465	451				432		66			
Pittsburgh, Pa	449	117		123	1,409	112	462	1			16		3			83
Baltimore, Md	690	228	71	7	1,417	110	672		3	6	28		22			6
Washington, D. C. (O. P. Hospital 32)	588	563	463	8	1,087	87	1,557				15	5	6	4		18
Atlanta, Ga. (O. P. Hospital 48)	357	60	24	39	292	88	87		10	32	7			3		45
New Orleans, La	1,238	340	94	156	3,426	184	2,261				195	7	57			122
Cincinnati, Ohio	2,532	356	320	429	5,762	281	123	1	12	6	105	3	27	22		129
Chicago, Ill	1,602	1,254	479	103	11,881	432	1,754	5	8	22	743	198	1,283	45		793
St. Louis, Mo	1,930	128	129	64	5,283	271	41		12	28	219		83	5		180
Minneapolis, Minn	3,231	1,787	291	581	6,259	1,785	1	2			70		36			238
Denver, Colo	1,413	150	53	32	2,651	93	485	43			35	3	138	2	2	58
Los Angeles, Calif	1,226	524	153	59	3,379	559	1,341		94	34	115	2	100	9		97
San Francisco, Calif	2,464	729	278	202	3,484	2,135	980				74	6	67	4		10
Seattle, Wash	1,117	291	116	10	5,068	480	640	640	6	20	133		432	1		109
Dallas, Tex	1,758	468	249	86	2,539	377	966	23	49	123	283	2	14	116	12	104
Total	23,295	8,719	3,738	2,008	72,330	7,986	17,550	720	194	271	2,674	257	7,760	247	32	4,130
CLASS "B"																
Newark, N. J	122	59	41	9	1,080	10	295		3		28		52		14	
Cleveland, Ohio	1,209	89	42	16	1,939	227	95		2	6	292		6		1	6
Louisville, Ky	447	288	33	82	3,184	332	1,215		18	33	102	7	18	23		16
Indianapolis, Ind	2,209	1,135	474	283	2,565	36	501		36	74	41	3	33	5		54
Milwaukee, Wis	68	119	50	8	227	2	1,587				7	1	8	2		
Des Moines, Iowa		271	69	2	523	259	65			54	35		15			17
Kansas City, Mo	6,026	315	181	22	5,051	28	900		15	26	114	10	66	1		960
Omaha, Nebr	1,903	355	179	7	2,504	442	514	4		43	85		9	3		59
Salt Lake City, Utah	260	115	24		1,871	93	308		2	3	19			3		92
Portland, Oreg	352	171	61	11	2,485	72	57		1	5	16		31	5		2
Oklahoma City, Okla	625	57	22	24	633	19	238				66	5	6	3		3
Little Rock, Ark	1,132	257	333	145	6,893	126	457	20	30	64	338	2	42	1	1	141
Total	14,353	3,231	1,509	609	28,955	1,646	6,232	24	107	308	1,145	28	286	46	16	1,350
CLASS "C"																
Hartford, Conn					191											
Saranac Lake, N. Y.[1]	18	21	10		259	2	548	11					15	6		31
Jackson, Miss.[2]	299	70	4	57	1,548	333	110			1	741					
Lexington, Ky	350	42	5	112	940	217	1,715		4	1	22	126	24	22		
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	136	47	2	5	1,499	26	8				29		2	3		55
Albuquerque, N. Mex	878	153		24	327	7	113		1		13		36		1	2
Casper, Wyo		66	21	1	148	13	60				35		39			
Total	1,681	399	40	199	4,912	598	2,554	11	5	2	840	126	116	31	1	88
Dispensary total	39,329	12,349	5,287	2,816	106,197	10,230	26,336	755	306	581	4,657	411	8,162	324	49	5,568
CLINICAL LABORATORY EXAMINATIONS IN DISPENSARIES, CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF EXAMINATIONS BY MONTHS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1925																
July, 1924	3,065	981	525	199	8,250	653	2,463	72	16	42	432	34	427	42	3	885
August	2,517	1,032	320	551	7,278	599	2,669	98	3	16	357	18	418	42	11	655
September	2,524	925	431	499	7,591	651	2,292	81	17	70	387	24	428	31	2	222
October	3,092	1,020	457	162	8,882	801	2,234	96	95	60	384	24	477	12	13	223
November	3,052	1,086	359	165	8,224	733	2,147	94	4	20	292	26	540	19	4	277
December	3,595	1,077	369	107	9,391	1,000	2,754	76	7	32	242	23	886	36	5	842
January, 1925	3,854	1,170	457	145	9,224	1,043	2,419	49	28	75	244	49	1,814	13	2	585
February	3,832	1,005	377	108	8,978	850	1,906	39	54	72	546	30	1,011	26	3	565
March	4,122	1,025	537	325	9,274	1,104	1,718	5	31	101	755	79	549	38		463
April	3,986	987	535	180	10,070	1,060	2,107	50	22	64	389	57	454	31	1	411
May	3,163	996	471	213	9,174	926	1,942	43	14	19	343	27	515	6		163
June	2,527	1,045	449	162	9,861	810	1,685	52	15	10	286	20	643	28	5	277
Total	39,329	12,349	5,287	2,816	106,197	10,230	26,336	755	306	581	4,657	411	8,162	324	49	5,568

[1] Four months work.

[2] Eight months work.

TABLE No. 14.—*Clinical laboratory classified examinations, in the United States Veterans' hospitals for the fiscal year 1925*

United States veterans' hospitals	Blood				Urine	Feces, stomach and duodenum	Sputum		Spinal fluid		Bacteriological				Typhoid and paratyphoid	Miscellaneous
	Comp. fix.	Counts	Chemical	Others			Tuberculosis	Pneumococcus	Wass.	Others	Pus exudation dis. others	Dark field	Throat smears and cult.	Others		
TUBERCULOSIS																
No. 27. Alexandria, La	1,971	695	137	242	1,826	1,747	10,330	71	3	4	186		1,802	6	13	131
No. 41. New Haven, Conn	1,133	179	111	36	4,733	143	12,103	7	4	15	147	13	449	59	189	537
No. 50. Whipple, Ariz	1,006	1,560	424	161	6,834	165	12,323	371	5	14	122		1,457	1	1,033	731
No. 51. Tucson, Ariz	196	1,353	460	51	2,949	1,151	8,393	451		3	45		74	080	687	307
No. 55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	1,525	2,936	951	187	1,410	986	6,896	13	7	14	92	17	1,124	7	257	398
No. 60. Oteen, N. C	2,084	3,778	1,839	1,866	3,591	1,978	21,314	3	4	10	88	21	69	667	187	97
No. 64. Camp Kearney, Calif	889	379	392	46	1,808	232	13,448	13	1	3	153	8	140	165	219	399
No. 68. Minneapolis, Minn	1,032	553	665	57	1,348	328	6,293	1,488	5	17	75		153	27	86	144
No. 72. Helena, Mont	1,069	841	215	180	2,864	1,226	8,089	3			116	23	198	53	110	231
No. 79. Dawson Springs, Ky	698	127	112	77	1,153	78	9,246	3	56	20	266	1	302	356	396	305
No. 80. Fort Lyon, Colo	614	332	90	104	2,222	81	7,146	370	2	7	98	8	48		89	243
No. 85. Walla Walla, Wash	466	1,440	513	57	3,477	128	6,594	102	3	9	309		640	20	197	454
No. 89. Rutland, Mass	245	125	11	2	404	10	3,003		19		36	2	15	2	117	19
No. 93. Legion, Tex	838	2,984	1,018	115	4,468	968	5,584	4	2	12	388	12	850	1,355	158	950
No. 96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.[1]	229	197	31	11	1,359	58	5,648	4	6	18	46	1	128	2	14	96
No. 98. Castle Point, N. Y.[2]	1,106	227	33	27	1,091	40	5,079	1	2	5	39		53	2	125	628
Total	15,101	17,706	7,002	3,219	41,537	9,319	141,489	2,904	119	151	2,206	106	7,502	3,402	3,877	5,670
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC																
No. 24. Palo Alto, Calif	1,174	1,055	497	90	1,928	3,625	10,002	9	183	563	166	14	637	798	799	1,592
No. 37. Waukesha, Wis	692	463	232	131	1,419	376	301	47	10	30	92	4	397		274	983
No. 42. Perry Point, Md	808	2,273	691	102	1,857	91	479	15	75	155	89	12	487	117	193	91
No. 44. West Roxbury, Mass	297	379	168	6	2,103	11	130		50	141	23		474	6	1	16
No. 49. Philadelphia, Pa		392	48	89	424	2	66	2	10	333	56		23	4	68	206
No. 57. Knoxville, Iowa	3	5			273		42			15	1		6			
No. 62. Augusta, Ga	414	376	108	147	1,872	41	104		61	188	4	6	17	137	97	37
No. 74. Gulfport, Miss	1,098	440	199	178	1,698	995	308		51	67	26	1	35		48	980
No. 78. North Little Rock, Ark	605	541	148	326	755	627	190	4	94	265	138	5	140		14	237
No. 81. Bronx, N. Y	2,086	2,714	1,581	1,270	1,522	1,106	226	2	322	890	65	6	2,165	2	109	437
No. 86. Sheridan, Wyo	340	132	31	91	765	12	592		67	209	13	1	20		41	10
No. 94. American Lake, Wash	700	454	158	11	4,955	22	126	41	139	415	37		118	30	139	171
No. 95. Northampton, Mass		587	9	5	1,273	1	145			126	23		134		22	2
No. 97. Chillicothe, Ohio	1,068	147	23	69	1,220	831	459		86	295	50	1	555	3	84	138
No. 100. Camp Custer, Mich.[3]	515	77	19	9	626	14	19		97	278	36		47	1	26	71
No. 101. St. Cloud, Minn.[1]	498	118	40	5	886	34	63		2	9	18		243		92	5
Total	10,298	10,153	3,952	2,529	23,576	7,788	13,252	120	1,247	3,979	837	50	5,498	1,098	2,307	5,066
GENERAL																
No. 32. Washington, D. C	713	1,574	893	128	2,318	788	2,492		12	30	88	2	47	58	33	1,015
No. 48. Atlanta, Ga	730	259	272	398	2,238	1,023	3,065		24	76	26	4	2	25	32	49
No. 52. Boise, Idaho	519	663	265	14	1,445	557	1,824	19	1	10	26	2	375	26	169	2,138
No. 53. Dwight, Ill	732	893	327	51	1,372	1,157	2,083	2	1		58		56	35	222	22
No. 59. Tacoma, Wash	2,514	638	553	273	3,645	539	2,100	20	84	336	326	17	175	203	181	282
No. 63. Lake City, Fla	1,822	361	1,229	1,782	4,579	1,990	4,066		40	120	282	14	215	1,292	201	1,465
No. 65. St. Paul, Minn	2,199	1,021	435	311	7,265	2,517	6,820	5	190	524	83	2	410	33	59	905
No. 67. Kansas City, Mo	1,154	699	598	255	4,260	434	3,731	13	45	150	93	1	77	50	37	171
No. 69. Fort Thomas, Ky	822	366	116	221	2,268	424	1,890	4	21	57	71	7	26	69	10	348
Edward Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	4,100	2,829	1,618	720	14,052	2,927	11,991	25	436	1,228	496	14	799	329	327	1,277
No. 77. Portland, Oreg	433	1,972	684	134	2,738	2,744	666	300	59	100	88	17	601	48	39	275
No. 84. Algiers, La	2,262	1,361	575	902	4,634	3,214	7,364	28	74	182	429	21	70	124	27	509
No. 88. Memphis, Tenn	2,996	1,708	470	436	7,054	2,717	6,569		55	160	430	15	54	106	8	300
No. 90. Muskogee, Okla	2,647	669	1,947	293	7,414	1,337	12,122		255	567	200	23	339	21	119	1,203
No. 91. Tuskegee, Ala	1,403	198	34	21	5,822	2,143	9,864	19,730	114	402	43		5	25	87	144
No. 92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	2,278	5,267	4,308	2,518	9,312	2,310	7,644		99	267	232	4	467	1,096	106	557
No. 99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.[4]		86	60	4	1,522	18	77				11			2	13	327
Total	27,324	20,564	14,384	8,470	81,938	26,839	84,368	20,146	1,510	4,209	2,982	143	3,718	3,632	1,670	10,987
Hospital total	52,723	48,423	25,338	14,218	147,051	43,946	239,109	23,170	2,876	8,339	6,025	299	16,718	8,132	7,854	21,723

CLINICAL LABORATORY EXAMINATIONS IN UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITALS CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF EXAMINATIONS BY MONTHS, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1925

ALL HOSPITALS, BY MONTHS																
1924—July	3,848	3,645	1,848	1,001	10,822	3,589	18,664	2,003	149	448	264	5	1,159	557	641	1,375
August	4,033	3,562	1,784	1,001	11,567	3,281	18,669	1,973	184	504	362	14	1,075	650	203	2,139
September	4,057	3,687	1,903	1,027	11,237	4,154	17,709	1,925	229	612	425	7	1,469	635	509	1,961
October	4,914	4,338	2,176	1,216	12,216	4,243	21,966	2,157	199	531	473	119	1,015	522	722	1,059
November	4,078	3,634	1,950	1,006	11,024	3,685	20,397	1,732	163	464	414	11	2,052	674	627	1,485
December	4,484	3,798	1,877	1,013	10,476	3,497	20,618	1,642	203	629	463	15	1,320	753	608	1,737
1925—January	4,878	4,455	2,332	1,367	11,925	3,935	24,290	1,551	242	740	548	39	1,538	738	606	1,867
February	4,183	4,147	2,282	1,285	12,662	3,317	20,628	1,282	228	657	574	14	1,305	519	595	1,510
March	4,848	4,376	2,447	1,403	14,025	3,725	20,590	2,132	314	926	613	22	1,386	587	714	1,503
April	4,308	4,047	2,257	1,235	13,465	3,380	19,262	1,607	329	1,016	636	22	1,327	859	885	1,981
May	4,573	4,344	2,177	1,277	13,410	3,421	18,898	2,462	317	988	656	26	1,332	785	837	2,366
June	4,519	4,390	2,305	1,387	14,222	3,719	17,418	2,704	319	824	597	5	1,740	853	907	2,740
Total	52,723	48,423	25,338	14,218	147,051	43,946	239,109	23,170	2,876	8,339	6,025	299	16,718	8,132	7,854	21,723

[1] Nine months' work. [2] Ten months' work. [3] Seven months' work. [4] Five months' work.

TABLE No. 15.—*X-ray examinations for fiscal year 1925, classified by type of examination and dispensary*

Dispensaries	Number cases rayed	Total X-ray examinations	Chest	Cardio vascular stripe	Gastro-intestinal tract	Uro-genital tract	Dental	Sinuses	Bones and joints	Foreign bodies	Miscellaneous
CLASS A											
Boston, Mass	6,530	6,667	2,530	51	476	123	1,413	332	1,633	17	92
New York, N. Y	7,157	7,331	1,637	606	707	129	1,835	247	1,657	197	316
Philadelphia, Pa	4,507	5,950	1,942	598	288	70	0	160	2,698	8	186
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,540	1,574	754	10	99	21	182	123	377	8	0
Baltimore, Md	1,357	1,496	534	92	267	16	18	160	409	0	0
Washington, D. C	2,672	3,041	739	25	128	79	1,036	176	792	66	0
Atlanta, Ga	1,547	1,682	1,071	57	93	62	0	116	280	3	0
New Orleans, La	2,615	2,768	1,452	331	115	82	337	83	361	7	0
Cincinnati, Ohio	5,373	5,511	1,900	140	301	50	738	1,450	559	1	372
Chicago, Ill	5,854	9,575	3,296	324	103	62	3	166	5,484	16	121
Detroit, Mich	2,920	3,124	1,248	5	5	10	84	90	1,661	0	21
St. Louis, Mo	6,472	6,502	4,266	57	587	19	516	249	780	4	24
Minneapolis, Minn	5,352	7,035	1,756	870	1,367	76	1,379	161	1,320	77	29
Denver, Colo	5,241	5,282	2,544	315	333	52	1,048	442	405	36	107
Los Angeles, Calif	3,528	4,108	1,622	184	349	112	616	225	960	9	31
San Francisco, Calif	5,930	7,752	2,639	673	414	88	896	416	2,075	146	405
Seattle, Wash	3,352	3,015	855	152	316	48	627	223	758	0	36
Dallas, Tex	2,948	2,895	1,373	22	116	46	219	186	919	14	0
Total	74,895	85,308	32,158	4,512	6,064	1,145	10,947	5,005	23,128	609	1,740
CLASS B											
Albany, N. Y	1,430	1,447	729	109	130	23	80	15	336	2	23
Buffalo, N. Y	616	618	156	75	103	7	61	30	186	0	0
Newark, N. J	1,038	1,038	545	48	0	5	133	46	260	0	1
Cleveland, Ohio	3,285	3,285	1,399	65	280	40	638	320	471	32	40
Columbus, Ohio	1,708	2,071	619	53	149	15	881	47	178	1	128
Indianapolis, Ind	2,853	3,059	1,549	84	172	23	207	405	545	21	53
Louisville, Ky	1,981	1,971	1,234	44	91	27	184	109	261	8	13
Milwaukee, Wis	1,712	1,783	956	118	20	13	237	26	403	10	0
Des Moines, Iowa	3,127	6,444	1,639	409	384	31	2,875	123	961	2	20
Kansas City, Mo	3,075	3,544	2,100	273	192	84	193	82	548	72	0
Omaha, Nebr	1,559	1,749	794	0	141	30	146	112	497	20	9
Salt Lake City, Utah	987	988	326	1	61	10	278	33	147	0	132
Little Rock, Ark	1,629	1,750	934	27	137	36	173	57	364	7	15
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,244	1,299	689	9	0	30	92	20	370	61	28
Total	26,244	31,046	13,669	1,315	1,860	374	6,178	1,425	5,527	236	462
CLASS C											
Saranac Lake, N. Y	1,238	1,321	808	0	107	2	256	8	55	0	85
Syracuse, N. Y	1,133	1,133	738	45	39	4	20	4	272	5	8
Jackson, Miss.[1]	189	192	153	0	1	1	0	7	25	0	5
Lexington, Ky	1,194	1,194	655	14	121	12	62	182	148	0	0
Grand Rapids, Mich	809	811	433	42	0	2	202	1	131	0	0
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	1,786	1,536	955	12	134	14	62	88	227	6	38
Fargo, N. Dak	605	617	218	95	79	19	0	24	166	0	16
Albuquerque, N. Mex	1,222	1,169	909	8	21	3	139	2	87	0	0
Colorado Springs, Colo	281	295	193	8	1	1	2	47	42	1	0
Casper, Wyo	194	225	119	1	14	3	33	9	43	0	3
Portland, Oreg	1,687	1,728	792	175	21	14	132	93	417	51	33
San Antonio, Tex	1,239	1,780	619	38	34	60	136	122	711	42	18
Total	11,577	12,001	6,592	438	572	135	1,044	587	2,324	105	204
Dispensary total	112,716	128,355	52,419	6,265	8,496	1,654	18,169	7,017	30,979	950	2,406

[1] Figures for six months used.

X-RAY EXAMINATIONS FOR DISPENSARIES, CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF EXAMINATION, BY MONTHS (CLASSES A, B, AND C)

1924—July	8,559	9,681	4,075	526	577	225	1,131	509	2,403	92	143
August	8,697	9,826	4,114	464	595	141	1,198	407	2,648	48	211
September	8,809	9,907	4,096	425	619	105	1,056	534	2,659	110	303
October	9,865	11,155	4,472	492	757	148	1,675	569	2,602	86	354
November	9,241	10,063	4,484	521	625	125	1,290	542	2,185	111	180
December	12,988	14,587	7,085	550	899	150	2,005	732	2,901	62	203
1925—January	11,094	12,705	5,064	540	904	159	1,928	879	2,833	72	326
February	9,124	10,450	3,944	542	784	124	1,555	555	2,684	79	183
March	9,407	10,694	3,847	608	775	127	1,750	655	2,737	58	137
April	8,679	10,264	3,846	507	664	135	1,613	573	2,715	94	117
May	8,110	9,529	3,647	537	653	114	1,545	530	2,290	68	145
June	8,143	9,494	3,745	553	644	101	1,423	532	2,322	70	104
Total	112,716	128,355	52,419	6,265	8,496	1,654	18,169	7,017	30,979	950	2,406

TABLE No. 16.—*X-ray examinations for fiscal year 1925, classified by type of examination and hospital*

United States Veterans' hospitals	Number cases rayed	Total X-ray examinations	Chest	Cardio vascular stripe	Gastro-intestinal tract	Uro-genital tract	Dental	Sinuses	Bones and joints	Foreign bodies	Miscel-laneous
TUBERCULOSIS											
No. 27. Alexandria, La	3,137	3,140	1,619	23	142	53	994	78	218	13	0
No. 41. New Haven, Conn	2,700	2,713	1,460	17	55	9	805	20	331	1	15
No. 50. Whipple Barracks, Ariz	3,134	3,109	1,955	9	107	24	449	223	180	1	161
No. 51. Tucson, Ariz	1,799	1,788	1,393	2	54	11	169	33	116	1	9
No. 55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	2,613	2,156	1,688	14	135	14	43	45	207	5	5
No. 60. Oteen, N. C	5,804	5,810	4,586	96	130	66	351	52	441	1	87
No. 64. Camp Kearney, Calif	2,586	2,589	1,539	12	123	16	741	47	109	0	2
No. 68. Minneapolis, Minn	1,683	1,749	1,082	2	89	26	380	15	149	3	3
No. 72. Helena, Mont	2,898	2,841	915	105	226	31	855	98	606	4	1
No. 79. Dawson Springs, Ky	2,068	2,102	963	20	43	13	719	239	105	0	0
No. 80. Fort Lyon, Colo	1,751	1,769	1,314	27	62	34	70	7	164	2	89
No. 85. Walla Walla, Wash	1,387	1,367	815	36	42	13	276	28	151	0	6
No. 89. Rutland, Mass	924	1,029	556	5	31	6	342	23	60	3	3
No. 93. Legion, Tex	2,309	2,935	1,806	348	49	45	292	38	300	9	48
No. 96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	1,553	1,530	1,100	5	31	3	202	67	101	2	19
No. 98. Castle Point, N. Y.[1]	1,590	1,678	1,234	38	54	8	155	78	91	5	15
Total	37,936	38,305	24,025	759	1,373	372	6,843	1,091	3,329	50	463
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC											
No. 24. Palo Alto, Calif	1,200	1,185	633	38	47	2	227	40	184	6	8
No. 37. Waukesha, Wis	2,762	2,764	865	764	155	26	555	95	255	8	41
No. 42. Perry Point, Md	1,515	1,514	295	99	169	26	308	123	455	8	31
No. 44. West Roxbury, Mass	511	681	220	8	9	5	234	40	158	3	4
No. 57. Knoxville, Iowa	110	204	30	0	17	0	48	37	72	0	0
No. 62. Augusta, Ga	365	393	200	13	6	6	40	20	103	4	1
No. 74. Gulfport, Miss	1,294	1,367	353	214	105	10	409	110	151	4	11
No. 78. North Little Rock, Ark	471	471	160	13	23	12	54	39	132	4	34
No. 81. Bronx, N. Y	2,257	3,524	1,216	13	135	20	1,200	448	455	33	4
No. 86. Sheridan, Wyo	594	607	174	4	5	4	87	32	270	8	23
No. 94. American Lake, Wash.[1]	201	213	42	7	21	1	49	12	71	6	4
No. 95. Northampton, Mass	790	790	221	7	8	5	214	59	273	3	0
No. 97. Chillicothe, Ohio	982	1,159	417	57	57	10	342	25	241	6	4
No. 101. St. Cloud, Minn.[2]	476	775	84	8	15	0	585	4	77	2	0
Total	13,528	15,647	4,910	1,245	772	127	4,352	1,084	2,897	95	165
GENERAL											
No. 32. Washington, D. C	1,706	2,304	487	76	134	182	567	174	654	30	0
No. 48. Atlanta, Ga	889	1,004	355	134	136	52	39	46	227	9	6
No. 52. Boise, Idaho	1,009	1,061	350	71	153	28	43	44	350	1	21
No. 53. Dwight, Ill	1,041	1,230	508	15	171	26	314	46	146	4	0
No. 59. Tacoma, Wash	1,967	1,966	311	88	200	37	727	65	472	20	46
No. 63. Lake City, Fla	1,878	1,986	839	116	155	70	106	62	616	4	18
No. 65. St. Paul, Minn	3,817	4,037	1,147	253	414	82	1,493	99	528	8	13
No. 67. Kansas City, Mo	1,429	1,437	573	12	146	61	160	85	373	0	27
No. 69. Fort Thomas, Ky	1,322	1,623	460	136	163	45	259	363	174	12	11
Edward Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	7,417	7,417	2,077	208	488	120	2,014	247	2,195	0	68
No. 77. Portland, Oreg	1,817	1,884	432	177	194	58	211	65	436	39	272
No. 84. Algiers, La	3,600	5,644	1,396	1,135	556	227	518	360	1,417	6	29
No. 88. Memphis, Tenn	2,568	2,620	1,102	95	195	111	248	222	605	12	30
No. 90. Muskogee, Okla	4,278	3,631	1,779	51	566	367	277	80	153	26	332
No 91. Tuskegee, Ala	1,978	2,238	1,754	22	23	4	202	31	136	15	51
No. 92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	3,937	3,568	999	184	556	186	814	87	719	22	1
No. 99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.[2]	133	163	33	0	0	6	30	8	84	0	2
Total	40,840	43,813	14,602	2,773	4,250	1,662	8,022	2,084	9,285	208	927
Hospital total	92,304	97,765	43,537	4,777	6,395	2,161	19,217	4,259	15,511	353	1,555

X-RAY EXAMINATIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 1925, CLASSIFIED BY TYPE OF EXAMINATION, BY MONTHS

July, 1924	6,861	7,190	3,152	295	459	119	1,618	311	1,099	22	115
August	6,737	7,048	3,321	288	409	108	1,436	284	1,021	26	155
September	7,464	7,931	3,545	406	553	134	1,695	284	1,154	20	140
October	7,925	8,483	3,613	442	614	187	1,747	346	1,394	39	101
November	7,352	7,935	3,480	533	418	173	1,545	382	1,277	20	107
December	7,374	7,863	3,605	400	480	256	1,403	457	1,158	20	84
January, 1925	8,950	9,731	4,419	594	693	237	1,755	382	1,499	24	128
February	7,812	8,106	3,735	324	553	179	1,618	322	1,218	38	119
March	8,650	8,965	4,082	386	608	188	1,738	394	1,376	36	157
April	8,064	8,500	3,662	303	528	167	1,842	362	1,456	38	142
May	7,587	7,946	3,472	378	484	185	1,446	353	1,404	48	176
June	7,528	8,067	3,451	428	596	228	1,374	382	1,455	22	131
Total	92,304	97,765	43,537	4,777	6,395	2,161	19,217	4,259	15,511	353	1,555

[1] Eight months' work.

[2] Seven months' work.

TABLE No. 17.—*Physiotherapy activities in hospitals and dispensaries July, 1924, to June, 1925*

Different services	Massage	Electro-therapy	Hydro-therapy	Actinic ray	Thermo-therapy	Exercise	Total	Number of different patients treated
United States veterans' hospitals:								
Tuberculosis	63,377	52,863	13,052	174,762	62,604	37,563	404,221	16,660
Neuropsychiatric	75,081	81,828	316,655	85,115	169,216	352,948	1,080,843	44,390
General	96,232	62,829	88,375	102,319	161,660	72,077	583,492	18,074
U. S. Army hospitals	48,077	14,088	59,977	5,933	38,608	26,749	193,332	6,490
U. S. Navy hospitals	10,782	10,888	11,359	5,998	9,821	6,724	55,572	3,049
National soldiers' homes	11,892	10,293	6,755	37,002	16,594	48,958	131,494	8,051
District dispensaries:								
Class A	45,698	56,501	49,534	55,409	75,108	30,944	313,194	19,695
Class B	13,634	28,069	7,342	17,922	19,693	6,822	93,482	7,614
Class C	3,320	2,591	962	5,307	5,894	2,216	20,290	800
Total	368,093	319,950	554,011	489,767	559,098	585,001	2,875,920	124,823
Average monthly	30,674.4	26,662.5	46,167.6	40,813.9	46,591.5	48,750.1	239,660.0	10,401.9

TABLE No. 18.—*Regional nursing activities by months for the fiscal year ending June, 1925*

Months	Number of nurses on duty	Number of beneficiaries newly assigned during month				Number of beneficiaries released from supervision during month				Total number of beneficiaries remaining under supervision at end of month				Number of home visits	Number of dispensary treatments	Number of miscellaneous interviews	Number of reports made
		Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	Medical and surgical	Total	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	Medical and surgical	Total	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	Medical and surgical	Total				
1924—July	311	3,858	1,851	9,231	14,940	2,590	1,299	8,274	12,163	26,648	15,510	31,259	73,417	11,852	28,275	19,238	11,738
August	308	2,305	1,728	7,503	11,536	3,165	1,678	7,502	12,345	26,683	15,538	30,233	72,454	10,528	25,114	18,060	9,993
September	304	6,228	2,348	9,452	18,028	4,086	1,937	7,507	13,530	26,574	16,288	31,491	74,353	12,058	26,951	17,896	10,988
October	299	5,103	5,239	6,772	17,114	3,709	1,664	6,597	11,970	26,525	18,854	30,827	76,206	12,921	27,230	17,974	13,270
November	294	3,242	2,065	6,601	11,908	3,191	1,704	6,645	11,540	27,165	19,254	29,295	75,714	13,569	27,891	18,974	13,269
December	292	2,046	1,065	5,801	8,912	5,076	4,508	8,633	18,217	24,669	13,220	27,682	65,571	10,925	26,527	17,604	12,088
1925—January	284	2,476	1,214	5,894	9,584	2,573	1,597	6,691	10,861	24,337	12,855	26,240	63,432	12,125	27,503	19,233	13,740
February	284	1,897	1,166	7,073	10,136	4,044	1,722	7,398	13,164	22,245	12,215	26,068	60,528	11,760	26,927	19,349	14,072
March	279	2,271	1,344	7,773	11,388	41,37	2,028	10,426	16,591	19,899	11,092	22,266	53,257	11,985	26,224	16,995	13,216
April	271	2,215	826	6,881	9,922	3,800	2,261	11,807	17,868	18,331	10,261	18,138	46,730	11,524	25,766	16,293	12,395
May	255	2,952	1,483	4,882	9,317	3,423	1,843	8,751	14,017	18,086	9,315	13,470	40,871	11,195	26,906	14,987	12,048
June	245	4,405	1,349	4,594	10,348	4,651	2,431	6,523	13,605	17,271	8,377	11,852	37,500	9,953	23,890	12,678	11,183
Total		38,998	21,678	82,457	143,133	44,445	24,672	96,754	165,871					140,395	319,204	209,271	148,000

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TABLE No. 19.—*Number of patients given occupational therapy treatments in hospitals and total number of hours' treatment each month, for fiscal year 1925*

Different services	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	Total	Average
U. S. Veterans' Bureau hospitals:														
Number different men treated	8,630	7,801	9,102	8,990	8,808	9,427	10,349	9,946	11,012	10.087	9,864	9,518		9,461
Total number hours	231,261	233,232	233,624	253,075	219,008	253,444	276,024	294,392	333,201	293,729	309,830	296,503	3,227,323	268,944
U. S. Army hospitals:														
Number different men treated	753	456	826	917	878	866	944	912	896	884	813	787		828
Total number hours	26,805	20,697	21,255	28,497	2[illegible],199	29,300	33,150	29,256	19,760	27,326	10,689	25,348	299,282	24,940
U. S. Navy hospitals:														
Number different men treated	473	595	587	710	747	762	812	905	667	726	556	769		692
Total number hours	9,998	9,412	12,121	10,923	10,524	15,052	15,250	14,516	14,930	14,061	16,026	11,934	154,747	12,895
National soldiers' homes:														
Number different men treated	1,215	1,257	1,309	1,368	1,390	1,303	1,401	1,209	1,329	1,187	1,141	1,197		1,276
Total number hours	26,758	27,374	26,521	34,872	30,045	30,164	31,887	30,115	32,474	31,963	48,780	30,267	381,220	31,768
St. Elizabeths Hospital:														
Number different men treated	498	484	491	495	497	496	516	525	527	526	529	527		509
Total number hours	18,002	18,264	18,837	21,831	19,363	19,553	21,533	18,228	19,655	20,467	21,018	17,319	234,070	19,506
Contract hospitals:														
Number different men treated	1,830	1,820	1,567	1,388	1,227	1,256	1,194	1,309	1,612	1,094	1,412	1,408		1,426
Total number hours	116,786	105,521	103,852	104,008	87,331	86,195	93,466	93,941	121,200	91,538	110,098	107,677	1,221,613	101,801
All services:														
Number different men treated	13,399	12,413	13,882	13,868	13,547	14,110	15,216	14,806	16,043	14,504	14,315	14,206		15,806
Total number hours	429,610	414,500	416,210	453,206	393,470	433,708	471,310	480,448	541,220	479,084	516,441	489,048	5,518,255	368,271

TABLE No. 20.—*Distribution of patients receiving occupational therapy and classification of hours given in each subject, fiscal year 1925*

Type of hospital	Textile	Reed and cane	Wood-working	Leather and book-binding	Cement and plastic	Drawing and painting	Academic	Commercial	Agriculture	Metal work	Music	Photography	Other occupational therapy subjects	Tot 1
Tuberculosis:														
Average patients per month	845	276	208	996	25	139	490	349	71	44	38	4	78	3,302
Total hours per year	194,405	57,016	59,014	193,209	4,163	25,347	102,352	72,849	17,006	12,440	6,432	879	14,298	759,412
Neuropsychiatric:														
Average patients per month	907	809	501	253	26	143	201	217	512	32	15	0	650	4,229
Total hours per year	315,782	254,131	235,886	86,423	21,201	58,382	49,159	52,901	344,613	13,342	5,677	0	386,774	1,824,275
General:														
Average patients per month	528	304	193	311	23	73	225	243	86	79	.2	.2	112	1,951
Total hours per year	192,484	100,862	54,748	105,393	6,578	16,045	53,109	45,215	18,738	24,098	29	44	26,295	643,640
Contract:														
Average patients per month	316	241	145	88	24	69	154	130	85	39	1	.3	197	1,414
Total hours per year	271,529	200,756	159,238	51,360	34,485	49,980	65,819	67,596	91,409	32,779	216	89	195,357	1,221,616

TABLE No. 21.—*United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals showing facilities and ownership of properties as of June 30, 1925*

No. and location	Class	Capacity	Additional facilities under construction	Average beds occupied during June, 1925	Ownership of properties: Land	Ownership of properties: Buildings: Permanent	Ownership of properties: Buildings: Temporary	Remarks
24. Palo Alto, Calif	Neuropsychiatric	677		597	Government	Government	Government	
27. Alexandria, La	Tuberculosis	400		286	Free grant		do	Temporary frame cantonment type of construction.
32. Washington, D. C	General	209		167	Government	Government		
37. Waukesha, Wis	Neuropsychiatric	319		270	do	do		Nurses' quarters and storage space leased.
41. New Haven, Conn	Tuberculosis	470		419	Leased	Leased	Government	
42. Perry Point, Md	Neuropsychiatric	940		586	Government	Government		
44. West Roxbury, Mass	do	270		260	Leased	Leased		
48. Atlanta, Ga	General	135		111	Government	Government		
49. Philadelphia, Pa	Neuropsychiatric	240		262	do	do	Government	Loaned by Navy Department; quarters for nurses and other female personnel leased.
50. Whipple, Ariz	Tuberculosis	600		453	do	do	do	Loaned by War Department.
51. Tucson, Ariz	do	290		185	Leased	do	do	
52. Boise, Idaho	General	252		95	Government	do	do	Do.
53. Dwight, Ill	do	225		92	do	do		
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	Tuberculosis	550		384	do	do	Government	
57. Knoxville, Iowa	Neuropsychiatric	460		452	do	do		
59. Tacoma, Wash	General	296		141	Leased	Leased		
60. Oteen, N. C	Tuberculosis	1,196		954	Government	Government	Government	
62. Augusta, Ga	Neuropsychiatric	472		408	do	do	do	Expected ultimate capacity, 555 beds.
63. Lake City, Fla	General	325		182	do	do	do	
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	Tuberculosis	550		347	Leased		do	Temporary frame cantonment type of construction.
65. St. Paul, Minn.[1]	General	361		269	do	Leased		
67. Kansas City, Mo.[1]	do	125		93	do	do		
68. Minneapolis, Minn	Tuberculosis	308		221	do	do		
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.[1]	General	147		94	do	do		
72. Helena, Mont	Tuberculosis	310		201	Government	Government	Government	Loaned by War Department.
74. Gulfport, Miss	Neuropsychiatric	425		355	do	do	do	
Edw. Hines, jr., Hospital, Maywood, Ill.	General	950		754	do	do		
77. Portland, Oreg.[1]	do	145		94	Leased	Leased		
78. North Little Rock, Ark.	Neuropsychiatric	539		539	Government	Government		Beds occupied reported as capacity; old buildings remodeled one at a time and available beds will fluctuate until work is completed; expected ultimate capacity, 635 beds.
79. Dawsonsprings, Ky	Tuberculosis	374		297	do	do		
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	do	500		336	do	do		Loaned by Navy Department.

[1] Owner repairs these hospitals and is reimbursed by United States Veterans' Bureau; repairs on all other hospitals made by United States Veterans' Bureau.

TABLE No. 21.—*United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals showing facilities and ownership of properties as of June 30, 1925*—Continued

No. and location	Class	Capacity	Additional facilities under construction	Average beds occupied during June, 1925	Ownership of properties			Remarks
					Land	Buildings		
						Permanent	Temporary	
81. Bronx, N. Y.	Neuropsychiatric	788		738	Government	Government		
84. Algiers, La.	General	354		288	do		Government	Loaned by Navy Department.
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	Tuberculosis	250		173	do	Government		
86. Sheridan, Wyo.	Neuropsychiatric	431		323	do	do		Capacity for some time past, 315 beds; increase due to making serviceable certain heretofore unused facilities; expected ultimate capacity, 515 beds.
88. Memphis, Tenn.	General	325		221	do	do		
89. Rutland, Mass.	Tuberculosis	206	209	171	do	do		Constructive additional facilities in progress; estimated date of completion, July 30, 1925; now 92.10 per cent completed.
90. Muskogee, Okla.	General	375		300	do	do		
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	do	600		548	do	do		For colored only.
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo. (St. Louis).	do	383		247	do	do		
93. Legion, Tex.	Tuberculosis	480		369	Leased	Leased		
94. American Lake, Wash.	Neuropsychiatric	360		294	Government	Government		
95. Northampton, Mass.	do	431		418	do	do		
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	Tuberculosis	415		374	do	do		
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	Neuropsychiatric	502		484	do	do		
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	Tuberculosis	400		339	do	do		
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.	General	125		59	do	do		
100. Camp Custer, Mich.	Neuropsychiatric	532		409	do	do		Quarters for female personnel leased.
101. St. Cloud, Minn.	do	327		325	do	do		
102. Livermore, Calif.	Tuberculosis	302		224	do	do		
103. Aspinwall, Pa.	do		218		do			Construction in progress; estimated date of completion, July 30, 1925, second Langley Act; new construction 93.69 per cent completed.
104. San Fernando, Calif.	do		235		do			Construction in progress; estimated date of completion, Jan. 4, 1926; new construction 54 per cent completed.
105. Great Lakes, Ill.	Neuropsychiatric		325		do			Construction in progress; estimated date of completion, Jan. 16, 1926; new construction 30 per cent completed.
Total		20,646	987	16,208				

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TABLE No. 22.—*Hospital facilities by coordination areas for United States Veterans' Bureau patients as of June 30, 1925*

[For administrative purposes]

Coordination	Regional office	Branch of service	Designation and location of hospital	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Total	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Contract	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Government	Tuberculosis: Government beds available: Unoccupied	Tuberculosis: Government beds available: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Contract	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Unoccupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Unoccupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Contract	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Government	General and surgical: Government beds available: Unoccupied	General and surgical: Government beds available: Total	Beds occup[ied]: Total	Beds occup[ied]: Contract
A	1. Boston, Mass.		Civil and State		24					35								3					62
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass.								258	212	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]							
		do	No. 89, Rutland, Mass.			148	52	200			411	404	7	16		[illegible]							
		do	No. 95, Northampton, Mass.			7		7			25		[illegible]			[illegible]			189	129	318		
		Navy	Chelsea, Mass.		25					11								1					37
	2. Portland, Me.		Civil and State																6	21	27		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 19, Portland, Me.			6		6			1		[illegible]			[illegible]			7		7		
		Soldiers' Home	Togus, Me.		1																		1
	3. Manchester, N. H.		Civil and State																[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
		Navy	Portsmouth, N. H.		8					15								[illegible]					[illegible]
	4. Providence, R. I.		Civil and State																[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]		
		Navy	Newport, R. I.			14		14															[illegible]
	5. Burlington, Vt.		Civil and State		3					10								[illegible]					
	8. Hartford, Conn.		do		4					52													[illegible]
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 41, New Haven, Conn.			405	55	460															
			Total	[illegible]	73	580	107	687	818	153	698	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,744	[illegible]
B	6. New York, N. Y.		Civil and State		[1] 616					606								[illegible]					1,208
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 81, Bronx, N. Y.								726	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]							
		do	No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y.			362	51	413															
		do	No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y.			347	50	397											1	[illegible]	51		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y.				3	3			1		1			1			[illegible]	[illegible]	438		
		Navy	Brooklyn, N. Y.			11		11										4					282
	7. Buffalo, N. Y.		Civil and State		[illegible]					225									[illegible]	12	36		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y.		3					175								[illegible]					205
	9. Newark, N. J.		Civil and State		[illegible]					84								12					201
	10. Philadelphia, Pa.		do																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa.								246	246				[illegible]			116	[illegible]	237		
		Navy	League Island, Pa.			10		10			3		3										48
	11. Pittsburgh, Pa.		Civil and State		[illegible]					15								[illegible]	64	6	50		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa.			2		2										1					1
	12. Washington, D. C.		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 32, Washington, D. C.			37	19	56			40		40			[illegible]			[illegible]	18	106		
		Army	Walter Reed, D. C.			68		68			59	13	46			[illegible]			[illegible]	46	373		
		Navy	Washington, D. C.			41	29	70			8		8						46	71	117		
		Interior Department	St. Elizabeths, D. C.								933	933				[illegible]		[illegible]					9
	13. Baltimore, Md.		Civil and State		[illegible]					4													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 42, Perry Point, Md.								638	594	44	200		[illegible]		1					176
	14. Richmond, Va.		Civil and State		[illegible]					165													
		Navy	Norfolk, Va.			11	19	30			2		2			[illegible]			[illegible]	13	68		
		Soldiers' Home	Hampton, Va.								1		1			[illegible]		1	[illegible]		3		51
	15. Charleston, W. Va.		Civil and State		[illegible]					47													
			Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	171	[illegible]	3,977	1,321	2,656	2,342	314	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	625	1,479	6,881	2,182
C	16. Atlanta, Ga.		Civil and State															1					1
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 48, Atlanta, Ga.			[illegible]	1	[illegible]			404	381	20	71		[illegible]			97	16	113		
		do	No. 62, Augusta, Ga.			6		6			2		2						23	38	61		15
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 23, Savannah, Ga.							13													
	17. Jacksonville, Fla.		Civil and State								9		9						150	156	306		
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 63, Lake City, Fla.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]											[illegible]	16	16		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 10, Key West, Fla.			[illegible]		[illegible]											3	46	49		
		Navy	Pensacola, Fla.			[illegible]		[illegible]															13
	18. Charlotte, N. C.		Civil and State		1					13													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 60, Oteen, N. C.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]															[illegible]
	19. Columbia, S. C.		Civil and State							[illegible]								1					[illegible]
	20. Nashville, Tenn.		do																167	87	244		
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 88, Memphis, Tenn.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]										
		Soldiers' Home	Johnson City, Tenn.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]															
	21. New Orleans, La.		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 27, Alexandria, La.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]			220	60	280		
		do	No. 74, Gulfport, Miss.			[illegible]		[illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]		[illegible]			[illegible]		[illegible]		
		do	No. 8, Algiers, La.																				
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 14, New Orleans, La.																[illegible]		[illegible]		
	22. Birmingham, Ala.		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]							[illegible]
	23. Jackson, Miss.		Civil and State							[illegible]													
	49. Dallas, Tex.		do															1					
	50. Little Rock, Ark.		do																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark.								[illegible]	[illegible]	15						[illegible]	7	180		
		Army	Army-Navy, general, Arkansas																				
	51. Oklahoma City, Okla.		Civil and State		[illegible]					[illegible]													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 90, Muskogee, Okla.			[illegible]	9	[illegible]			[illegible]	8	31						218	89	307		
	52. San Antonio, Tex.		Civil and State		[illegible]					1													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 93, Legion, Tex.			[illegible]	144	[illegible]			12	[illegible]	10						32	40	72		
		Army	Beaumont, general, Texas			69	21	[illegible]			[illegible]		10						91	10	101		
		do	Fort Sam Houston, Tex.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]															
			Total	2,643	27	2,616	789	[illegible]	1,763	[illegible]	1,715	1,208	507	79	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,261	7	1,254	674	1,808	5,679	11
D	24. Cincinnati, Ohio		Civil and State		6					[illegible]								[illegible]					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky.			[illegible]	11	20			6		[illegible]						70	38	108		
		do	No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			418	411	[illegible]	4		[illegible]			12	13	25		
		Soldiers' Home	Dayton, Ohio			147	141	[illegible]											117	277	394		
	25. Cleveland, Ohio		Civil and State								1		1						21	16	37		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio			[illegible]	4	9															
	26. Indianapolis, Ind.		Civil and State		6														12	8	20		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 8, Evansville, Ind.			3	10	13															
		Soldiers' Home	Marion, Ind.								[illegible]	618	[illegible]	36	[illegible]	[illegible]							
	27. Louisville, Ky.		Civil and State							6													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky.			292	80	372											21	10	31		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 11, Louisville, Ky.			6		6															
	28. Chicago, Ill.		Civil and State		18					898													6[illegible]
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 53, Dwight, Ill.			9		9											91	124	215		
		do	Edward Hines, jr.			172	55	227			184	118	66	26	14	[illegible]			344	141	485		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 5, Chicago, Ill.																2	10	12		
		Navy	Great Lakes, Ill.			6		6			248		248		71	[illegible]			26	293	319		
		Soldiers' Home	Danville, Ill.																7		7		1
	29. Detroit, Mich.		Civil and State		191					5													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich.								409	409		120		[illegible]							
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 7, Detroit, Mich.			3		3											12	20	32		
	30. Milwaukee, Wis.		Civil and State		2					234													2
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 37, Waukesha, Wis.								243		243		[illegible]	[illegible]							
		Soldiers' Home	Milwaukee, Wis.			251	232	483											[illegible]	[illegible]	158		
	31. St. Louis, Mo.		Civil and State							6													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.			24	8	32			43	9	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	47			[illegible]	147	301		
	32. Kansas City, Mo.		Civil and State							4													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 67, Kansas City, Mo.			25	14	39			8		[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]	21	65		
		do	No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo.								4		4			4			[illegible]	53	121		
		Soldiers' Home	Leavenworth, Kans.			54		54											10		10		
	33. Des Moines, Iowa		Civil and State		16					1								7					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa								460	460				[illegible]							
	34. Omaha, Nebr.		Civil and State																				
	35. Minneapolis, Minn.		do		115					2								8					1
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 65, St. Paul, Minn.			20	50	70			51	5	[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]	55	223		
		do	No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn.			216	78	294															
		do	No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn.								326	326				[illegible]							
	37. Fargo, N. Dak.		Civil and State		13													1					
	38. Sioux Falls, S. Dak.		do							1													
		Soldiers' Home	Hot Springs, S. Dak.			26	11	37											[illegible]	88	111		
	[illegible]. Wichita, Kans.		Civil and State															1					
			Total	1,657	367	1,290	699	1,989	4,021	865	3,156	2,356	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,295	32	1,263	1,409	2,672	6,973	1,[illegible]
E	36. Helena, Mont.		Civil and State							8								2					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 72, Helena, Mont.			91	113	204			13	6	[illegible]			[illegible]			78		78		
	39. Denver, Colo.		Civil and State							1													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo.			329	155	484											7	14	21		
		Army	Fitzsimons, general, Colorado			586	279	865						[illegible]	[illegible]	18			192	101	293		
	40. Albuquerque, N. Mex.		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex.			368	174	542											3		3		
	41. Salt Lake City, Utah		Civil and State															3					
	42. Casper, Wyo.		do															1					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo.								329	329		100		429			2		2		
	43. San Francisco, Calif.		Civil and State							1								8					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif.								578	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	670							
		do	No. 102, Livermore, Calif.			217	80	297											4	53	57		
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 19, San Francisco, Calif.				3	3											280	97	377		
		Army	Letterman, general, California			7		7			16		[illegible]			16			13	59	72		
		Navy	Mare Island, Calif.			3		3															
	44. Los Angeles, Calif.		Civil and State		12					143													
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif.			292	218	510											31	18	49		
		Navy	San Diego, Calif.			2		2			1		1			1			[illegible]	16	72		
		Soldiers' Home	Los Angeles, Calif.			120	25	145											88	3	91		
	45. Phoenix, Ariz.		Civil and State		4													5					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 50, Whipple, Ariz.			423	158	581			3		3			3			4		4		
		do	No. 51, Tucson, Ariz.			210	80	290															
	46. Seattle, Wash.		Civil and State							56								1					
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 59, Tacoma, Wash.			3		3			17	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	21	[illegible]			112	113	225		
		do	No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash.			169	77	246															
		do	No. 94, American Lake, Wash.			7		7			288	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	362							
		Navy	Puget Sound, Wash.																5	20	25		
	47. Boise, Idaho		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 52, Boise, Idaho			25	50	75			24		[illegible]		8	32			39	103	142		
	48. Portland, Oreg.		Civil and State																				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 77, Portland, Oreg.			2	8	10						[illegible]	8	10			91	32	123		
	Reno, Nev.		Civil and State																				
			Total	2,870	16	2,854	1,420	4,274	1,474	209	1,265	1,130	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,618	1,025	20	1,005	629	1,634	5,360	
	Possessions		Balboa Heights, Canal Zone		2													2					
			Hawaiian Territory		14					8								7					
			Philippine Islands		131					29								15					
			Porto Rico		18					17								42					
			Total	165	165				54	54							[illegible]	[illegible]				285	
			Grand total all hospitals	9,660	1,431	8,229	3,190	11,419	12,159	3,669	8,487	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	10,828	4,832	211	4,621	3,460	8,081	26,621	4[illegible]

[1] Includes 267 patients at hospitalization center, Saranac Lake, N. Y.

TABLE No. 22.—*Hospital facilities by coordination areas for United States Veterans' Bureau patients as of June 30, 1925*

[For administrative purposes]

Branch of service	Designation and location of hospital	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Total	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Contract	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied: Government	Tuberculosis: Government beds available: Unoccupied	Tuberculosis: Government beds available: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Contract	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Government: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Unoccupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Unoccupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Government beds available: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Contract	General and surgical: Beds occupied: Government	General and surgical: Government beds available: Unoccupied	General and surgical: Government beds available: Total	Total: Beds occupied: Total	Total: Beds occupied: Contract	Total: Beds occupied: Government	Total: Government beds available: Unoccupied	Total: Government beds available: Total
	Civil and State		24					35								3					62			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass								258	212	46	4	3	265								258	7	265
do	No. 39, Rutland, Mass			148	52	200																148	52	200
do	No. 95, Northampton, Mass								411	404	7	16		427								411	16	427
Navy	Chelsea, Mass			7		7			23		23			25			189	129	318			221	129	350
	Civil and State		25					11								1					37			
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 18, Portland, Me								1		1			1			5	21	26			6	21	27
Soldiers' Home	Togus, Me			6		6											8		8			14		14
	Civil and State		1																		1			
Navy	Portsmouth, N. H																7	43	50			7	43	50
	Civil and State		8					18								3					29			
Navy	Newport, R. I			14		14											56	30	86			70	30	100
	Civil and State		2					10													12			
	do		15					52								1					66			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 41, New Haven, Conn			405	55	460																405	55	460
	Total	653	73	580	107	687	818	123	695	616	79	21	3	719	273	8	265	225	490	1,744	204	1,540	353	1,893
	Civil and State		615					606								18					1,239			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 81, Bronx, N. Y								728	629	99	36	20	784								728	56	784
do	No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y			362	51	413																362	51	413
do	No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y			347	50	397																347	50	397
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y				3	3											1	50	51			1	53	54
Navy	Brooklyn, N. Y			11		11			1		1			1			150	288	438			162	288	450
	Civil and State		3					225								4					232			
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y																24	12	36			24	12	36
	Civil and State		3					175								28					206			
	do		105					84								12					201			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa								246	240				246								246		246
Navy	League Island, Pa			10		10			3		3			3			116	121	237			129	121	250
	Civil and State		21					15								12					48			
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa			2		2											44	6	50			46	6	52
	Civil and State															1					1			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 32, Washington, D. C			39	19	58			40		40		6	46			86	18	104			165	43	208
Army	Walter Reed, D. C			68		68			59	13	46			59			327	46	373			454	46	500
Navy	Washington, D. C			41	29	70			8		8			8			46	71	117			95	100	195
Interior Department	St. Elizabeths, D. C								933	933				933								933		933
	Civil and State							4								5					9			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 42, Perry Point, Md								638	594	44	300		938								638	300	938
	Civil and State		10					165								1					176			
Navy	Norfolk, Va			11	19	30			2		2			2			55	13	68			68	32	100
Soldiers' Home	Hampton, Va								1		1			1			3		3			4		4
	Civil and State		3					47								1					51			
	Total	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	171	[illegible]	3,977	1,321	2,656	2,342	314	329	36	[illegible]	[illegible]	78	854	625	1,479	6,581	2,182	4,399	1,161	5,560
	Civil and State															1					1			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 48, Atlanta, Ga			9	1	10			5		5		5	10			97	16	113			111	22	132
do	No. 62, Augusta, Ga								401	381	20	71		472								401	71	472
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 30, Savannah, Ga			6		6			2		2			2			23	38	61			31	38	69
	Civil and State							15													15			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 63, Lake City, Fla			8		8			9		9			9			150	156	306			167	156	323
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 10, Key West, Fla				2	2												16	16				18	18
Navy	Pensacola, Fla			1		1											3	46	49			4	46	50
	Civil and State		1					12													13			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 60, Oteen, N. C			905	279	1,184																905	279	1,184
	Civil and State																				0			
	do		3					2								1					5			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 88, Memphis, Tenn			26	18	44			21		21		15	36			157	87	244			204	120	324
Soldiers' Home	Johnson City, Tenn			650	110	760																650	110	760
	Civil and State							1													1			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 27, Alexandria, La			270	129	399																270	129	399
do	No. 74, Gulfport, Miss								340	87	253	50	35	425								340	85	425
do	No. 84, Algiers, La			4	21	25			35	2	33	3		38			220	69	289			259	93	352
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 14, New Orleans, La			2		2											52		52			54		54
	Civil and State																				0			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala			208	32	240			312	204	108			312			48		48			568	37	600
	Civil and State							25													25			
	do															1					1			
	do																				0			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark								529	514	15			529								529		529
Army	Army-Navy, general, Arkansas																143	7	150			143	7	150
	Civil and State		22					24								3					49			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 90, Muskogee, Okla			29	9	38			29	8	21		1	30			218	89	307			276	99	375
	Civil and State		2					1								1					4			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 93, Legion, Tex			335	144	479																335	144	479
Army	Beaumont, general, Texas			60	21	81			12	2	10		23	35			32	40	72			104	84	188
do	Fort Sam Houston, Tex			108	22	130			20	10	10			20			91	10	101			219	32	251
	Total	[illegible]	97	2,616	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,715	1,208	507	73	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,241	7	1,234	574	1,808	5,679	114	5,565	1,570	7,135
	Civil and State		6					6								22					34			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky			9	11	20			6		6		17	23			70	33	103			85	61	146
do	No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio			22	3	25			448	411	37		3	451			12	13	25			482	19	501
Soldiers' Home	Dayton, Ohio			147	144	291											117	277	394			264	421	685
	Civil and State																				0			
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio			5	4	9			1		1			1			21	16	37			27	20	47
	Civil and State		6																		6			
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 8, Evansville, Ind			3	10	13											12	8	20			15	18	33
Soldiers' Home	Marion, Ind								721	615	106	35	7	763								721	42	763
	Civil and State							6													6			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky			292	80	372																292	80	372
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 11, Louisville, Ky			6		6											21	10	31			27	10	37
	Civil and State		18					598													616			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 53, Dwight, Ill			9		9											91	124	215			100	124	224
do	Edward Hines, jr			172	55	227			184	118	66	26	14	224			344	141	485			700	236	936
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 5, Chicago, Ill																2	10	12			2	10	12
Navy	Great Lakes, Ill			6		6			248		248		77	325			26	293	319			280	370	650
Soldiers' Home	Danville, Ill																7		7			7		7
	Civil and State		191					5													196			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich								409	409		120		529								409	120	529
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 7, Detroit, Mich			3		3											12	20	32			15	20	35
	Civil and State		2					284													286			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 37, Waukesha, Wis								248		248		71	319								248	71	319
Soldiers' Home	Milwaukee, Wis			251	232	483											60	98	158			311	330	641
	Civil and State							6													6			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo			24	6	30			42	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			127	147	274			193	160	353
	Civil and State							4													4			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 67, Kansas City, Mo			25	14	39			8		8		12	20			44	21	65			77	47	124
do	No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo								4		4			4			66	55	121			70	55	125
Soldiers' Home	Leavenworth, Kans			54		54											10		10			64		64
	Civil and State		16					1								7					24			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa								460	460				460								460		460
	Civil and State																				0			
	do		115					2								3					120			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 65, St. Paul, Minn			20	50	70			31	5	26		12	43			168	55	223			219	117	336
do	No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn			216	78	294																216	78	294
do	No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn								326	326				326								326		326
	Civil and State		13													1					14			
	do							1													1			
Soldiers' Home	Hot Springs, S. Dak			26	11	37											23	88	111			49	99	148
	Civil and State															1					1			
	Total	1,657	367	1,290	699	1,989	4,021	865	3,156	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	52	1,263	1,409	2,672	6,973	1,264	5,709	2,508	8,217
	Civil and State							8								2					10			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 72, Helena, Mont			91	113	204			13	[illegible]	[illegible]			13			78		78			187	113	300
	Civil and State							1													1			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo			329	155	484											7	14	21			336	169	505
Army	Fitzsimons, general, Colorado			586	279	865						[illegible]	[illegible]	18			192	101	293			778	398	1,176
	Civil and State																				0			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex			368	174	542											3		3			371	174	545
	Civil and State															3					3			
	do															1					1			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo								329	329		100		429			2		2			331	100	431
	Civil and State							1								8					9			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif								578	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	670								578	92	670
do	No. 102, Livermore, Calif			217	80	297																217	80	297
U. S. Public Health Service	No. 19, San Francisco, Calif				3	3											4	53	57			4	56	60
Army	Letterman, general, California			7		7			16					16			280	97	377			303	97	400
Navy	Mare Island, Calif			3		3											13	59	72			16	59	75
	Civil and State		12					143													155			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif			292	218	510											31	18	49			323	236	559
Navy	San Diego, Calif			2		2			1					1			56	16	72			59	16	75
Soldiers' Home	Los Angeles, Calif			120	26	146											88	3	91			208	28	238
	Civil and State		4													5					9			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 50, Whipple, Ariz			423	158	581			3					3			4		4			430	158	588
do	No. 51, Tucson, Ariz			210	80	290																210	80	290
	Civil and State							55								2					57			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 59, Tacoma, Wash			2	[illegible]	[illegible]			12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			112	113	225			126	168	294
do	No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash			169	77	246																169	77	246
do	No. 94, American Lake, Wash								290	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	352								290	62	352
Navy	Puget Sound, Wash																5	20	25			5	20	25
	Civil and State																				0			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 52, Boise, Idaho			25	50	75			[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	32			29	103	142			58	181	249
	Civil and State																				0			
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 77, Portland, Oreg			2	8	10			[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	16			91	32	123			98	50	143
	Civil and State																				0			
	Total	2,870	16	2,854	1,420	4,274	1,474	200	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,618	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,634	[illegible]	245	5,124	2,399	7,523
	Balboa Heights, Canal Zone		2													2					4			
	Hawaiian Territory		14					8								7					29			
	Philippine Islands		131					29								15					175			
	Porto Rico		18					17								42					77			
	Total	165	165				54	54							66	66				285	285			
	Grand total all hospitals	9,660	1,431	8,229	3,190	11,419	12,139	2,652	9,487	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	334	10,828	[illegible]	211	4,621	3,460	8,081	26,631	4,294	22,337	7,091	30,328

ation center, Saranac Lake, N. Y.

A		Soldiers' Home	Togus, Me.			6		6			1											
	3. Manchester, N. H.		Civil and State		1																	
		Navy	Portsmouth, N. H.																			
	4. Providence, R. I.		Civil and State		8					15												
		Navy	Newport, R. I.			14		14														
	5. Burlington, Vt.		Civil and State		2					10												
	6. Hartford, Conn.		do		13					62												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 41, New Haven, Conn.			405	55	460														
			Total	[illegible]	73	580	107	687	818	123	695	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
B	6. New York, N. Y.		Civil and State		¹616					606												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 81, Bronx, N. Y.								726	656	[illegible]			[illegible]						
		do	No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y.			362	51	413														
		do	No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y.			347	50	397														
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y.				3	3														
		Navy	Brooklyn, N. Y.			11		11			1		1						[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	7. Buffalo, N. Y.		Civil and State							225												
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 4, Buffalo, N. Y.																[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	9. Newark, N. J.		Civil and State							175												
	10. Philadelphia, Pa.		do							84												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa.								246	246				[illegible]						
		Navy	League Island, Pa.			10		10			3		3						116	121	237	
	11. Pittsburgh, Pa.		Civil and State							15												
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 12, Pittsburgh, Pa.			2		2										1	44	6	50	
	12. Washington, D. C.		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 32, Washington, D. C.			37	19	56			40		40			[illegible]			[illegible]	18	106	
		Army	Walter Reed, D. C.			[illegible]		68			50	8	46			[illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]	273	
		Navy	Washington, D. C.			[illegible]	29	70			8		8						[illegible]	71	117	
		Interior Department	St. Elizabeths, D. C.								983	983				[illegible]						
	13. Baltimore, Md.		Civil and State							4												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 42, Perry Point, Md.								628	584	44	300								
	14. Richmond, Va.		Civil and State		[illegible]					155								1				
		Navy	Norfolk, Va.			11	19	30			2		2			[illegible]			[illegible]	13	63	
		Soldiers' Home	Hampton, Va.								1		1						3		3	
	15. Charleston, W. Va.		Civil and State		1					47								1				
			Total	1,673	[illegible]	[illegible]	171	1,560	5,977	1,321	2,688	2,342	314	329	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	78	604	625	1,479	6,881
C	16. Atlanta, Ga.		Civil and State															1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 48, Atlanta, Ga.			9	1	10			5		5		[illegible]	[illegible]			97	16	113	
		do	No. 62, Augusta, Ga.								401	381	20	71		[illegible]						
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 30, Savannah, Ga.			6		6			2		2			2			23	38	61	
	17. Jacksonville, Fla.		Civil and State							15												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 63, Lake City, Fla.			5		5			9		9			[illegible]			160	[illegible]	208	
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 10, Key West, Fla.				2	2												16	16	
		Navy	Pensacola, Fla.			1		1											3	45	49	
	18. Charlotte, N. C.		Civil and State		1					12												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 60, Oteen, N. C.			[illegible]	[illegible]	1,184														
	19. Columbia, S. C.		Civil and State																			
	20. Nashville, Tenn.		do		2					2								1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 88, Memphis, Tenn.			30	[illegible]	44			21		21		[illegible]	[illegible]			157	87	244	
		Soldiers' Home	Johnson City, Tenn.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]														
	21. New Orleans, La.		Civil and State							1												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 27, Alexandria, La.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]														
		do	No. 74, Gulfport, Miss.								340	87	253			[illegible]						
		do	No. 64, Algiers, La.			4	21	25			35	2	33	2	1	[illegible]			229	[illegible]	289	
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 14, New Orleans, La.			2		2											[illegible]		52	
	22. Birmingham, Ala.		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala.			[illegible]	37	240			312	204	108			[illegible]			48		48	
	23. Jackson, Miss.		Civil and State							25												
	49. Dallas, Tex.		do																			
	50. Little Rock, Ark.		do															1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark.								529	514	15			[illegible]						
		Army	Army-Navy, general, Arkansas																143	7	150	
	51. Oklahoma City, Okla.		Civil and State		22					24								3				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 90, Muskogee, Okla.			20	9	[illegible]			29	8	21		1	[illegible]			[illegible]	89	307	
	53. San Antonio, Tex.		Civil and State		[illegible]					1								1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 93, Legion, Tex.			[illegible]	144	[illegible]														
		Army	Beaumont, general, Texas			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			12	2	10		[illegible]	[illegible]			32	40	72	
		do	Fort Sam Houston, Tex.			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]			20	10	10			[illegible]			91	10	161	
			Total	2,643	27	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,728	89	1,715	1,208	507	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7	1,234	574	1,808	6,679
D	24. Cincinnati, Ohio		Civil and State		6					8								20				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky.			9	11	20			6		6						70	33	103	
		do	No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio			22	2	24			[illegible]	411	37	4		[illegible]			12	13	25	
		Soldiers' Home	Dayton, Ohio			147	144	291											117	277	394	
	25. Cleveland, Ohio		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio			5	4	9			1		1			1			21	16	37	
	26. Indianapolis, Ind.		Civil and State		6																	
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 8, Evansville, Ind.			3	10	13											12	8	20	
		Soldiers' Home	Marion, Ind.								721	618	103	25		[illegible]						
	27. Louisville, Ky.		Civil and State							6												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky.			292	80	372														
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 11, Louisville, Ky.			6		6														
	28. Chicago, Ill.		Civil and State		18					[illegible]									21	10	31	
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 53, Dwight, Ill.			9		9											91	124	215	
		do	Edward Hines, Jr.			172	55	227			[illegible]	118	[illegible]	26	[illegible]	[illegible]			244	141	485	
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 5, Chicago, Ill.																2	10	12	
		Navy	Great Lakes, Ill.			6		6														
		Soldiers' Home	Danville, Ill.								248		248		[illegible]	[illegible]			26	293	319	
	29. Detroit, Mich.		Civil and State		191					5									7		7	
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich.								409	409		129		[illegible]						
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 7, Detroit, Mich.			3		3											12	20	32	
	30. Milwaukee, Wis.		Civil and State		2					284												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 37, Waukesha, Wis.								348		[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]						
		Soldiers' Home	Milwaukee, Wis.			251	232	483											[illegible]	98	158	
	31. St. Louis, Mo.		Civil and State							5												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo.			24	8	32			42	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	47			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	32. Kansas City, Mo.		Civil and State							4												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 67, Kansas City, Mo.			25	14	39			5		[illegible]		[illegible]	[illegible]			[illegible]	21	[illegible]	
		do	No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo.								4		4			4			[illegible]	[illegible]	121	
		Soldiers' Home	Leavenworth, Kans.			54		54											10		10	
	33. Des Moines, Iowa		Civil and State		16					1												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa								408	400				[illegible]		7				
	34. Omaha, Nebr.		Civil and State																			
	35. Minneapolis, Minn.		do		115					2								9				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 65, St. Paul, Minn.			20	50	70			51	5	46		[illegible]	[illegible]			166	55	221	
		do	No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn.			216	78	294														
		do	No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn.								328	328				[illegible]						
	37. Fargo, N. Dak.		Civil and State		13																	
	38. Sioux Falls, S. Dak.		do															1				
		Soldiers' Home	Hot Springs, S. Dak.			26	11	37		1									[illegible]	88	111	
	36. Wichita, Kans.		Civil and State															1				
			Total	1,657	367	1,290	699	1,989	4,021	868	3,154	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	53	1,263	1,409	2,672	6,973
E	38. Helena, Mont.		Civil and State							8								2				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 72, Helena, Mont.			91	113	204			18	6	12			18			78		78	
	39. Denver, Colo.		Civil and State							1												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo.			329	155	484											7	14	21	
		Army	Fitzsimons, general, Colorado			586	279	865						[illegible]	[illegible]	16			192	101	293	
	40. Albuquerque, N. Mex.		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex.			368	174	542											3		3	
	41. Salt Lake City, Utah		Civil and State															3				
	42. Casper, Wyo.		do															1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo.								329	329		100		429			2		2	
	43. San Francisco, Calif.		Civil and State							1								8				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif.								[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	670						
		do	No. 102, Livermore, Calif.			217	80	297														
		U. S. Public Health Service	No. 19, San Francisco, Calif.				3	3											4	53	57	
		Army	Letterman, general, California			7		7			16		16			16			280	97	377	
		Navy	Mare Island, Calif.			3		3											13	59	72	
	44. Los Angeles, Calif.		Civil and State		13					143												
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif.			292	218	510											31	18	49	
		Navy	San Diego, Calif.			2		2											56	16	72	
		Soldiers' Home	Los Angeles, Calif.			120	25	145			1		1			1			88	3	91	
	45. Phoenix, Ariz.		Civil and State		4													5				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 50, Whipple, Ariz.			423	158	581			3		3			3			4		4	
		do	No. 51, Tucson, Ariz.			210	80	290														
	46. Seattle, Wash.		Civil and State							86								1				
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 59, Tacoma, Wash.			3		3			13	2	11	12	41	66			112	113	225	
		do	No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash.			169	77	246														
		do	No. 94, American Lake, Wash.			7		7			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	24	45	[illegible]						
		Navy	Puget Sound, Wash.																5	20	25	
	47. Boise, Idaho		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 52, Boise, Idaho			25	50	75			24		24		8	32			39	103	142	
	48. Portland, Oreg.		Civil and State																			
		U. S. Veterans' Bureau	No. 77, Portland, Oreg.			2	8	10						2	8	10			[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	
	Reno, Nev.		Civil and State																			
			Total	2,870	16	2,854	1,420	4,274	1,474	209	1,265	[illegible]	[illegible]	197	153	1,615	1,025	20	1,005	629	1,634	5,369
	Possessions		Balboa Heights, Canal Zone		2													3				
			Hawaiian Territory		14					8								7				
			Philippine Islands		131					29								16				
			Porto Rico		18					17								42				
			Total	165	165				54	54							68	68				285
			Grand total all hospitals	9,660	1,431	8,229	3,190	11,419	12,130	2,632	9,487	7,652	1,835	807	534	10,828	4,832	211	4,621	3,460	8,081	26,631

¹ Includes 367 patients at hospitalization center, Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Classification of patients and beds in Government hospitals

Branch of service	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied	Tuberculosis: Beds available: Unoccupied	Tuberculosis: Beds available: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Unoccupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Unoccupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied	General and surgical: Beds available: Unoccupied	General and surgical: Beds available: Total	Total: Beds occupied	Total: Beds available: Unoccupied	Total: Beds available: Total
U. S. Veterans' hospitals	6,013	2,276	8,289	7,433	6,076	1,357	787	414	8,614	2,297	1,304	3,601	15,743	4,761	20,504
U. S. Public Health Service	27	22	49	3		3			3	222	260	482	252	282	534
U. S. Army	829	322	1,151	107	25	82	5	36	148	1,065	301	1,366	2,001	664	2,665
U. S. Navy	106	48	154	288		288		77	365	722	1,129	1,851	1,116	1,254	2,370
Soldiers' Homes	1,254	522	1,776	723	618	105	35	7	765	315	466	781	2,292	1,030	3,322
St. Elizabeths				933	933				933				933		933
Total Government	8,229	3,190	11,419	9,487	7,652	1,835	807	534	10,828	4,621	3,460	8,081	22,337	7,991	30,328

	Total	2,870	16	2,854	1,420	4,274	1,474	200	[illegible]	[illegible]	135	107	153	1,618	1,025	29	1,603	629	1,684	5,369	248	5,124	2,399	7,523
	Balboa Heights, Canal Zone		2													2					4			
	Hawaiian Territory		14					8								7					29			
	Philippine Islands		131					29								15					175			
	Porto Rico		18					37								43					77			
	Total	165	165				84	84							68	68				285	285			
	Grand total all hospitals	9,660	1,431	8,229	3,190	11,419	12,189	2,852	9,487	[illegible]	[illegible]	590	534	10,828	4,832	211	4,621	3,460	8,081	25,631	4,294	22,337	7,991	30,328

...ation center, Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Classification of patients and beds in Government hospitals

Branch of service	Tuberculosis: Beds occupied	Tuberculosis: Beds available: Unoccupied	Tuberculosis: Beds available: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Total	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds occupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Unoccupied: Psychotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Unoccupied: Psychoneurotic	Neuropsychiatric: Beds available: Total	General and surgical: Beds occupied	General and surgical: Beds available: Unoccupied	General and surgical: Beds available: Total	Total: Beds occupied	Total: Beds available: Unoccupied	Total: Beds available: Total
U. S. Veterans' hospitals	6,013	2,276	8,289	7,433	6,076	1,357	797	414	8,614	2,297	1,304	3,601	15,743	4,761	20,504
U. S. Public Health Service	27	22	49	3		3		5	8	222	260	482	252	282	534
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Soldiers' Homes	1,254	522	1,776	723	618	105	35	7	765	315	466	781	2,292	1,030	3,322
St. Elizabeths				933	933				933				933		933
Total Government	8,229	3,190	11,419	9,487	7,653	1,835	807	534	10,828	4,621	3,460	8,081	22,337	7,991	30,328

TABLE NO. 23.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by hospital, general class of disease, and type of admission, fiscal year, 1925*

Designation and location of hospitals	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychiatric				Nervous and endocrines				General medical and surgical				Grand total			
	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total
AREA A																				
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 16, Portland, Me	3		6	9	2		2	4	1		2	3	14		18	32	20		28	48
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me	6		13	19	5		4	9	19		19	38	30		22	52	60		58	118
State institutions, Maine			1	1			1	1							1	1			3	3
Civil institutions, Maine	2		4	6							1	1	2		6	8	4		11	15
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H	8		6	14	1		1	2	1			1	43		46	89	53		53	106
Civil institutions, New Hampshire													1		4	5	1		4	5
State institutions, Vermont					1		8	9	1			1					2		8	10
Civil institutions, Vermont					2		2	4							8	8	2		10	12
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass		1		1	53	1	107	161	36		55	91	4		11	15	93	2	173	268
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 89, Rutland, Mass	83		181	264											7	7	83		188	271
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 95, Northampton, Mass		3		3	20	152	22	194	4	20	3	27	1			1	25	175	25	225
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 2, Boston, Mass															1	1			1	1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass	110		134	244	45		46	91	101		121	222	780		778	1,558	1,036		1,079	2,115
State institutions, Massachusetts			3	3	5	1	32	38			2	2	1		2	3	6	1	39	46
Civil institutions, Massachusetts	12	1	41	54	2		15	17	3		8	11	27	1	99	127	44	2	163	209
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I	18		16	34			1	1	10		10	20	72		81	153	100		108	208
State institutions, Rhode Island	4	1	1	6													4	1	1	6
Civil institutions, Rhode Island			3	3									9		16	25	9		19	28
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn	204	14	404	622			1	1	1			1	67		93	160	272	14	498	784
State institutions, Connecticut	2		4	6	5		2	7	2		2	4					9		8	17
Civil institutions, Connecticut	4		1	5			1	1			2	2	3		7	10	7		11	18
Total	456	20	818	1,294	141	154	245	540	179	20	225	424	1,054	1	1,200	2,255	1,830	195	2,488	4,513

TABLE No. 23.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by hospital, general class of disease, and type of admissions, fiscal year, 1925*—Continued

Designation and location of hospitals	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychiatric				Nervous and endocrines				General medical and surgical				Grand total			
	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total
AREA B																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y.	3	2	4	9	238	55	280	573	120	6	119	245	112	7	156	275	473	70	559	1,102
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y.	313	49	354	716									34	6	59	99	347	55	413	815
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y.	211	89	418	718			2	2			1	1	33	1	42	76	244	90	463	797
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y.	3		5	8	1		4	5			2	2	62		72	134	66		83	149
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y.							1	1			2	2	4		12	16	4		15	19
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.	76	3	177	256	12		15	27	51	1	29	81	948	13	958	1,919	1,087	17	1,179	2,283
State institutions, New York	1			1	62	82	37	181	12	3	2	17	4	1	1	6	79	86	40	205
Civil institutions, New York	255	382	309	946	10	1	16	27	9	1	30	40	139	4	250	393	413	388	605	1,406
State institutions, New Jersey	5			5	4		12	16									9		12	21
Civil institutions, New Jersey	2		13	15	13		57	70	12		58	70	30	1	263	294	57	1	391	449
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa.					36	43	50	129	9	5	8	22	3	2	6	11	48	50	64	162
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa.	14		10	24	5		3	8	7		9	16	145	2	131	278	171	2	153	326
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa.	35	1	48	84	32	1	39	72	54	2	76	132	608	5	610	1,223	729	9	773	1,511
State institutions, Pennsylvania	28		32	60	7		11	18			1	1	3		4	7	38		48	86
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania	81		146	227	46		49	95	13		43	56	171		264	435	311		502	813
Civil institutions, Delaware	5		22	27											1	1	5		23	28
U. S. Veterans' Hospital, No. 32, Wshington, D. C.	20	7	73	100	11		37	48	7		36	43	135	7	289	431	173	14	435	622
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C.	105	3	172	280	62		83	145	93		148	241	678	5	887	1,570	938	8	1,290	2,236
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C.	57	3	124	184	10	1	23	34	13	1	30	44	299		333	632	379	5	510	894
St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C.			1	1	54	84	41	179	9	14	6	29	3	1	7	11	66	99	55	220
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md.	1		3	4	121	44	202	367	65	10	148	223	24	2	33	59	211	56	386	653
State institutions, Maryland			1	1	18		23	41	1		4	5	1		3	4	20		31	51
Civil institutions, Maryland			4	4			7	7	1		2	3	11	1	59	71	12	1	72	85
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va.	50		25	75	8		14	22	27		30	57	270		211	481	355		280	635
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va.											1	1	1			1	1		1	2
State institutions, Virginia					16	4	19	39		3	3	6	1		1	2	17	7	23	47
Civil institutions, Virginia	3		3	6			1	1	1			1	3		16	19	7		20	27
State institutions, West Virginia	20		21	41	6		8	14			4	4	26		25	51	52		58	110
Civil institutions, West Virginia			2	2							1	1	6		14	20	6		17	23
Total	1,288	539	1,967	3,794	772	315	1,034	2,121	504	46	793	1,343	3,754	58	4,707	8,519	6,318	958	8,501	15,777
AREA C																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C.	340	75	594	1,009	1		1	2	1		3	4	197	31	473	701	539	106	1,071	1,716
Civil institutions, North Carolina															3	3			3	3
Civil institutions, South Carolina	1		3	4					1			1	1		5	6	3		8	11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn.	91	1	119	211	36		31	67	34		41	75	741	14	792	1,547	902	15	983	1,900
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City, Tenn.	279	4	842	1,125					1			1	99		159	258	379	4	1,001	1,384
Civil institutions, Tennessee			3	3											2	2			5	5
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga.	32	1	44	77	4		9	13	24	1	27	52	353	4	486	843	413	6	566	985
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga.					46	52	85	183	5	6	13	24	8	4	5	17	59	62	103	224
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga.	7		12	19	4		5	9	10		6	16	98		97	195	119		120	239
Civil institutions, Georgia							3	3			1	1	1	1	6	8	1	1	10	12
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla.	83	1	137	221	24		17	41	39	1	64	104	417	12	616	1,045	563	14	834	1,411
U. S. Naval Hospital, Key West, Fla.							1	1											1	1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla.	2			2			3	3	3		2	5	28		32	60	33		37	70
State institutions, Florida					1		4	5					1			1	2		4	6
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala.	141	27	203	371	66	18	62	146	19	11	28	58	215	33	261	509	441	89	554	1,084
State institutions, Alabama							1	1											1	1
Civil institutions, Alabama	1		4	5			2	2			2	2	10		30	40	11		38	49
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss.	2	2	5	9	76	44	131	251	131	63	304	498	47	18	95	160	256	127	535	918
State institutions, Mississippi					9	2	16	27									9	2	16	27
Civil institutions, Mississippi	1		1	2	1		3	4	1			1	6		6	12	9		10	19
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La.	267	29	560	856	4		5	9	1		3	4	102	4	114	220	374	33	682	1,089
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La.	76	5	127	208	52	9	80	141	44	3	56	103	589	32	790	1,411	761	49	1,053	1,863
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La.	14		13	27	5		10	15	7		11	18	162	9	213	384	188	9	247	444
Civil institutions, Louisiana	2			2		1	2	3			1	1	1		3	4	3	1	6	10

TABLE No. 23.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by hospital, general class of disease, and type of admissions, fiscal year, 1925*—Continued

Designation and location of hospitals	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychiatric				Nervous and endocrines				General medical and surgical				Grand total			
	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total
AREA C—continued																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark			1	1	140	47	199	386	17	6	47	70	13	4	25	42	170	57	272	499
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark	1		1	2	1		2	3	28		16	44	288	7	241	536	318	7	260	585
Civil institutions, Arkansas			4	4									2		3	5	2		7	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla	105	3	158	266	104		102	206	112	1	93	206	852	1	824	1,677	1,173	5	1,177	2,355
State institutions, Oklahoma							4	4			1	1							5	5
Civil institutions, Oklahoma	11		43	54			1	1					9		18	27	20		62	82
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 93, Legion, Tex	182	92	311	585							1	1	5	1	9	15	187	93	321	601
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex	97		134	231	42		33	75	33		29	62	127		140	267	299		336	635
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex	111	7	158	276	42	1	34	77	23		27	50	269	8	263	540	445	16	482	943
State institutions, Texas						1		1										1		1
Civil institutions, Texas	1		3	4			1	1			3	3	18		49	67	19		56	75
Total	1,847	247	3,480	5,574	658	175	847	1,680	534	92	779	1,405	4,659	183	5,760	10,602	7,698	697	10,866	19,261
AREA D																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio	1	1	12	14	213	70	376	659	72	7	97	176	95	5	83	183	381	83	568	1,032
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio	38		56	94	8		7	15	20		29	49	154		179	333	220		271	491
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio	161	1	277	439	2	2	2	6	10		13	23	211	1	259	471	384	4	551	939
State institutions, Ohio							2	2											2	2
Civil institutions, Ohio	67	2	119	188	4	1	17	22	13		18	31	119	3	162	284	203	6	316	525
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 8, Evansville, Ind	26		60	86	1		1	2	5		1	6	98		172	270	130		234	364
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind	1	1	11	13	60	12	103	175	14	5	33	52	23	2	24	49	98	20	171	289
Civil institutions, Indiana	26		42	68	3		2	5	19		20	39	279		245	524	327		309	636
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky	58	1	139	198	12		15	27	47	1	68	116	346	4	550	900	463	6	772	1,241
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky	214	13	501	728							1	1	5	1	16	22	219	14	518	751
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky	60		208	268					9		11	20	295		256	551	364		475	839
State institutions, Kentucky			1	1															1	1
Civil institutions, Kentucky	7		16	23									4		9	13	11		25	36
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill	39	2	68	109	3			3	9		13	22	218	10	300	528	269	12	381	662
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	166	26	295	487	173	20	229	422	97	10	109	216	814	28	1,185	2,027	1,250	84	1,818	3,152
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 5, Chicago, Ill									1			1	1			1	2			2
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill	59		94	153	108	1	151	260	105	2	125	232	189	2	214	405	461	5	584	1,050
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill													30		35	65	30		35	72
State institutions, Illinois					76	48	120	244	10	4	12	26	1		1	2	87	52	133	265
Civil institutions, Illinois	20		19	39					1			1	6		9	15	27		28	55
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich					65	268	60	393	13	39	9	61	2	6	4	12	80	313	73	466
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 7, Detroit, Mich	45		106	151					3		3	6	52		73	125	100		182	282
State institutions, Michigan					16		27	43	2		4	6			1	1	18		32	50
Civil institutions, Michigan	103	16	137	256	2		9	11	1			1	5		10	15	111	16	156	283
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis	1	1	3	5	42	20	103	165	78	32	204	314	15	6	26	47	136	59	336	531
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis	203	30	343	576	10		5	15	13	1	18	32	174	2	181	357	400	33	547	980
State institutions, Wisconsin					25	20	75	120	1		13	14			1	1	26	20	89	135
Civil institutions, Wisconsin	2		3	5	4		1	5			1	1	4	3	11	18	10	3	16	29
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa					47	95	65	207	7	14	4	25	3	13	5	21	57	122	74	253
State institutions, Iowa			1	1			1	1											2	2
Civil institutions, Iowa	2		2	4			1	1			2	2	36		67	103	38		72	110
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo	34	1	43	78	25		29	54	93		113	206	260	2	397	659	412	3	582	997
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo	109	2	176	287	54	1	95	150	54		92	146	486	8	614	1,108	703	11	977	1,691
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo	1			1		1	1	2	12	9	14	35	46	41	53	140	59	51	68	178
Civil institutions, Missouri			2	2	1		3	4			1	1	2		3	5	3		9	12
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans	53	17	72	142			1	1		1		1	11	2	6	19	64	20	79	163
Civil institutions, Kansas	2		4	6											4	4	2		8	10
State institutions, Nebraska					1		1	2									1		1	2
Civil institutions, Nebraska	1			1			3	3	3		5	8	5		7	12	9		15	24
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn	169	2	330	501	32		68	100	60	1	135	196	639	2	1,205	1,846	900	5	1,738	2,643
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn	66	74	207	347			2	2	1	2		3	6	6	18	30	73	82	227	382
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn					63	112	212	387	1	6	13	20	1	4	9	14	65	122	234	421

TABLE No. 23.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by hospital, general class of disease, and type of admission, fiscal year, 1925*—Continued

Designation and location of hospitals	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychiatric				Nervous and endocrines				General medical and surgical				Grand total			
	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total
AREA D—continued																				
State institutions, Minnesota	10	4	39	53		3	3	6					1			1	11	7	42	60
Civil institutions, Minnesota	45		165	210	1		3	4			5	5	15		44	59	61		217	278
State institutions, North Dakota	2		1	3	15		3	18									17		4	21
Civil institutions, North Dakota	66		151	217	3		5	8	1		2	3	57		110	167	127		268	395
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak.	5	3	36	44			3	3	1		3	4	7		19	26	13	3	61	77
State institutions, South Dakota	1			1	5		1	6									6		1	7
Civil institutions, South Dakota	5		6	11	1		2	3					29		37	66	35		45	80
Total	1,868	197	3,745	5,810	1,075	674	1,807	3,556	776	134	1,191	2,101	4,744	151	6,604	11,499	8,463	1,156	13,347	22,966
AREA E																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont.	78	21	184	283	18		26	44	9		17	26	180		226	406	285	21	453	759
State institutions, Montana					4		2	6	1			1	3		10	13	8		12	20
Civil institutions, Montana			3	3							1	1	2		19	21	2		23	25
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo.		1	2	3	30	35	57	122	7	7	17	31	4	2	8	14	41	45	84	170
Civil institutions, Wyoming	1			1									4		7	11	5		7	12
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo.	158	25	369	552	1		1	1	1		3	4	23	1	64	88	183	26	436	645
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo.	297	2	427	726	53	2	91	146	38		55	93	556	3	643	1,202	944	7	1,216	2,167
Civil institutions, Colorado			1	1	1		7	8		1	2	3	11	1	39	51	12	2	49	63
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex.	158	16	361	535			1	1	3		5	8	135	3	83	219	294	19	450	763
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 9, Fort Stanton, N. Mex.	1		5	6					1			1	5		6	11	7		11	18
Civil institutions, New Mexico	4	1	14	19							2	2	4		7	11	8	1	23	32
Civil institutions, Utah	5		11	16					1		4	5	38		45	83	44		60	104
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz.	180	20	472	672			5	5			1	1	33	5	39	77	213	25	517	755
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz.	73	35	261	369	1		2	3	3		1	4	25		30	55	102	35	294	431

Civil institutions, Arizona	1		19	20									5		13	18	6		32	38
State institutions, Nevada					1			1					1			1	2			2
Civil institutions, Nevada	2		1	3			2	2			1	1	2		1	3	4		5	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif.	119	43	122	284	62	104	95	261	24	28	51	103	58	22	84	164	263	197	352	812
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif.	220	11	449	680			1	1	2		1	3	106	9	144	259	328	20	595	943
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif.	34	134	94	262									5	19	8	32	39	153	102	294
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 19, San Francisco, Calif.											1	1	1		2	3	1		3	4
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif.	41		49	90	34		47	81	61		74	135	890		767	1,657	1,026		937	1,963
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif.	11		1	12					6		2	8	19		17	36	36		20	56
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif.	3		7	10	6		4	10	13		12	25	95		120	215	117		143	260
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif.	47	10	141	198			3	3	8	2	12	22	93	2	118	213	148	14	274	436
State institutions, California					6		3	9	3			3					9		3	12
Civil institutions, California	5	1	14	20	17	3	39	59	8	3	26	37	11	3	19	33	41	10	98	149
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg.	17		24	41	3	1	2	6	23		33	56	284		319	603	327	1	378	706
Civil institutions, Oregon															1	1			1	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho	16	14	43	73	7		6	13	14	2	19	35	123	7	143	273	160	23	211	394
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash.	35	4	53	92	27	3	29	59	65	1	67	133	266	7	272	545	393	15	421	829
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 85, Walla, Walla, Wash.	77	54	101	232					1		1	2	4	6	7	17	82	60	109	251
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash.	1	2	4	7	43	59	54	156	24	49	56	129	16	14	18	48	84	124	132	340
U. S. Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash.	1			1			1	1					14		5	19	15		6	21
State institutions, Washington					22	23	14	59	1	2		3	1			1	24	25	14	63
Civil institutions, Washington	11		11	22	1		6	7	1		6	7	15	2	34	51	28	2	57	87
Total	1,596	394	3,243	5,233	337	230	497	1,064	318	95	470	883	3,030	106	3,318	6,454	5,281	825	7,528	13,634
United States possessions	65	31	219	315	8		42	50	6		43	49	79	8	160	247	158	39	464	661
Grand total	7,120	1,428	13,472	22,020	2,991	1,548	4,472	9,011	2,317	387	3,501	6,205	17,320	507	21,749	39,576	29,748	3,870	43,194	76,812

TABLE No. 24.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by branch of service and type of admission, fiscal year 1925*

Branch of service	Pulmonary tuberculosis				Psychiatric				Nervous and endocrines				General medical and surgical				Grand total			
	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total	First admission	Admission by transfer	Readmission	Total
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	4,178	904	8,009	13,091	1,953	1,254	2,956	6,163	1,389	341	2,194	3,924	8,148	414	11,096	19,658	15,668	2,913	24,255	42,836
U. S. Marine	211	------	481	692	26	------	33	59	64	------	77	141	1,091	11	1,232	2,334	1,392	11	1,823	3,226
U. S. Army	652	12	941	1,605	234	3	290	527	276	------	349	625	2,808	23	2,941	5,772	3,970	38	4,521	8,529
U. S. Navy	430	7	632	1,069	222	3	299	524	384	6	437	827	3,365	20	3,405	6,790	4,401	36	4,773	9,210
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	755	66	1,735	2,556	77	14	121	212	66	9	99	174	679	9	823	1,511	1,577	98	2,778	4,453
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeth's, Washington, D. C.)	------	------	1	1	54	84	41	179	9	14	6	29	3	1	7	11	66	99	55	220
State	73	5	105	183	305	184	430	919	34	12	48	94	44	1	50	95	456	202	633	1,291
Civil	756	403	1,349	2,508	112	6	260	378	89	5	248	342	1,103	20	2,035	3,158	2,060	434	3,892	6,386
United States possessions	65	31	219	315	8	------	42	50	6	------	43	49	79	8	160	247	158	39	464	661
Total	7,120	1,428	13,472	22,020	2,991	1,548	4,472	9,011	2,317	387	3,501	6,205	17,320	507	21,749	39,576	29,748	3,870	43,194	76,812

TABLE No. 25.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients to service hospitals for treatment, by hospital, month of admission and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	July			August			September			October			November			December			January		
	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General
TUBERCULOSIS																					
27. Alexandria, La	88	1	13	59	------	31	62	1	22	97	1	12	73	1	16	89	2	24	73	4	24
41. New Haven, Conn	53	------	6	51	1	10	45	------	14	75	------	9	62	------	12	57	------	16	57	------	10
50. Whipple, Ariz	54	------	1	64	------	6	58	------	2	52	------	9	64	1	5	55	2	7	75	1	14
51. Tucson, Ariz	27	------	5	39	------	2	65	------	4	32	1	2	20	1	------	26	------	3	27	1	6
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	33	1	3	38	------	11	68	1	18	66	------	18	51	------	25	43	------	23	44	2	30
60. Oteen, N. C	140	1	94	71	1	48	49	------	41	117	------	69	55	------	44	52	------	27	120	------	80
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	58	------	27	54	------	16	50	------	14	57	------	17	54	------	22	52	------	31	89	------	32
68. Minneapolis, Minn	39	2	7	45	------	2	42	------	2	25	------	4	41	1	2	28	1	2	13	------	4
72. Helena, Mont	25	6	52	39	8	43	29	4	26	35	4	32	24	5	29	21	4	33	20	3	33
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	45	------	------	65	------	------	36	------	2	58	1	------	75	------	3	75	------	4	76	------	5
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	38	------	3	35	------	3	41	------	9	47	------	6	40	1	11	39	------	10	63	------	15
85. Walla Walla, Wash	22	------	1	32	------	3	17	------	1	5	------	------	12	------	2	20	------	1	24	------	3
89. Rutland, Mass	28	------	------	9	------	1	18	------	1	15	------	------	21	------	------	3	------	------	42	------	3
93. Legion, Tex	53	------	1	81	------	------	60	------	3	38	------	------	51	1	3	38	------	3	38	------	1
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	------	------	------	25	------	2	111	------	7	40	------	2	67	------	17	72	------	11	59	------	14
98. Castle Point, N. Y	------	------	------	------	------	------	158	------	14	163	------	17	18	------	4	19	------	------	85	2	10
Total tuberculosis hospitals	703	11	213	707	10	178	909	6	180	922	7	197	728	11	195	689	9	195	905	13	284
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC																					
24. Palo Alto, Calif	36	25	18	25	17	13	36	19	18	22	28	21	31	34	19	48	24	23	30	20	15
37. Waukesha, Wis	------	42	3	------	22	3	------	30	4	------	27	------	1	30	2	------	60	10	------	91	6
42. Perry Point, Md	2	54	4	------	55	5	------	58	12	------	35	2	------	48	4	------	49	5	------	55	3
44. West Roxbury, Mass	1	25	1	------	19	1	------	19	------	------	25	2	------	18	------	------	11	------	------	21	1
49. Philadelphia, Pa	------	6	1	------	3	1	------	5	------	------	15	2	------	8	------	------	10	1	------	12	------
57. Knoxville, Iowa	------	50	3	------	23	4	------	21	2	------	34	3	------	17	4	------	19	3	------	13	------
62. Augusta, Ga	------	1	------	------	13	2	------	7	1	------	4	------	------	3	------	------	9	1	------	7	------
74. Gulfport, Miss	2	96	27	1	82	24	3	43	11	------	59	21	1	57	15	------	60	12	------	52	6
78. North Little Rock, Ark	------	14	2	1	17	1	------	13	5	------	31	1	------	70	4	------	41	2	------	97	12
81. Bronx, N. Y	1	72	17	------	68	25	------	56	13	1	43	22	------	74	28	1	75	26	1	72	36
86. Sheridan, Wyo	------	6	------	------	13	------	------	14	1	------	12	------	------	13	1	------	13	2	------	11	3
94. American Lake, Wash	------	36	6	1	68	9	------	33	4	1	19	1	1	14	5	2	18	2	------	20	8
95. Northampton, Mass	------	15	------	------	43	------	------	35	1	------	15	------	------	31	------	------	13	------	1	14	------

TABLE No. 25—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients to service hospitals for treatment, by hospital, month of admission and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	July			August			September			October			November			December			January		
	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC—continued																					
97. Chillicothe, Ohio		18	5		84	29	4	96	19	5	190	45		103	19	1	67	14	1	61	10
100. Camp Custer, Mich											2			65	1		101	2		89	1
101. St. Cloud, Minn								3			183	4		28	2		69	1		34	1
Total neuropsychiatric hospitals	42	460	87	28	527	117	43	452	91	29	722	124	34	613	104	52	639	104	33	669	102
GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL																					
32. Washington, D. C	3	5	31	2	1	18	11	6	32	21	5	42	5	6	26	15	3	22	4	6	49
48. Atlanta, Ga	5	10	111	8	5	64	9	10	65	8	8	79	3	6	73	2	2	67	4	8	109
52. Boise, Idaho	4		13	2	1	10	12	4	26	17	5	23	6	9	34	10	4	29	3	4	26
53. Dwight, Ill	4	1	23	7	3	25	5	2	37	9	3	80	5	1	48	5	2	46	43	4	97
59. Tacoma, Wash	8	2	5	8	7	24	9	25	39	4	24	49	4	18	42	10	24	52	10	22	80
63. Lake City, Fla	21	11	58	28	9	98	31	10	111	28	14	101	10	5	48	13	4	81	29	16	96
65. St. Paul, Minn	61	31	181	56	28	208	50	24	176	52	31	189	48	26	146	55	23	162	45	20	144
67. Kansas City, Mo	8	17	69	5	21	63	10	25	65	3	25	45	5	24	48	3	35	50	3	28	60
69. Fort Thomas, Ky	26	19	62	7	16	57	7	10	64	18	10	58	17	17	82	19	13	71	28	15	91
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	40	48	204	28	58	177	49	68	216	36	63	180	40	57	174	56	67	180	28	41	151
77. Portland, Oreg	3	8	60	5	4	62	2	4	35	6	4	42	2	4	32	4	8	55	4	6	53
84. Algiers, La	17	15	83	12	17	93	9	24	152	12	18	138	19	21	135	20	16	96	12	28	141
88. Memphis, Tenn	8	15	91	23		128	12		66	22		104	16		131	11		72	17	1	155
90. Muskogee, Okla	23	25	113	24	40	196	33	30	160	27	32	160	24	48	127	18	42	111	30	50	162
91. Tuskegee, Ala	48	16	37	40	16	39	33	33	40	29	24	56	24	26	46	32	13	54	17	12	17
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	28	36	110	21	20	92	32	16	93	24	42	91	23	31	71	39	35	113	18	17	112
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo															13		6	21		2	14
Total general medical hospitals	307	259	1,251	276	246	1,354	314	291	1,377	316	308	1,437	251	299	1,276	312	297	1,282	295	280	1,557
Grand total	1,052	730	1,551	1,011	783	1,649	1,266	749	1,648	1,267	1,037	1,758	1,013	923	1,575	1,053	945	1,581	1,233	962	1,943

TABLE No. 25.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau patients to service hospitals for treatment, by hospital, month of admission and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	February			March			April			May			June			Total			Grand total
	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	
TUBERCULOSIS																			
27. Alexandria, La	59	1	9	61		14	74	1	25	60		13	61	1	17	856	13	220	1,089
41. New Haven, Conn	37		17	32		19	49		28	51	1	15	53		4	622	2	160	784
50. Whipple, Ariz	74		8	55		7	32	2	8	55		5	34		5	672	6	77	755
51. Tucson, Ariz	31		5	25		3	29	2	7	24	1	9	24	1	9	369	7	55	431
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	39	1	23	42	1	18	39		25	35	1	13	37	2	12	535	9	219	763
60. Oteen, N. C	63	1	31	86	1	87	46	1	45	94	1	93	116		42	1,009	6	701	1,716
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	72		20	70	3	31	51	1	33	35		12	38		4	680	4	259	943
68. Minneapolis, Minn	14		1	17	1		26		2	23		2	34		2	347	5	30	382
72. Helena, Mont	22	4	27	21	7	39	15	12	28	11	6	33	21	7	31	283	70	406	759
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	67		4	60		1	65		1	48		2	58			728	1	22	751
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	60	1	7	55	1	11	47	1	5	47		3	40	1	5	552	5	88	645
85. Walla Walla, Wash	17			18		1	23		2	18	1	2	24	1	1	232	2	17	251
89. Rutland, Mass	38		1	11			26			32		1	21			264		7	271
93. Legion, Tex	40			57		3	43		1	64			22			585	1	15	601
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	64		14	59		15	82		11	63		6	74			716		99	815
98. Castle Point, N. Y	52		7	39		8	41		8	72		8	71	1		718	3	76	797
102. Livermore, Calif							163		24	48		4	51		4	262		32	294
Total tuberculosis hospitals	749	8	174	708	14	257	851	20	253	780	11	221	779	14	136	9,430	134	2,483	12,047
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC																			
24. Palo Alto, Calif	30	29	11	23	58	8	3	34	4		43	6		33	8	284	364	164	812
37. Waukesha, Wis		32	7	1	42	2	1	19	2	1	57	4	1	27	4	5	479	47	531
42. Perry Point, Md		35	6		21	3		29	3	1	37	3	1	114	9	4	590	59	653
44. West Roxbury, Mass		16			16			21	1		33	5		28	4	1	252	15	268
49. Philadelphia, Pa		27	1		11	2		21			26			7	3		151	11	162
57. Knoxville, Iowa		9			7			12	1		11			16	1		232	21	253
62. Augusta, Ga		33	2		34	2		7	3		46	4		43	2		207	17	224
74. Gulfport, Miss		37	6	1	62	10		77	13		49	8	1	75	7	9	749	160	918
78. North Little Rock, Ark		63	2		37	4		36	6		23	2		14	1	1	456	42	499
81. Bronx, N. Y		58	28	2	61	22	2	62	18	1	71	29		106	11	9	818	275	1,102
86. Sheridan, Wyo		4	1	1	6	2		13		1	12	1	1	36	3	3	153	14	170
94. American Lake, Wash		17	3		11	2	1	19	2	1	14	2		16	4	7	285	48	340

TABLE No. 25.—*Admission of United States Veterans' Bureau patients to service hospitals, for treatment, by hospital, month of admission and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

United States veterans' hospital, number and location	February			March			April			May			June			Total		
	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General	Grand total
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC—continued																			
95. Northampton, Mass.	1	13	14	15	7	7	5	7	60	12	37	24	1	8	32	5	221	183	1,032
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	1	56	3	60	41	22	1	36	1	35	2			32	11	2	424	12	466
100. Camp Custer, Mich.		23	1	22	4			6		24				15			407	14	421
101. St. Cloud, Minn.																			
Total neuropsychiatric hospitals	32	505	85	504	68	7	430	60	7	530	71	5	602	70	340	6,653	1,083	8,076
GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL																			
32. Washington, D. C.	6	9	27	5	13	47	6	15	56	16	12	3	10	6	43	100	91	431	622
48. Atlanta, Ga.	11	3	66	10	5	56	7	5	66	5	3	2	48	1	49	77	66	843	985
52. Boise, Idaho	2	1	19	2	4	20	5	3	32	13	7	26	3	3	30	73	48	273	394
53. Dwight, Ill.	8	3	43	9	3	32	7	1	29	8	7	2	5	3	42	92	25	528	662
59. Tacoma, Wash.	12	20	65	6	18	56	6	11	49	13	6	6	7	13	42	109	145	1,045	1,411
63. Lake City, Fla.	7	11	84	9	17	79	17	19	97	16	17	24	19	9	47	501	296	1,846	2,643
65. St. Paul, Minn.	36	15	124	31	17	107	31	30	145	6	6	13	8	8	42	135	27	273	437
67. Kansas City, Mo.	7	17	35	5	20	53	9	18	50	10	9	12	13	13	42	221	146	1,045	1,412
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	15	8	79	16	10	92	19	13	77	12	17	4	14	9	89	198	143	900	1,241
77. Portland, Oreg.	22	14	124	14	23	103	27	18	116	25	16	41	63	10	40	487	638	2,027	3,152
84. Algiers, La.	10	2	109	30	52	215	20	23	169	16	15	36	26	24	163	211	142	1,347	1,900
88. Memphis, Tenn.	22	14	124	14	23	103	27	18	116	25	21	109	19	29	121	208	244	1,411	1,863
90. Muskogee, Okla.	30	30	135	19	29	148	14	20	128	31	11	77	16	28	111	266	412	1,677	2,355
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	23	19	41	39	12	31	29	12	36	31	11	68	26	10	44	371	204	509	1,084
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	16	34	118	13	15	89	27	14	60	19	16	77	16	28	111	366	412	677	2,355
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.		8	24		7	11		3	15		3	13	1	8	29	287	1	37	140	178
Total general medical hospitals	235	260	1,289	247	303	1,349	266	255	1,324	232	246	787	270	266	1,274	3,321	3,300	16,092	22,713
Grand total	1,016	773	1,548	983	821	1,674	1,124	705	1,637	1,019	787	1,614	1,054	872	1,480	13,091	10,087	19,658	42,836

TABLE No. 26.—*Admissions to all hospitals by month from September, 1919, to June 30, 1925*

Month	Groups of hospitals: Government	State and civil	All
1919			
September	2,569	963	3,532
October	2,859	1,019	3,878
November	3,126	1,542	4,668
December	2,469	1,555	4,024
1920			
January	2,224	1,693	3,917
February	1,844	1,126	2,970
March	1,887	1,823	2,710
April	2,087	3,406	5,493
May	3,000	3,539	6,548
June	3,049	2,944	5,993
Fiscal year 1920	23,623	19,610	43,233
1920			
July	2,466	2,768	5,234
August	1,777	3,339	5,116
September	2,310	3,372	5,682
October	2,899	3,198	6,097
November	5,603	5,404	11,007
December	3,904	2,740	6,644
1921			
January	5,174	3,632	8,806
February	4,115	2,888	7,003
March	5,287	4,124	9,411
April	5,268	4,679	9,948
May	5,198	3,741	8,939
June	4,151	4,492	8,643
Fiscal year 1921	48,070	43,370	91,440
1921			
July	7,879	4,831	12,710
August	8,778	5,324	14,102
September	8,751	4,826	13,577
October	7,754	3,395	12,149
November	7,234	3,855	11,089
December	6,449	3,325	9,774
1922			
January	7,742	3,734	11,476
February	6,353	3,753	10,106
March	7,276	3,911	11,187
April	6,569	2,736	9,305
May	6,557	2,154	8,711
June	6,050	2,428	8,478
Fiscal year 1922	86,392	47,962	134,354
1922			
July	5,605	2,261	7,866
August	5,665	2,287	7,952
September	5,316	2,500	7,816
October	5,823	2,032	7,855
November	5,512	2,314	7,826
December	6,010	2,089	8,099
1923			
January	5,658	1,604	7,262
February	5,697	666	6,363
March	6,840	777	7,617
April	5,599	651	6,250
May	5,686	707	6,393
June	5,471	599	6,070
July	4,832	455	5,277
August	5,324	300	5,624
Fiscal year 1923	68,474	8,338	76,812
Grand total	337,662	155,044	492,706

TABLE No. 27.—*Admission of United States Veterans' Bureau patients to all hospitals by branch of service and month of admission, fiscal year 1925*

Branch of service	1924						1925						Total, fiscal year 1925
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	
Veterans' Bureau	3,333	3,443	3,663	4,062	3,511	3,579	4,138	3,337	3,478	3,466	3,420	3,406	42,836
Marine	316	267	334	293	271	247	291	213	287	238	240	229	3,226
Army	788	808	662	667	683	727	825	625	672	677	647	748	8,529
Navy	568	546	670	817	758	777	1,060	992	878	769	714	661	9,210
Soldiers' homes	284	443	469	362	421	354	510	409	357	303	284	257	4,453
Interior Department	27	16	14	15	14	13	16	23	14	18	27	23	220
State	159	137	135	131	93	75	129	114	97	110	65	46	1,291
Civil	855	795	679	678	511	591	648	537	610	489	400	254	7,047
Total	6,330	6,455	6,626	7,025	6,262	6,363	7,617	6,250	6,393	6,070	5,797	5,624	76,812

TABLE No. 28.—*Admissions to hospitals of United States veterans of wars since 1897 without regard to nature or origin of their disability as authorized in paragraph 10, section 202, World War veterans' act, 1924, by month and groups of hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Month of admission	United States veterans' hospitals				All other hospitals [1]				Total				Grand total
	S. P. B. and W.[2]		W. O. E.[1]		S. P. B. and W.		W. O. E.		S. P. B. and W.		W. O. E.		
	World War	All others	World War	All others	World War	All others	World War	All others	World War	All others	World War	All others	
1924													
July	81	37	81	1	11	37	14	4	92	74	95	5	266
August	260	47	296	9	58	49	70	13	318	96	366	22	802
September	285	59	271	6	88	55	136	12	373	114	407	18	912
October	257	59	285	11	82	63	151	13	339	122	436	24	921
November	251	59	227	20	79	48	175	29	330	107	402	49	888
December	299	36	249	34	104	32	174	48	403	68	423	82	976
1925													
January	391	54	342	45	125	40	263	82	516	94	605	127	1,342
February	348	37	274	40	101	24	266	81	449	61	540	121	1,171
March	396	57	321	65	129	26	265	82	525	83	586	147	1,341
April	327	51	340	51	124	27	314	67	451	78	654	118	1,301
May	717	62	396	47	105	26	316	60	822	88	712	107	1,729
June	488	48	488	37	104	29	358	42	592	77	846	79	1,594
Total	4,100	606	3,570	366	1,110	456	2,502	533	5,210	1,062	6,072	899	13,243

[1] Included in all other hospitals are 237 patients admitted to civil and State hospitals. Of this number 133 were admitted to hospitalization center, Saranac Lake, N. Y.
[2] S. P. B. and W. admissions under the first proviso paragraph 10, section 202. W. O. E. admissions under the second proviso paragraph 10, section 202, as outlined in General Order 292.

TABLE No. 29.—*Admissions of allied soldiers to all hospitals for treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau, by month, general type of disease and groups of hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Month of admission	United States veterans' hospitals				Other Government hospitals				State and civil hospitals				All			
	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	Total	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	Total	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	Total	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	Total
1924																
July	7	3	11	21	5	2	15	22	2	3	9	14	14	8	35	57
August	5	6	10	21	2	3	15	20	6	3	5	14	13	12	30	55
September	5	3	6	14	2	----	15	17	3	3	2	8	10	6	23	39
October	8	5	10	23	3	2	19	24	1	4	1	6	12	11	30	53
November	5	8	6	19	6	1	14	21	3	1	2	6	14	10	22	46
December	13	5	10	28	2	2	18	22	2	1	3	6	17	8	31	56
1925																
January	20	9	11	40	7	4	23	34	4	4	5	13	31	17	39	87
February	8	1	13	22	3	4	28	35	3	2	3	8	14	7	44	65
March	6	7	19	32	3	5	8	16	3	3	3	9	12	15	30	57
April	12	9	8	29	4	1	15	20	2	1	3	6	18	11	26	55
May	9	4	12	25	4	1	19	24	3	1	----	4	16	6	31	53
June	11	6	10	27	2	1	10	13	----	----	4	4	13	7	24	44
Total	109	66	126	301	43	26	199	268	32	26	40	98	184	118	365	667

TABLE No. 30.—*Admissions of United States Veterans' Bureau female patients to all hospitals, by type of patient and branch of service, fiscal year 1925*

Branch of service	Type of patient				
	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Psychotic	Nervous and endocrines	General	Total
Veterans' Bureau	106	2	9	78	195
Marine	----	1	1	3	5
Army	16	3	5	41	65
Navy	----	----	----	4	4
Soldiers' homes	3	----	1	6	10
Interior Department	----	7	----	----	7
State	3	5	1	1	10
Civil	34	18	20	57	129
Total	162	36	37	190	425

TABLE NO. 31.—*Admissions of all patients to hospitals for treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*

Class of beneficiary	United States veterans				Other Government			
	Tuberculosis, pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis, pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions
United States veterans of World War	12,838	9,908	19,118	41,864	5,819	3,183	15,674	24,676
Compensable disability	11,433	7,915	14,846	34,194	5,470	2,850	12,998	21,318
Noncompensable disability	1,405	1,993	4,272	7,670	349	333	2,676	3,358
United States veterans of wars, occupations, and rebellions since 1897	253	179	540	972	104	114	744	962
Boxer Rebellion		1		1		1		1
Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection							6	6
Boxer Rebellion, Philippine Insurrection, and Spanish-American War	75	38	104	217	19	23	144	186
Boxer Rebellion and Spanish-American War	2	1	4	7	1		3	4
Cuban pacification	3	2	1	6			6	6
Nicaraguan campaign	2			2				
Philippine Insurrection	9	5	40	54	4	2	23	29
Punitive expedition into Mexico	6	5	1	12	2		7	9
Spanish-American War	152	122	382	656	76	85	543	704
Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection	2	3	5	10	1	2	7	10
Vera Cruz expedition			2	2	1		1	2
Other wars, expeditions, and occupations	2	2	1	5		1	4	5
Allied veterans	109	66	126	301	43	26	199	268
British	12	17	11	40	3	4	29	36
Canadian	94	44	109	247	37	22	170	229
All others	3	5	6	14	3			3
Miscellaneous	48	26	405	479	1	3	7	11
Employees, U. S. Veterans' Bureau	17	10	312	339		1	3	4
Employees Compensation Commission	17	2	33	52				
United States naval hospitals (Hospital 49 only)	3	2	13	18				
Emergency	8	9	33	50			1	1
All other beneficiaries	3	3	14	20	1	2	3	6
Grand total	13,248	10,179	20,189	43,616	5,967	3,326	16,624	25,917

TABLE NO. 31.—*Admissions of all patients to hospitals for treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Class of beneficiary	State, civil, and United States possessions				All hospitals			
	Tuberculosis, pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis, pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions
United States veterans of World War	2,996	1,829	3,486	8,311	21,653	14,920	38,278	74,851
Compensable disability	2,888	1,791	3,378	8,057	19,791	12,556	31,222	63,569
Noncompensable disability	108	38	108	254	1,862	2,364	7,056	11,282
United States veterans of wars, occupations, and rebellions since 1897	10	3	14	27	367	296	1,298	1,961
Boxer Rebellion						2		2
Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection							6	6
Boxer Rebellion, Philippine Insurrection and Spanish-American War		1	3	4	94	62	251	407
Boxer Rebellion and Spanish-American War					3	1	7	11
Cuban pacification					3	2	7	12
Nicaragtian campaign					2			2
Philippine Insurrection	5	2	5	12	18	9	68	95
Punitive expedition into Mexico					8	5	8	21
Spanish-American War	5		6	11	233	207	931	1,371
Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection					3	5	12	20
Vera Cruz expedition					1		3	4
Other wars, expeditions, and occupations					2	3	5	10
Allied veterans	32	26	40	98	184	118	365	667
British	10	2	15	27	25	23	55	103
Canadian	22	19	24	65	153	85	303	541
All others		5	1	6	6	10	7	23
Miscellaneous	3	3	6	12	52	32	418	502
Employees, U. S. Veterans' Bureau			1	1	17	11	316	344
Employees Compensation Commission					17	2	33	52
United States naval hospitals (Hospital 49 only)		1		1	3	3	13	19
Emergency	2	1	5	8	10	10	39	59
All other beneficiaries	1	1		2	5	6	17	28
Grand total	3,041	1,861	3,546	8,448	22,256	15,366	40,359	77,981

TABLE No. 32.—*Replacements, average number of patients in hospitals, and turnover of patients, United States veterans' hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Number and location	Months in operation	Total replacements[1]	Average number in hospitals	Per cent turnover
TUBERCULOSIS				
27. Alexandria, La	12	1,089	312	349
41. New Haven, Conn	12	784	408	192
50. Whipple, Ariz	12	755	480	157
51. Tucson, Ariz	12	431	253	170
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	12	763	401	190
60. Oteen, N. C	12	1,716	990	173
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	12	943	364	259
68. Minneapolis, Minn	12	382	254	150
72. Helena, Mont	12	759	241	315
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	12	751	273	275
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	12	645	327	197
85. Walla Walla, Wash	12	251	208	121
89. Rutland, Mass	12	271	145	187
93. Legion, Tex	12	601	403	149
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	10½	(936) 815	317	295
98. Castle Point, N. Y	9½	(1,008) 797	314	321
All tuberculosis hospitals		(12,085) 11,753	5,690	212
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC				
24. Palo Alto, Calif	12	812	723	112
37 Waukesha, Wis	12	531	271	196
42. Perry Point, Md	12	653	603	108
44. West Roxbury, Mass	12	268	255	105
49. Philadelphia, Pa	12	162	211	77
57. Knoxville, Iowa	12	253	445	57
62. Augusta, Ga	12	224	351	64
74. Gulfport, Miss	12	918	360	255
78. North Little Rock, Ark	12	499	450	111
81. Bronx, N. Y	12	1,102	794	139
86. Sheridan, Wyo	12	170	315	54
94. American Lake, Wash	12	340	330	103
95. Northampton, Mass	12	225	406	55
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	12	1,032	417	247
100. Camp Custer, Mich	8½	(660) 466	304	217
101. St. Cloud, Minn	9⅝	(528) 421	301	175
All neuropsychiatric hospitals		(8,377) 8,076	6,534	128
GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL				
32. Washington, D. C	12	622	158	394
48. Atlanta, Ga	12	985	106	929
52. Boise, Idaho	12	394	96	410
53. Dwight, Ill	12	662	102	649
59. Tacoma, Wash	12	829	171	485
63. Lake City, Fla	12	1,411	221	638
65. St. Paul, Minn	12	2,643	283	934
67. Kansas City, Mo	12	997	87	1,146
69. Fort Thomas, Ky	12	1,241	107	1,160
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	12	3,152	802	393
77. Portland, Oreg	12	706	116	609
84. Algiers, La	12	1,863	302	617
88. Memphis, Tenn	12	1,900	194	979
90. Muskogee, Okla	12	2,355	298	790
91. Tuskegee, Ala	12	1,084	564	192
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	12	1,691	293	577
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo	7⅔	(276) 178	73	378
All general hospitals		(22,811) 22,713	3,973	574
All veterans' hospitals		(43,273) 42,542	16,197	267

[1] Figures in parentheses represent corrections to a yearly basis.

TABLE No. 33.—*Yearly turnover of patients in United States veterans' hospitals operating during fiscal year 1925, fiscal years 1920–1925*

United States veterans' hospitals (type, number, and location)	Per cent turnover					
	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925
TUBERCULOSIS						
24. Palo Alto, Calif	307	301	291	(1)		
27. Alexandria, La	759	541	391	213	220	349
41. New Haven, Conn	322	286	194	232	161	192
50. Whipple, Ariz		229	176	120	110	157
51. Tucson, Ariz		519	229	184	168	170
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex		255	143	100	92	190
59. Tacoma, Wash		292	213	178	130	(1)
60. Oteen, N. C		349	281	244	256	173
64. Camp Kearney, Calif		497	302	182	228	259
68. Minneapolis, Minn					538	150
72. Helena, Mont				669	356	315
79. Dawson Springs, Ky				322	251	275
80. Fort Lyon, Colo				121	134	197
85. Walla Walla, Wash				211	134	121
89. Rutland, Mass					217	187
91. Tuskegee, Ala					302	(1)
93. Legion, Tex					259	149
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y						295
98. Castle Point, N. Y						321
All tuberculosis hospitals	128	329	239	198	216	212
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC						
24. Palo Alto, Calif				333	99	112
37. Waukesha, Wis	388	291	132	147	172	196
42. Perry Point, Md	271	423	229	237	166	108
44. West Roxbury, Mass	301	230	127	129	76	105
49. Philadelphia, Pa		198	110	83	60	77
57. Knoxville, Iowa		114	58	89	123	57
62. Augusta, Ga		129	113	79	50	64
74. Gulfport, Miss			480	379	277	255
78. North Little Rock, Ark			399	81	38	111
81. Bronx, N. Y				347	200	139
86. Sheridan, Wyo				239	66	54
94. American Lake, Wash					569	103
95. Northampton, Mass					1,010	55
97. Chillicothe, Ohio						247
100. Camp Custer, Mich						217
101. St. Cloud, Minn						175
All neuropsychiatric hospitals	325	286	169	198	162	128
GENERAL						
32. Washington, D. C	627	452	660	361	309	394
48. Atlanta, Ga	1,513	2,720	1,807	1,366	1,254	929
52. Boise, Idaho		451	313	328	502	410
53. Dwight, Ill		319	346	283	701	649
59. Tacoma, Wash						485
63. Lake City, Fla		737	528	430	520	638
65. St. Paul, Minn		889	813	726	820	934
67. Kansas City, Mo		1,481	1,338	1,102	965	1,146
68. Minneapolis, Minn		1,046	956	824	1,088	(1)
69. Fort Thomas, Ky			353	603	654	1,160
72. Helena, Mont			555	(1)		
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill			535	373	401	393
77. Portland, Oreg			1,066	610	748	609
84. Algiers, La			825	662	682	617
88. Memphis, Tenn				699	802	979
90. Muskogee, Okla					644	790
91. Tuskegee, Ala						192
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo				1,244	757	577
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo						378
All general hospitals	899	827	531	619	581	574
All veterans' hospitals	442	569	323	304	291	267

[1] U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash., was made general, May, 1924; U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., was made general, August, 1924; U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn., was made tuberculosis, November, 1923; U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif., was made neuropsychiatric, April, 1923; U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont., was made tuberculosis, July, 1923.

TABLE NO. 34.—*Patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment June 30, 1925, for all diseases and conditions, by hospital and home address (State)*

Hospital designation and location	Home address (area and State)																							
	Area A						Area B							Area C										
	Massachusetts	Maine	New Hampshire	Rhode Island	Vermont	Connecticut	New York	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Delaware	District of Columbia	Maryland	Virginia	West Virginia	Georgia	Florida	North Carolina	South Carolina	Tennessee	Louisiana	Alabama	Mississippi	Arkansas	Oklahoma	Texas
AREA A																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass.	195	21	11	40	1	1	1		1																
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 89, Rutland, Mass.	117	7	13	13		1	1																		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 95, Northampton, Mass.	299	38	31	35	19	17	7	3	1																
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass.	153	11	8	6	11	1	2								1						1				
State institutions, Massachusetts	37																								
Civil institutions, Massachusetts	31															1									1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 16, Portland, Me.		4																							
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me.	3	13			2		1																		
State institutions, Maine		6																							
Civil institutions, Maine	3	17	1		1																				
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H.			12																						
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I.	27			38		13	1					1													
State institutions, Rhode Island				5																					
Civil institutions, Rhode Island	1			4																					
State institutions, Vermont					7																				
Civil institutions, Vermont	1				3																				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn.	13	3	4	2	3	101	178	72	15		3	1					2				1	1			
State institutions, Connecticut						34																			
Civil institutions, Connecticut				1		7	2																		
AREA B																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y.	8	1		1		64	509	111	2		2		1		1		1			1					1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y.	27	2	1		5	9	244	37	25		7	3	2		1	1					2				1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y.	8			2		13	196	45	56		6	2	1	1										1	1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y.							22																		
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y.							3																		
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y.	1			1		19	126	28	1			1					1								
State institutions, New York						1	379	5						1									1		
Civil institutions, New York	17	2	2	4	2	13	464	78	25	1	3	1	1	5		1	1	1							
State institutions, New Jersey							2	78	1														1		
Civil institutions, New Jersey							13	49																	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa.	1						1	7	247	4								1							
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa.									44					1											
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa.								3	121	4															
State institutions, Pennsylvania									113	2			1												
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania								2	103																
Civil institutions, Delaware									6	5															
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C.	1					2	3	1	11		54	19	21	36		2	2	1	1					1	
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C.	16	1		3	1	5	22	8	48	17	71	66	51	58	8	2	12	3	3	2	4	2	2	1	5
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C.	1						2	2	5	1	24	15	17	15											1
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C.	18	2		4		9	50	23	165	2	93	32	52	19	19	13	8	11	19	35	17	12	5	3	24
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md.	6				1	4	18	17	291	12	14	114	16	22	16	3	9	7	20	2	3	1	2	1	3
State institutions, Maryland											1	5	1												
Civil institutions, Maryland												2		1					1						
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va.			1						1				71	3			1								2
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va.									1			1	2												
State institutions, Virginia												1	124	5	2			1	1						
Civil institutions, Virginia													6												
State institutions, West Virginia														32											
Civil institutions, West Virginia														10											
AREA C																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga.															84		19	3	3		3				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga.							1		1		1	2	2		126	33	60	33	72	16	26	12	1		3
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga.															31		1	1							
Civil institutions, Georgia															1										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla.						1									56	56	9	8	8	1	23				1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla.																2	1						1		
State institutions, Florida																22									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C.	12		1	2	2	6	54	16	114	2	27	28	70	34	105	40	167	53	36	8	41	12	1		6
State institutions, North Carolina																	10								
Civil institutions, North Carolina			1																						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn.									1						35		32	42	57	1	22	30	4		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City, Tenn.		1					2	2	8	1	13	13	50	23	79	26	60	72	185	7	39	14	1		3
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La.									1						5	1	2	1	2	113	43	103	4		5
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La.	1																			183	35	48	1		1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La.																			1	43	3	4			1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala.	2		1				1		18		1		6		47	24	71	40	28	70	132	53	15	4	18
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss.									2		1		2		66	15	28	21	17	40	80	51	2	4	21
State institutions, Mississippi																						23			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 78, N. Little Rock, Ark.							1				1				8	3	2	1	6	24	51	21	122	60	173
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark.	2					2	3	2	1		1	1	1		3				4	3	8	1	49	13	24
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla.	1																				1		51	151	57
State institutions, Oklahoma																								23	1
Civil institutions, Oklahoma																								47	2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 93, Legion, Tex.							1		3		1	1			5		1		6	7	7	9	62	42	197
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex.		1					2		1						1			1	3	2	1		7	3	68
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex.							2												2	4	3		11	9	167
State institutions, Texas																									3
Civil institutions, Texas																									5

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Hospital designation and location	Home address (area and State)																									
	Area A						Area B							Area C												
	Massachusetts	Maine	New Hampshire	Rhode Island	Vermont	Connecticut	New York	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Delaware	District of Columbia	Maryland	Virginia	West Virginia	Georgia	Florida	North Carolina	South Carolina	Tennessee	Louisiana	Alabama	Mississippi	Arkansas	Oklahoma	Texas
AREA D																										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio						1	4		90				2	19	5	5	11	1	10				1		
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio									1																2
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio						1	1		2		1	1	5	4	1				4						
Civil institutions, Ohio							1		2					2										1	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind	2	1					12	4	45				1	1	8	1	5	1	7	1	4		1	4	7
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky											1			3											
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky	2								35		3	4	1	3			1		3		4		2		1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky																			1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill																	1								
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill							3		1										2		1				1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill							3		1										1			1	1		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill													1												
State institutions, Illinois						1	1												1	2					
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich	2					1	1		6								1		1						
State institutions, Michigan							1		1						1			1	2			1			
Civil institutions, Michigan							1						1					1	1						1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis																									
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis				1			2		2					1	1			1					1		
State institutions, Wisconsin			1															1							1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo																					1		1		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo																								2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo																								2	1
Civil institutions, Missouri																								1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa									2														1	3	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn																		1							
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn							1									1									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn							1		1							1									
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak							1							1									1		
Nationl Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans															1					1		1	1	1	1
AREA E																										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont							2																		
State institutions, Montana																1									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo	5			2		4	2	4	8		4	1	3				1	1	1	2	2	2	1	22	1
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo	11		1	3		5	32	13	22	4	3	4	5	4	6	7	11	3	11	3	11	5	10	9	21
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex	4					2	12	4	7			2		2	5	5	3		6	12	3	7	11	20	55
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo	2					1	2		6		1					1			1				5	11	35
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif	5				1		7	2	2		1	1							3	1		3	2	1	16
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif	10		1			1	13		11			1	1	2		1	2		1	1	5	2			6
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif	4				1		4	3	1							2	2							1	2
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif	1						1	1	2								2					1			1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif		1																							
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif																	1								
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif	4			1		1			1					1						1					2
Civil institutions, California	2					1	3		2			1				1			1					2	2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz	4	1					19	3	13		2	4	2	5	5	2	3	1	6	4	10	3	15	8	23
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz	5		1				11	1	11				3	1	2	1	1	2	10	2	3	4	5	4	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash							1								1										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash							4					1			1										1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash	1						1	1	1							1	1						1		
State istitutions, Washington									1					1											
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho							1						1												
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg							2				1										1				
Grand total	1,066	133	91	168	60	342	2,464	625	1,710	55	341	329	524	316	737	275	546	315	548	592	591	429	401	455	993

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Hospital designation and location	Home address (area and State)																								
	Area D													Area E										Unknown and miscellaneous	Total
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Illinois	Michigan	Wisconsin	Missouri	Iowa	Nebraska	Minnesota	North Dakota	South Dakota	Kansas	Montana	Colorado	New Mexico	Utah	Wyoming	California	Arizona	Washington	Idaho	Oregon	Nevada	
AREA A																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass																								1	272
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 89, Rutland, Mass																								2	154
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 95, Northampton, Mass			1													1								17	469
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass																							1	4	199
State institutions, Massachusetts																								6	43
Civil institutions, Massachusetts																								1	34
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 16, Portland, Me																									4
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me																								2	21
State institutions, Maine																									6
Civil institutions, Maine																								1	23
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H																									12
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I			1																						81
State institutions, Rhode Island																									5
Civil institutions, Rhode Island																									5
State institutions, Vermont																									7
Civil institutions, Vermont																									4
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn			2															1			1			2	405
State institutions, Connecticut																								14	48
Civil institutions, Connecticut																								2	12
AREA B																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y	1	1			2		1			1					1									30	740
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y	3				1															2				4	377
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y	2	1			1	1									1					1		1		3	343
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y																									22
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y																									3
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y		2		2																				2	184
State institutions, New York											1									2				365	755
Civil institutions, New York	11	1	1		5		2	1		2														16	660
State institutions, New Jersey																	1							18	101
Civil institutions, New Jersey																								7	69
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa																								4	265
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa																									45
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa																								3	131
State institutions, Pennsylvania																								3	119
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania																								5	110
Civil institutions, Delaware																									11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C	2		2	1		1	2			2			2							2				2	171
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C	5	1	6	4	2		2	2	3	2			2	1	2	2		1		2		2		6	456
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C	1	1		1	1			1																14	102
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C	18	9	11	24	11	7	10	3	1	8	1		4	3	3		1	2	11	1	1	3	2	151	920
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md	1			4	2	1				4		1	1						1					41	638
State institutions, Maryland																									7
Civil institutions, Maryland				1																				1	6
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va												1												2	82
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va																									4
State institutions, Virginia										1														2	137
Civil institutions, Virginia																								1	7
State institutions, West Virginia																								1	33
Civil institutions, West Virginia																									10
AREA C																									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga		1																						4	117
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga	2				1																			15	407
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga																									33
Civil institutions, Georgia																									1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla			1																	1				1	166
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla																									4
State institutions, Florida																									22
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C	13	10	9	4	5	1	5	1		2										3		1		6	897
State institutions, North Carolina																								1	11
Civil institutions, North Carolina																									1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn		1	2							1														2	230
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City, Tenn	16	3	12	4		2	2				1													4	643
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La																								1	281
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La																								4	273
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La	1																								53
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala	3	2	7	1			9	1	1				2		1						1			21	580
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss	2	1		3									1						3					1	361
State institutions, Mississippi																				1				1	25
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 78, N. Little Rock, Ark	2	1		2		1	12	1	1	1			5		1	3				4	2			19	528
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark	2	2		5	3		1			3			2	1	2					2			1	2	144
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla	1		1	1			1												1	1		1			268
State institutions, Oklahoma																								1	25
Civil institutions, Oklahoma																								3	52
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 93, Legion, Tex	2	3	2	1		1	3					3								1					358
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex	1		1	1		1	2		1	1			1			12						1			112
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex	4	1		2					1				1								1			1	209
State institutions, Texas																									3
Civil institutions, Texas																									5

TABLE No. 34.—*Patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment June 30, 1925, for all diseases and conditions, by hospital and home address (State)*—Continued

Hospital designation and location	Home address (area and State)																								
	Area D													Area E											
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Illinois	Michigan	Wisconsin	Missouri	Iowa	Nebraska	Minnesota	North Dakota	South Dakota	Kansas	Montana	Colorado	New Mexico	Utah	Wyoming	California	Arizona	Washington	Idaho	Oregon	Nevada	Unknown and miscellaneous	Total
AREA D																										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio	210	23	69	1	1	1	1			1			1		1				1		1				17	477
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio	22	1																								24
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio	149	49	21	5	1			1		1					1										4	254
State institutions, Ohio	7																									7
Civil institutions, Ohio	11	2	3	1	1			1				1									1					27
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 8, Evansville, Ind		10	5																						1	16
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind	120	141	55	67	27	6	29	12	12	29	8	3	18	4	1				4		1	1			76	719
Civil institutions, Indiana	1	12																								13
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky	34	13	29																						1	81
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky	53	56	73	28		3	28						1						1							302
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky		1	20																	1						23
State institutions, Kentucky			11																							11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill	1	29		64	4	3							1													103
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	12	52	10	494	112	34	1	4		3			2		2										3	737
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 5, Chicago, Ill				1		1																				2
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill	28	13	11	157	34	12	1	3	1	2				1	1			1							3	275
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill		1		6																						8
State institutions, Illinois	1	2		552		2		1							1				1		1				33	599
Civil institutions, Illinois		1		10																					7	18
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich	4	3	1	31	266	15	16	2	2	1				1	1				2				1		60	418
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 7, Detroit, Mich	1				19																					20
State institutions, Michigan					23																				6	30
Civil institutions, Michigan	2			3	177																				6	194
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis	14	48	8	19	18	45	23	25	3	31	1	4	1	8					1				1		1	256
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis	3	3	2	102	17	153	5	3	1	10	2				1				1						1	313
State institutions, Wisconsin			1	3	2	209				1											1				8	228
Civil institutions, Wisconsin				1		7																			1	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo		1		1			58	5	2				22													91
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo			1	21	1		140	31	35	1			3						1						1	237
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo	1	1		1			22	19	7				16	1	3			1								75
State institutions, Missouri							4																		1	5
Civil institutions, Missouri								1					1												3	6
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa	1	1	3	8		1	166	121	47	5	2	4	50		2	1		1	2						23	453
State institutions, Iowa								13																		13
Civil institutions, Iowa				1				10																		11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn	2		2							182	7	32		8				1	1							237
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn	1					4	1	5	3	180	14	12		1												222
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn				1	1	3	1	1	1	221	42	41		2					1						10	328
State institutions, Minnesota										30		2														32
Civil institutions, Minnesota	1					3		1		69		1				1			1						2	79
State institutions, North Dakota																									1	1
Civil institutions, North Dakota										2	15														1	18
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak	1					2		1	2	3	3	30		1				1	1		1		1			50
Civil institutions, South Dakota												1														1
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans			1	2			22	5	5				17													58
State institutions, Kansas													1													1
Civil institutions, Kansas																									1	1
AREA E																										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont			1		1			1		9	13	7	1	163					2		2					202
State institutions, Montana				1										3												5
Civil institutions														5												5
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo	5	4	1	16	4	1	57	47	9	8	4	5	35		51	3	7	1	2		5					331
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo	28	9	12	36	23	11	21	6	9	13	1	5	14	4	266	17	13	19	16	4	5	4	5		34	779
Civil institutions, Colorado															2											2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex	6	3	5	13	9	2	21	2	1	10	3	2	4	1	7	103	1		4	2	6		1		7	373
Civil institutions, Utah														1			3								4	8
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo	2	1		4	2		6	3	7	2		2	8	39	77	32	14	26	3	2	1	4	1		30	331
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif	3	2		6	3	2	6	3		8	1		3	4	3	3	3	1	327	20	7	6	3	7	108	574
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif	5	2	1	11	1	1	2	3		4	2	2	2	2	5	1	1		194	6	3	2	6	3	8	325
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif	2			2	2	2	4	2	1	5		2	1	2		1	1		147	3	2	1	4	1	11	216
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif	1		1	2			1	2	1	1							2		257	3	6			1	14	301
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif		1						1		2									9		1					15
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif																			51			1			3	56
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif	1	1		4	1			1				1	1	1					20						181	223
Civil institutions, California				2		2	3	1		1			2					1	77		2				7	113
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz	9	14	11	16	7	6	15	18	4	26	2	5	5	3	3	4	2	1	54	70	13	2	4		3	430
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz	12	7	1	11	6	1	9	4		3		1	4		2	1			19	44	2		1		11	215
Civil institutions, Arizona																				4					3	7
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash			1	1										2	1						104	2	6		6	125
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash	1	1						1		1		1	1	7		1	1		3		110	6	60		3	204
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash		1	1	4	2	1	2	2		2			1	2	3				11		150	26	69		16	300
U. S. Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash																					6	1				7
State institutions, Washington				3											1	1					26	5	9		6	53
Civil institutions, Washington																					1					1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho				1	1									2			1		1		8	83	10	2		111
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg		1		1										1					1		10		75			93
State institutions, Nevada																									1	1
Total	849	550	420	1,775	800	549	718	371	161	895	123	169	237	274	446	187	51	62	1,250	164	484	147	261	15	1,546	26,610

TABLE NO. 35.—*Patients under treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau in all hospitals June 30, 1925, by branch of service, type of patient, and home address (State)*

Type of patient and branch of service	Home address (area and State)																									
	Area A						Area B								Area C											
	Massachusetts	Maine	New Hampshire	Rhode Island	Vermont	Connecticut	New York	New Jersey	Pennsylvania	Delaware	District of Columbia	Maryland	Virginia	West Virginia	Georgia	Florida	North Carolina	South Carolina	Tennessee	Louisiana	Alabama	Mississippi	Arkansas	Oklahoma	Texas
PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS																										
United States Veterans' Bureau	207	13	22	21	11	132	739	180	297	2	69	49	82	58	155	65	197	72	85	196	159	169	108	117	308	1
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C							1																			
U. S. Marine							1		1						4					5						
U. S. Army	10	1	1	3		5	31	13	24	3	9	15	8	10	7	6	9	3	13	11	14	5	24	13	128	
U. S. Navy	22		3	8	1	2	1	4	8		4	3	16	4									1		1	
Soldiers' homes	4	5		2	1	1	7	2	13	1	14	14	53	27	81	26	62	70	185	9	37	14	3	1	6	
State		4		4				3	36	1		3	2													
Civil	48	18	3	6	3	21	444	86	89	6	3	2	7	6	1	1	1	2	3					44	4	
Total	291	41	29	44	16	161	1,224	288	468	13	99	86	168	105	248	98	269	147	286	221	210	188	136	175	448	
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC																										
United States Veterans' Bureau	513	58	42	76	21	87	532	130	637	15	28	114	34	51	249	73	148	87	150	157	202	106	149	105	279	
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	18	2		4		9	49	23	163	2	93	32	51	19	19	13	8	11	18	34	17	12	5	3	23	
U. S. Marine		1							4						4			1		4						
U. S. Army				1		1	3	3	8	15		7	9	4	1	1	3		1		1		3	4	41	
U. S. Navy	22	3	4	5	1	1	10	1	30	2	1	2	12	2					1			1			1	
Soldiers' homes	4	4			1		8	3	46				2	1	6	1	2	1	8	1	4		1	3	6	
State	36	2	1	1	7	36	380	79	78	1	1	3	121	38	2	22	10	2	2	2		26		22	5	
Civil	3		1		3		17	32	23					1		2								5	5	
Total	596	70	48	87	33	134	999	271	989	35	125	158	229	116	281	112	171	102	180	198	224	145	158	142	360	
GENERAL																										
United States Veterans' Bureau	15	2			1	10	37	17	50	1	34	21	19	19	170	60	87	59	66	135	139	87	53	116	62	
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C									2				1						1	1						
U. S. Marine		3					24		40					1	23		1		2	34	3	4			1	
U. S. Army	20	1		2	1	6	28	8	42	3	66	49	40	48	10	2	13	4	9	3	12	4	52	18	117	
U. S Navy	138	9	14	32	9	30	123	28	91	3	19	12	60	12	1	2	4				1		1		1	
Soldiers' homes	1	6				1	4	1				1	4	3	3		1	3	3		2	1	1	1	3	
State	1						2	1	1				3	1		1				1				1		
Civil	4	1		3			23	11	27			2		11	1				1					2	1	
Total	179	22	14	37	11	47	241	66	253	7	119	85	127	95	208	65	106	66	82	173	157	96	107	138	185	
TOTAL																										
United States Veterans' Bureau	735	73	64	97	33	229	1,308	327	984	18	131	184	135	128	574	198	432	218	301	488	500	362	310	338	649	
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	18	2		4		9	50	23	165	2	93	32	52	19	19	13	8	11	19	35	17	12	5	3	24	
U. S. Marine		4					25		45					1	31		1	1	2	43	3	4			1	
U. S. Army	30	2	1	6	1	12	62	24	74	21	75	71	57	62	18	9	25	7	23	14	27	9	79	35	286	
U. S. Navy	182	12	21	45	11	33	134	33	129	5	24	17	88	18	1	2	4		1		1	1	2		3	
Soldiers' homes	9	15		2	2	2	19	6	59	1	14	15	59	31	90	27	65	74	196	10	43	15	5	5	15	
State	37	6	1	5	7	36	382	83	115	2	1	6	126	39	2	23	10	2	2	2		26		23	5	
Civil	55	19	4	9	6	21	484	129	139	6	3	4	7	18	2	3	1	2	4					51	10	
Grand total	1,066	133	91	168	60	342	2,464	625	1,710	55	341	329	524	316	737	275	546	315	548	592	591	429	401	455	993	

TABLE No. 35—*Patients under treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau in all hospitals June 30, 1925, by branch of service, type of patient, and home address (State)*—Continued

Type of patient and branch of service	Home address (area and State)																										
	Area D													Area E											Unknown and miscellaneous	Total
	Ohio	Indiana	Kentucky	Illinois	Michigan	Wisconsin	Missouri	Iowa	Nebraska	Minnesota	North Dakota	South Dakota	Kansas	Montana	Colorado	New Mexico	Utah	Wyoming	California	Arizona	Washington	Idaho	Oregon	Nevada		
PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS																											
United States Veterans' Bureau	121	113	113	249	66	32	178	87	21	246	36	40	65	76	62	83	13	3	420	110	159	32	82	4	62	5,986
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C																										2
U. S. Marine	3	2	6	1	5																				1	29
U. S. Army	22	9	10	30	20	10	16	4	8	9			12	3	111	9	1	6	18	4	5		3		27	703
U. S. Navy	1	2	1	6	1	2		1		1									1						7	101
Soldiers' homes	104	31	25	108	13	95	26	10	7	11	3	22	16	2	1				11						116	1,239
State			1					12		28		2	1												2	99
Civil	20	7	2	16	171	5	2	4		66	7	1		2		1			12	1					40	1,155
Total	271	164	158	410	276	144	222	118	36	361	46	65	94	83	174	93	14	9	462	115	164	32	85	4	255	9,314
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC																											
United States Veterans' Bureau	235	89	84	217	306	71	276	160	69	312	49	57	81	73	88	39	16	30	328	26	165	53	80	6	409	7,362
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	18	9	11	24	11	7	10	3	1	8	1		4	3	3		1	2	10	1	1	3	2		150	911
U. S. Marine	1	1	2		1	1																				20
U. S. Army	1		3	2	1			2		2		1	1		21	2	2	1	28		2	2	1		7	185
U. S. Navy	24	11	7	92	25	8	1	3	1	2		1		1				1	9		1				4	290
Soldiers' homes	119	134	53	66	26	11	27	11	13	26	9	7	18	4	1				5		1	1			80	714
State	8	2	11	558	25	211	4	2		4	1			3	2	1	1		4		28	5	9	1	465	2,222
Civil	1			1	7	6	3	2		1	1		2		2		1	1	63		2				16	201
Total	407	246	171	960	402	315	321	183	84	355	61	66	106	84	117	42	21	35	447	27	200	64	92	7	1,131	11,905
GENERAL																											
United States Veterans' Bureau	57	81	48	306	81	28	158	55	34	156	6	27	27	100	15	32	2	4	46	14	104	47	80	3	28	2,799
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C																			1						1	7
U. S. Marine	20	9	17		13															1						196
U. S. Army	18	4	7	18	7	2	11	4	7	9	1	4	7	3	138	20	12	13	231	4	7	2	2	1	23	1,113
U. S. Navy	4	4	4	62	9	2		1		1					1				50		6	2	1		20	757
Soldiers' homes	67	33	13	16	7	57	5	2		6	2	5	2		1			1	10		1		1		72	340
State				1																						12
Civil	5	9	2	2	5	1	1	8		7	7	2	1	4			2		3	3	2				16	167
Total	171	140	91	405	122	90	175	70	41	179	16	38	37	107	155	52	16	18	341	22	120	51	84	4	160	5,391
TOTAL																											
United States Veterans' Bureau	413	283	245	772	453	131	612	302	124	714	91	124	173	249	165	154	31	37	794	150	428	132	242	13	499	16,147
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	18	9	11	24	11	7	10	3	1	8	1		4	3	3		1	2	11	1	1	3	2		151	920
U. S. Marine	24	12	25	1	19	1														1					1	245
U. S. Army	41	13	20	50	28	12	27	10	15	20	1	5	20	6	270	31	15	20	277	8	14	4	6	1	57	2,001
U. S. Navy	29	17	12	160	35	12	1	5	1	4		1		1	1			1	60		7	2	1		31	1,148
Soldiers' homes	290	198	91	190	46	163	58	23	20	43	14	34	36	6	3			1	26		2	1	1		268	2,293
State	8	2	12	559	25	211	4	14		32	1	2	1	3	2	1			4		28	5	9	1	467	2,333
Civil	26	16	4	19	183	12	6	14		74	15	3	3	6	2	1	3	1	78	4	4				72	1,523
Grand total	849	550	420	1,775	800	549	718	371	161	895	123	169	237	274	446	187	51	62	1,250	164	484	147	261	15	1,546	26,610

TABLE No. 36.—*Patients under treatment by the United States Veterans' Bureau in all hospitals June 30, 1925, by area, groups of hospitals, and type of patient showing patients hospitalized in home State*

Groups of hospitals	Type of patient									
	Pulmonary tuberculosis		Psychotic		Nervous and endocrines		General		Total	
	Hospitalized in home State	Hospitalized in other States	Hospitalized in home State	Hospitalized in other States	Hospitalized in home State	Hospitalized in other States	Hospitalized in home State	Hospitalized in other States	Hospitalized in home State	Hospitalized in other States
AREA A										
United States Veterans'	218	192	454	274	51	36	11	17	734	519
Other Government	30	40	7	39	20	17	169	107	226	203
State and civil	60	49	99	4	6	1	10	1	175	55
Total	308	281	560	317	77	54	190	125	1,135	777
AREA B										
United States Veterans'	463	1,020	773	596	139	108	73	127	1,448	1,851
Other Government	38	255	236	388	58	76	423	309	755	1,028
State and civil	583	127	1,087	29	47	6	72	12	1,789	174
Total	1,084	1,402	2,096	1,013	244	190	568	448	3,992	3,053
AREA C										
United States Veterans'	575	1,065	372	1,050	96	242	470	574	1,513	2,931
Other Government	316	428	31	194	16	24	189	153	552	799
State and civil	50	9	82	18	3	5	5	2	140	34
Total	941	1,502	485	1,262	115	271	664	729	2,205	3,764
AREA D										
United States veterans'	439	929	973	717	192	237	617	449	2,221	2,332
Other Government	235	422	236	485	79	93	260	209	810	1,209
State and civil	317	43	818	21	57	6	41	13	1,233	83
Total	991	1,394	2,027	1,223	328	336	918	671	4,264	3,624
AREA E										
United States veterans'	796	289	554	311	119	68	381	80	1,850	748
Other Government	263	47	20	37	50	14	508	86	841	184
State and civil	13	3	78	25	29	2	22	1	142	31
Total	1,072	339	652	373	198	84	911	167	2,833	963
ALL AREAS										
United States veterans'	2,491	3,495	3,126	2,948	597	691	1,552	1,247	7,766	8,381
Other Government	882	1,192	530	1,143	223	224	1,549	864	3,184	3,423
State and civil	1,023	231	2,164	97	142	20	150	29	3,479	377
Grand total	4,396	4,918	5,820	4,188	962	935	3,251	2,140	14,429	12,181

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Hospital designation and location	Class of disease													
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AREA A														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital, No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass				1										
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass		1	9	5	3		16	12	5	1	6	3	21	4
Civil institutions, Massachusetts							1				1			
U. S. Marine Hospital, No. 16, Portland, Me								1					1	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me				2			2							1
Civil institutions, Maine				1										
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H							1						1	
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I			1	2	1		11	4	3	2	2			
Civil institutions, Rhode Island				1				1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital, No. 41, New Haven, Conn				1			1						1	
Civil institutions, Connecticut				1										
AREA B														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y				1	8				1	1				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y								1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y								1						
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y			1	1			6	1		1	2	1	3	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y							2							
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y			12	14	3		19	9	4	2	7	5	15	3
Civil institutions, New York			1	1			3		1				2	
Civil institutions, New Jersey				1					1		1	1	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa											5			
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa			3	4			4	2	2		3	2	7	
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa			1	11	1		7	9	5	1	6	5	9	3
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania		1	1	2				1	1				1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C			1	11	1	1	6	5	5	2	11	2	8	1
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C	1	4	27	24	6		40	24	7	10	13	11	32	
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C		1	3	4			5	5	3		3	1	6	
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C				1			1			1				
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md		1	1	1	1		1	1	4				1	
Civil institutions, Maryland							1							
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va			4	8			5	7	1	1	6	1	6	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va				1										
State institutions, West Virginia								1						
Civil institutions, West Virginia		1		1			2				1			
AREA C														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga		2	10	9			14	11	1		7	5	11	2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga					1									
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga		1						2	1		2		2	
Civil institutions, Georgia				1										
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla		1	3	23	6		16	8	2	2	5	2	7	
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla								1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C				1			3	2					2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn		1	7	9	3	1	6	18	2	1	10	4	17	1
National Home Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City Tenn				1		1								
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La						1		1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La	1	2	7	25	5	1	16	10	5	3	7	9	12	1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La		1	2	5			3	5			4		2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala			1	7	4	2	2			2	3	1	3	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss				6	2		2	2	11	1				1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark				1	2						2			
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark			5	10	5		8	2	2	3	11	1	55	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla			7	8	5		27	9	2	3	12	8	25	1
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex		1	1	1	1		6	1	1		2		1	
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex		1	3	4			1	3	2	1	2	3	6	2
AREA D														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio			2	2			1		1		1			
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio		1		1			2		2		1	2		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio			2	6	1		6	20	2	1	6	4	17	1
Civil institutions, Ohio							1							
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 8, Evansville, Ind			2	2			1	1			1			1
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind				1				1			1			
Civil institutions, Indiana							1	1						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky			3	5	9		9	5	2	1	6	1	6	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky			1		2		5	3	1		2			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill			3	10	1		12	1	3		9	4	12	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	2		28	35	6		45	18	19	2	14	10	45	4
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill	1		3	9	2		6	1	8	2	3	1	4	2
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill				1							2		3	

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AREA D—continued														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich				1	2								1	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 7, Detroit, Mich				1									1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis			1	4	11	1		2	22	1	2	1	1	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis		1	1	8			6	8	2		4	6	11	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo		1	1	2	1		6	2	4	2	3	3	1	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo	1		8	7	6		20	13	8	7	10	5	18	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo	1	1	1	6			9	1	8		3	1	23	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa				2										
Civil institutions, Iowa			1					1	2					
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn		4	3	15	7		20	4	8	1	5	7	15	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn			1										1	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn					1									
Civil institutions, Minnesota								1						
Civil institutions, North Dakota									1		1		2	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak								1			1		9	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans				1			1	1		1		1		
AREA E														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont	1		2	10	1		13	7	1		2	3	10	
Civil institutions, Montana			1					1			1			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo								1						
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo			13	15	5	1	31	18	7	2	16	7	26	2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex			2	4	1		4	6				2	3	
Civil institutions, Utah				2			1	2	1					
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo				5	1								1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif				3	8		1		2				4	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif							1							
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif	1	2	12	20	6	2	62	16	6	2	11	12	17	
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif				3	1				2					
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif			5	8			8	3	3		3	3	5	
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif														
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif			6	8	1		17	3	2	2	4	2	9	
Civil institutions, California				1	1		1	4						
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz				1	1			2				1	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz			1	3			1				1		2	
Civil institutions, Arizona							2	1					1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash			5	9	3		19	3	7	2	6	1	11	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash				1	2									
U. S. Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash			1								1	2		
Civil institutions, Washington											1			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho			3	3	3	1	8	2	1		2	2	1	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg	2	1	6	4		3	11	9	3		5	4	10	1
Total	11	30	229	430	141	15	569	323	200	63	262	150	528	36

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AREA A														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass		52			2	211					1	4	1	272
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 89, Rutland, Mass									153	1				154
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 95, Northampton, Mass		28				438			2			1		469
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass	2	10				15	5	4	18	4	6	1	48	199
State institutions, Massachusetts		1				41						1		43
Civil institutions, Massachusetts						4	1		26	1				34
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 16, Portland, Me		1											1	4
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me		8				1	1		6					21
State institutions, Maine						2			4					6
Civil institutions, Maine									22					23
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H							1		3		1		5	12
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I		4					7	1	17			2	24	81
State institutions, Rhode Island						1			4					5
Civil institutions, Rhode Island									1				2	5
State institutions, Vermont		1				6								7
Civil institutions, Vermont						3			1					4
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn							1		399	2				405
State institutions, Connecticut		4				44								48
Civil institutions, Connecticut									11					12
AREA B														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y		103			2	605			2		3	9	5	740
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y									376					377
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y									342					343
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y							2		1				3	22
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y													1	3
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y		3		1			8	7	3	2	1	3	63	184
State institutions, New York		24			1	729							1	755
Civil institutions, New York		1				6	4		634	2	1		4	660
State institutions, New Jersey		1				96			3				1	101
Civil institutions, New Jersey		9				37	1		7				10	69
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa		21			1	230	2					5	1	265
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa		1					2	1	1				13	45
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa	2	23				3	8	1	7	1	4	4	20	131
State institutions, Pennsylvania						80			37				2	119
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania	2	5				16	4		64		1	1	10	110
Civil institutions, Delaware									11					11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C		8		1		19	10	2	40		2	1	34	171
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C	2	30		1		25	26	5	43	17	8	8	92	456
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C		6				3	10		26	3	1	3	19	102
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C		63			1	848			2			3	1	920
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md		104			2	508			2			7	4	638
State institutions, Maryland						4			3					7
Civil institutions, Maryland				1	1	1					1		1	6
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va		9				2	2		14	1		4	11	82
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va		2										1		4
State institutions, Virginia		7			1	125			3			1		137
Civil institutions, Virginia									7					7
State institutions, West Virginia		2				30								33
Civil institutions, West Virginia									1				4	10
AREA C														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga		4		1		1	4	2	4	3	2		24	117
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga		17				383			1				5	407
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga		2		1		2	2	1	4			2	11	33
Civil institutions, Georgia														1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla	1	8		2	1	3	15	1	14	2	2	13	29	166
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla									1				2	4
State institutions, Florida		2				19						1		22
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C							26		834	25		1	3	897
State institutions, North Carolina						11								11
Civil institutions, North Carolina						1								1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn	1	9	1	3		17	1	2	36		4	15	61	230
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City, Tenn							8		633					643
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La							1		276			1	1	281
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La	2	22		6		26	18	3	30	1	3	14	44	273
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La		3				1	2		5			20		53
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala	1	28				244	4		164	6	1	14	92	580
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss		166				154		1	1			6	8	351
State institutions, Mississippi						25								25
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 78, North Little Rock, Ark		38				475		1	1			6	2	528
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark	4	6		1			1	3	1	2		11	14	144
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 90, Muskogee, Okla	1	13		5		31	9	5	26	5	2	7	57	268
State institutions, Oklahoma						24						1		25
Civil institutions, Oklahoma						3			48	1				52
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 93, Legion, Tex									358					358
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex		2				16	7		61	2			9	112
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex	1	2		1		21	8		103	2	1	7	35	209
State institutions, Texas						3								3
Civil institutions, Texas		1							3				1	5

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AREA D														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital, No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio	1	46				398		1	2	1		14	7	477
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio		1					2		3				9	24
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio	1	9					10	2	135	4	4	8	15	254
State institutions, Ohio						7								7
Civil institutions, Ohio						1			6	1			18	27
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 8, Evansville, Ind							1		5			1	1	16
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind		52				618			12			16	18	719
Civil institutions, Indiana									6				5	13
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky		1					5		10	3		1	14	81
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky									302					302
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky		1							4				4	23
State institutions, Kentucky						10			1					11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill		1		1	1		11	3	9			1	21	103
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	2	52	1	2	1	120	18	7	191	34	8	18	55	737
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 5, Chicago, Ill		1							1					2
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill	1	84				87	9	4	8	1		16	23	275
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill		1					1							8
State institutions, Illinois		45			1	553								599
Civil institutions, Illinois									18					18
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich		52		2		358						3		418
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 7, Detroit, Mich		1					1	1	5	1	1	1	7	20
State institutions, Michigan		3				27								30
Civil institutions, Michigan						9			180	2			3	194
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis	3	123				65	1	2	3		1	2	10	256
National Home for Disabled Volunteer, Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis	1	4					6		239	2	1	5	8	313
State institutions, Wisconsin		7				221								228
Civil institutions, Wisconsin						5			3			1		9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo	1	8				8	4		19			2	22	91
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo	3	10		2		20	8		44	15	1		30	237
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo		6				1	5	1	1	1	1	1	4	75
State institutions, Missouri						5								5
Civil institutions, Missouri		1				3			1				1	6
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa		25				422						4		453
State institutions, Iowa						1			12					13
Civil institutions, Iowa							1		3	1			2	11
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn	1	26		32		14	3	7	13	10	4	10	28	237
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn		1					3		208	7				222
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn		12				312						2	1	328
State institutions, Minnesota						2			30					32
Civil institutions, Minnesota				1				1	73				3	79
State institutions, North Dakota									1					1
Civil institutions, North Dakota									9				5	18
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak		3				4	2		27			3		50
Civil institutions, South Dakota													1	1
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans									51		1	1		58
State institutions, Kansas									1					1
Civil institutions, Kansas					1									1
AREA E														
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont	1	4				16	11	1	95	2	2	3	17	202
State institutions, Montana		1				4								5
Civil institutions, Montana									1				1	5
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo							6		318	5			1	331
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo	2	10				21	33	2	487	40	1	1	39	779
Civil institutions, Colorado						2								2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex	1	1					15	1	321		2	3	7	373
Civil institutions, Utah									1			1		8
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo		27				293			3			6	1	331
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif		64			2	463			6			22	3	574
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif							5		309			1		325
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif									215					216
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif	4	24		4	1	3	12	9	8	3	4	1	59	301
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif	1	2						2	3				1	15
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif		3				2	1	1	1		2	1	7	56
National Home for Disabled Volunteers Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif		5		1	1	1	12	3	136	1		2	7	223
Civil institutions, California		39		1		47		1	17		1			113
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz		1					6		410	3		2	2	430
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz		3		1			5	1	195			1	1	215
Civil institutions, Arizona									1				2	7
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash	1	14		1		4	4	4	13	2		6	10	125
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash		1					1		195	7				204
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash		47				229			3			11	7	300
U. S. Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash											3			7
State institutions, Washington		1				52								53
Civil institutions, Washington														1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho	2	14				5	3	2	37	1	1	4	15	111
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg		6		2	1	1	3	1	3			4	13	93
State institutions, Nevada						1								1
Total	45	1,697	2	74	21	10,008	408	97	9,314	230	83	357	1,287	26,610

TABLE No. 38.—*Patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment June 30, 1925, by hospital, sex and color*

Hospital designation and location	Both sexes				Male				Female white
	Total	White	Colored (black)	Unknown and others	Total	White	Colored (black)	Unknown and others	
AREA A									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 44, West Roxbury, Mass	272	271	1		272	271	1		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 89, Rutland, Mass	154	153	1		154	153	1		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 95, Northampton, Mass	469	464	5		469	464	5		
U. S. Naval Hospital, Chelsea, Mass	199	193	2	4	199	193	2	4	
State institutions, Massachusetts	43	36	2	5	40	33	2	5	3
Civil institutions, Massachusetts	34	33		1	33	32		1	1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 16, Portland, Me	4	4			4	4			
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Togus, Me	21	21			21	21			
State institutions, Maine	6	6			6	6			
Civil institutions, Maine	23	23			22	22			1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, N. H	12	12			12	12			
U. S. Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I	81	78	3		81	78	3		
State institutions, Rhode Island	5	5			5	5			
Civil institutions, Rhode Island	5	5			5	5			
State institutions, Vermont	7	7			7	7			
Civil institutions, Vermont	4	4			4	4			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 41, New Haven, Conn	405	379	25	1	404	378	25	1	1
State institutions, Connecticut	48	37	3	8	48	37	3	8	
Civil institutions, Connecticut	12	12			10	10			2
AREA B									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 81, Bronx, N. Y	740	720	18	2	740	720	18	2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 96, Tupper Lake, N. Y	377	368	5	4	377	368	5	4	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 98, Castle Point, N. Y	343	335	3	5	332	324	3	5	11
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 3, Buffalo, N. Y	22	22			22	22			
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 21, Stapleton, N. Y	3	3			3	3			
U. S. Naval Hospital, Brooklyn, N. Y	184	170	8	6	184	170	8	6	
State institutions, New York	755	603	21	131	752	600	21	131	3
Civil institutions, New York	660	637	9	14	648	625	9	14	12
State institutions, New Jersey	101	87	3	11	101	87	3	11	
Civil institutions, New Jersey	69	65	1	3	69	65	1	3	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa	265	239	26		265	239	26		
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 15, Pittsburgh, Pa	45	44	1		45	44	1		
U. S. Naval Hospital, League Island, Pa	131	107	19	5	131	107	19	5	
State institutions, Pennsylvania	119	110	7	2	118	109	7	2	1
Civil institutions, Pennsylvania	110	102	3	5	109	101	3	5	1
Civil institutions, Delaware	11	11			11	11			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 32, Washington, D. C	171	164	6	1	171	164	6	1	
U. S. Army Hospital, Washington, D. C	456	392	61	3	446	382	61	3	10
U. S. Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C	102	98	1	3	102	98	1	3	
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Washington, D. C	920	804	101	15	900	784	101	15	20
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 42, Perry Point, Md	638	636		2	638	636		2	
State institutions, Maryland	7	7			7	7			
Civil institutions, Maryland	6	6			5	5			1
U. S. Naval Hospital, Norfolk, Va	82	59	13	10	82	59	13	10	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hampton, Va	4	4			4	4			
State institutions, Virginia	137	104	31	2	137	104	31	2	
Civil institutions, Virginia	7	4	3		6	3	3		1
State institutions, West Virginia	33	22		11	33	22		11	
Civil institutions, West Virginia	10	9	1		10	9	1		
AREA C									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 48, Atlanta, Ga	117	110	7		117	110	7		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 62, Augusta, Ga	407	403		4	407	403		4	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 20, Savannah, Ga	33	21	12		33	21	12		
Civil institutions, Georgia	1	1							1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 63, Lake City, Fla	166	138	25	3	164	136	25	3	2
U. S. Naval Hospital, Pensacola, Fla	4	4			4	4			
State institutions, Florida	22	21		1	22	21		1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 60, Oteen, N. C	897	828	66	3	854	785	66	3	43
State institutions, North Carolina	11	6	4	1	11	6	4	1	
Civil institutions, North Carolina	1	1							1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 88, Memphis, Tenn	230	185	45		228	183	45		2
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Johnson City, Tenn	643	592	50	1	643	592	50	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 27, Alexandria, La	281	280	1		281	280	1		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 84, Algiers, La	273	197	76		273	197	76		
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 14, New Orleans, La	53	12	41		53	12	41		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala	580		580		580		580		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 74, Gulfport, Miss	361	360		1	361	360		1	
State institutions, Mississippi	25	25			25	25			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No 78, North Little Rock, Ark	528	525		3	528	525		3	
U. S. Army-Navy General Hospital, Hot Springs, Ark	144	124	20		144	124	20		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No 90, Muskogee, Okla	268	252	12	4	268	252	12	4	
State institutions, Oklahoma	25	24	1		25	24	1		
Civil institutions, Oklahoma	52	52			52	52			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 93, Legion, Tex	358	358			358	358			
U. S. Army Hospital, El Paso, Tex	112	95	17		112	95	17		
U. S. Army Hospital, San Antonio, Tex	209	160	48	1	209	160	48	1	
State institutions, Texas	3	3			3	3			
Civil institutions, Texas	5	5			2	2			3

TABLE No. 38.—*Patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment June 30, 1925, by hospital, sex and color*—Continued

Hospital designation and location	Both sexes				Male				Female white
	Total	White	Colored (black)	Unknown and others	Total	White	Colored (black)	Unknown and others	
AREA D									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 97, Chillicothe, Ohio	477	456	16	5	477	456	16	5	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 6, Cleveland, Ohio	24	23	1		24	23	1		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton, Ohio	254	213	41		254	213	41		
State institutions, Ohio	7	7			7	7			
Civil institutions, Ohio	27	26	1		26	25	1		1
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 8, Evansville, Ind	16	15	1		16	15	1		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Marion, Ind	719	668	34	17	719	668	34	17	
Civil institutions, Indiana	13	13			13	13			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 69, Fort Thomas, Ky	81	76	5		81	76	5		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 79, Dawson Springs, Ky	302	301		1	302	301		1	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 11, Louisville, Ky	23	20	3		23	20	3		
State institutions, Kentucky	11	5	2	4	11	5	2	4	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 53, Dwight, Ill	103	99	4		103	99	4		
U. S. Veterans' Hospital Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	737	669	63	5	730	662	63	5	7
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 5, Chicago, Ill	2	2			2	2			
U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill	275	258	16	1	275	258	16	1	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Danville, Ill	8	7	1		6	5	1		2
State institutions, Illinois	599	433	26	140	598	432	26	140	1
Civil institutions, Illinois	18	18			17	17			1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 100, Camp Custer, Mich	418	405	12	1	418	405	12	1	
U. S. Marine Hospital No. 7, Detroit, Mich	20	20			20	20			
State institutions, Michigan	30	29		1	29	28		1	1
Civil institutions, Michigan	194	185	8	1	194	185	8	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 37, Waukesha, Wis	256	253	2	1	255	252	2	1	1
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee, Wis	313	294	14	5	309	290	14	5	4
State institutions, Wisconsin	228	227		1	228	227		1	
Civil institutions, Wisconsin	9	9			9	9			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 67, Kansas City, Mo	91	90		1	91	90		1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 92, Jefferson Barracks, Mo	237	228	9		234	225	9		3
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 99, Excelsior Springs, Mo	75	75			75	75			
State institutions, Missouri	5	5			5	5			
Civil institutions, Missouri	6	4	1	1	6	4	1	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 57, Knoxville, Iowa	453	452		1	453	452		1	
State institutions, Iowa	13	13			13	13			
Civil institutions, Iowa	11	11			11	11			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 65, St. Paul, Minn	237	235	2		235	233	2		2
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 68, Minneapolis, Minn	222	220	1	1	222	220	1	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 101, St. Cloud, Minn	328	326	1	1	328	326	1	1	
State institutions, Minnesota	32	32			31	31			1
Civil institutions, Minnesota	79	78		1	76	75		1	3
State institutions, North Dakota	1			1	1			1	
Civil institutions, North Dakota	18	17		1	18	17		1	
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak	50	50			50	50			
Civil institutions, South Dakota	1	1			1	1			
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Leavenworth, Kans	58	47	11		58	47	11		
State institutions, Kansas	1	1			1	1			
Civil institutions, Kansas	1			1	1			1	
AREA E									
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 72, Helena, Mont	202	201		1	202	201		1	
State institutions, Montana	5	5			5	5			
Civil institutions, Montana	5	5			5	5			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 80, Fort Lyon, Colo	331	317	8	6	320	306	8	6	11
U. S. Army Hospital, Denver, Colo	779	752	23	4	756	729	23	4	23
Civil institutions, Colorado	2	2			2	2			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 55, Fort Bayard, N. Mex	373	343	28	2	359	329	28	2	14
Civil institutions, Utah	8	8			8	8			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 86, Sheridan, Wyo	331	327	3	1	331	327	3	1	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 24, Palo Alto, Calif	574	546	17	11	570	542	17	11	4
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 64, Camp Kearney, Calif	325	313	5	7	306	294	5	7	19
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 102, Livermore, Calif	216	208	5	3	204	196	5	3	12
U. S. Army Hospital, San Francisco, Calif	301	292	6	3	301	292	6	3	
U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Calif	15	14		1	15	14		1	
U. S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif	56	55	1		56	55	1		
National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Los Angeles, Calif	223	213	8	2	222	212	8	2	1
Civil institutions, California	113	111		2	104	102		2	9
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 50, Whipple, Ariz	430	410	18	2	430	410	18	2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 51, Tucson, Ariz	215	210	4	1	215	210	4	1	
Civil institutions, Arizona	7			7	7			7	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 59, Tacoma, Wash	125	122	2	1	124	121	2	1	1
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 85, Walla Walla, Wash	204	202		2	204	202		2	
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 94, American Lake, Wash	300	299		1	300	299		1	
U. S. Naval Hospital, Puget Sound, Wash	7	7			7	7			
State institutions, Washington	53	52		1	53	52		1	
Civil institutions, Washington	1	1			1	1			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 52, Boise, Idaho	111	111			111	111			
U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 77, Portland, Oreg	93	93			93	93			
State institutions, Nevada	1	1			1	1			
Grand total	26,610	24,293	1,791	526	26,369	24,052	1,791	526	241

TABLE No. 39.—*Female patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment in all hospitals June 30, 1925, by branch of service and type of patient*

Branch of service	Type of patient					Branch of service	Type of patient				
	Pulmonary tuberculosis	Psychotic	Nervous and endocrines	General	Total		Pulmonary tuberculosis	Psychotic	Nervous and endocrines	General	Total
Veterans' Bureau	112	4	4	13	133	State	1	7	2		10
Army	17	1	3	12	33	Civil	22	6	2	8	38
Soldiers' homes	4			3	7						
Interior Department		20			20	Total	156	38	11	36	241

TABLE No. 40.—*Patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau under treatment in all hospitals June 30, 1925, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals and type of patient*

Class of beneficiary	United States veterans				Other Government				Civil and State				All hospitals			
	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions
United States veterans of the World War	5,862	7,240	2,682	15,784	2,044	2,092	2,254	6,390	1,254	2,423	178	3,855	9,160	11,755	5,114	26,029
Compensable disability	5,283	6,323	1,761	13,367	1,895	2,010	1,669	5,574	1,238	2,417	175	3,830	8,416	10,750	3,605	22,771
Noncompensable disability	579	917	921	2,417	149	82	585	816	16	6	3	25	744	1,005	1,509	3,258
United States veterans of wars, occupations and rebellions since 1897	124	122	117	363	30	28	159	217			1	1	154	150	277	581
Boxer Rebellion		1		1		1		1						2		2
Boxer Rebellion, Philippine Insurrection, and Spanish-American War	34	41	22	97	4	1	20	25					38	42	42	122
Boxer Rebellion and Spanish-American War		3		3			2	2						3	2	5
Cuban pacification	2	1	1	4			1	1					2	1	2	5
Nicaraguan campaign	1			1									1			1
Philippine Insurrection	4	4	10	18	2	1	9	12					6	5	19	30
Punitive expedition into Mexico	2	1		3	1		1	2					3	1	1	5
Spanish-American War	79	69	83	231	23	24	122	169			1	1	102	93	206	401
Spanish American War and Philippine Insurrection	1	2		3			1	1					1	2	1	4
Other wars, expeditions, and occupations	1		1	2		1	3	4					1	1	4	6
Allied veterans	52	29	28	109	7	8	23	38	9	10	6	25	68	47	57	172
British	8	7	3	18		2	5	7	2		1	3	10	9	9	28
Canadian	42	21	22	85	7	5	18	30	7	8	4	19	56	34	44	134
All others	2	1	3	6		1		1		2	1	3	2	4	4	10
Miscellaneous	26	9	31	66			1	1	1	1	2	4	27	10	34	71
Employees U. S. Veterans' Bureau	5	3	12	20									5	3	12	20
Employees, Compensation Commission	14		5	19									14		5	19
Emergency	4	5	10	19					1		2	3	5	5	12	22
All other beneficiaries	3	1	4	8			1	1		1		1	3	2	5	10
Grand total	6,064	7,400	2,858	16,322	2,081	2,128	2,437	6,646	1,264	2,434	187	3,885	9,409	11,962	5,482	26,853

TABLE No. 41.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by disposition or condition on disposition and month, fiscal year 1925*

Disposition or condition on disposition	Month of disposition												Total
	1924						1925						
	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June	
Maximum benefit from hospitalization:													
Recovered or cured	72	90	90	107	92	128	128	192	165	131	131	112	1,438
Improved	1,548	1,735	1,831	1,914	1,704	1,759	2,024	2,087	2,567	2,465	2,744	2,592	24,970
Total	1,620	1,825	1,921	2,021	1,796	1,887	2,152	2,279	2,732	2,596	2,875	2,704	26,408
Out-patient office or home treatment:													
Improved	33	29	36	38	28	28	23	33	52	66	64	42	472
Unimproved	13	12	36	32	16	14	22	20	20	43	45	33	306
Total	46	41	72	70	44	42	45	53	72	109	109	75	778
Transfers to:													
Place not specified	20	22	36	30	19	24	17	13	16	18	13	13	241
United States Veterans' hospitals	166	260	297	461	351	390	345	278	243	414	239	299	3,743
United States Marine hospitals					2	1			1		1		5
Civil hospitals	44	33	72	133	74	49	65	56	55	49	17	14	661
State hospitals	13	11	10	14	11	3	14	43	12	8	13	3	155
Other Government hospitals	59	58	65	100	97	76	80	81	64	72	64	51	867
Total	302	384	480	738	554	543	521	471	391	561	347	380	5,672
Unimproved:													
Against advice of medical officer in charge	246	292	383	381	368	380	432	432	489	580	698	677	5,358
Unimproved	259	237	286	323	272	342	329	351	366	372	345	285	3,767
Total	505	529	669	704	640	722	761	783	855	952	1,043	962	9,125
Deaths	126	147	189	221	231	235	267	272	324	304	302	248	2,866
Administrative reasons:													
Left without permission	438	444	589	592	556	588	654	563	655	659	721	577	7,036
Discipline	35	58	63	58	63	60	68	68	62	38	85	41	699
Total	473	502	652	650	619	648	722	631	717	697	806	618	7,735
No treatment indicated: Admitted for special examination or observation	1,431	1,701	1,796	1,815	1,445	1,586	1,588	1,613	1,703	1,460	1,307	1,239	18,684
Grand total	4,503	5,129	5,779	6,219	5,329	5,663	6,056	6,102	6,794	6,679	6,789	6,226	71,268

TABLE No. 42.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition																	
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization									Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Arrested			Apparently arrested			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	11,109	147.8	354	370.4	3.19	336	258.4	3.02	493	204.1	4.44	191	459.4	1.72	188	347.4	1.69	1,311	144.1	11.80
U. S. Marine	667	16.0				3	73.3	.45	26	56.2	3.90	1	495.0	.15				22	51.3	3.30
U. S. Army	1,486	166.6	38	516.2	2.56	120	250.1	8.08	50	164.3	3.36	17	457.7	1.14	37	236.0	2.49	230	104.1	15.48
U. S. Navy	1,011	40.6	2	171.0	.20	20	156.3	1.98	94	49.8	9.30	2	16.5	.20	2	179.0	.20	206	60.9	20.38
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	3	425.7																		
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	2,317	182.8	52	323.5	2.24	310	337.5	13.38	66	148.6	2.85	32	429.3	1.38	21	438.4	.91	83	226.5	3.58
State	190	158.1	2	335.5	1.05	7	309.4	3.68	6	113.2	3.16	21	274.8	11.05	10	225.1	5.26	33	163.9	17.37
Civil	2,970	136.3	25	398.1	.84	56	454.3	1.89	175	186.8	5.89	67	227.7	2.26	17	183.7	.57	612	187.4	20.61
Total	19,753	141.8	473	377.4	2.39	852	296.3	4.31	910	174.4	4.61	331	395.2	1.68	[1] 275	323.6	1.39	2,497	146.3	12.64

[1] Includes 70 terminal cases with unfavorable prognosis.

TABLE No. 42.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS—Continued

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	270	295.9	2.43	1,007	146.5	9.06	2,525	165.5	22.73	2,172	110.4	19.55	226	109.6	2.03	2,036	35.2	18.33
U. S. Marine	2	20.5	.30	19	48.2	2.85	10	31.8	1.50	14	26.2	2.10	3	27.3	.45	567	10.0	85.01
U. S. Army	34	151.7	2.29	205	154.9	13.80	284	207.4	19.11	267	164.6	17.97	14	154.0	.94	190	38.7	12.79
U. S. Navy	1	7.0	.10	41	70.5	4.06	16	15.6	1.58	54	47.3	5.34	6	51.3	.59	567	24.6	56.08
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)				2	638.0	66.67										1	1.0	33.33
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	4	126.5	.17	201	161.4	8.68	366	182.2	15.80	602	136.0	25.98	60	170.0	2.59	520	113.0	22.44
State	3	401.0	1.58	9	230.6	4.74	17	148.4	8.95	3	212.3	1.58	3	205.0	1.58	76	71.7	40.00
Civil	41	318.1	1.38	300	149.1	10.10	197	176.5	6.63	123	121.6	4.14	18	223.1	.61	1,339	68.8	45.08
Total	355	281.3	1.80	1,784	147.8	9.03	3,415	170.2	17.29	3,235	118.7	16.38	330	127.7	1.67	5,296	48.1	26.81

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC CONDITIONS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	7,594	127.0	35	259.3	0.46	2,959	149.0	38.96	9	150.0	0.12	5	193.4	0.07	1,015	184.5	13.37
U. S. Marine	192	33.1	2	28.0	1.04	73	44.0	38.02	3	24.3	1.56	1	8.0	.52	14	48.6	7.29
U. S. Army	1,165	71.2	10	52.5	.86	470	85.2	40.34				1	172.0	.09	220	82.2	18.88
U. S. Navy	1,307	86.0	2	55.0	.15	631	105.7	48.28							66	105.1	5.05
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	191	497.5	20	461.0	10.47	19	472.8	9.95				1	205.0	.52	64	700.6	33.51
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	409	281.9	3	62.3	.73	87	177.3	21.27							52	562.7	12.71
State	1,132	437.2	18	194.3	1.59	135	289.4	11.93				1	604.0	.09	642	548.2	56.71
Civil	875	93.0	6	84.5	.69	102	85.8	11.66	4	315.5	.46				170	239.8	19.43
Total	12,865	151.8	96	241.4	.75	4,476	139.2	34.79	16	167.8	.12	9	217.3	.07	2,243	303.1	17.43

TABLE NO. 42—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC CONDITIONS—Continued

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	1,057	95.3	13.92	192	234.8	2.53	472	77.9	6.22	820	120.9	10.80	38	72.2	0.50	992	40.9	13.06
U. S. Marine	22	50.2	11.46	2	37.0	1.04	8	6.6	4.17	11	38.8	5.73	2	17.5	1.04	54	11.7	28.12
U. S. Army	206	64.3	17.68	15	101.0	1.29	27	38.7	2.32	128	38.1	10.99	3	41.3	.26	85	39.2	7.30
U. S. Navy	128	117.5	9.79	18	123.6	1.38	35	37.2	2.68	110	59.1	8.42	10	78.2	.77	307	41.5	23.49
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	7	426.4	3.66	32	513.1	16.75	10	378.8	5.24	17	327.1	8.90				21	144.2	10.99
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	49	239.9	11.98	28	549.6	6.85	4	220.5	.98	121	292.8	29.58				65	107.0	15.89
State	44	254.9	3.89	62	411.1	5.48	5	24.0	.44	42	159.5	3.71				183	307.6	16.17
Civil	55	90.1	6.29	9	214.6	1.03	24	61.8	2.74	23	90.5	2.63				482	40.7	55.09
Total	1,568	102.7	12.19	358	302.0	2.78	585	77.6	4.55	1,272	126.4	9.89	53	69.5	.41	2,189	65.4	17.02

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	19,308	56.3	402	36.1	2.08	8,737	73.0	45.25	62	87.1	0.32	18	212.3	0.09	595	114.5	3.08
U. S. Marine	2,266	29.6	202	26.5	8.91	1,139	32.3	50.26	41	88.6	1.81	1	4.0	.04	39	80.3	1.72
U. S. Army	5,417	63.1	471	61.5	8.69	3,031	69.9	55.95	8	178.3	.15	1	47.0	.02	113	141.8	2.09
U. S. Navy	6,566	38.7	180	29.6	2.74	3,672	42.7	55.92							71	99.4	1.08
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	11	35.7															
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	1,497	72.3	13	39.0	.87	519	82.6	34.67	4	264.0	.27				38	149.1	2.54
State	86	29.5				14	61.5	16.28							3	144.3	3.49
Civil	3,499	18.2	74	18.4	2.11	1,147	18.1	32.78	10	144.2	.29	2	171.0	.06	73	41.9	2.09
Total	38,650	49.8	1,342	41.7	3.47	18,259	60.7	47.24	125	103.7	.32	22	191.6	.06	932	111.1	2.41

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TABLE No. 42—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL—Continued

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	1,208	66.6	6.26	328	101.6	1.70	899	37.4	4.66	1,412	43.0	7.31	196	72.3	1.02	5,451	24.9	28.23
U. S. Marine	81	35.5	3.57	57	49.5	2.52	69	14.5	3.05	124	41.2	5.47	34	33.5	1.50	479	11.1	21.14
U. S. Army	347	64.2	6.41	138	87.7	2.55	174	40.6	3.21	432	37.8	7.97	23	73.2	.42	679	35.3	12.53
U. S. Navy	114	64.6	1.74	113	59.6	1.72	164	18.9	2.50	308	32.5	4.69	51	81.7	.78	1,893	28.2	28.83
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)										1	29.0	9.09				10	36.4	90.91
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	18	120.6	1.20	28	112.8	1.87	25	103.4	1.67	220	60.9	14.70	9	162.9	.60	623	56.8	41.62
State	1	38.0	1.16				2	1.5	2.33	1	45.0	1.16				65	17.8	75.58
Civil	75	37.5	2.14	60	38.0	1.71	25	51.8	.71	31	24.1	.89	3	37.0	.09	1,999	14.8	57.13
Total	1,844	64.0	4.77	724	83.4	1.87	1,358	35.9	3.51	2,529	42.1	6.54	316	72.0	.82	11,199	25.4	28.98

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Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	38,011	97.2	437	54.0	1.15	12,879	108.5	33.88	262	360.7	0.69	211	332.3	0.56	2,921	152.1	7.68
U. S. Marine	3,125	27.0	204	26.5	6.53	1,241	33.6	39.71	45	93.4	1.44	2	6.0	.06	75	65.9	2.40
U. S. Army	8,068	83.3	481	61.3	5.96	3,709	83.5	45.97	25	368.2	.31	39	229.5	.48	563	103.1	6.98
U. S. Navy	8,884	45.8	182	29.9	2.05	4,419	52.4	49.74	2	16.5	.02	2	179.0	.02	343	77.3	3.86
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	205	471.7	20	461.0	9.76	19	472.8	9.27				1	205.0	.49	64	700.6	31.22
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	4,223	155.2	16	43.4	.38	1,034	183.3	24.48	36	412.9	.85	21	438.4	.50	173	310.6	4.10
State	1,408	374.7	18	194.3	1.28	164	268.6	11.65	21	274.8	1.49	11	259.6	.78	678	527.7	48.15
Civil	7,344	74.9	80	23.3	1.09	1,505	64.9	20.49	81	221.7	1.10	19	182.3	.26	855	185.4	11.64
Total	71,268	93.7	1,438	55.1	2.02	24,970	92.9	35.04	472	310.3	.66	306	311.0	.43	5,672	202.5	7.96

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	2,535	103.0	6.67	1,527	148.0	4.02	3,896	125.3	10.25	4,404	90.7	11.59	460	90.6	1.21	8,479	29.2	22.31
U. S. Marine	105	38.3	3.36	78	48.8	2.50	87	15.8	2.78	149	39.7	4.77	39	32.2	1.25	1,100	10.6	35.20
U. S. Army	587	69.3	7.28	358	126.7	4.44	485	138.1	6.01	827	78.8	10.25	40	99.1	.50	954	36.4	11.82
U. S. Navy	243	92.3	2.74	172	68.9	1.94	215	21.6	2.42	472	40.4	5.31	67	78.5	.75	2,767	28.9	31.15
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	7	426.4	3.41	34	520.4	16.59	10	378.8	4.88	18	310.6	8.78				32	106.0	15.61
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	71	203.2	1.68	257	198.4	6.09	395	177.6	9.35	943	138.6	22.33	69	169.1	1.63	1,208	83.7	28.61
State	48	259.5	3.41	71	388.2	5.04	24	110.3	1.70	46	160.5	3.27	3	205.0	.21	324	194.1	23.01
Civil	171	121.7	2.33	369	132.7	5.02	246	152.7	3.35	177	100.5	2.41	21	196.5	.29	3,820	37.0	52.02
Total	3,767	100.6	5.29	2,866	150.8	4.02	5,358	126.1	7.52	7,036	92.6	9.87	699	98.1	.98	18,684	36.5	26.22

TABLE No. 43.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by class of disease and disposition or condition on disposition showing average days hospitalized, fiscal year 1925*

Class of disease	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved [1]			Improved			Unimproved [2]					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
Abnormalities and congenital malformations	131	65.6	4	119.5	3.05	81	82.8	61.83									
Blood and blood-forming organs	102	96.7				44	129.3	43.14	1	319.0	0.98				3	21.0	2.94
Bones and cartilages	1,141	80.2	67	95.5	5.87	658	93.5	57.67	12	78.6	1.05	1	18.0	0.09	26	108.7	2.28
Circulatory system	2,848	60.6	37	40.7	1.30	1,460	68.0	51.26	5	154.8	.18	1	171.0	.04	57	133.0	2.00
Communicable and infectious diseases	592	72.5	47	22.8	7.94	326	65.4	55.07	4	107.3	.68				29	135.5	4.90
Dental	714	45.1	11	72.8	1.54	362	55.7	50.70	3	135.7	.42				13	75.6	1.82
Digestive system	4,400	50.5	296	35.2	6.73	2,686	59.8	61.05	10	52.6	.23	2	46.0	.05	57	79.7	1.30
Ear, nose, and throat	5,683	26.8	304	27.3	5.35	3,772	26.9	66.37	14	25.5	.25				50	126.4	.88
Endocrines	942	74.8	4	63.3	.42	468	99.3	49.68	6	132.5	.64	1	68.0	.11	31	116.3	3.29
Eye and annexa	696	44.2	19	34.3	2.73	341	54.9	48.99	4	69.5	.57	1	3.0	.14	11	114.8	1.58
Genito-urinary system	1,649	58.8	34	46.4	2.06	902	69.0	54.70	7	56.3	.42	2	149.0	.12	44	113.7	2.67
Hernia	1,081	42.7	191	39.8	17.67	645	47.7	59.67							5	90.2	.46
Joints and bursae	2,198	75.5	24	37.8	1.09	1,410	79.7	64.15	10	144.7	.45	1	4.0	.05	90	124.9	4.09
Lymphatic system	136	67.8	10	34.6	7.35	67	66.1	49.26	3	89.0	2.21				4	405.8	2.94
Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths	360	45.4	10	32.9	2.78	215	53.6	59.72							2	102.0	.56
Nervous system	4,898	108.5	17	56.0	.35	2,205	121.9	45.02	4	74.3	.08	7	183.4	.14	438	160.1	8.94
Obstetric and gynecological conditions	8	103.6	2	136.0	25.00	3	82.7	37.50							1	47.0	12.50
Parasitic diseases	500	64.5	10	29.8	2.00	301	84.7	60.20							6	77.7	1.20
Poisonings and intoxications	145	49.1	12	21.2	8.28	80	43.4	55.17							3	164.7	2.07
Psychiatric diseases	7,025	192.3	75	293.0	1.07	1,803	170.8	25.67	6	265.5	.09	1	604.0	.01	1,774	341.7	25.25
Respiratory system	4,137	59.3	56	84.5	1.35	2,066	67.1	49.94	9	154.7	.22	8	191.5	.19	168	107.9	4.06
Skin and its appendages	877	56.4	59	57.8	6.73	501	65.7	57.13	1	11.0	.11	2	198.0	.23	16	129.2	1.82
Tuberculosis, pulmonary	19,753	141.8				2,235	263.8	11.31	331	395.2	1.68	275	323.6	1.39	2,497	146.3	12.64
Tuberculosis, other than pulmonary	595	142.0	4	225.0	.67	272	162.8	45.71	12	309.2	2.02	3	545.0	.50	61	150.8	10.25
Tumors	567	49.3	31	40.1	5.47	253	49.7	44.62	4	37.3	.71				30	63.4	5.29
Venereal diseases	1,296	76.8	8	57.6	.62	690	85.6	53.24	8	82.9	.62				84	146.2	6.48
Miscellaneous	3,751	40.7	106	38.4	2.83	1,124	66.3	29.97	17	43.4	.45	1	65.0	.03	93	73.6	2.48
Under observation: No disease found	3,140	38.1							1	155.0	.03				70	85.0	2.23
Special examination only	1,690	4.8													5	19.8	.30
Board and lodging only	213	3.3													4	2.5	1.88
Total	71,268	93.7	1,438	55.1	2.02	24,970	92.9	35.04	472	310.3	.66	306	311.0	.43	5,672	202.5	7.96

TABLE No. 43.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau patients by class of disease and disposition or condition on disposition showing average days hospitalized, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Class of disease	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
Abnormalities and congenital malformations	7	40.0	5.34				3	32.3	2.29	7	59.3	5.34				29	21.0	22.14
Blood and blood-forming organs	9	79.2	8.82	22	101.0	21.57	3	124.3	2.94	3	20.0	2.94				17	25.2	16.67
Bones and cartilages	60	46.7	5.26	10	71.9	.88	28	17.5	2.45	59	84.4	5.17	16	146.9	1.40	204	41.7	17.88
Circulatory system	265	73.8	9.30	180	61.1	6.32	90	38.5	3.16	145	62.7	5.09	24	91.8	.84	584	31.0	20.51
Communicable and infectious diseases	46	118.9	7.77	24	184.7	4.05	17	27.1	2.87	33	103.0	5.57	2	47.0	.34	64	36.0	10.81
Dental	27	38.2	3.78	2	146.5	.28	34	30.0	4.76	63	38.6	8.82	5	29.2	.70	194	25.3	27.17
Digestive system	134	64.1	3.05	75	46.1	1.70	147	30.5	3.34	151	38.3	3.43	22	89.9	.50	820	26.3	18.64
Ear, nose, and throat	155	34.5	2.73	3	26.3	.05	161	22.0	2.83	272	25.8	4.79	18	54.3	.32	934	20.2	16.43
Endocrines	71	71.6	7.54	20	77.4	2.12	44	41.2	4.67	44	53.3	4.67	4	120.5	.42	249	32.1	26.43
Eye and annexa	60	45.7	8.62	1	271.0	.14	22	24.1	3.16	37	42.4	5.32	4	99.8	.57	196	21.9	28.16
Genito-urinary system	101	51.1	6.12	85	87.4	5.15	74	38.2	4.49	97	49.3	5.88	10	68.6	.61	293	22.5	17.77
Hernia	20	41.7	1.85	6	139.7	.56	23	21.0	2.13	51	33.5	4.72	5	17.0	.46	135	25.4	12.49
Joints and bursae	165	88.6	7.51	6	104.8	.27	55	43.0	2.50	92	69.1	4.19	23	93.6	1.05	322	43.2	14.65
Lymphatic system	4	113.0	2.94	6	101.7	4.41	8	21.6	5.88	10	80.8	7.35	2	65.5	1.47	22	17.5	16.18
Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths	25	27.1	6.94	1	151.0	.28	7	37.1	1.94	16	50.4	4.44	2	32.0	.56	82	28.5	22.78
Nervous system	793	88.3	16.19	186	298.4	3.80	143	59.9	2.92	231	75.6	4.72	29	69.9	.59	845	43.0	17.25
Obstetric and gynecological conditions																2	131.0	25.00
Parasitic diseases	11	26.1	2.20	7	37.3	1.40	45	34.5	9.00	45	40.3	9.00	8	78.1	1.60	67	21.5	13.40
Poisonings and intoxications	9	30.8	6.21	4	176.8	2.76	9	24.3	6.21	8	116.8	5.52	9	53.2	6.21	11	26.1	7.59
Psychiatric diseases	704	122.1	10.02	152	336.0	2.16	398	88.0	5.67	997	141.4	14.19	20	58.8	.28	1,095	90.3	15.59
Respiratory system	390	57.4	9.43	92	66.7	2.22	126	63.5	3.05	213	71.1	5.15	63	73.1	1.52	946	26.3	22.87
Skin and its appendages	43	42.6	4.90	7	60.9	.80	38	30.2	4.33	38	48.7	4.33	14	55.7	1.60	158	29.3	18.02
Tuberculosis, pulmonary	355	281.3	1.80	1,784	147.8	9.03	3,415	170.2	17.29	3,235	118.7	16.38	330	127.7	1.67	5,296	48.1	26.81
Tuberculosis, other than pulmonary	40	55.1	6.72	49	174.2	8.24	33	160.2	5.55	38	140.0	6.39	6	121.2	1.01	77	35.1	12.94
Tumors	36	56.6	6.35	95	74.3	16.75	17	24.7	3.00	18	31.9	3.17	1	19.0	.18	82	24.4	14.46
Venereal diseases	87	71.5	6.71	22	132.1	1.70	76	54.6	5.86	124	53.2	9.57	28	51.7	2.16	169	33.5	13.04
Miscellaneous	150	96.8	4.00	27	83.4	.72	262	13.8	6.98	775	20.3	20.66	42	54.1	1.12	1,154	24.2	30.77
Under observation: No disease found							76	49.3	2.42	212	42.5	6.75	11	42.6	.35	2,770	36.3	88.22
Special examination only							4	1.3	.24	22	10.0	1.30	1	51.0	.06	1,658	4.7	98.11
Board and lodging only																209	3.3	98.12
Total	3,767	100.6	5.29	2,866	150.8	4.02	5,358	126.1	7.52	7,036	92.6	9.87	699	98.1	.98	18,684	36.5	26.22

[1] Improved tuberculosis pulmonary includes 473 arrested, 561 apparently arrested, and 291 quiescent.
[2] Unimproved tuberculosis pulmonary includes 70 terminal cases with unfavorable prognosis.

TABLE NO. 44.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, treated for all diseases and conditions in United States veterans' hospitals, by hospital, type of patient and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Total								Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization									
									Recovered or cured				Improved					
	Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Total		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General	
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days
24. Palo Alto, Calif	433	194.3	335	249.9	162	105.7	930	198.9	1	127.0	1	31.0	26	244.5	127	217.3	47	127.9
27. Alexandria, La	741	121.2	13	31.5	226	32.5	980	99.6			6	45.8	43	335.8			40	41.0
32. Washington, D. C	91	238.2	90	138.3	389	76.1	570	111.8			33	22.0	13	308.8	28	167.2	151	84.9
37. Waukesha, Wis	3	197.3	486	193.7	37	236.7	526	196.8							341	216.6	18	346.3
41. New Haven, Conn	556	199.8	2	57.0	173	49.9	731	163.9					12	321.3			50	42.9
42. Perry Point, Md	2	48.0	510	169.0	56	91.0	568	160.9			3	20.3			263	141.7	33	94.1
44. West Roxbury, Mass	1	1.0	215	253.3	10	83.1	226	244.6	11	339.6					81	183.5	4	65.0
48. Atlanta, Ga	77	40.4	68	68.5	825	36.4	970	39.0					2	67.5	19	139.2	369	49.5
49. Philadelphia, Pa			50	278.3	18	72.7	68	223.9			3	32.7			15	212.2	8	24.1
50. Whipple, Ariz	654	236.2	5	43.8	70	62.1	729	218.2					123	355.0			19	48.0
51. Tucson, Ariz	330	195.1	5	70.6	48	55.0	383	175.9			3	28.3	30	272.1			12	75.2
52. Boise, Idaho	40	126.1	42	143.0	261	53.1	343	72.6			9	19.1	3	133.7	17	185.7	102	108.3
53. Dwight, Ill	109	64.5	25	53.8	506	62.9	640	62.8			15	48.1	35	92.5	13	80.0	298	76.9
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	468	272.2	8	38.3	181	64.8	657	212.2			11	30.5	75	360.2	2	31.5	69	87.9
57. Knoxville, Iowa	2	590.5	107	199.5	17	78.1	126	189.4	1	65.0					11	287.0	3	64.3
59. Tacoma, Wash	115	203.0	255	168.9	498	86.4	868	126.1	2	38.0	29	28.4	14	317.1	85	164.4	258	85.2
60. Otsen, N. C	897	211.0	6	36.0	790	61.3	1,693	140.5			1	13.0	110	322.4	3	30.3	163	66.4
62. Augusta, Ga			118	280.4	17	256.8	135	285.3	1	999.0	1	29.0			68	286.4	9	169.3
63. Lake City, Fla	217	58.6	152	72.4	1,009	57.2	1,378	59.1			33	38.1	57	90.1	76	87.9	568	65.1
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	601	165.6	3	138.7	294	70.3	898	133.8			1	16.0	56	439.0			110	83.8
65. St. Paul, Minn	493	24.0	297	55.1	1,873	40.8	2,663	39.3			12	27.2	4	99.8	113	85.9	866	67.9
67. Kansas City, Mo	69	76.8	259	36.6	675	33.4	1,003	37.2			26	27.4	2	264.0	52	74.9	260	45.2
68. Minneapolis, Minn	306	191.0	8	94.8	40	218.9	354	191.9					95	282.2	2	130.5	15	349.5
69. Fort Thomas, Ky	190	20.7	165	38.8	925	40.3	1,280	37.2			14	29.0	3	34.0	18	74.2	327	52.9
72. Helena, Mont	286	160.3	71	85.4	401	82.2	758	112.0			1	89.0	40	241.0	23	105.0	181	97.8
74. Gulfport, Miss	9	106.4	595	128.5	166	99.7	770	122.0	1	65.0	2	23.5	4	194.8	419	151.3	95	117.4
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	406	105.4	647	96.0	2,045	72.6	3,098	81.8	1	21.0	87	44.2	57	168.3	192	139.6	1,164	94.6
77. Portland, Oreg	38	26.0	65	89.2	610	52.4	713	54.4			7	18.1	6	62.3	31	120.6	327	59.5
78. North Little Rock, Ark			200	114.6	38	56.1	238	105.3							77	72.4	16	62.7
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	594	114.0	1	145.0	26	70.8	621	112.2					52	231.7	1	145.0	6	90.3
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	437	195.4	5	22.2	81	71.1	523	174.5					99	322.8	1	53.0	15	95.0
81. Bronx, N. Y	7	32.4	716	137.4	299	69.5	1,022	116.9	10	277.8					222	169.9	77	110.4
84. Algiers, La	192	49.4	222	65.3	1,395	55.3	1,809	55.9			29	42.5	30	76.8	78	79.5	821	67.0
85. Walla Walla, Wash	181	237.1	1	44.0	18	161.5	200	229.3					19	284.4			10	142.8
86. Sheridan, Wyo			116	348.0	9	95.2	125	329.8							26	270.5	6	53.8
88. Memphis, Tenn	176	34.1	125	41.0	1,459	38.1	1,760	37.9	1	99.0	49	37.9	5	37.6	29	45.7	565	45.8
89. Rutland, Mass	209	174.1			10	105.0	219	170.9					2	389.0			1	83.0
90. Muskogee, Okla	249	42.6	390	43.0	1,612	43.4	2,251	43.2			3	119.7	15	105.9	86	77.2	742	67.5
91. Tuskegee, Ala	326	145.0	109	204.4	413	92.9	848	127.3					30	321.9	52	229.9	162	117.7
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	280	45.3	292	60.1	1,109	54.9	1,681	54.2			1	23.0	19	149.7	87	98.7	538	70.0
93. Legion, Tex	541	167.0	1	195.0	19	50.8	561	163.1			1	23.0	63	278.8			7	38.0
94. American Lake, Wash	5	85.2	236	126.4	32	75.8	273	119.7	1	9.0			2	102.5	120	122.8	15	102.9
95. Northampton, Mass	1	105.0	24	89.5			25	90.1	1	381.0					6	62.7		
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	342	87.2			98	43.6	440	77.5			2	40.0	13	177.5			22	38.6
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	12	80.8	401	73.7	166	47.1	579	66.2	2	208.5	19	39.7	2	164.5	123	98.5	87	48.6
98. Castle Point, N. Y	376	92.8	3	50.7	76	57.8	455	86.7					14	140.9	1	146.0	15	66.5
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo			22	41.5	81	67.6	103	62.0							10	47.6	47	75.6
100. Camp Custer, Mich			44	92.6	4	56.8	48	89.6	1	160.0					5	140.6	1	119.0
101. St. Cloud, Minn			84	89.8	10	72.0	94	87.9	1	141.0					36	105.3	6	59.8
102. Livermore, Calif	47	35.7			31	26.0	78	31.9					8	30.6			12	30.7
Total	11,109	147.8	7,594	127.0	19,308	56.3	38,011	97.2	35	259.3	402	36.1	1,183	269.3	2,959	149.0	8,737	73.0

TABLE NO. 44—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, treated for all diseases and conditions in United States veterans' hospitals, by hospital, type of patient and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Transferred for further treatment						Unimproved						Died					
	Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General	
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days
24. Palo Alto, Calif.	193	220.6	77	421.5	11	185.7	7	492.6	16	187.2	5	138.4	36	242.1	12	268.1	5	194.4
27. Alexandria, La.	65	219.4	7	38.0	30	45.4	2	52.5	1	29.0	22	31.3	25	103.2			2	50.5
32. Washington, D. C.	32	419.8	15	166.7	22	222.3	2	65.5	26	125.5	55	88.1	4	265.3			9	136.1
37. Waukesha, Wis.	1	270.0	37	164.6	2	674.5	1	122.0	65	152.0	10	105.2			3	195.0		
41. New Haven, Conn.	109	399.3	1	52.0	11	141.0					13	27.9	61	181.3			3	263.7
42. Perry Point, Md.	1	47.0	83	303.4	5	228.8			23	109.3	2	72.0			7	201.9	3	73.0
44. West Roxbury, Mass.			46	447.5					12	120.8					4	490.0	1	246.0
48. Atlanta, Ga.	32	40.7	17	41.5	50	71.6	1	51.0	2	22.0	20	109.5	2	43.5	2	5.5	7	60.9
49. Philadelphia, Pa.			15	292.6	1	44.0			6	347.3					11	454.6	5	157.0
50. Whipple, Ariz.	103	293.0	2	20.5	12	95.4	53	420.8			5	85.6	42	162.5			1	179.0
51 Tucson, Ariz.	66	311.2	4	83.5	3	145.7	10	268.4			9	58.6	44	138.7			2	27.0
52. Boise, Idaho	6	281.2	11	193.6	7	56.3			7	55.0	9	77.4	5	154.6	1	267.0	8	69.5
53. Dwight, Ill.	40	61.6	3	51.3	13	81.2	3	46.3	2	52.5	43	89.2	2	66.5	1	3.0	3	59.0
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex.	56	522.1	2	6.5	11	102.7	12	354.2	2	57.0	17	28.0	45	232.6			3	178.0
57. Knoxville, Iowa			2	57.5					7	147.0	2	83.0	1	999.0	17	284.5	2	21.5
59. Tacoma, Wash.	40	154.4	67	260.6	20	320.3			42	169.4	47	163.8	3	85.7	2	27.0	15	76.1
60. Oteen, N. C.	108	355.1	1	57.0	35	128.1	23	527.0	1	57.0	11	167.6	148	186.4			6	143.7
62. Augusta, Ga.			4	507.8					11	129.6					9	485.6	4	479.0
63. Lake City, Fla.	40	82.3	19	96.0	15	158.5	9	54.9	41	49.3	167	63.8	3	64.0	1	201.0	18	53.9
64. Camp Kearney, Calif.	56	227.3	1	57.0	29	155.0	14	357.8			22	52.2	61	167.3	2	179.5	6	195.0
65. St. Paul, Minn.	151	33.4	58	49.3	53	77.6	1	39.0	22	33.3	44	55.9	1	15.0	2	3.0	22	69.6
67. Kansas City, Mo.	38	94.8	26	39.9	41	53.5	1	30.0	116	27.9	81	29.6	3	12.3			13	32.2
68. Minneapolis, Minn.	50	203.8	3	117.0	8	160.5	3	354.7	2	47.0	1	20.0	36	162.3			5	260.0
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	2	28.0	6	33.5	13	172.2	4	88.3	9	69.7	79	63.8	2	127.0			7	154.7
72. Helena, Mont.	18	298.9	15	144.1	29	177.1	1	41.0	11	46.5	34	52.9	18	215.5			4	214.5
74. Gulfport, Miss.	1	15.0	18	86.9	14	77.9			60	87.8	17	120.1			4	120.8	3	241.0
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill.	25	122.9	188	97.3	32	121.9	15	91.2	100	84.7	135	65.2	71	122.0	6	142.5	36	105.2
77. Portland, Oreg.	13	18.7	10	110.5	32	94.1	1	44.0	7	77.6	36	93.8	1	17.0	1	20.0	12	104.2
78. North Little Rock, Ark.			5	320.4	1	127.0			39	56.8	10	56.9			20	301.8	2	19.0
79. Dawson Springs, Ky.	30	298.7					2	32.5			1	29.0	40	94.0			1	25.0
80. Fort Lyon, Colo.	22	200.8	2	19.0	5	118.8	42	330.6			5	71.6	33	140.9			1	55.0
81. Bronx, N. Y.	3	17.7	30	358.5	2	309.5			130	114.2	39	91.1			22	292.1	6	318.8
84. Algiers, La.	67	49.8	63	87.0	36	67.3	1	63.0	10	39.9	36	48.8	7	75.0	2	60.0	27	66.5
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	98	353.4			1	395.0	2	412.0					27	166.8			1	176.0
86. Sheridan, Wyo.			41	394.0	1	465.0			39	364.7					2	480.5		
88. Memphis, Tenn.	91	40.8	18	74.1	37	71.0	3	43.3	10	31.4	51	39.3	4	16.8	1	7.0	24	34.0
89. Rutland, Mass.	9	295.7					2	114.0			1	168.0	41	133.0				
90. Muskogee, Okla.	57	80.4	40	94.5	19	80.2	6	43.7	37	63.1	67	44.9	10	64.7	1	99.0	17	105.7
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	6	195.0	4	268.0	1	149.0			5	228.4	9	125.6	66	80.9	15	162.8	7	105.0
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	44	56.8	54	41.7	46	124.8	7	231.3	71	54.9	75	42.6	13	57.3	4	82.8	28	72.9
93. Legion, Tex.	37	201.3			2	60.0	33	233.8			1	41.0	45	189.3			2	146.5
94. American Lake, Wash.	1	169.0	16	153.7	5	28.4			4	45.5					12	201.7	1	75.0
95. Northampton, Mass.			4	140.5					7	27.7			1	105.0	4	151.5		
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	13	84.6			3	94.7	6	161.0			1	45.0	39	82.3			1	41.0
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	1	49.0	6	166.0	3	72.7			107	63.3	13	42.5	1	5.0	10	78.0	2	39.0
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	32	129.0	2	3.0	5	110.8	3	115.7			1	31.0	62	67.2				
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.			1	29.0	6	71.5			6	37.3	9	65.9					3	40.0
100. Camp Custer, Mich.			4	71.3					1	50.0	1	31.0			7	73.9		
101. St. Cloud, Minn.			1	117.0	1	82.0									7	98.3		
102. Livermore, Calif.	3	34.3			2	14.0					2	13.5	4	31.5				
Total	1,690	202.4	1,029	184.3	675	114.6	270	295.9	1,057	95.3	1,208	66.6	1,007	146.5	192	234.8	328	101.6

TABLE No. 44.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, treated for all diseases and conditions in United States veterans' hospitals, by hospital, type of patient and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

United States veterans' hospitals, number and location	Disposition or condition on disposition																							
	Discharged for personal reasons																							
	Against advice medical officer in charge						Left without permission						Disciplinary						Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)					
	Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General		Tuberculosis		Neuropsychiatric		General	
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days
24. Palo Alto, Calif.	54	128.2	27	159.6	14	97.6	107	140.8	74	175.6	25	92.0	1	304.0					9	80.2	1	31.0	54	68.5
27. Alexandria, La.	93	113.3	1	28.0	1	14.0	430	98.9	1	49.0	60	21.7	3	102.3			1	105.0	80	63.4	3	12.3	64	28.9
32. Washington, D. C.	4	112.3	2	20.5	6	55.8	8	95.3	6	88.3	30	49.8	1	63.0	1	5.0	5	119.2	27	65.3	12	119.2	78	34.1
37. Waukesha, Wis.			12	141.5	1	1.0	1	200.0	13	60.3	5	14.6			1	17.0	1	50.0			14	88.9		
41. New Haven, Conn.	214	185.8			7	79.6	38	111.0			3	341.3	42	156.2			6	61.3	80	26.1	1	62.0	80	23.0
42. Perry Point, Md.			26	33.8	2	41.5			88	186.8	6	52.8							1	49.0	20	124.8	2	11.5
44. West Roxbury, Mass.	1	1.0	26	255.7	2	141.0			31	158.2					3	98.3	1	23.0			1	16.0	2	10.0
48. Atlanta, Ga.	1	19.0			3	38.0	1	23.0			32	50.0							38	39.3	28	44.8	344	11.2
49. Philadelphia, Pa.									2	160.5											1	286.0	1	188.0
50. Whipple, Ariz.	135	203.6			2	87.5	133	153.9	3	53.3	16	36.1	10	117.3			1	33.0	55	43.6			14	64.2
51. Tucson, Ariz.	94	185.3			5	49.0	55	126.5	1	19.0	3	55.0	5	75.6					26	81.7			11	20.5
52. Boise, Idaho	15	133.3	1	18.0	6	28.7					3	50.3							11	16.6	5	9.8	117	5.6
53. Dwight, Ill.	3	10.0	2	6.0	13	33.2	5	31.6			27	48.5							21	41.5	4	7.8	94	14.7
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex.	161	258.9	1	94.0	12	39.3	74	167.0			15	66.7	4	136.3			1	97.0	41	44.7	1	22.0	42	38.5
57. Knoxville, Iowa			11	92.6	1	29.0			29	252.6									1	182.0	29	131.2	9	99.6
59. Tacoma, Wash.	20	464.0	20	80.4	40	37.7	10	236.2	17	130.4	29	57.4							28	29.4	20	29.0	60	30.3
60. Oteen, N. C.	302	164.8	1	11.0	66	72.7	142	130.5			45	69.4	28	89.9			14	60.2	36	137.7			449	48.1
62. Augusta, Ga.			7	366.9	2	127.5			17	189.8	1	642.0									1	47.0		
63. Lake City, Fla.	7	23.7	3	24.3	55	23.4	4	31.5	1	1.0	24	34.2	3	68.3			17	40.4	94	33.0	11	18.6	112	24.0
64. Camp Kearney, Calif.	157	184.0			14	119.9	91	139.0			16	96.0	1	336.0					165	31.1			96	14.8
65. St. Paul, Minn.			7	21.1	14	36.5	12	20.1	9	20.0	44	28.9	1	10.0	3	47.7	8	67.6	323	18.8	83	31.2	810	8.4
67. Kansas City, Mo.	4	103.5	3	10.0	13	18.1	8	51.9	9	15.4	35	42.2	1	49.0			1	41.0	12	18.4	53	21.5	205	16.2
68. Minneapolis, Minn.	25	187.0	1	52.0			44	129.1			2	112.0	16	136.4			4	108.0	37	53.7			5	50.6
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	1	26.0			9	21.2	4	18.3	11	28.8	88	26.0					5	11.8	174	17.7	121	32.4	383	22.6
72. Helena, Mont.	91	188.7	5	87.4	27	88.6	56	120.4	2	26.5	35	73.5	3	118.0			4	148.8	59	44.7	15	32.2	86	21.2
74. Gulfport, Miss.			19	22.5	5	54.6	1	30.0	54	66.2	25	34.1	1	47.0	12	89.8	3	66.3	2	43.5	8	75.8	2	90.0
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill.	76	133.8	26	68.9	38	44.7	94	75.1	78	55.2	179	31.5	7	117.3	2	56.5	14	94.9	61	33.5	54	27.2	360	26.2
77. Portland, Oreg.			1	11.0	5	24.4	2	6.0			14	23.3							15	19.8	15	25.4	177	24.5
78. North Little Rock, Ark.			29	123.8	1	117.0			26	144.2	2	28.5									4	39.8	6	37.0
79. Dawson Springs, Ky.	170	126.5			1	462.0	205	88.0			6	64.7	3	66.0					92	34.0			11	35.9
80. Fort Lyon, Colo.	78	157.6			2	110.0	83	153.8	1	11.0	5	74.8	4	139.8					76	64.1	1	9.0	48	56.9
81. Bronx, N. Y.	1	39.0	113	57.6	81	15.8			78	173.6	8	44.6	1	45.0	8	82.9	5	91.4	2	45.0	103	50.2	81	50.6
84. Algiers, La.	29	16.8	32	27.4	191	22.3	18	38.7	12	30.6	95	39.2	4	80.3	4	31.5	33	63.8	36	48.5	21	44.2	127	38.4
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	83	235.8			4	161.5	20	108.7	1	44.0	1	258.0	1	35.0					1	509.0			1	4.0
86. Sheridan, Wyo.			2	215.5					4	315.0											2	155.5	2	34.5
88. Memphis, Tenn.	9	37.6	11	42.3	158	29.0	20	21.0	21	30.6	247	33.8	1	26.0	1	33.0	20	54.8	43	26.3	33	27.4	308	27.4
89. Rutland, Mass.	113	193.2			2	66.0	31	116.3					8	190.3					3	100.0			6	111.2
90. Muskogee, Okla.	16	49.2	11	22.0	49	16.6	21	16.1	17	30.1	81	20.7	1	15.0	1	93.0	18	76.7	123	19.3	197	15.6	616	15.1
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	8	77.5			3	105.0	190	145.9	31	169.3	96	77.1	15	137.8			11	118.6	11	63.2	2	212.5	124	66.6
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	6	31.0	16	29.8	22	28.3	38	28.7	18	30.9	72	42.3	2	52.0	1	64.0	13	98.0	151	23.9	41	34.0	314	23.1
93. Legion, Tex.	223	178.9	1	195.0	1	100.0	95	82.3					2	148.5					43	25.3			5	24.6
94. American Lake, Wash.			10	57.2					40	161.0	2	48.5					1	186.0	2	26.0	33	91.3	8	47.9
95. Northampton, Mass.			1	21.0																	1	7.0		
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	170	98.9			6	50.0	56	62.7			4	22.8	33	40.4			4	42.0	12	46.3			55	44.0
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	2	147.0	29	28.5	8	29.8	1	50.0	90	67.5	18	31.0							5	48.4	34	46.9	16	74.1
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	147	107.2			2	44.5	62	70.4			3	70.7	24	99.4			2	35.5	32	55.4			48	50.8
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.			2	9.5	4	43.3			2	25.0	4	46.0			1	114.0	3	46.3					5	57.2
100. Camp Custer, Mich.			1	18.0					19	102.4	2	38.5									6	66.0		
101. St. Cloud, Minn.			12	51.2	1	91.0			14	85.5	1	106.0									13	76.5	1	82.0
102. Livermore, Calif.	12	45.1					12	36.8			3	10.0							8	28.0			12	29.4
Total	2,525	165.5	472	77.9	899	37.4	2,172	110.4	820	120.9	1,412	43.0	226	109.6	38	72.2	196	72.3	2,036	35.2	992	40.9	5,451	24.9

TABLE No. 45.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, treated for all diseases and conditions in hospitals other than United States veterans', by hospital and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*

Hospital	Total		All diseases and conditions—Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Marine hospitals:																	
No. 2. Boston, Mass	1	2.0															
No. 3. Buffalo, N. Y	137	34.7	31	35.9	22.63	61	35.9	44.53	8	69.0	5.84				4	88.8	2.92
No. 5. Chicago, Ill	1	88.0							1	88.0	100.00						
No. 6. Cleveland, Ohio	485	19.0	34	20.0	7.01	196	26.1	40.41							5	91.0	1.03
No. 7. Detroit, Mich	284	34.2	2	8.5	.70	105	58.9	36.97	10	144.5	3.52				1	66.0	.35
No. 8. Evansville, Ind	367	21.1	31	27.6	8.45	184	21.1	50.14							4	132.0	1.09
No. 9. Fort Stanton, N. Mex	24	195.8															
No. 10. Key West, Fla	1	495.0							1	495.0	100.00						
No. 11. Louisville, Ky	832	13.5	46	25.6	5.53	264	17.3	31.73	3	76.3	.36				5	12.0	.60
No. 14. New Orleans, La	398	35.6				190	44.6	47.74	6	53.8	1.51	1	8.0	0.25	18	57.0	4.52
No. 15. Chicago, Ill	310	41.9	35	23.4	11.29	137	50.8	44.19	14	58.2	4.52	1	4.0	.32	21	75.7	6.77
No. 16. Portland, Me	46	18.5	1	16.0	2.17	21	25.7	45.65							1	32.0	2.17
No. 18. St. Louis, Mo	1	16.0				1	16.0	100.00									
No. 19. San Francisco, Calif	5	22.4				3	13.0	60.00									
No. 20. Savannah, Ga	215	33.9	24	30.0	11.16	68	46.3	31.63	1	207.0	.47				14	54.9	6.51
No. 21. Stapleton, N. Y	18	48.1				11	51.6	61.11	1	47.0	5.56				2	29.0	11.11
All Marine hospitals	3,125	27.0	204	26.5	6.53	1,241	33.6	39.71	45	93.4	1.44	2	6.0	.06	75	65.9	2.40
U. S. Army hospitals:																	
Army Navy General, Hot Springs, Ark	520	67.5	54	55.5	10.38	307	77.3	59.04							14	138.1	2.69
Denver, Colo	2,195	136.2	113	44.6	5.15	852	139.5	38.82	18	417.6	.82	26	247.2	1.18	99	150.4	4.51
El Paso, Tex	593	70.6	8	47.1	1.35	168	73.5	28.33	1	37.0	.17	1	297.0	.17	111	104.7	18.72
San Antonio, Tex	882	73.9	49	45.4	5.56	280	83.3	31.75	1	300.0	.11	5	214.6	.57	36	137.9	4.08
San Francisco, Calif	1,759	43.0	50	25.6	2.84	1,309	45.2	74.42							66	56.7	3.75
Washington, D. C	2,119	73.4	207	84.8	9.77	793	91.0	37.42	5	270.6	.24	7	165.0	.33	237	88.2	11.18
All Army hospitals	8,068	83.3	481	61.3	5.96	3,709	83.5	45.97	25	368.2	.31	39	229.5	.48	563	103.1	6.98
U. S. Naval hospitals:																	
Chelsea, Mass	2,120	39.0	25	31.1	1.18	1,535	41.7	72.41	2	16.5	.09	1	7.0	.05	83	34.9	3.92
Great Lakes, Ill	978	124.1	9	49.6	.92	503	148.9	51.43							70	149.1	7.16
Key West, Fla	1	73.0															
League Island, Pa	1,483	31.0	119	26.3	8.02	447	40.8	30.14							20	71.1	1.35
Mare Island, Calif	66	153.3	3	62.3	4.55	30	198.9	45.45							8	63.6	12.12
Newport, R. I	138	44.8	16	34.9	11.59	39	60.9	28.26				1	351.0	.72	7	94.1	5.07
Brooklyn, N. Y	2,233	32.3				1,737	34.9	77.79							5	9.6	.22
Norfolk, Va	578	27.7				45	28.5	7.79							53	62.6	9.17
Pensacola, Fla	67	40.0	1	22.0	1.49	24	49.5	35.82							3	82.0	4.48
Portsmouth, N. H	100	43.0	1	55.0	1.00	1	38.0	1.00							10	72.7	10.00
Puget Sound, Wash	15	40.8	1	28.0	6.67	8	33.0	53.33							2	104.0	13.33
San Diego, Calif	221	44.9	6	28.5	2.71	25	53.5	11.31							6	150.5	2.71
Washington, D. C	884	39.8	1	67.0	.11	25	65.3	2.83							76	67.9	8.60
All Naval hospitals	8,884	45.8	182	29.9	2.05	4,419	52.4	49.74	2	16.5	.02	2	179.0	.02	343	77.3	3.86
U. S. Interior Department:																	
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	205	471.7	20	461.0	9.76	19	472.8	9.27				1	205.0	.49	64	700.6	31.22
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers:																	
Danville, Ill	62	25.9				26	39.4	41.94									
Dayton, Ohio	860	80.6	6	33.5	.70	78	111.1	9.07							17	128.8	1.98
Hot Springs, S. Dak	71	171.3				25	175.2	35.21	1	74.0	1.41				1	111.0	1.41
Johnson City, Tenn	1,292	181.3				392	277.5	30.34	20	447.1	1.55	15	509.6	1.16	53	191.1	4.10
Leavenworth, Kans	105	77.6				7	37.0	6.67	1	220.0	.95				1	75.0	.95
Los Angeles, Calif	474	170.6	4	31.0	.84	147	127.5	31.01	2	119.5	.42				26	188.0	5.49
Marion, Ind	295	370.8	1	72.0	.34	39	327.3	13.22							41	693.6	13.90
Milwaukee, Wis	958	129.9	4	59.0	.42	289	112.8	30.17	11	474.9	1.15	4	335.5	.42	29	229.2	3.03
Togus, Me	103	55.8	1	61.0	.97	31	74.5	30.10	1	93.0	.97	2	110.5	1.94	5	250.4	4.85
Hampton, Va	3	377.0															
All national soldiers homes	4,223	153.2	16	43.4	.38	1,034	183.3	24.48	36	410.9	.85	21	438.4	.50	173	310.6	4.10
State hospitals	1,408	374.7	18	194.3	1.28	164	268.6	11.65	21	274.8	1.49	11	259.6	.78	678	527.7	48.15
Civil hospitals [1]	7,344	74.9	80	25.3	1.09	1,505	64.9	20.49	81	221.7	1.10	19	182.3	.26	855	185.4	11.64
Grand total	33,257	89.8	1,001	55.5	3.01	12,091	76.4	36.36	210	247.4	.63	95	263.7	.29	2,751	256.1	8.27

[1] Includes patients discharged from hospitals in United States possessions.

TABLE No. 45.—*Discharges of United States Veterans' Bureau patients, treated for all diseases and conditions in hospitals other than United States veterans', by hospital and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Hospital	All diseases and conditions—Disposition or condition on disposition—Continued																	
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons									Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Marine hospitals:																		
No. 2. Boston, Mass																1	2.0	100.00
No. 3. Buffalo, N. Y	6	16.2	4.38	4	13.0	2.92	5	12.0	3.65	4	21.5	2.92				14	18.2	10.22
No. 6. Cleveland, Ohio	6	26.2	1.24	10	36.1	2.06	7	12.3	1.44	22	12.4	4.54	1	31.0	.21	204	10.0	42.06
No. 7. Detroit, Mich	1	8.0	.35	10	32.4	3.52	1	2.0	.35	12	55.3	4.23				142	7.1	50.00
No. 8. Evansville, Ind	7	74.0	1.91	4	50.3	1.09	2	44.5	.55	5	20.6	1.36	1	5.0	.27	129	12.2	35.15
No. 9. Fort Stanton, N. Mex	3	333.7	12.50	2	839.0	8.33				3	662.3	12.50				16	2.1	66.67
No. 11. Louisville, Ky	5	91.0	.60	4	14.8	.48	16	4.7	1.92	20	17.7	2.40	2	6.0	.24	467	9.1	56.13
No. 14. New Orleans, La	8	47.0	2.01	12	40.1	3.02	37	15.3	9.30	42	21.9	10.55	26	24.0	6.53	58	23.4	14.57
No. 15. Chicago, Ill	17	28.7	5.48	20	17.4	6.45	7	26.4	2.26	29	39.2	9.35	4	30.5	1.29	25	21.1	8.06
No. 16. Portland, Me				3	18.0	6.52	1	4.0	2.17	4	22.5	8.70				15	7.6	32.61
No. 19. San Francisco, Calif										2	36.5	40.00						
No. 20. Savannah, Ga	52	17.7	24.19	8	31.1	3.72	9	23.7	4.19	6	36.8	2.79	4	91.3	1.86	29	16.5	13.49
No. 21. Stapleton, N. Y				1	3.0	5.56	2	45.5	11.11				1	99.0	5.56			
All Marine hospitals	105	38.3	3.36	78	48.8	2.50	87	15.8	2.78	149	39.7	4.77	39	32.2	1.25	1,100	10.6	35.20
U. S. Army hospitals:																		
Army Navy General, Hot Springs, Ark	39	88.7	7.50	8	67.3	1.54	35	30.9	6.73	45	16.5	8.65	2	65.5	.38	16	31.4	3.08
Denver, Colo	206	76.5	9.38	141	198.9	6.42	225	216.9	10.25	289	140.1	13.17	13	157.9	.59	213	52.0	9.70
El Paso, Tex	49	52.1	8.26	35	79.2	5.90	53	99.4	8.94	53	37.5	8.94	6	87.2	1.01	108	38.0	18.21
San Antonio, Tex	78	46.4	8.84	63	82.0	7.14	98	100.9	11.11	131	74.9	14.85	8	78.8	.91	133	31.7	15.08
San Francisco, Calif	61	50.8	3.47	54	46.6	3.07				80	34.4	4.55	1	95.0	.06	138	20.7	7.85
Washington, D. C	154	79.2	7.27	57	111.3	2.69	74	26.5	3.49	229	41.0	10.81	10	53.3	.47	346	34.5	16.33
All Army hospitals	587	69.3	7.28	358	126.7	4.44	485	138.1	6.01	827	78.8	10.25	40	99.1	.50	954	36.4	11.82

U. S. Naval hospitals:																		
Chelsea, Mass	91	54.5	4.29	37	55.7	1.75	32	27.1	1.51	74	24.0	3.49	7	73.9	.33	233	20.5	10.99
Great Lakes, Ill	115	131.6	11.76	11	194.2	1.12	14	42.6	1.43	138	73.5	14.11	3	137.7	.31	115	62.1	11.76
Key West, Fla										1	73.0	100.00						
League Island, Pa	11	44.6	.74	26	83.9	1.75	55	21.1	3.71	58	18.8	3.91	1	16.0	.07	746	24.6	50.30
Mare Island, Calif	6	185.0	9.09	3	32.0	4.55				9	82.4	13.64	3	433.7	4.55	4	51.0	6.06
Newport, R. I	16	38.1	11.59	8	39.9	5.80	1	8.0	.72	7	38.7	5.07	1	16.0	.72	42	24.1	30.43
Brooklyn, N. Y	2	44.0	.09	45	54.1	2.02	68	15.3	3.05	74	22.9	3.31	23	44.9	1.03	279	19.0	12.49
Norfolk, Va				11	99.4	1.90	10	15.2	1.73	39	23.5	6.75				420	22.0	72.66
Pensacola, Fla				2	48.0	2.99	6	19.5	8.96	3	23.0	4.48	1	80.0	1.49	27	32.0	40.30
Portsmouth, N. H							1	171.0	1.00	3	19.0	3.00				84	38.7	84.00
Puget Sound, Wash							1	9.0	6.67							3	34.3	20.00
San Diego, Calif	2	13.0	.90	10	50.0	4.52	3	14.3	1.36	11	29.9	4.98	2	36.5	.90	156	42.0	70.59
Washington, D. C				19	48.7	2.15	24	20.6	2.71	55	34.8	6.22	26	69.5	2.94	658	35.3	74.43
All Naval hospitals	243	92.3	2.74	172	68.9	1.94	215	21.6	2.42	472	40.4	5.31	67	78.5	.75	2,767	28.9	31.15
U. S. Interior Department:																		
St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	7	426.4	3.41	34	520.4	16.59	10	378.8	4.88	18	310.6	8.78				32	106.0	15.61
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers:																		
Danville, Ill							2	2.5	3.23	3	23.7	4.84				31	16.3	50.00
Dayton, Ohio				54	114.5	6.28	10	83.4	1.16	266	94.0	30.93	1	583.0	.12	428	59.9	49.77
Hot Springs, S. Dak	17	151.7	23.94	4	473.3	5.63	4	72.0	5.63	13	182.0	18.31				6	78.7	8.45
Johnson City, Tenn	2	35.5	.15	55	163.4	4.26	129	216.1	9.98	316	133.2	24.46	35	155.7	2.71	275	51.8	21.28
Leavenworth, Kans	2	43.5	1.90	13	79.3	12.38	40	98.5	38.10	32	70.3	30.48	3	61.0	2.86	6	30.8	5.71
Los Angeles, Calif				38	133.9	8.02	28	180.7	5.91	62	167.0	13.08	2	304.0	.42	165	216.7	34.81
Marion, Ind	36	307.4	12.20	31	564.7	10.51	1	589.0	.34	129	285.8	43.73				17	122.7	5.76
Milwaukee, Wis	2	35.0	.21	60	156.4	6.26	181	174.8	18.89	116	97.5	12.11	27	175.6	2.82	235	90.4	24.53
Togus, Me	12	46.5	11.65	1	64.0	.97				5	42.8	4.85	1	101.0	.97	44	19.9	42.72
Hampton, Va				1	850.0	33.33				1	183.0	33.33				1	98.0	33.33
All national soldiers homes	71	203.2	1.68	257	198.4	6.09	395	177.6	9.35	943	138.6	22.33	69	169.1	1.63	1,208	83.7	28.61
State hospitals	48	259.5	3.41	71	388.2	5.04	24	110.3	1.70	46	160.5	3.27	3	205.0	.21	324	194.1	23.01
Civil hospitals [1]	171	121.7	2.33	369	132.7	5.02	246	152.7	3.35	177	100.5	2.41	21	196.5	.29	3,820	37.0	52.02
Grand total	1,232	95.6	3.70	1,339	154.0	4.03	1,462	128.0	4.40	2,632	95.6	7.91	239	112.5	.72	10,205	42.6	30.69

[1] Includes patients discharged from hospitals in United States possessions.

TABLE No. 46.—*Deaths of United States Veterans' Bureau patients in all hospitals by primary cause of death and groups of hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Cause of death	Groups of hospitals			
	United States veterans	Other Government	State and civil	All hospitals
Epidemic, endemic, and infectious diseases:				
Typhoid fever			1	1
Dysentery	2	2		4
Purulent infection and septicaemia	9	9		18
Pellagra	2			2
Tuberculosis of the lungs	932	436	312	1,680
Acute miliary tuberculosis	53	33	6	92
Tuberculous meningitis	13	3	1	17
Abdominal tuberculosis	1	5		6
Pott's disease	8	3		11
White swellings	1	1		2
Tuberculosis of other organs	5	6	2	13
Disseminated tuberculosis	14	2	3	19
Rickets	1			1
Syphilis	8	4	1	13
General diseases not included in Class I:				
Cancer and other malignant tumors of the buccal cavity	5	1		6
Cancer and other malignant tumors of the stomach, liver	10	16	1	27
Cancer and other malignant tumors of the peritoneum, intestines, rectum	8	4		12
Cancer and other malignant tumors of other organs, or of organs not specified	20	24	3	47
Other tumors (tumors of the female genital organs excepted)		2		2
Diabetes	4	7		11
Exophthalmic goitre	1	1		2
Leukemia	4	6	2	12
Anemia	4	7	3	14
Other general diseases	1	3		4
Alcoholism (acute or chronic)	3			3
Diseases of the nervous system and of the organs of special sense:				
Encephalitis	8	5	2	15
Simple meningitis	6	2	2	10
Locomotor ataxia	1	1		2
Other diseases of the spinal cord	10	3	1	14
Cerebral hemorrhage, apoplexy	20	6	2	28
Softening of the brain	1			1
Paralysis without specified cause		2		2
General paralysis of the insane	61	27	29	117
Other forms of mental alienation	27	3	14	44
Epilepsy	5	5	3	13
Convulsions (non puerperal)			1	1
Other diseases of the nervous system	5	5		10
Diseases of the circulatory system:				
Pericarditis	1	1		2
Acute endocarditis	9	4	1	14
Organic diseases of the heart	62	80	16	158
Angina pectoris		1		1
Diseases of the arteries, atheroma, aneurysm, etc	9	6	1	16
Embolism and thrombosis	6	1		7
Diseases of the lymphatic system (lymphangitis, etc.)	1	1		2
Hemorrhage, other diseases of the circulatory system	2	4		6
Diseases of the thyroid body			1	1
Diseases of the respiratory system:				
Acute bronchitis	1		1	2
Broncho-pneumonia	19	17	1	37
Pneumonia	22	25	3	50
Pleurisy	5	4	1	10
Pulmonary congestion, pulmonary apoplexy	8	2		10
Asthma	1	1	2	4
Other diseases of the respiratory system (tuberculosis excepted)	10	14		24
Diseases of the digestive system:				
Diseases of the mouth and annexa		1		1
Ulcer of the stomach	4	6	2	12
Other diseases of the stomach (cancer excepted)		3		3
Diarrhea and enteritis	3	2	1	6
Intestinal parasites	1			1
Appendicitis and typhlitis	2	5	2	9
Hernia, intestinal obstruction	6	7		13
Other diseases of the intestines	4	3	1	8
Cirrhosis of the liver	1	4		5
Biliary calculi			1	1
Other diseases of the liver	2	3		5
Simple peritonitis (nonpuerperal)	7	12	2	21
Other diseases of the digestive system (cancer and tuberculosis excepted)	1		2	3

TABLE No. 46.—*Deaths of United States Veterans' Bureau patients in all hospitals by primary cause of death and groups of hospitals, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Cause of death	Groups of hospitals			
	United States veterans	Other Government	State and civil	All hospitals
Nonvenereal diseases of the genitourinary system and annexa:				
Acute nephritis	13	8	1	22
Bright's disease	30	28	6	64
Other diseases of the kidneys and annexa	3	1	1	5
Calculi of the urinary passages		1		1
The puerperal state: Accidents of pregnancy			1	1
Diseases of the skin and of the cellular tissue:				
Gangrene		1		1
Furuncle			1	1
Acute abscess	1	1		2
Other diseases of the skin and annexa		1		1
Diseases of the bone (tuberculosis excepted)	1		1	2
External causes:				
Suicide by poison	1			1
Suicide by hanging or strangulation	4	1		5
Suicide by drowning	1			1
Suicide by firearms	1			1
Suicide by cutting or piercing instruments	2		1	3
Suicide by crushing		1	1	2
Other suicides	3	1		4
Other acute poisonings	4	3		7
Accidental drowning	1			1
Traumatism by firearms	1			1
Traumatism by cutting or piercing instruments	1			1
Effects of heat	2	1		3
Homicide by firearms	1			1
Homicide by other means	1			1
Fractures, cause not specified	1	1		2
Other external violence	1	4		5
Cause of death not specified or ill defined	14	5		19
Grand total	1,527	899	440	2,866

TABLE NO. 47.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau female patients by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition																	
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization									Out-patient office or home treatment								
			Arrested			Apparently arrested			Improved			Improved			Unimproved		
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	P cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	70	311.7	4	312.5	5.71	4	552.8	5.71	10	178.9	14.29	4	455.0	5.71	4	456.8	5.71
U. S. Army	18	459.9				5	477.6	27.78	2	517.0	11.11	3	831.0	16.67			
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	5	244.4										1	544.0	20.00			
State	2	10.0															
Civil	44	181.6				3	174.7	6.82	3	533.0	6.82	1	33.0	2.27	1	149.0	2.27
Total	139	283.0	4	312.5	2.88	12	426.9	8.63	15	294.8	10.79	9	543.3	6.47	5	395.2	3.60

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																	
	Transferred for further treatment			Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons						Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
										Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	12	275.5	17.14	6	322.5	8.57	4	512.5	5.71	14	330.6	20.00	1	613.0	1.43	7	56.0	10.00
U. S. Army	2	153.5	11.11				4	482.5	22.22							2	63.0	11.11
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers																		
State	1	10.0	50.00				1	295.0	20.00	3	127.7	60.00						
Civil	22	171.2	50.00				4	139.5	9.09							1	10.0	50.00
Total	37	199.7	26.62	6	322.5	4.32	13	371.8	9.35	17	294.8	12.23	1	613.0	.72	10	136.0	22.73

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC CONDITIONS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition												
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment (improved)			Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved								
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	14	202.8				11	191.1	78.57				2	66.5	14.29
U. S. Marine	2	35.0										1	119.0	12.50
U. S. Army	8	85.5				2	114.5	25.00				1	89.0	2.63
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	38	115.2	3	386.0	7.89	4	111.8	10.53						
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	1	166.0				1	166.0	100.00						
State	1	121.0										1	121.0	100.00
Civil	41	104.8	1	77.0	2.44	5	185.8	12.20	1	373.0	2.44	3	187.7	7.32
Total	105	119.6	4	308.8	3.81	23	168.4	21.90	1	373.0	.95	8	128.1	7.62

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition														
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons						Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical officer in charge			Left without permission					
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	1	604.0	7.14										1	1.0	50.00
U. S. Marine	1	69.0	50.00							1	1.0	12.50	3	29.3	37.50
U. S. Army	1	247.0	12.50							3	117.0	7.89	12	53.9	31.58
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	2	102.0	5.26	9	130.4	23.68	4	76.8	10.53						
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers															
State													28	69.0	68.29
Civil	2	164.0	4.88				1	96.0	2.44						
Total	7	207.4	6.67	9	130.4	8.57	5	80.6	4.76	4	88.0	3.81	44	60.6	41.90

TABLE NO. 47.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau female patients by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CONDITIONS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	87	104.8	1	22.0	1.15	37	116.9	42.53	2	274.5	2.30	1	742.0	1.15	4	110.8	4.60
U. S. Marine	3	48.0				1	24.0	33.33							1	112.0	33.33
U. S. Army	39	91.5	5	76.6	12.82	18	89.3	46.15							1	6.0	2.56
U. S. Navy	4	37.8	1	145.0	25.00												
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	10	26.7															
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	5	161.2				1	190.0	20.00							1	313.0	20.00
State	1	2.0															
Civil	62	31.7	1	3.0	1.61	16	22.5	25.81				1	262.0	1.61	2	176.5	3.23
Total	211	75.9	8	69.1	3.79	73	89.1	34.60	2	274.5	.95	2	502.0	.95	9	136.3	4.27

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons								Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical office in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary				
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	7	91.6	8.05	1	68.0	1.15	2	176.5	2.30	1	251.0	1.15	1	82.0	1.15	30	54.6	34.48
U. S. Marine																1	8.0	33.33
U. S. Army	3	182.0	7.69													12	85.5	30.77
U. S. Navy																3	2.0	75.00
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)										1	29.0	10.00				9	26.4	90.00
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers							1	3.0	20.00							2	150.0	40.00
State																1	2.0	100.00
Civil				1	62.0	1.61										41	22.6	66.13
Total	10	118.7	4.74	2	65.0	.95	3	118.7	1.42	2	140.0	.95	1	82.0	.47	99	41.9	46.92

TABLE NO 47.—*Discharges from hospitals of United States Veterans' Bureau female patients by branch of service and disposition or condition on disposition, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

ALL DISEASES AND CONDITIONS

Branch of service	Total		Disposition or condition on disposition														
			Discharged, maximum benefit from hospitalization						Out-patient office or home treatment						Transferred for further treatment		
			Recovered or cured			Improved			Improved			Unimproved					
	Cases	Average days	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	171	197.5	1	22.0	0.58	66	176.9	38.60	6	394.8	3.51	5	513.8	2.92	18	215.7	10.53
U. S. Marine	5	42.8				1	24.0	20.00							1	112.0	20.00
U. S. Army	65	192.8	5	76.6	7.69	27	194.7	41.54	3	831.0	4.62				4	108.0	6.15
U. S. Navy	4	37.8	1	145.0	25.00												
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	48	96.8	3	386.0	6.25	4	111.8	8.33							1	89.0	2.08
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers	11	199.5				2	178.0	18.18	1	544.0	9.09				1	313.0	9.09
State	4	35.8													2	65.5	50.00
Civil	147	97.0	2	40.0	1.36	27	126.4	18.37	2	203.0	1.36	2	205.5	1.36	27	173.4	18.37
Total	455	149.2	12	149.0	2.64	127	166.7	27.91	12	484.3	2.64	7	425.7	1.54	54	178.6	11.87

Branch of service	Disposition or condition on disposition																
	Unimproved			Died			Discharged for personal reasons								Discharged, no treatment indicated (for observation or special examination)		
							Against advice of medical office in charge			Left without permission			Disciplinary				
	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent	Cases	Average days	Per cent
U. S. Veterans' Bureau	14	227.1	8.19	5	423.6	2.92	16	311.3	9.36	2	432.0	1.17	1	82.0	0.58	37	54.9	21.64
U. S. Marine	1	69.0	20.00													2	4.5	40.00
U. S. Army	4	198.3	6.15	4	482.5	6.15				1	1.0	1.54				17	72.9	26.15
U. S. Navy																3	2.0	75.00
U. S. Interior (St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C.)	2	102.0	4.17	9	130.4	18.75	4	76.8	8.33	4	95.0	8.33				21	42.1	43.75
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers				1	295.0	9.09	4	96.5	36.36							2	150.0	18.18
State																2	6.0	50.00
Civil	2	104.0	1.36	5	124.0	3.40	1	96.0	.68							79	53.4	53.74
Total	23	198.9	5.05	24	255.7	5.27	25	230.8	5.49	7	177.9	1.54	1	82.0	.22	163	53.4	35.82

TABLE No. 48.—*Discharges from hospitals of all patients treated by the United States Veterans' Bureau, by class of beneficiary, groups of hospitals, and type of patient, fiscal year 1925*

Class of beneficiary	United States veterans				Other Government				State, civil, and United States possessions				All hospitals			
	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions	Tuberculosis pulmonary	Neuropsychiatric	General	All diseases and conditions
United States veterans of the World War	10,900	7,477	18,859	37,236	5,397	3,160	15,145	23,702	3,141	2,004	3,572	8,717	19,438	12,641	37,576	69,655
Compensable disability	10,045	6,380	15,469	31,894	5,195	2,909	13,048	21,152	3,037	1,973	3,466	8,476	18,277	11,262	31,983	61,522
Noncompensable disability	855	1,097	3,390	5,342	202	251	2,097	2,550	104	31	106	241	1,161	1,379	5,593	8,133
United States veterans of wars, occupations, and rebellions since 1897	209	117	449	775	87	104	612	803	19	3	13	35	315	224	1,074	1,613
Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection							6	6							6	6
Boxer Rebellion, Philippine Insurrection, and Spanish-American War	84	40	98	222	17	24	134	175	2	1	3	6	103	65	235	403
Boxer Rebellion and Spanish-American War	4		4	8	1	1	1	3					5	1	5	11
Cuban pacification	1	1		2			5	5					1	1	5	7
Nicaraguan campaign	1			1									1			1
Philippine Insurrection	5	2	30	37	2	2	14	18	5	2	5	12	12	6	49	67
Punitive expedition into Mexico	4	4	1	9	1		6	7					5	4	7	16
Spanish-American War	107	67	309	483	64	75	437	576	12		5	17	183	142	751	1,076
Spanish-American War and Philippine Insurrection	2	1	5	8	1	2	6	9					3	3	11	17
Vera Cruz expedition			2	2	1		1	2					1		3	4
Other wars, expeditions, and occupations	1	2		3			2	2					1	2	2	5
Allied veterans	111	65	124	300	49	27	213	289	35	29	44	108	195	121	381	697
British	6	18	11	35	6	6	33	45	10	3	19	32	22	27	63	112
Canadian	101	42	108	251	39	21	180	240	25	21	24	70	165	84	312	561
All others	4	5	5	14	4			4		5	1	6	8	10	6	24
Miscellaneous	29	20	392	441	1	3	6	10	2	2	4	8	32	25	402	459
Employees, United States Veterans' Bureau	14	7	309	330		1	3	4			1	1	14	8	313	335
Employees' Compensation Commission	7	3	30	40									7	3	30	40
U. S. Naval Home (U. S. Veterans' Hospital No. 49, Philadelphia, Pa., only)		3	12	15										3	12	15
Emergency	4	4	23	31			1	1	1	1	3	5	5	5	27	37
All other beneficiaries	4	3	18	25	1	2	2	5	1	1		2	6	6	20	32
Grand total	11,249	7,679	19,824	38,752	5,534	3,294	15,976	24,804	3,197	2,038	3,633	8,868	19,980	13,011	39,433	72,424

TABLE No. 49.—*Operations performed on United States Veterans' Bureau patients in all hospitals showing general results and average days from operation to discharge for each operation, fiscal year 1925*

Operation	United States veterans' hospitals						All other hospitals						Grand total, cases
	Successful		Unsuccessful [1]		Total		Successful		Unsuccessful [1]		Total		
	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	
Adenoidectomy	6	12.5	1	18.0	7	13.3	8	29.7			8	29.7	15
Adenoidectomy and tonsillectomy	9	14.3			9	14.3	10	19.2	1	9.0	11	18.2	20
Advancement of eye muscle							4	8.5			4	8.5	4
Amputation, all or in part	71	76.1	6	137.3	77	80.5	64	96.0	3	21.7	67	91.6	144
Aneurism, operation (otherwise unclassified)	2	50.5			2	50.5	2	17.0			2	17.0	4
Aponeurosis, division							3	149.0			3	149.0	3
Aponeurosis, excision	1	26.0			1	26.0	1	40.0			1	40.0	2
Appendectomy	412	75.8	12	77.2	424	75.4	438	44.3	10	22.2	448	44.0	872
Appendectomy with drainage	8	140.5	1	43.0	9	126.6	6	32.5	2	3.0	8	26.6	17
Artery, ligation	7	41.3	4	20.0	11	34.9	10	20.0	1	16.0	11	19.6	22
Arthrectomy, complete							2	134.0			2	134.0	2
Arthrectomy, partial	4	102.0	1	98.0	5	101.0	9	90.4			9	90.4	14
Arthroclasia	4	57.0			4	57.0			3	31.3	3	31.3	7
Arthrodesis	12	117.8	4	547.0	16	165.4	4	58.3			4	58.3	20
Arthrotomy	4	206.0			4	206.0	7	36.3			7	36.3	11
Arsphenamine injection [2]	17	20.3	10	6.0	27	16.6			11	1.5	11	1.5	38
Arsphenamine-neo, injection [2]	17	15.9	6	23.2	23	19.2	13	2.2	20	1.2	33	1.6	56
Aspiration. Aspiration and injection [2]	16	125.1	50	87.7	66	91.8	14	23.9	7	691.0	21	101.5	87
Autoplasty	3	159.3			3	159.3	8	124.7			8	124.7	11
Blepharoplasty	4	3.8			4	3.8	3	52.0			3	52.0	7
Blood vessels, operations on (otherwise unclassified)							1	9.0			1	9.0	1
Bone graft, autogenous	11	158.5			11	158.5	9	180.0	2	297.0	11	191.7	22
Bone graft (otherwise unclassified)	4	339.0			4	339.0	2	50.0			2	50.0	6
Bone plate, removal of	6	56.3			6	56.3	7	26.0			7	26.0	13
Bone, rebroken and set for faulty union	1	1.0			1	1.0							1
Bone, resection of	26	91.7	3	31.0	29	88.7	25	54.9			25	54.9	54
Brain cyst, excision	1	1.0			1	1.0							1
Brain, operations on (otherwise unclassified)							2	15.0	1	1.0	3	8.0	3
Breaking up of adhesions	46	93.9	3	590.0	49	107.7	35	51.1	1	3.0	36	49.2	85
Bronchoscopy [3]							19	1.3			19	1.3	19
Bursa, excision	3	55.0			3	55.0	1	97.0			1	97.0	4

[1] Deaths due to operations shown under unsuccessful.
[2] Each operation in a series is reported as one case, as in trachoma expression, 81 operations were performed on 20 patients.
[3] Operations forming a part of an observation or examination are reported under successful.

TABLE No. 49.—*Operations performed on United States Veterans' Bureau patients in all hospitals showing general results and average days from operation to discharge for each operation, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Operation	United States veterans' hospitals						All other hospitals						Grand total, cases
	Successful		Unsuccessful		Total		Successful		Unsuccessful		Total		
	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	
Canthoplasty	1	110.0			1	110.0							1
Canthotomy	1	46.0			1	46.0	1	37.0			1	37.0	2
Capsulorrhaphy	4	93.5			4	93.5	1	19.0			1	19.0	5
Cataract extraction	2	32.5			2	32.5	7	45.8			7	45.8	9
Cauterization	16	75.4	6	31.5	22	69.5	23	12.9			23	12.9	45
Cecostomy	3	77.0			3	77.0							3
Celiotomy	28	158.0	21	103.8	49	131.8	29	56.1	13	28.2	42	45.0	91
Chalazion operation	8	85.7			8	85.7	5	27.6			5	27.6	13
Cholecystectomy	29	76.5	4	5.0	33	69.0	45	90.4	3	2.0	48	86.6	81
Cholecystotomy	8	75.2	3	4.0	11	59.4	4	48.3	1	21.0	5	41.5	16
Chondrectomy	6	60.3			6	60.3	18	33.5			18	33.5	24
Circumcision	29	13.8			29	13.8	21	58.2			21	58.2	50
Clot, removal of	1	49.0			1	49.0							1
Colectomy	2	60.0			2	60.0							2
Colostomy			5	31.8	5	31.8							5
Conjunctival keratoplasty			1	23.0	1	23.0	2	10.0			2	10.0	3
Connective tissue, excision of	1	19.0			1	19.0	4	19.7			4	19.7	5
Curettement	47	59.9	6	50.3	53	58.9	41	57.3	2	37.5	43	55.7	96
Cystectomy, complete	49	71.9	1	329.0	50	77.3	49	19.1	1	12.0	50	18.9	100
Cystectomy, partial	1	73.0			1	73.0							1
Cystoscopy [3]	82	30.8			82	30.8	68	9.7			68	9.7	150
Cystostomy, perineal							1	37.0			1	37.0	1
Cystostomy, suprapubic	1	69.0			1	69.0	4	51.3			4	51.3	5
Cystotomy, perineal							1	18.0			1	18.0	1
Cystotomy, suprapubic	3	52.0			3	52.0	2	17.0	1	86.0	3	51.5	6
Debridement	1	15.0			1	15.0	2	41.5			2	41.5	3
Debridement with Carrel's treatment	1	77.0			1	77.0	16	132.3	1	28.0	17	124.3	18
Decompression	1	103.0			1	103.0	1	37.0			1	37.0	2
Decortication							1	80.0			1	80.0	1
Dilatation (otherwise unclassified)	18	55.2	4	30.5	22	50.7	25	31.7			25	31.7	47
Discission of cataract							1	4.0			1	4.0	1
Drainage	56	79.7	7	151.0	63	87.0	78	46.5	5	124.0	83	51.4	146
Entero-enterostomy							1	28.0			1	28.0	1
Enterorrhaphy							2	38.0			2	38.0	2
Enterostomy	4	36.0	1	1.0	5	18.5	11	21.1	2	1.5	13	18.1	18
Enucleation, simple	3	80.0			3	80.0	1	25.0	1	2.0	2	13.5	5
Enucleation, with implantation	1	290.0			1	290.0	1	27.0			1	27.0	2
Epididymectomy	16	150.2	1	62.0	17	149.4	8	38.2			8	38.2	25
Epididymotomy							3	20.0			3	20.0	3
Esophagotomy			1	34.0	1	34.0							1
Excision	204	56.0	6	207.0	210	59.5	175	36.8	5	22.3	180	36.5	390
Excision of scar tissue	34	42.1	3	19.7	37	39.0	62	85.3			62	85.3	99
Excision and drainage	10	36.4			10	36.4	9	51.1	1	2.0	10	45.0	20
Exploratory incision	11	63.1	4	40.7	15	56.4	19	31.3	11	67.0	30	43.8	45
Extirpation of lacrimal sac	2	24.5			2	24.5	2	14.0			2	14.0	4
Extraction of tooth or teeth	214	81.4	10	11.5	224	77.9	74	37.0			74	37.0	298
Eye operations (otherwise unclassified)	10	27.3			10	27.3	16	57.6			16	57.6	26
Foreign body, removal of	45	42.7			45	42.7	50	33.4	1	57.0	51	33.9	96
Fracture, closed, treatment of; method not classified	9	61.4			9	61.4	6	62.0			6	62.0	15
With Buck's extension	1	107.0			1	107.0							1
With external splints	1	41.0			1	41.0	3	19.3			3	19.3	4
With plaster of Paris	3	110.5			3	110.5	4	15.0	1	2.0	5	12.4	8
With Thomas' splint	1	123.0			1	123.0							1
Fracture, compound; treatment of; method not classified							2	116.0			2	116.0	2
With plaster of Paris	2	60.0			2	60.0	3	39.0			3	39.0	5
Fracture, open, treatment of; method not classified	1	49.0			1	49.0	3	146.3			3	146.3	4
By open reduction	1	63.0			1	63.0	2	71.0			2	71.0	3
By bone graft	2	90.5			2	90.5	5	180.5	1	130.0	6	163.7	8
By plate	1	191.0	1	126.0	2	158.5							2
By suture							2	44.0			2	44.0	2
By wiring	1	72.0			1	72.0	2	17.0			2	17.0	3
Fracture, removal of fragments	2	112.5			2	112.5	2	55.5			2	55.5	4
Gastrectomy, partial	1	46.0			1	46.0			1	7.0	1	7.0	2
Gastroenterostomy	29	86.5	8	80.7	37	81.5	56	64.4	9	20.4	65	57.9	102
Gastrorrhaphy							12	209.0			12	209.0	12
Hemorrhoids, clamp and cautery	295	36.3	2	26.0	297	36.2	224	20.3			224	20.3	521
Hemorrhoids, ligation	29	24.7	1	37.0	30	25.1	10	16.0			10	16.0	40
Hemorrhoids, operation (otherwise unclassified)	16	28.8			16	28.8	40	26.2			40	26.2	56
Hernia, femoral, repair	1	36.0			1	36.0	7	33.3			7	33.3	8
Inguinal, repair	343	43.3	4	108.3	347	44.1	344	33.9	2	8.0	346	33.8	693
Lumbar, repair							7	6.4			7	6.4	7
Umbilical, repair	4	40.0			4	40.0	3	196.0			3	196.0	7
Ventral, repair	46	46.8	2	6.0	48	45.7	37	39.3	1	9.0	38	38.4	86
All others, repair	41	37.7	2	48.0	43	38.3	35	39.8			35	39.8	78
Hydrocele, aspiration and injection	1	23.0	1	1.0	2	23.0	3	7.5	1	4.0	4	6.3	6
Eversion of sac (bottle operation)	23	53.9	1	22.0	24	52.2	20	29.2			20	29.2	4
Excision	10	29.3			10	29.3	10	27.0			10	27.0	20
Hysterectomy	1	73.0			1	73.0	1	62.0			1	62.0	2
Incision	82	105.7	4	209.7	86	114.7	61	56.0	3	32.0	64	54.5	150
Incision and curettement	46	77.9	4	133.8	50	85.9	22	32.0			22	32.0	72
Incision and drainage	150	86.3	32	51.0	182	80.8	119	49.2	34	48.3	153	48.7	335
Infusion							16	29.7	1	156.0	17	38.1	17
Injection of alcohol	3	61.5	5	3.3	8	26.6	2	164.0			2	164.0	10
Intestinal resection	2	48.0			2	48.0							2
Intestines, operation on (otherwise unclassified	3	55.5	4	51.0	7	52.5	3	35.0	1	18.0	4	28.5	11
Iridectomy	2	23.0			2	23.0	4	103.7			4	103.7	6
Joint dislocation: Closed reduction	2	9.0			2	9.0	3	31.0			3	31.0	5
Open reduction	5	33.0			5	33.0							5

[3] Operations forming a part of an observation or examination are reported under successful.

TABLE No. 49.—*Operations performed on United States Veterans' Bureau patients in all hospitals showing general results and average days from operation to discharge for each operation, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Operation	United States veterans' hospitals						All other hospitals						Grand total, cases
	Successful		Unsuccessful		Total		Successful		Unsuccessful		Total		
	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	Cases	Average days to discharge	
Laryngectomy							1	24.0	1	79.0	2	51.5	2
Litholapaxy	1	126.0			1	126.0	1	33.0			1	33.0	2
Lithotomy, perineal	1	43.0			1	43.0	1	40.0			1	40.0	2
Liver, operations on (otherwise unclassified)									1	2.0	1	2.0	1
Lymphadenectomy	21	43.7	4	63.3	25	46.2	8	49.6			8	49.6	33
Magnet extraction							1	86.0			1	86.0	1
Manipulation	8	34.3	1	51.0	9	37.6	13	16.4			13	16.4	22
Mastoidotomy with drainage	1	30.0			1	30.0	2	95.5			2	95.5	3
Mastoid operation (otherwise unclassified)	34	87.4			34	87.4	56	50.1			56	50.1	90
Myectomy							3	20.0			3	20.0	3
Myorrhaphy	1	11.0			1	11.0	1	12.0			1	12.0	2
Myotomy							2	54.0			2	54.0	2
Nephrectomy	19	116.6	5	109.3	24	115.4	13	80.7	2	51.5	15	75.4	39
Nephrolithotomy	8	44.7			8	44.7	11	37.3			11	37.3	19
Nephropexy	1	114.0			1	114.0	1	50.0			1	50.0	2
Nephrotomy	8	100.3			8	100.3	6	39.3			6	39.3	14
Neurectomy	3	26.0			3	26.0	6	41.0	2	17.0	8	33.0	11
Neurolysis	3	25.5	1	139.0	4	63.3	1	22.0			1	22.0	5
Neurorrhaphy	2	101.0			2	101.0	2	36.5			2	36.5	4
Neurotomy	2	22.0	1	68.0	3	37.3	2	3.0	1	117.0	3	60.0	6
Orchidectomy	28	114.0	2	230.0	30	119.5	15	57.9			15	57.9	45
Osteotomy	22	81.7	1	36.0	23	78.7	11	70.8			11	70.8	34
Paracentesis (otherwise unclassified)	7	20.0	18	47.7	25	41.3	5	15.6	3	3.0	8	13.5	33
Peritoneum drainage	2	136.0			2	136.0	2	21.5	2	60.5	4	41.0	6
Phlebectomy	73	40.9			73	40.9	83	38.8			83	38.8	156
Phlebotomy	1	36.0			1	36.0	1	28.0			1	28.0	2
Plaster dressing, application of	28	58.9			28	58.9	20	37.7	1	4.0	21	35.8	49
Plastic repair	73	53.2	7	63.8	80	54.0	54	33.2	1	128.0	55	35.1	135
Pleurectomy							14	94.7			14	94.7	14
Plication							1	18.0			1	18.0	1
Pneumoperitoneum	36	35.0	1	30.0	37	32.5							37
Pneumothorax, artificial [3]	105	68.2	39	201.7	144	104.1	7	447.6	18	210.7	25	269.9	169
Probing of lacrimal duct							2	77.0			2	77.0	2
Proctectomy	2	491.0			2	491.0							2
Proctoscopy [4]	2	43.5			2	43.5	2	6.0			2	6.0	4
Prostatectomy, perineal							1	29.0			1	29.0	1
Prostatectomy, suprapubic	1	24.0			1	24.0	2	48.5			2	48.5	3
Pterygium operation for	16	49.9			16	49.9	22	80.8			22	80.8	38
Ptosis, operation for	5	42.0			5	42.0	2	43.0			2	43.0	7
Puncture	46	33.9	6	6.0	52	29.8	19	41.1			19	41.1	71
Pylorectomy	1	119.0			1	119.0	1	60.0			1	60.0	2
Repair	29	45.8	9	64.3	38	48.3	33	28.5	1	15.0	34	27.9	72
Resection	18	86.1	4	63.5	22	83.6	32	62.4	3	183.5	35	78.5	57
Sclerocorneal trephining							3	18.7			3	18.7	3
Sequestrotomy	17	106.5	1	10.0	18	100.4	24	48.7			24	48.7	42
Sinusotomy	67	59.5	12	92.9	79	66.9	191	48.9	8	136.2	199	54.0	278
Skin grafting	7	100.4	3	410.5	10	189.0	7	59.0			7	59.0	17
Spinal puncture [4]	165	16.8			165	16.8	190	17.6			190	17.6	355
Splenectomy							1	96.0			1	96.0	1
Stomach, operations (otherwise unclassified)	2	304.0	1	5.0	3	154.5	2	141.0			2	141.0	5
Submucous resection	368	46.9	10	62.5	378	47.2	577	21.0	6	56.4	583	21.4	961
Suture	7	27.4	1	10.0	8	24.5	6	20.3			6	20.3	14
Suture, secondary	2	35.5			2	35.5	3	64.0			3	64.0	5
Symblepharon operation	1	8.0			1	8.0							1
Tendon transplantation	2	85.0			2	85.0	5	30.0	1	64.0	6	41.3	8
Tendons, operation (otherwise unclassified)	3	79.5			3	79.5	2	31.0			2	31.0	5
Tenoplasty	2	84.0			2	84.0	2	292.0			2	292.0	4
Tenorrhaphy	1	124.0			1	124.0	2	19.0			2	19.0	3
Tenosynovectomy	1	481.0			1	481.0							1
Tenotomy	21	35.2			21	35.2	20	101.1			20	101.1	41
Tenotomy of eye muscle	3	4.3			3	4.3	7	16.3			7	16.3	10
Thoracentesis	2	27.5	7	14.4	9	17.3	4	1.0	2	6.0	6	2.0	15
Thoracoplasty (Estlander and Schede operations)							16	147.9	7	48.0	23	130.3	23
Thoracotomy with drainage [4]	25	141.7	15	65.0	40	117.5	43	101.5	9	21.9	52	86.7	92
Thyroidectomy, partial	22	53.4			22	53.4	25	56.3	3	53.0	28	53.8	50
Tongue operations (otherwise unclassified)			1	1.0	1	1.0							1
Tonsillectomy	1,662	42.8	27	139.4	1,689	44.4	2,628	19.2	22	83.6	2,650	19.6	4,339
Tracheotomy									1	31.0	1	31.0	1
Trachoma, expression [3]	77	8.8			77	8.8	4	43.8			4	43.8	81
Transfusion [4]	28	46.0	21	23.2	49	34.7	5	70.8	2	1.5	7	51.0	56
Trephining	3	110.5			3	110.5			2	4.0	2	4.0	5
Trichiasis operation	1	75.0			1	75.0							1
Turbinectomy	58	37.7	8	81.2	66	43.5	139	21.7	4	86.7	143	23.6	209
Undescended testicle, operation for	1	33.0			1	33.0	1	56.0			1	56.0	2
Urethrotomy, external	3	40.3			3	40.3	4	153.0			4	153.0	7
Varicocelectomy	52	34.0	2	75.0	54	36.1	43	26.4			43	26.4	97
Vasectomy	1	40.0			1	40.0	3	33.0			3	33.0	4
Vasotomy	3	278.0			3	278.0							3
Vein, ligation of	4	26.0			4	26.0	14	30.3			14	30.3	18
Total	6,027	54.4	464	91.8	6,491	56.6	7,095	31.1	268	62.9	7,363	32.0	13,854

[3] Each operation in a series is reported as one case, as in trachoma expression, 81 operations were performed on 20 patients.
[4] Operations forming a part of an observation or examination are reported under successful.

TABLE No. 50.—*Operations performed on United States veterans in all hospitals, by hospital and anesthetic, in comparison to number of patients treated in hospitals fiscal year 1925*

Hospital number and location	Patients treated	Operations			
		Total	Anesthetic		
			General	Local	Not reported
United States Veterans' hospitals:					
24. Palo Alto, Calif	1,504	21	7	9	5
27. Alexandria, La	1,261	34	8	17	9
32. Washington, D. C	741	86	28	51	7
37. Waukesha, Wis	782	14	9	2	3
41. New Haven, Conn	1,136	52	19	21	12
42. Perry Point, Md	1,206	28	13	13	2
44. West Roxbury, Mass	498				
48. Atlanta, Ga	1,087	160	66	80	14
49. Philadelphia, Pa	333	1	1		
50. Whipple, Ariz	1,159	114		105	9
51. Tucson, Ariz	598	6	1	3	2
52. Boise, Idaho	454	86	40	44	2
53. Dwight, Ill	743	76	26	49	1
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	1,030	173	36	110	27
57. Knoxville, Iowa	579				
59. Tacoma, Wash	993	240	92	131	17
60. Oteen, N. C	2,590	150	16	122	12
62. Augusta, Ga	542	6	5	1	
63. Lake City, Fla	1,544	231	54	155	22
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	1,223	46	19	22	5
65. St. Paul, Minn	2,900	596	107	454	35
67. Kansas City, Mo	1,094	247	65	159	23
68. Minneapolis, Minn	576	172	6	165	1
69. Fort Thomas, Ky	1,361	392	79	277	36
72. Helena, Mont	960	225	26	193	6
74. Gulfport, Miss	1,131	78	2	76	
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	3,835	948	256	627	65
77. Portland, Oreg	806	294	115	167	12
78. North Little Rock, Ark	766	3	3		
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	923	13		13	
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	854	3	1	1	1
81. Bronx, N. Y	1,762	35	10	24	1
84. Algiers, La	2,082	284	49	215	20
85. Walla Walla, Wash	404	14	6	7	1
86. Sheridan, Wyo	456	5	2	3	
88. Memphis, Tenn	1,990	709	55	555	99
89. Rutland, Mass	373	16	1	11	4
90. Muskogee, Okla	2,519	240	103	99	38
91. Tuskegee, Ala	1,428	15	7	6	2
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	1,918	554	175	367	12
93. Legion, Tex	919	15	3	5	7
94. American Lake, Wash	573	3			3
95. Northampton, Mass	494				
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	817	10		5	5
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	1,056	91	17	72	2
98. Castle Point, N. Y	798	3	1	2	
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo	178	1		1	
100. Camp Custer, Mich	466				
101. St. Cloud, Minn	422	1			1
102. Livermore, Calif	294				
Total	54,158	6,491	1,529	4,439	523
U. S. Marine hospitals:					
2. Boston, Mass	1				
3. Buffalo, N. Y	159	40	17	21	2
5. Chicago, Ill	3	1			1
6. Cleveland, Ohio	509	169	66	88	15
7. Detroit, Mich	304	97	46	48	3
8. Evansville, Ind	383	224	28	182	14
9. Fort Stanton, N. Mex	24				
10. Key West, Fla	1				
11. Louisville, Ky	855	270	20	222	28
14. New Orleans, La	451	122	18	70	34
15. Pittsburgh, Pa	355	104	38	50	16
16. Portland, Me	50	10	6	4	
18. St. Louis, Mo	1				
19. San Francisco, Calif	5	3	1	1	1
20. Savannah, Ga	248	65	50	10	5
21. Stapleton, N. Y	21	7	6		1
Total	3,370	1,112	296	696	120

TABLE No. 50.—*Operations performed on United States veterans in all hospitals, by hospital and anesthetic, in comparison to number of patients treated in hospitals, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Hospital	Patients treated	Operations			
		Total	Anesthetic		
			General	Local	Not reported
U. S. Army hospitals:					
Army-Navy General, Hot Springs, Ark	664	166	37	127	2
El Paso, Tex	705	36	25	7	4
Denver, Colo	2,974	1,118	324	759	35
San Antonio, Tex	1,091	226	127	78	21
San Francisco, Calif	2,060	488	153	312	23
Washington, D. C	2,575	724	520	107	97
Total	10,069	2,758	1,186	1,390	182
U. S. Interior Department: St. Elizabeths, Washington, D. C	1,125				
U. S. naval hospitals:					
Brooklyn, N. Y	2,417				
Chelsea, Mass	2,319	471	301	148	22
Great Lakes, Ill	1,253	103	35	62	6
Key West, Fla	1				
League Island, Pa	1,614	651	31	188	432
Mare Island, Calif	81	18	13	4	1
Newport, R. I	219	16	8	8	
Norfolk, Va	660	97	22	65	10
Pensacola, Fla	71	39	11	28	
Portsmouth, N. H	112	10	5	1	4
Puget Sound, Wash	22	7	1	6	
San Diego, Calif	277	9	2	1	6
Washington, D. C	986	42		1	41
Total	10,032	1,463	429	512	52
National homes for disabled volunteer soldiers:					
Danville, Ill	70	16	5	11	
Dayton, Ohio	1,114	79	22	15	42
Hot Springs, S. Dak	121	1	1		
Johnson City, Tenn	1,935	85	15	69	1
Leavenworth, Kans	163	4	3	1	
Los Angeles, Calif	697	79	39	27	13
Marion, Ind	1,014	14			14
Togus, Me	124	4	3	1	
Hampton, Va	7				
Milwaukee, Wis	1,271	156	23	127	6
Total	6,516	438	111	251	76
State hospitals	3,741	27	4	1	22
Civil hospitals [1]	8,867	1,565	562	718	285
Total, all hospitals [2]	97,878	13,854	4,117	8,007	1,730

[1] Includes 65 operations performed in hospitals in United States possessions.
[2] Operations for diagnostic purposes included; such as cystoscopy, spinal puncture.

TABLE No. 51.—*Condensed statement showing operating expenses for all hospitals by departments, fiscal year 1925*

Department	Cost each department	Per diem	Department	Cost each department	Per diem
Administrative service	$1,875,313.59	$0.32	Indirect cost supplies	$344,064.68	$0.06
Medical and surgical	4,119,288.74	.72	Dental service	359,298.84	.06
Nursing service	2,286,256.55	.40	Farms department	135,038.57	.02
Reconstruction service	996,920.60	.17	Construction of buildings	1,600,770.80	.28
X-ray service	252,900.26	.04	Antimalaria	15,810.73	-----
Laboratory service	207,732.02	.04	Total credits	3,440,106.31	.59
Dietetics department	8,433,321.95	1.46	Net operating expense	[1] 23,354,485.15	4.04
Motor vehicle service	432,967.24	.07	Expense of out-patient service:		
Laundry service	809,781.06	.14	Medical service	184,035.73	-----
Maintenance buildings and grounds	1,544,452.04	.27	Dental service	35,848.67	-----
General expense:			X-ray service	8,537.71	-----
(a) Fuel	1,132,515.67	.20			
(b) Ice	40,925.03	.01	Total expense	228,422.11	-----
(c) Water	137,262.18	.02			
(d) Rent	480,139.51	.08	Grand total	23,582,907.26	-----
(e) Burials	125,054.25	.02			
(f) Light	278,846.33	.05			
(g) Miscellaneous	1,185,930.82	.20			

[1] Credits deducted.

TABLE No. 52.—*Statement of operating expense by object, United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Hospital	Salaries	Subsistence	Supplies	Fuel and gas	Water	Repairs	Travel	Laundry
24. Palo Alto, Calif.	$518,512.79	$304,075.95	$62,729.61	$42,529.50	$9,055.34	$555.88	$1,101.37	$50,709.37
26. Greenville, S. C.[1]	4,780.54		173.38		89.44	3.00		
27. Alexandria, La.	278,841.42	157,503.70	31,727.30	10,987.40		448.73		26,394.29
32. Washington, D. C.	261,080.71	68,573.33	21,092.97	12,269.89		1,427.78	510.00	
37. Waukesha, Wis.	197,275.56	79,182.43	26,237.35	9,274.60	427.66	1,532.54	286.30	18,652.70
41. New Haven, Conn.	444,577.65	174,038.49	47,878.29	28,279.28	4,736.13	536.01		
42. Perry Point, Md.	314,331.07	169,927.51	38,582.94	51,809.84		1,918.27	608.09	19,700.98
44. West Roxbury, Mass.	207,131.10	85,104.28	16,799.04	15,880.26	3,797.64	2,139.64	5.70	
48. Atlanta, Ga.	101,627.81	39,647.60	12,153.59	2,799.47	1,579.82	1,021.88	81.45	5,871.61
49. Philadelphia, Pa.	158,451.39	66,708.52	13,559.29	12,965.67	293.84	996.08		
50. Whipple, Ariz.	595,097.46	349,841.29	62,196.09	90,085.02	15,332.46	942.24	1,888.25	
51. Tucson, Ariz.	197,867.20	146,282.46	35,094.92	7,163.66		869.15	1,119.37	16,792.91
52. Boise, Idaho	119,296.37	35,635.39	18,333.89	11,770.29	451.59	101.07	637.85	
53. Dwight, Ill.	130,548.02	46,016.59	11,202.04	4,983.20		943.21		
54. Arrowhead Springs, Calif.[1]	11,311.46	1,721.05	5,407.41	255.75		35.91		117.73
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex.	517,587.54	307,932.04	104,817.83	84,059.95		387.93	2,540.74	
57. Knoxville, Iowa	182,677.97	121,128.76	15,060.56	23,069.45	6,189.55	544.15		
59. Tacoma, Wash.	219,578.79	75,475.09	23,669.80	19,086.21	210.00	375.63	1,161.54	
60. Oteen, N. C.	810,347.70	540,404.73	148,432.58	73,826.07	15,653.29	1,702.54	4,945.54	
62. Augusta, Ga.	188,288.75	107,876.37	22,179.94	16,294.63	4,901.81	369.95	747.99	13,677.99
63. Lake City, Fla.	189,418.79	77,274.47	30,380.54	7,200.45	4,834.28	437.29		
64. Camp Kearney, Calif.	304,833.27	204,550.66	44,143.27	33,221.44	8,061.15	714.28	1,428.52	15,113.26
65. St. Paul, Minn.	259,491.52	109,653.13	29,384.43	18,259.20	2,474.22	844.91		
67. Kansas City, Mo.	144,041.14	45,695.79	11,891.74	5,088.93	984.65	386.38	110.66	4,319.78
68. Minneapolis, Minn.	246,635.69	106,903.19	31,943.09	13,899.65	1,165.79	721.63	211.85	
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	126,539.88	41,176.07	8,851.72	5,054.72	1,294.07	6,001.79	300.73	8,555.79
72. Helena, Mont.	258,274.89	127,813.31	37,493.33	17,241.12	2,209.81	982.78		23,460.92
74. Gulfport, Miss.	224,298.02	94,613.46	23,057.51	32,378.28		1,485.10	272.64	
Edw. Hines, Jr., Maywood, Ill.	755,841.66	314,944.52	77,112.95	46,829.45	20,851.92	1,689.46	324.54	68,406.75
77. Portland, Oreg.	126,147.73	40,738.62	9,661.78	7,920.95	568.32	1,002.91	882.36	6,145.26
78. N. Little Rock, Ark.	253,243.71	103,959.89	51,766.50	7,465.50	4,005.58	1,379.77	674.05	
79. Dawson Springs, Ky.	352,845.39	128,825.09	69,372.59	20,754.99		793.32	988.31	
80. Ft. Lyon, Colo.	364,204.68	181,512.35	54,649.82	65,267.38		666.97		
81. Bronx, N. Y.	584,501.18	231,424.39	57,571.66	27,292.26	6,245.30	6,010.56	1,325.20	
84. Algiers, La.	276,247.07	92,206.14	27,607.19	12,775.22	2,425.00	580.20		
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	263,753.62	90,655.91	49,227.59	29,123.40	4,940.37	593.45	3,875.98	
86. Sheridan, Wyo.	268,927.97	126,947.64	55,464.44	20,581.42	780.00	1,580.89	17.10	7,746.91
88. Memphis, Tenn.	194,907.65	81,925.26	22,531.36	6,580.95	1,158.69	1,276.17	634.84	18,196.96
89. Rutland, Mass.	250,340.54	87,458.45	57,570.25	18,667.46	2,332.27	1,980.90	930.16	
90. Muskogee, Okla.	257,138.87	92,300.83	28,996.94	9,367.42		637.56	213.13	
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	403,512.94	211,336.11	90,666.26	22,526.96		404.04	81.95	
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	327,174.13	123,623.21	38,515.74	15,875.92	2,445.94	892.13	504.63	
93. Legion, Tex.	379,446.94	201,058.89	45,749.94	44,668.59		476.77	2,796.09	
94. American Lake, Wash.	330,637.74	91,085.87	30,910.44	26,740.73	164.54	2,065.90	896.69	6,319.72
95. Northampton, Mass.	294,977.59	117,862.36	53,239.19	31,918.68	1,265.89	777.88	167.90	3,209.20
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	323,987.43	125,179.66	50,650.72	66,838.18	4,768.70	254.88		17,526.21
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	253,666.40	96,684.97	44,009.58	20,874.33		1,505.05	703.89	45.10
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	336,907.07	168,797.55	53,825.82	45,330.86		2,143.13	810.21	979.73
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.[1]	79,067.35	9,853.76	8,544.68	5,102.35	365.65	241.52	587.07	1,853.55
100. Camp Custer, Mich.[1]	171,455.49	66,305.18	24,513.01	26,909.83	1,201.47	59.05	1,336.67	11,493.05
101. St. Cloud, Minn.[1]	109,957.48	63,852.68	14,068.23	17,102.64		687.00		14,536.46
102. Livermore, Calif.[1]	78,236.20	25,290.02	10,171.29	4,241.69		393.49		
Grand total	14,249,871.33	6,558,587.91	1,958,912.22	1,250,491.09	137,262.18	56,518.75	35,709.36	359,826.23

[1] Hospitals in operation less than a year.

Table No. 52—*Statement of operating expense by object, United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals, fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Hospital	Light	Rent	Burials	Miscellaneous	Gross total	Credits	Net total	Freight and express
24. Palo Alto, Calif	$5,878.99		$5,360.00	$45,609.39	$1,046,118.19	$119,144.74	$926,973.45	$4,784.27
26. Greenville, S. C.[1]	93.75			3,995.43	9,135.54		9,135.54	
27. Alexandria, La	16,240.00		3,100.00	3,580.31	528,823.15	35,896.98	492,926.17	1,856.53
32. Washington, D. C	5,447.34		272.85	11,472.46	382,147.33	29,989.94	352,157.39	712.68
37. Waukesha, Wis	125.98	$2,940.00	152.00	11,238.20	347,325.32	26,767.38	320,557.94	332.54
41. New Haven, Conn	368.49	81,069.20	4,846.00	5,320.41	791,649.95	46,279.88	745,370.07	716.49
42. Perry Point, Md				58,369.08	655,247.78	35,860.08	619,387.70	1,808.44
44. West Roxbury, Mass	4,658.60	35,175.00		3,778.79	374,470.05	23,411.09	351,058.96	444.27
48. Atlanta, Ga	2,420.94		1,125.00	45,452.64	213,781.81	48,174.53	165,607.28	923.30
49. Philadelphia, Pa	4,285.75	2,400.00	453.00	1,133.74	261,287.28	17,811.32	243,475.96	270.15
50. Whipple, Ariz	17,124.00			12,083.91	1,144,590.72	135,426.64	1,009,164.08	10,974.94
51. Tucson, Ariz	4,000.45	3,676.67	5,211.00	33,386.15	451,463.94	61,040.17	390,423.77	4,545.62
52. Boise, Idaho	2,122.01	84.84	409.50	4,658.24	193,501.04	22,598.55	170,902.49	1,287.45
53. Dwight, Ill	3,360.45	360.00	580.00	701.67	198,695.18	14,481.05	184,214.13	242.02
54. Arrowhead Springs, Calif.[1]	327.77	150.00		214.40	19,541.48	479.35	19,062.13	33.85
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex		24.00	2,303.50	10,062.92	1,029,716.45	143,404.42	886,312.03	8,725.71
57. Knoxville, Iowa	7,249.80		1,848.00	5,414.98	363,183.22	38,201.32	324,981.90	1,964.29
59. Tacoma, Wash	2,159.64	17,000.01	1,185.50	4,042.11	363,944.32	21,756.22	342,188.10	2,479.00
60. Oteen, N. C	7,541.25	89.89	13,145.00	10,864.20	1,626,952.79	151,788.21	1,475,164.58	7,795.44
62. Augusta, Ga	3,893.67		1,065.25	3,716.86	363,016.21	25,185.77	337,830.44	2,119.59
63. Lake City, Fla	11,953.20		2,362.00	8,109.43	331,970.25	28,434.32	303,535.93	6,995.77
64. Camp Kearney, Calif	8,555.96	20,250.00	7,249.00	11,107.11	659,227.92	56,748.83	602,479.09	3,799.32
65. St. Paul, Minn	5,882.52	63,863.75	1,813.00	2,913.02	494,579.70	25,396.29	469,183.41	879.24
67. Kansas City, Mo	2,704.48	26,000.00	1,350.50	3,554.89	246,128.94	21,861.17	224,267.77	784.36
68. Minneapolis, Minn	5,928.76	93,609.84	3,342.30	2,188.79	506,550.58	7,847.60	498,702.98	751.59
69. Fort Thomas, Ky	4,447.79	46,000.00	790.00	14,582.50	263,595.06	33,141.90	230,453.16	440.79
72. Helena, Mont	4,679.75		2,103.00	13,112.34	487,371.25	40,220.33	447,150.92	11,684.96
74. Gulfport, Miss	8,213.80		699.50	2,682.26	387,700.57	27,921.60	359,778.97	2,134.19
Edw. Hines, Jr., Maywood, Ill	13,257.38		7,168.00	17,987.08	1,324,413.71	102,182.03	1,222,231.68	1,770.74
77. Portland, Oreg	1,252.94	3,674.34	1,238.00	3,305.98	202,539.19	12,232.36	190,306.83	1,400.99
78. N. Little Rock, Ark	6,111.71		1,674.50	9,059.04	439,340.25	39,848.75	399,491.50	4,667.19
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	13,912.00		5,460.00	15,896.83	608,848.52	142,666.08	466,182.44	3,458.42
80. Fort Lyon, Colo			1,313.00	3,175.96	670,790.16	80,895.12	589,895.04	3,442.58
81. Bronx, N. Y	14,668.55		1,611.20	39,918.80	970,569.10	105,351.41	865,217.69	1,124.44
84. Algiers, La	7,150.04		3,697.00	7,676.02	430,363.88	31,006.32	399,357.56	4,013.60
85. Walla Walla, Wash	5,997.74		2,900.00	47,941.28	499,009.34	108,672.46	390,336.88	3,531.21
86. Sheridan, Wyo	7,199.50		194.00	12,406.03	501,845.90	132,114.07	369,731.83	9,445.50
88. Memphis, Tenn	4,064.34		3,173.60	24,774.36	359,224.18	38,512.34	320,711.84	3,070.85
89. Rutland, Mass	3,524.33	1,310.33	1,604.50	584,567.91	1,010,287.10	696,101.85	314,185.25	1,424.64
90. Muskogee, Okla	5,562.35	13,794.64	1,825.00	6,827.64	416,664.38	22,827.49	393,836.89	3,191.40
91. Tuskegee, Ala	9,636.90		10,618.30	20,251.60	769,035.06	118,648.54	650,386.52	5,989.57
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	3,526.78		3,766.00	26,963.54	543,288.02	61,070.34	482,217.68	1,453.64
93. Legion, Tex	Cr. 7,324.65	67,500.00	4,923.75	3,523.76	740,820.08	42,063.56	698,756.52	3,349.02
94. American Lake, Wash	2,048.95		718.00	29,045.48	520,634.06	57,747.92	462,886.14	5,929.69
95. Northampton, Mass	6,697.61			6,201.20	516,317.50	64,163.42	452,154.08	2,363.35
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	7,214.81		3,990.00	11,418.37	611,828.86	88,031.20	523,797.66	3,905.30
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	18,281.21		918.00	53,081.69	489,770.22	105,579.39	384,190.83	1,319.92
98. Castle Point, N. Y	9,450.10		5,405.50	10,914.96	634,564.93	62,455.86	572,109.07	4,616.95
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.[1]	1,171.02	1,167.00	175.00	4,078.00	112,206.95	11,763.25	100,443.70	1,586.83
100. Camp Custer, Mich.[1]	3,137.41		708.00	12,728.06	319,847.22	37,140.99	282,706.23	4,270.11
101. St. Cloud, Minn.[1]	1,500.74		553.00	8,791.08	231,049.31	20,360.42	210,688.89	3,966.36
102. Livermore, Calif.[1]	1,139.43		654.00	9,491.40	129,617.52	19,401.46	110,216.06	9,194.30
Grand total	278,846.33	480,139.51	125,054.25	1,303,372.30	26,794,591.46	3,440,106.31	23,354,485.15	167,973.40

[1] Hospitals in operation less than a year.

Note.—Freight and express expense (excepting freight on fuel) included in "Miscellaneous" column. Freight on fuel included in "Fuel and gas" expense. "Miscellaneous" column consists of expense for telegraph, telephone, attending specialists (fee basis) general freight and express and new construction performed by contract.

TABLE No. 53.—*Comparative statement of monthly in-patient operating expenses per diem, United States Veterans' hospitals, for period of June, 1924, to June, 1925*

Hospital number and location	1924							1925					
	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	January	February	March	April	May	June
TUBERCULOSIS													
27. Alexandria, La	$6.46	$5.22	$4.22	$3.98	$4.01	$4.18	$3.93	$3.93	$4.25	$4.17	$4.17	$4.28	$4.78
41. New Haven, Conn	4.90	5.10	5.00	4.85	5.01	5.06	4.60	4.59	4.89	4.58	4.61	4.45	4.64
50. Whipple, Ariz	5.53	5.54	5.59	5.73	6.35	5.24	5.35	5.35	5.16	4.81	5.50	5.26	6.16
51. Tucson, Ariz	4.67	4.76	4.26	3.95	3.94	3.94	3.89	3.97	4.24	4.27	4.20	4.67	5.70
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	8.36	7.56	6.75	6.22	5.62	5.67	5.58	5.10	5.67	5.26	5.59	5.22	6.17
60. Oteen, N. C	3.78	3.50	3.27	3.30	3.46	3.75	3.84	3.66	3.80	3.67	3.88	3.86	4.83
64. Camp Kearny, Calif	4.25	4.56	4.16	4.22	4.23	4.26	4.57	3.64	4.03	3.82	3.96	4.16	3.71
68. Minneapolis, Minn	5.40	4.86	5.13	5.05	4.88	4.82	4.68	4.87	5.30	4.87	5.09	5.61	6.14
72. Helena, Mont	4.52	4.36	3.91	4.42	4.43	4.63	4.82	5.48	5.48	4.17	4.96	5.46	6.34
79. Dawson Springs, Ky	6.25	6.21	5.59	5.73	5.29	5.07	4.56	4.18	4.47	4.23	4.31	4.50	4.68
80. Fort Lyon, Colo	6.54	6.12	5.66	5.76	4.80	5.53	5.33	5.17	5.06	4.31	4.52	4.68	5.29
85. Walla Walla, Wash	5.65	5.56	5.09	4.89	5.47	4.91	4.77	5.24	4.71	4.63	4.84	5.50	6.16
89. Rutland, Mass	5.80	5.96	6.02	5.52	6.12	6.28	6.09	5.83	5.18	4.89	4.92	5.11	5.70
91. Tuskegee, Ala	4.06	3.33											
93. Legion, Tex	4.38	4.80	4.68	4.43	4.61	4.91	4.78	4.69	5.15	4.45	4.53	4.52	5.05
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y				15.02	9.16	7.49	6.94	6.18	6.41	4.96	4.86	4.51	4.86
98. Castle Point, N. Y					4.65	5.13	6.93	6.02	5.91	5.91	6.00	6.04	5.99
102. Livermore, Calif											12.31	4.72	4.63
Total	5.09	4.85	4.68	4.63	4.79	4.80	4.84	4.66	4.84	4.46	4.66	4.71	5.20
NEUROPSYCHIATRIC													
24. Palo Alto, Calif	3.54	3.51	3.28	3.38	3.22	3.35	3.48	3.22	3.50	3.08	3.50	3.56	3.62
37. Waukesha, Wis	3.52	3.18	3.03	3.02	3.16	4.11	3.56	2.97	2.93	2.59	2.84	2.86	3.54
42. Perry Point, Md	2.80	2.51	2.60	2.94	3.01	2.88	2.85	3.14	3.76	3.34	3.62	3.67	3.62
44. West Roxbury, Mass	3.40	3.38	3.48	3.80	3.53	3.73	3.66	3.84	3.96	3.75	3.88	3.82	3.77
49. Philadelphia, Pa	3.73	3.41	3.44	3.59	3.31	3.37	3.34	3.36	3.47	3.01	3.05	2.80	2.97
57. Knoxville, Iowa	3.22	2.05	1.91	1.90	1.99	2.12	2.08	2.14	2.17	2.03	2.08	2.17	2.04
62. Augusta, Ga	2.49	2.63	2.69	2.68	2.59	2.77	2.71	2.88	2.93	2.52	2.66	2.50	2.42
74. Gulfport, Miss	3.60	3.01	2.75	3.01	2.85	2.90	2.64	2.66	2.68	2.58	2.40	2.58	2.90
78. North Little Rock, Ark	3.22	3.08	2.98	2.79	2.66	2.65	2.68	2.49	2.33	2.36	2.24	2.48	2.39
81. The Bronx, N. Y	3.49	3.16	3.20	3.46	3.17	3.34	3.19	3.02	3.40	3.20	3.26	3.21	3.27
86. Sheridan, Wyo	2.93	2.88	2.79	2.92	3.32	3.56	3.74	3.45	3.50	3.29	3.53	3.52	3.42
94. American Lake, Wash	4.62	4.39	3.91	3.81	3.62	3.85	3.77	3.88	3.95	3.93	3.96	3.99	4.39
95. Northampton, Mass	3.84	3.32	3.47	3.38	3.19	3.66	3.25	3.53	3.49	3.36	3.37	3.04	3.02
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	27.57	18.62	6.98	4.14	2.93	2.44	2.36	2.60	2.65	2.55	2.78	2.63	2.90
100. Camp Custer, Mich						23.17	5.61	4.14	3.94	3.44	3.53	3.14	3.35
101. St. Cloud, Minn					4.89	3.47	2.93	2.86	2.59	2.59	2.58	2.79	2.61
Total	3.34	3.09	3.09	3.16	3.07	3.15	3.11	3.07	3.19	2.95	3.09	3.04	3.11
GENERAL													
32. Washington, D. C	6.97	6.67	6.39	6.57	5.92	5.26	5.54	4.88	6.17	5.86	6.44	6.31	7.18
48. Atlanta, Ga	3.63	3.32	3.24	4.45	3.09	3.47	3.71	3.94	4.46	3.86	4.26	3.86	4.54
52. Boise, Idaho	6.17	7.49	9.15	8.57	5.45	4.55	4.16	4.34	4.46	4.59	5.25	5.16	5.67
53. Dwight, Ill	5.85	5.21	4.76	5.07	4.20	4.17	4.74	3.24	2.83	3.10	4.43	6.06	5.68
59. Tacoma, Wash	5.59	5.58	6.81	7.04	5.90	5.78	4.90	4.30	4.22	3.73	4.40	4.89	6.13
63. Lake City, Fla	4.07	4.30	3.77	3.00	3.08	3.11	3.19	3.32	3.39	3.41	3.96	3.90	4.88
65. St. Paul, Minn	4.44	3.91	3.86	4.19	4.05	3.95	3.93	3.91	3.87	4.05	4.31	4.43	4.87
67. Kansas City, Mo	5.33	5.11	5.14	5.16	5.48	5.18	5.44	5.36	5.46	5.47	5.66	5.33	6.13
69. Ft. Thomas, Ky	5.06	4.85	4.46	5.34	4.99	5.82	5.06	5.33	5.43	6.04	7.04	6.24	6.38
Maywood, Ill. (Edward Hines, jr.)	4.62	4.49	4.27	4.01	4.02	3.99	3.89	3.71	4.11	3.83	4.10	3.99	4.31
77. Portland, Oreg	4.95	4.18	3.58	3.47	3.57	3.67	4.01	3.80	4.16	4.13	4.96	5.10	6.04
84. Algiers, La	4.06	3.82	3.89	3.52	3.47	3.78	3.60	3.50	3.86	3.02	3.84	3.97	4.02
88. Memphis, Tenn	6.40	5.60	3.77	4.79	4.31	3.80	5.00	4.22	4.44	4.36	3.87	4.25	4.85
90. Muskogee, Okla	4.74	4.60	4.12	3.92	3.79	3.63	3.51	3.40	3.80	3.61	3.41	3.31	3.64
91. Tuskegee, Ala			3.32	3.23	3.15	3.43	3.29	3.39	3.90	3.89	4.05	3.79	3.90
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	5.40	4.29	4.13	4.02	4.31	4.70	4.59	3.86	4.51	4.64	5.00	4.93	5.51
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo									7.54	5.50	6.22	6.25	7.09
Total	5.08	4.60	4.24	4.20	4.04	4.06	4.03	3.77	4.18	4.05	4.40	4.38	4.83
Total (all types)	4.44	4.13	3.97	3.97	3.94	3.99	3.97	3.82	4.03	3.77	3.97	3.96	4.26

NOTE.—Hospitals having an exorbitant per diem on account of operating under unnatural conditions not included in computing per diems

TABLE No. 54.—*Statement of expenditures by hospitals, fiscal year 1925*

Hospital number and location	Subsistence	Fuel	Expendable supplies	Nonexpendable material	New construction	Other expenses	Less return shipments	Net total
26. Greenville, S. C.			$173.38			$8,962.16		$9,135.54
27. Alexandria, La.	$163,833.88	$12,719.09	36,573.24	$12,437.65		328,605.20	$2,659.70	551,509.36
41. New Haven, Conn.	173,892.23	27,075.53	34,184.77	20,389.48	$3,690.00	541,213.19	4,666.72	795,778.48
50. Whipple, Ariz.	356,209.05	75,605.10	104,280.07	47,728.06	59,982.59	584,523.55	2,533.10	1,225,795.32
51. Tucson, Ariz.	148,520.31	8,956.77	31,242.37	24,284.21	33,239.06	232,677.04	5,387.66	473,532.10
55. Ft. Bayard, N. Mex.	276,663.46	85,659.18	101,617.67	35,423.34		542,226.13	57,120.25	984,469.53
60. Oteen, N. C.	544,610.62	87,520.13	103,895.57	83,537.13	48,804.68	825,432.46	2,376.70	1,691,423.89
64. Camp Kearney, Calif.	202,688.48	4,170.43	36,943.50	25,392.43	1,702.40	404,254.17	10,134.44	665,016.97
68. Minneapolis, Minn.	107,010.07	13,279.30	23,277.06	16,442.33		355,342.56	259.65	515,091.67
72. Helena, Mont.	129,207.89	20,014.07	31,718.57	49,193.80		305,808.76	280.67	535,662.42
79. Dawson Springs, Ky.	133,036.63	21,199.30	23,208.12	28,835.76	96,662.15	332,012.75	4,177.64	630,777.07
80. Fort Lyon, Colo.	174,900.46	61,754.16	38,132.78	18,088.34		373,087.16	20,488.30	645,474.60
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	90,558.46	26,334.97	49,507.66	19,999.97	74,029.24	262,634.07	337.50	522,726.87
89. Rutland, Mass.	89,319.34	13,319.21	49,472.98	42,872.67	659,765.04	186,980.90	447.37	1,041,282.77
93. Legion, Tex.	205,413.50	36,497.92	35,293.43	14,296.50		458,667.31		750,168.66
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	133,917.11	65,941.19	55,378.94	113,859.38	54,982.75	317,973.37	3,271.81	738,780.93
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	180,537.76	53,627.77	65,350.43	147,257.16	6,724.50	361,774.20	1,195.57	814,076.25
102. Livermore, Calif.	32,967.93	6,667.69	14,090.78	104,908.92		90,555.51		249,190.83
Total (tuberculosis)	3,143,287.18	620,341.81	834,341.32	804,947.13	1,039,582.41	6,512,730.49	115,337.08	12,839,893.26
32. Washington, D. C.	71,780.15	10,364.51	30,670.14	28,649.06	9,131.20	305,026.36	645.00	454,976.42
48. Atlanta, Ga.	39,927.57	2,929.42	13,084.44	10,105.19	39,167.51	125,005.02		230,219.15
52. Boise, Idaho	34,566.33	12,183.88	13,539.27	8,266.96	5,419.76	131,035.26	3,481.06	201,530.40
53. Dwight, Ill.	46,147.04	8,854.78	10,044.57	3,663.23		136,506.02	1,728.98	203,486.66
54. Arrowhead Springs Calif.	1,399.84	255.75	128.64	37.76		12,157.27		13,979.25
59. Tacoma, Wash.	75,747.18	19,286.20	28,294.43	15,041.22		249,343.98	250.04	387,462.97
63. Lake City, Fla.	78,905.75	7,923.60	22,262.93	23,722.12		217,811.49	1,285.21	349,340.68
65. St. Paul, Minn.	110,155.78	15,287.50	31,206.02	13,337.24		357,704.10	3,454.62	524,236.02
67. Kansas City, Mo.	44,861.89	4,182.00	10,896.69	14,322.40	1,712.49	183,016.11	2,396.99	256,594.59
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	40,855.53	4,280.86	10,709.93	9,513.07	18,763.28	190,595.42	262.35	274,455.74
Maywood, Ill. (Edward Hines, jr.)	292,324.33	35,738.99	91,037.03	52,418.86	17,235.43	875,702.00	18,342.10	1,346,114.54
77. Portland, Oreg.	40,526.86	5,170.10	14,697.72	11,160.11		172,952.71	2,127.76	242,379.74
84. Algiers, La.	93,371.82	13,279.03	42,257.19	26,174.17	2,879.27	295,652.06	87.32	473,526.22
88. Memphis, Tenn.	82,095.57	5,111.47	29,850.17	27,788.58	23,122.62	239,432.75	994.24	406,406.92
90. Muskogee, Okla.	92,528.38	7,196.68	44,433.67	39,813.19	5,790.18	285,838.53		475,600.63
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	230,220.91	23,580.16	62,254.67	45,843.25	67,617.10	378,418.08	50.00	807,884.17
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	125,083.82	12,729.80	38,100.91	20,806.18	15,390.34	343,291.37	5,594.93	549,807.49
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.	11,952.90	4,203.49	9,660.28	24,805.96	3,461.03	87,110.76	158.50	141,035.92
Total (general)	1,512,451.65	192,558.22	503,128.70	375,468.54	209,690.21	4,586,599.29	40,859.10	7,339,037.51
24. Palo Alto, Calif.	302,951.45	40,456.58	52,282.10	49,198.85	24,860.50	615,859.69	3,907.31	1,081,701.86
37. Waukesha, Wis.	78,570.25	12,424.47	15,550.67	8,696.38	9,607.14	225,438.50		350,287.41
42. Perry Point, Md.	165,644.72	5,568.53	30,896.31		8,092.03	437,365.43		647,567.02
44. West Roxbury, Mass.	83,684.73	4,252.20	26,505.64	14,057.07	137.76	257,319.53	1,641.17	384,315.76
49. Philadelphia, Pa.	66,605.26	16,179.74	17,090.71	23,581.35		171,321.66	4,837.97	289,940.75
57. Knoxville, Iowa	112,441.75	28,339.81	20,842.50	25,917.96	3,669.80	200,254.65	2,911.46	388,555.01
62. Augusta, Ga.	107,712.57	14,342.27	22,974.41	58,403.61	994.94	219,414.13		423,841.93
74. Gulfport, Miss.	93,659.00	27,947.28	20,383.80	18,393.49	5,138.93	240,259.68	1,920.20	403,861.98
78. North Little Rock, Ark.	108,651.04	12,696.36	20,306.02	46,543.41	16,644.12	261,114.24	793.96	465,161.23
81. Bronx, N. Y.	232,863.82	24,854.69	40,385.99	31,464.67	38,110.00	685,888.99	4,485.13	1,049,083.03
86. Sheridan, Wyo.	123,006.35	21,757.20	64,630.79	87,868.76	93,370.33	206,569.07	157.59	597,044.91
94. American Lake, Wash.	92,040.76	22,482.31	30,376.87	45,927.55	23,570.07	350,830.00	280.40	564,947.16
95. Northampton, Mass.	121,426.31	29,499.96	47,860.47	76,294.13	31,823.57	289,131.58	129.50	595,906.52
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	90,795.09	13,179.30	34,112.19	68,253.76	54,634.60	279,402.74	11,661.78	528,715.90
100. Camp Custer, Mich.	70,948.25	30,226.20	39,450.80	234,075.75	11,493.83	193,166.32		579,361.15
101. St. Cloud, Minn.	67,788.75	16,250.94	18,325.72	35,770.35	3,595.00	132,892.04		274,622.80
Total (neuropsychiatric)	1,918,790.10	320,457.84	501,974.99	824,447.09	325,742.62	4,766,228.25	32,726.47	8,624,914.42
Grand total	6,574,528.93	1,133,357.87	1,839,445.01	2,004,862.76	1,575,015.24	15,865,558.03	188,922.65	28,803,845.19
Boston psychopathic dispensary						12,141.16		12,141.16

REHABILITATION DIVISION

PROBLEMS AND VALUE OF REHABILITATION

Vocational rehabilitation, i. e. vocational training to overcome the handicap of service-connected disabilities, is one of the major benefits provided by law for disabled veterans of the World War, and the one which marks a great advance over previous systems of veteran relief. This work was begun shortly before the close of the war in order that the disabled veterans, in addition to receiving the medical treatment and permanent disability compensation to which they are entitled, might be restored to productive employment in a line of work in which they would not be handicapped.

In the first years of rehabilitation work, due to strong public opinion and a lack of appreciation of the personal ability, extended training, and years of preliminary experience required for success, in many types of objectives, attempts were made in many cases to raise the veterans' entire economic and occupational status by means of training. This early policy did not in the main really serve the needs of the disabled, which is primarily to receive the practical training which results in the acquiring, by the close of the training period, of sufficient proficiency in a definite occupation to permit the trainee to enter at once employment commensurate with his ability and from which an immediate income is forthcoming.

For some time past it has not been the policy of the bureau, except in certain types of cases, e. g., the blind and convalescents, for whom adequate training facilities are not elsewhere available, to maintain Government training facilities, and at no time have more than 6.2 per cent of the trainees been instructed in bureau vocational schools. Accordingly the bureau's work in the field of rehabilitation, aside from the initial determination of eligibility and advisement and final employment service, has been largely the selection of proper facilities and the supervision of the training provided, to insure that it leads as directly as possible to the requirements of employability, and that no disadvantageous factors hinder the progress of trainees.

The best success has undoubtedly been obtained when it was possible to place the trainee in a standardized course in a well-established institution. In such cases practically the only difficulties have been to eliminate course material, however valuable, from a cultural standpoint, which did not directly advance the trainee toward employment, and to restrain the natural desire of trainees reacting to the educational environment, to continue training beyond the requirements of employability to the student's saturation point.

As a general rule, it was not possible to place trainees in this type of facility. The larger part of the bureau's work has been the supervision of training in schools developed to meet the emergency needs of the bureau, in industrial and business establishments conducted primarily for instruction and profit, and on farms where alone the final instruction in practical agriculture can be provided. The mobilization of these facilities and their educational service has been an achievement of high order, but it must be recognized that

without specific pedagogical training and traditions it has not been easy or possible in all instances to insure, first, that the primary emphasis should always be on training, and second, that the training provided should conform to the most practical program that could be laid down. Employers have had their own interests to consider, and frequently have regarded trainees primarily as employees from whose services they were profiting. Trainees, apart from an educational environment and more accustomed to work than to study, have also found it difficult to apply themselves constantly toward their own advancement and rehabilitation. The liberal training allowance, especially when supplemented even by a small salary from employers, has not been an unmixed good in expediting rehabilitation. This has been particularly true when the beginning wage at the conclusion of training is less than the rate of maintenance and support allowance provided by the Government.

This statement of difficulties has been presented in order to show the greater variety of the bureau's problems both as regards the technique of training and human nature as compared with the problems of ordinary educational administration. The supervision, case by case, of training in more than 40,000 facilities has brought problems never before encountered.

The volume of work, and the total expense have also been unprecedented in educational administration. From the beginning of rehabilitation work to the close of business June 30, 1925, there have been provided 4,137,049 months of training with maintenance and support allowance, at a total estimated expense including all expenses of administration of $637,712,989, an average of 25.4 months of training and an average cost to date of $4,080 per man entered this type of training. Training without maintenance and support allowance has been provided to the extent of 388,109 months, at a total estimated expense of $11,709,984, an average of 17.8 months of training and an average cost to date of $546 per man entered this type of training.

Of the total expenditure, $649,422,973, including estimated expenses of administration, 79.1 per cent has gone direct to the trainee as his maintenance and support allowance; 7.6 per cent has been expended for tuition; 2.3 per cent for supplies, and 0.5 per cent for travel of beneficiaries; while 1.7 per cent has been expended for other direct rehabilitation purposes and 8.8 per cent for administration purposes.

If it is desired to measure the return from rehabilitation in terms of the money expended, the point must be borne in mind that what must be considered is the difference between the veteran's productiveness as a disabled, untrained man, and his productiveness after completion of training. When it is realized that an average increase in productiveness, or economic value, of an average of $262 per annum over a working life of 25 years will, assuming interest compounded annually at 4 per cent, repay society for the money expended in behalf of a trainee with maintenance and support allowance, and that a similar increased productiveness of $35 per annum will repay society for its expenditures in behalf of a trainee without maintenance and support allowance, the total expenditure does not appear impossible of eventual justification. When in addition we consider the intangible values, the increased self-respect

of rehabilitated veterans as compared to their mental attitude as untrained beneficiaries and the increased patriotism and willingness to endure the same dangers which must have been inculcated by the Government's liberal treatment of men disabled in the World War, it is felt that the Nation can regard its investment as exceedingly productive.

GENERAL SITUATION JUNE 30, 1924

At the beginning of the fiscal year the bureau had completed 95.5 per cent of its registration work, that is 95.5 per cent of its eligible load had been inducted or otherwise disposed of according to law. It had brought training to its termination in 71.1 per cent of the entered training load. The pending induction loads had been reduced to 13,633 from the maximum of 164,039 in December 1921, and the training load had been reduced to 50,167 from the maximum of 131,410 in May, 1922. The peak of rehabilitation activities had been passed more than two years previously, and the bureau was well on the way toward the completion of its work. The fact that activities were in a stage of demobilization was clearly realized, and plans for complete demobilization were practically completed.

LEGISLATION

The World War veterans' act, approved June 7, 1924, continued the benefits previously authorized, preserving the old section 2 training, with maintenance and support allowance, as sections 400 and 401, and the old section 3 training, wherein only the cost of training is provided, as section 402. The following new provisions affecting rehabilitation were enacted:

1. Last dates, June 30, 1923, June 30, 1925, and June 30, 1926, were set respectively for application, induction, and training.
2. Additional allowance of two months' training pay was provided for the two months' period immediately following rehabilitation, with the provision, however, that following this two months' period "all duty and obligation of the United States with respect to vocational rehabilitation shall cease and determine."
3. Certain restrictions on eligibility particularly affecting willful misconduct cases were made, and other formal conditions of eligibility were made identical with the conditions of eligibility for compensation.
4. The former family allowance of $10 or $20 per month on account of dependent parents was eliminated.
5. Training was made available to persons disabled as a result of medical treatment or training, in the same manner as though these disabilities were the direct result of service.
6. Stronger emphasis was placed on the obligation of training for employability than in past enactments.

The further decentralization permitted by the World War veterans' act in the general administration of the bureau affected rehabilitation activities in the same manner as others.

DECENTRALIZATION

The passage of the act found rehabilitation activities in a state of practically completed decentralization. With the establishment of rehabilitation survey groups (April 5, 1924) responsible for group judgment in all case actions in the field of rehabilitation, the local offices were ready to assume full responsibility for case action which was extended June 21, 1924, by general orders delegating authority to accomplish induction and provide training, with all necessary adjustments, without limitation as to duration of courses, but within

a maximum cost of $500 per year per trainee, and to accomplish reinduction when rehabilitation or permanent discontinuance had been prematurely accomplished. What remained was for the central office rehabilitation division to assume the supervisory functions including stimulation of efficiency and enforcement of regulations heretofore retained by the 14 district offices, and to decentralize the various administrative functions from the district offices to the regional offices. The first task was accomplished early in the fiscal year by an expansion of the traveling staff of the central office rehabilitation division; the second proceeded concurrent with the decentralization of other bureau activities and was completed April 1, 1925, with the decentralization of the last regional office. As an aid in administering this larger authority, a compilation and revision of existing regulations affecting rehabilitation was promulgated November 15, 1924, as general order No. 150–A.

ORGANIZATION

At the present time the central office rehabilitation division is authorized under the general supervision of the director, to initiate policies on all rehabilitation problems; to formulate instructions which will provide a proper procedure for the execution of approved policies; to organize the rehabilitation units of the United States Veterans' Bureau into such divisions, subdivisions, and sections as he may deem necessary; to supervise all the rehabilitation activities of the bureau, including the administration of all rehabilitation units and personnel; to instruct rehabilitation units and personnel regarding the method of carrying out their duties; to standardize all rehabilitation activities throughout the bureau; to conduct all professional correspondence relating to rehabilitation, provided the director's approval is obtained upon any change of policy; to maintain a constant survey of the status of registration, training, and employment activities in all rehabilitation units of the bureau; and to perform such other duties as may be assigned, in order to be able at all times to advise the director.

The personnel of the central office rehabilitation division on June 30, 1925, numbered 69, having been reduced from 136 in the course of the fiscal year.

Complete responsibility for the handling of vocational rehabilitation activities and problems of each individual case is delegated to the regional office of the territory in which the individual resides. All action taken under this delegation of authority is controlled by and subject to the policy and procedure outlined in the regulations and general orders of the United States Veterans' Bureau effective at the time action is taken and to instructions and standards authorized by the director or by the chief of rehabilitation division, central office.

The rehabilitation division in the regional office is in direct charge of the work of rehabilitation within that region, and is responsible to the regional manager direct for registration, training, and employment matters as outlined herein and in other instructions and policies issued by central office. The personnel of the rehabilitation division, both staff and clerical, are responsible to the chief of rehabilitation division, and he has authority, with the approval of the regional manager, to select and assign such personnel in accordance with the needs of the work.

The rehabilitation staff in the field on June 30, 1925, comprised 886 staff members and 696 clerks, etc., having been reduced from 1,236 and 940, respectively, at the beginning of the fiscal year, organized in the typical office as shown by chart No. 11, faces page 382.

WORK OF THE YEAR

During the year the chief directions of rehabilitation effort have been as follows:

1. Clearing pending loads in view of last date for inductions.
2. Improving practical control of training through improved training programs and training arrangements.
3. Improving the records of supervision through the installation of a well thought out record system.
4. Elimination of all bureau vocational schools.
5. Improving employment service by requiring the location of employment opportunities at least two months before rehabilitation.
6. Requiring demobilization of personnel consistent with declining loads, and proper organization of the remaining force for best efficiency.

PRETRAINING STATUS

At the beginning of the fiscal year there were 18,929 cases in pending (pretraining) status, awaiting induction or final action which would lapse eligibility or cancel registration according to legal requirements. This number is to be compared with totals of 78,284 and 194,147 for the beginning of the fiscal year 1924 and 1923 respectively. Without special campaign this number was reduced in the eleven months of the fiscal year preceding June 1, 1925, to 4,826, 4,580 inductions into section 400 and 161 inductions into section 402 having been accomplished.

Immediately following this date, a special final campaign was launched and followed intensively in all regional offices to afford a last opportunity to enter training to those who because of physical incapacity or other unavoidable delay had not already taken advantage of this opportunity. This campaign was directed in the following language:

The limitations of section 403 of the World War veterans' act, impose upon the bureau the obligation of taking such immediate action on all claims for vocational rehabilitation as will insure that all persons who meet the eligibility requirements of that act may, by June 30, 1925, have had the opportunity of entering, in accordance with established bureau regulations, courses of vocational rehabilitation to which they are entitled under the law.

Every effort consistent with recognized procedure will be made in the discharge of this obligation. To that end, you are directed immediately to contact hospitals and the various accredited service and welfare organizations in your territory to secure the names of all persons entitled to the benefits provided by Title IV of the World War veterans' act, who have not been afforded the opportunity of entering courses of vocational rehabilitation. It is especially urgent that particular attention be given to the cases of persons with permanent and total disability ratings and those who have been denied the benefits of rehabilitation by reason of physical incapacity. In the case of any disabled veteran whom your investigation discloses to be feasible for rehabilitation and whose case has not been decentralized to your office, prompt rating will be provided by central office at your telegraphic request.

The rights of persons so contacted will be immediately determined and action in each individual case taken * * *. You will immediately notify each person now in pending induction status, and each person disclosed by the survey here ordered to be eligible and feasible for vocational rehabilitation (except those who have previously had the opportunity and have allowed their eligibility to lapse) that he must actually enter upon a course of training under the authority of the bureau on or before June 30, 1925, as the present law absolutely prohibits entrance after that date.

As a result of this campaign the cases of several thousand additional claimants, many of whom had not been carried as current status reports, were considered with the following result:

Report of activities in clearing pending rehabilitation loads, June 8–30, 1925, and outstanding load June 30, 1925

Source of information	Investigated											Not investigated on account of—					Grand total
	Inducted			Not inducted on account of—													
				Non-feasible													
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Permanent and total	Others	Previously lapsed	No application before June 30, 1923	Not eligible	Declined training	Other reasons	Total	Claimant bedridden	Claimant insane (confined to institution	Claimant could not be located at address given	Other reasons	Total	
Pending eligibility load, June 3	108	41	149	464	621	165	308	553	107	56	2,274	108	233	37	467	845	3,268
Pending registration load, June 3	308	97	405	103	215	20	10	39	225	277	889	5	6	15	54	80	1,374
Pending induction load, June 3	445	140	585	62	491	35	2	9	798	708	2,105	3	2	19	11	35	2,725
Direct request from claimant	384	72	456	16	179	97	225	161	96	91	865	2	2	1	78	83	1,404
Case referred by service and welfare organization	42	9	51	11	44	56	67	41	20	21	260	1	5	1	6	13	324
Discovered through hospital contact	26	3	29	107	111	35	271	22	8	75	629	64	53	0	124	241	899
Other	106	17	123	271	810	108	91	216	114	1,722	3,332	49	69	39	182	339	3,794
Total	1,419	379	1,798	1,034	2,471	516	974	1,041	1,368	2,950	10,354	232	370	112	922	1,636	13,788

It is believed that as a result of this campaign everything possible was done to get every person who was before June 30, 1925, eligible and feasible for vocational rehabilitation into an appropriate course of training, and that failure of an eligible claimant to receive the advantages of vocational rehabilitation was due in all cases either to physical incapacity or to delays in prosecution of claims for which the claimants alone were responsible.

The large number of inductions at this late date has created a very difficult problem in advisement and training. There are few occupations, particularly for men who have remained physically incapacitated for so many years, in which training can be completed in a year's time. The bureau's policy in all such cases has been to restrict the selection of occupations to those in which the requirements of employability can be met on June 30, 1926, that the last date may leave all as far as possible employable in some occupation.

The policy of the bureau under which eligibility is established and induction accomplished is as follows:

1. A claimant who applied for vocational rehabilitation on or before June 30, 1923, and who has been separated from the military or naval service and has a disability service connected under the provisions of the World War veterans' act and is not barred from the right to compensation or maintenance and support allowance by reason of the provisions of section 23 thereof, is eligible for training.
2. An eligible person is registered for vocational rehabilitation under section 400 of the World War veterans' act, as in need of vocational rehabilitation to overcome the handicap of service-connected disability when both of the following conditions are established:

(*a*) When the loss or impairment of major physical and occupational abilities due to such disability prevents the claimant from securing and retaining full-time employment in his pre-war occupation, or in any other suitable or gainful occupation comparable with his pre-war occupation for which he is qualified without training.

(*b*) When medical opinion indicates that the disability is relatively permanent, i. e., such that the vocational handicap may not be expected to disappear after maximum improvement from medical and hospital treatment to which the claimant is entitled. All other eligible persons, if compensable, are registered under section 402 of the World War veterans' act.

3. The need for vocational rehabilitation is determined and registration accomplished without regard to feasibility of training, but the claimant's probable physical condition, after maximum improvement from medical and hospital treatment to which he is entitled, is considered.

4. The fact of disability does not necessarily imply the need for vocational rehabilitation. There are many types of disability where the patient suffers little inconvenience and is able to carry on at his usual occupation, or where the pre-war or postwar occupation offers as little impediment as in the case of any that could be selected.

5. When an applicant for training is suitably and gainfully employed, he is not in need of vocational rehabilitation.

6. The most recent medical examination, made not more than 90 days prior to date of decision, is used as the basis of decision as to the need for vocational rehabilitation, except that less recent examination may be used in the case of beneficiaries having permanent total or permanent partial ratings, or in the case of beneficiaries having disabilities of less than 10 per cent degree.

7. Eligibility lapses at the expiration of a reasonable time after legal notification. Ninety days are regarded as a reasonable time for this purpose, except as follows:

(*a*) Time is not counted against the 90-day period during which the claimant is physically incapacitated from entering training, as evidenced by official records of the bureau showing that he has received treatment by anthorization of the bureau subsequent to such notification in a hospital or in his home under conditions approved by the bureau, or as evidenced by other medical records acceptable to the bureau showing physical incapacity.

(*b*) In the case of trainees registered under section 402, eligibility lapses upon reduction of disability to noncompensable degree, even though less than 90 days have elapsed.

(*c*) In any case eligibility lapses at the close of business June 30, 1925, unless pending induction status is terminated prior to that date.

8. Registration is canceled when a survey of the case by the proper medical authority results in the finding prior to induction, that a claimant is not and in all probability never will be physically feasible for a course of vocational rehabilitation, and in case of fraud, or in case of manifest error in the termination of eligibility.

The following tables show the comparative condition as regards pending induction and other activities on the first and last day of the last four fiscal years, and the volume of work performed during the same period. The unusual activity in new registrations and inductions, section 400, is clearly evident from the figures.

Condition report showing distribution of section 400 (sec. 2) eligible load in four status on the last day of successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1921	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Total registration terminated	1,202	7,918	24,144	52,472	58,525
Total pending induction	61,987	54,220	38,134	5,552	0
Total training status	89,030	112,238	95,883	46,313	21,417
Total training terminated	6,111	20,228	50,943	105,642	136,227
Total sec. 400 (sec. 2) registration	158,330	194,604	209,104	209,979	216,169

Summary of work on pending induction status, section 400 (sec. 2), in successive fiscal years

	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25
Pending induction	61,987	54,220	38,134	5,552
New registrations	36,274	14,500	875	6,190
Total in pending induction status during year	98,261	68,720	39,009	11,742
Entered training	37,325	14,360	5,129	5,689
Registration terminated	6,716	16,226	28,328	6,053
Remaining at end of fiscal year	54,220	38,134	5,552	0
Per cent of pending induction load which entered training	37.9	20.9	13.1	48.4
Per cent of pending induction load in which registration terminated	6.8	23.6	72.5	51.6

Condition report showing distribution of section 402 (sec. 3) eligible load in four status on the last day of successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1921	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Total registration terminated	123	4,990	65,450	89,598	96,592
Total pending induction	84,208	83,638	27,818	6,937	0
Total training status	10,357	16,128	11,974	3,854	1,520
Total training terminated	1,674	3,717	9,015	17,823	20,583
Total sec. 402 (sec. 3) registration	96,362	108,473	114,257	118,212	118,695

Summary of work on pending induction status, section 402 (sec. 3), in successive fiscal years

	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25
Pending induction	84,208	83,638	27,818	6,937
New registrations	12,111	5,784	3,955	418
Total in pending induction status during year	96,319	89,422	31,773	7,355
Entered training	7,814	1,044	688	426
Registration terminated	4,867	60,560	24,148	6,929
Remaining at end of fiscal year	83,638	27,818	6,937	0

	Prior to July 1, 1921	1921-22	1922-23	1923-24	1924-25
Per cent of pending induction load which entered training	12.5	8.1	1.3	2.2	5.8
Per cent of pending induction load in which registration terminated	1.2	5.0	67.6	76.0	94.2

TRAINING ACTIVITIES

At the beginning of the fiscal year, the bureau had 42,596 in training under section 400 and 2,751 under section 402, 69.5 per cent and 82.2 per cent respectively of these loads having been terminated prior to that time. At the conclusion of the fiscal year 20,473 cases remained in training under section 400 and 1,330 under section 402, the accumulative percentages of terminations having increased to 86.5 per cent and 93.1 per cent, respectively. The reductions reported above, 52.9 per cent and 51.6 per cent from the June 30,

1924, figures respectively, mark the largest percentage reduction in the history of rehabilitation work, the reductions for previous years having been as follows:

	1923	1924	1925
	Per cent	*Per cent*	*Per cent*
Sec. 400	19.6	41.7	52.9
Sec. 402	38.4	53.1	51.6

The number of inductions as previously stated was considerably in excess of expectations, and larger than in the previous year. These inductions were not only the chief factor preventing more rapid reduction of the training load but created the most difficult problem the bureau has faced in training, on account of the shortness of the time remaining.

Although the number of terminations was reduced as a result of the reduction of the available load, the percentage of terminations in comparison with the actual load showed a satisfactory increase. As regards the per cent of rehabilitation the figures are a real source of satisfaction, for they continue the progress made in each year of rehabilitation work, the percentages for successive fiscal years having been as follows: 1922, 8.6 per cent; 1923, 17.9 per cent; 1924, 32.5 per cent; 1925, 50.5 per cent. The proportion of permanent discontinuance was materially reduced. This is also a source of great satisfaction, as it indicates that the work of previous years in clearing the load of men not fitted to profit by training was successful. The stimulus of two months' pay at the time of rehabilitation has also been effective in reducing the number of permanent discontinuances. In spite of the reduction of the number of permanent discontinuances, the total per cent of terminated cases, as compared with the load, showed a slight increase.

The following tables show all aspects of progress referred to above, in comparison with previous fiscal years:

Condition report showing distribution section 400 (sec. 2) entered training load by status on the last day of successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1921	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
In training	77,249	92,597	74,494	42,596	20,473
Instruction interrupted	11,781	19,641	21,389	3,717	944
Total training status	89,030	112,238	95,883	46,313	21,417
Rehabilitated	4,459	15,321	38,043	70,936	97,215
Permanently discontinued	1,433	4,260	11,652	32,967	37,069
Deceased after induction	[1] 219	[1] 647	1,248	1,739	1,943
Total training terminated	6,111	20,228	50,943	105,642	136,227
Total entered training	95,141	132,466	146,826	151,955	157,644
Per cent of training status in "instruction interrupted"	13.2	17.5	22.3	8.0	4.4

[1] Estimated: Deceased before induction and deceased after induction not reported separately prior to July 1, 1922.

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U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

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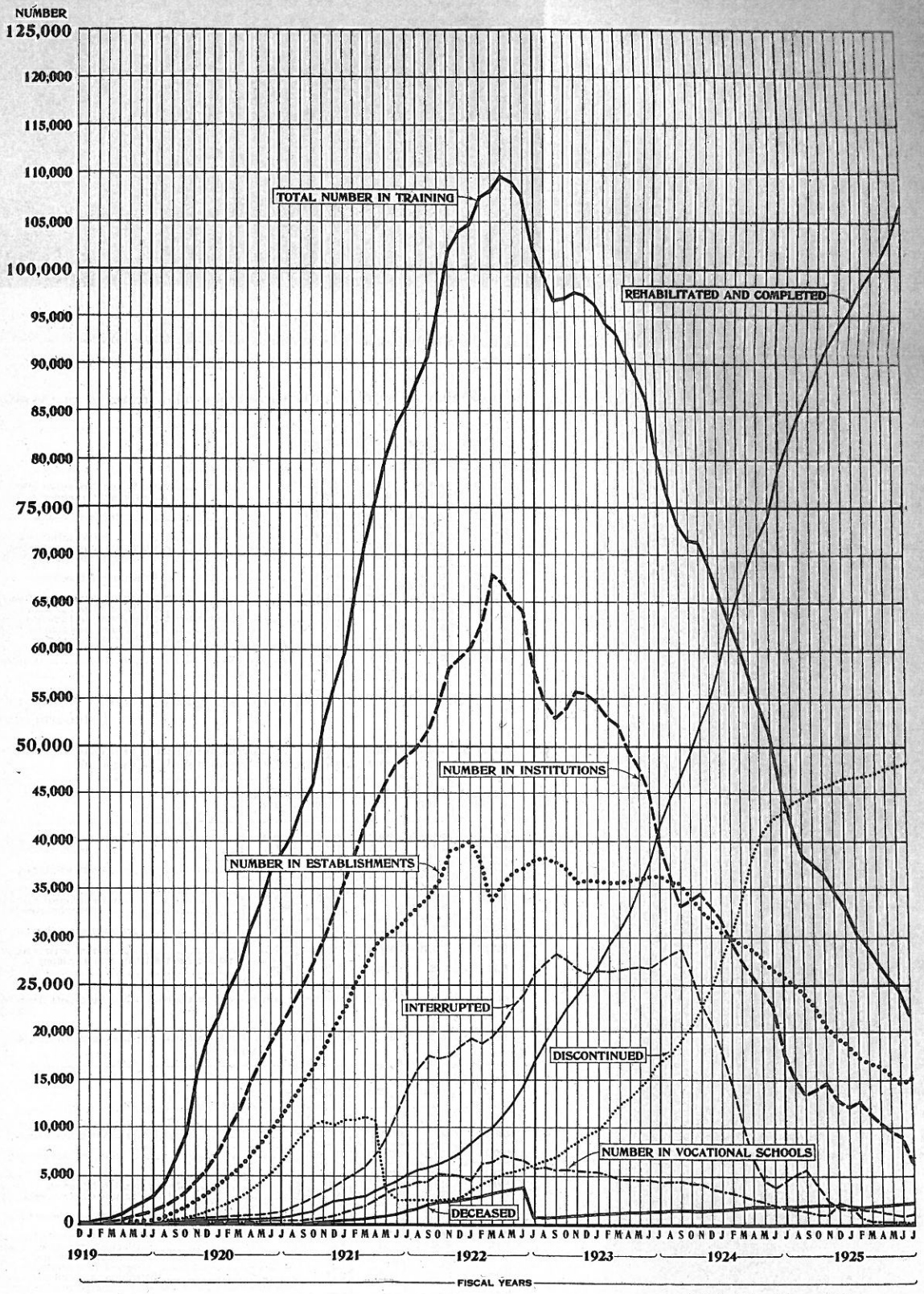
From November, 1918, to July, 1925



Summary of work on entered training load section 400 (sec. 2) for successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Total training status beginning of period	89,030	112,238	95,883	46,313
Total entered training during period	37,325	14,360	5,129	5,687
Training load for period	126,355	126,598	101,012	52,000
Rehabilitated during period	10,862	22 722	32,893	26,277
Permanently discontinued during period	2,827	7,392	21,315	4,102
Deceased after induction during period	428	601	491	204
Total terminated during period	14,117	30,715	54,699	30,583
Remaining training status at end of period	112,238	95,883	46,313	21,417
Per cent of training load rehabilitated	8.6	17.9	32.5	50.5
Per cent of training load permanently discontinued	2.2	5.8	21.1	7.9
Per cent of training load deceased	.3	.5	.5	.4
Per cent of training load terminated	11.1	24.2	54.1	58.8
Per cent of training terminations which were permanently discontinued	20.1	24.0	39.0	13.5

Comparable tables showing the progress of section 400 activities are also presented:

Condition report showing distribution section 402 (sec. 3) entered training load by status on the last day of successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1921	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
In training	8,089	9,511	5,865	2,751	1,330
Instruction interrupted	2,268	6,617	6,109	1,103	190
Total training status	10,357	16,128	11,974	3,854	1,520
Completed	591	1,645	3,722	7,695	9,393
Permanently discontinued	1,057	2,023	5,212	10,022	11,065
Deceased after induction	[1] 26	[1] 49	81	106	125
Total training terminated	1,674	3,717	9,015	17,823	20,583
Total entered training	12,031	19,845	20,989	21,677	22,103
Per cent of training status in "Instruction interrupted"	21.9	41.0	51.1	28.7	12.3

[1] Estimated: Deceased before induction and deceased after induction not reported separately prior to July 1, 1922.

Summary of work on entered training load, section 402 (sec. 3), for successive fiscal years

	June 30, 1922	June 30, 1923	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Total training status beginning of period	10,357	16,128	11,974	3,854
Total entered training during period	7,814	1,144	688	426
Training load for period	18,171	17,272	12,662	4,280
Completed during period	1,054	2,077	3,973	1,698
Permanently discontinued during period	966	3,189	4,810	1,043
Deceased after induction during period	23	32	25	19
Total terminated during period	2,043	5,298	8,808	2,760
Remaining training status at end of period	16,128	11,974	3,854	1,520
Per cent of training load completed	5.8	12.0	31.4	39.4
Per cent of training load permanently discontinued	5.3	12.7	38.0	24.2
Per cent of training load deceased	.1	.2	.2	.4
Per cent of training load terminated	11.2	24.9	69.6	64.0
Per cent of training terminations which were permanently discontinued	47.2	50.8	54.6	37.9

The status of activities in the 54 regional office territories and their progress during the year varied widely, as will be seen from the following chart. The reasons for these variations lie in part in local employment conditions affecting the continuity of training and the requirements for employment and in part in differences in policy which crept into the work in earlier and less controlled years. It is the constant effort of central office to eliminate these local differences by bringing backward offices up to standard progress.

Percentage of entered training load (sec. 400) in which termination of training had been effected June 30, 1924, and June 30, 1925

Regional office	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925	Regional office	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Boston, Mass	64.5	81.2	Detroit, Mich	73.8	89.4
Portland, Me	59.1	77.8	Milwaukee, Wis	71.3	87.9
Manchester, N. H	52.4	80.2	St. Louis, Mo	62.0	81.4
Providence, R. I	50.4	71.6	Kansas City, Mo	75.4	85.7
Burlington, Vt	59.1	84.5	Des Moines, Iowa	73.9	90.1
New York, N. Y	71.5	91.2	Omaha, Nebr	69.9	85.1
Buffalo, N. Y	74.1	87.8	Minneapolis, Minn	57.1	77.2
Hartford, Conn	69.5	85.3	Helena, Mont	67.9	85.7
Newark, N. J	69.1	91.2	Fargo, N. Dak	79.0	91.3
Philadelphia, Pa	66.1	86.9	Sioux Falls, S. Dak	58.5	79.0
Pittsburgh, Pa	75.2	91.3	Denver, Colo	66.8	83.0
Washington, D. C	65.0	83.4	Albuquerque, N. Mex	77.5	87.5
Baltimore, Md	72.1	85.6	Salt Lake City, Utah	72.7	90.0
Richmond, Va	67.5	87.4	Casper, Wyo	76.6	89.9
Charleston, W. Va	75.4	87.6	San Francisco, Calif	71.4	87.4
Atlanta, Ga	58.9	81.1	Los Angeles, Calif	70.9	88.9
Jacksonville, Fla	78.3	90.7	Phoenix, Ariz	66.8	82.9
Charlotte, N. C	68.8	82.1	Seattle, Wash	83.2	93.8
Columbia, S. C	79.0	90.4	Boise, Idaho	72.6	95.0
Nashville, Tenn	72.3	88.6	Portland, Oreg	77.3	90.9
New Orleans, La	77.5	91.8	Dallas, Tex	61.9	85.9
Birmingham, Ala	73.6	90.5	Little Rock, Ark	57.1	74.1
Jackson, Miss	74.3	89.1	Oklahoma City, Okla	74.0	84.0
Cincinnati, Ohio	76.5	88.2	Wichita, Kans	72.0	88.0
Cleveland, Ohio	75.2	88.3	San Antonio, Tex	69.4	84.8
Indianapolis, Ind	75.4	89.4	Reno, Nev	63.0	85.7
Louisville, Ky	68.1	84.2			
Chicago, Ill	69.0	83.9	Average all regional offices	69.5	86.6

TRAINING POLICY

The training policy of the bureau has been outlined in previous annual reports, and may be here described as follows:

The purpose of vocational training under section 400 of the World War veterans' act is to overcome the handicap of service-connected disabilities and to provide for the placement of rehabilitated persons in suitable or gainful occupations. Training is provided for the purpose of developing the disabled trainee until he is competent to perform satisfactorily the required duties of the occupation which has been agreed upon as his employment objective. No course or unit of instruction is provided which is not directly vocational in character and required to accomplish rehabilitation in the employment objective agreed upon.

Training under section 402 of the World War veterans' act (heretofore known as sec. 3 training) is given only for the purpose of job improvement. Job improvement is interpreted to mean training that will improve the trainee's earning power either in his present employment or in an occupation so related to his previous occupational experience and training that such experience and training can be fully utilized in the occupation to be pursued after completion of training.

The training policies of the bureau provide that—

1. Each trainee shall have a specified employment objective which—

(*a*) Indicates the precise occupation (pay-roll job) for which the trainee is being prepared to fill at the completion of his training.

(*b*) Will tax the abilities which have been lost or impaired less than any other occupations which were considered in rating the need for vocational rehabilitation.

(*c*) Capitalizes as well as any which can be suggested the physical and occupational abilities which remain unimpaired.

(*d*) Can be attained in a reasonable time considering the trainee's mental ability and his past occupational and educational attainments.

(*e*) That the proposed occupation is not overcrowded or nonexistent in the community in which the trainee proposes to reside after training.

2. For each employment objective there shall be set up a complete program of instruction.

(*a*) The complete program of instruction prepared for each employment objective shall list and organize all the units of instruction required to meet the requirements of employability in that occupation. The complete program of instruction is a general and inclusive program, or complete course, providing for the necessary training required for entrance into employment in the occupation. It should include standards of accomplishment in each unit by which progress and completion can be measured.

3. An individual training program shall be drawn up for each trainee as the schedule of his training. This program shall include:

(*a*) The name of the employment objective which has been approved.

(*b*) The units or portions of units selected from the complete program of instruction and rephrased to conform to the language and facilities of the training establishment which are required to achieve the employment objective as required in the locality in which the training is provided.

(*c*) The type of training for each unit.

The individual training program shall provide for instruction to the point of proficiency in all the units of skill and knowledge which are usually and necessarily required as a condition of employability in the occupation which has been agreed upon as the trainee's employment objective.

4. Rehabilitation assistants shall personally supervise trainees in placement or project training at least twice each month, and all other trainees at least once each month.

(*a*) The method of supervision in all cases in training shall be by personal contact with the trainee and counselor at the place of training. The rehabilitation assistant shall advise and counsel the trainee in all matters affecting his training, being continually on the alert for circumstances preventing proper progress and using every effort to remove the disadvantageous factors and promote the rehabilitation and employability of the trainee. The rehabilitation assistant must take positive steps to insure that the training is of the highest possible quality and that employment arrangements are completed several months at least before the date of rehabilitation.

A trainee under section 400 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, is declared rehabilitated and employable as soon as any one of the following conditions exist:

1. When the trainee has completed training as outlined in the individual training program, which meets the customary and essential requirements of employability in the occupation for which training is given.

2. When the trainee has graduated from, or completed a standardized course of instruction in college, university or higher technical institution having a definite occupational objective.

A trainee under section 400 is classified as permanently discontinued when any one of the following conditions exists:

1. When all reasonable efforts have been exhausted to train the person to the point of employability.

2. When it is determined by competent medical examination that a trainee will be absent from training while undergoing hospital or home treatment for an indefinite period.

3. When the trainee fails to avail himself properly of the training provided; or when his misconduct, etc., prevents progress toward his employment objective, or ultimate placement in employment.

4. When the determination of eligibility or need for vocational rehabilitation is based on fraud or manifest error when the trainee never had a service-connected disability, or when fraud was practiced in any application for training, or for maintenance and support allowance benefits.

The central office staff is organized into four main groups, one concerned with the general policy and with administrative problems, and three qualified to deal with the special problems incident to training in the agricultural, commercial and professional, and trade and industrial fields. In addition to a systematic review of case actions in central office for the purpose of correcting violation of policy and of standardizing action throughout the bureau, these groups have devoted the major portion of their time to field work as traveling central office representatives.

REHABILITATION SURVEY GROUPS

For the first half of the fiscal year the emphasis was primarily on improving the methods and decisions of rehabilitation survey groups whose installation was discussed in the previous annual report under the name of rehabilitation committees. These committees operate in each regional office to provide group judgment; after direct investigation of each case, on all important questions affecting training. They are responsible for the award of training, for the approval of employment objectives and individual training programs, for all major adjustments of training, and for the final review and determination of employability when the time arrives for rehabilitation. Since the committees operate in each locality, the trainee has the opportunity of personal appearance, and the committee has available all the facts necessary for decision. Their work has been very favorably received, and has increased the trainees' satisfaction with the service rendered. It was found necessary to enforce a more thorough briefing of cases heard by rehabilitation survey groups, and a more judicial analysis of the evidence on which action was requested. While this entailed more paper work, it has had the result of giving a better basis to all decisions, and rendering these decisions less subject to criticism when reviewed by higher authority.

EMPLOYMENT OBJECTIVES

As a result of further survey and instruction by central office representatives in the last half of the fiscal year, employment objectives were reformulated in many instances, changing the name of the intended occupation to conform to the practical possibilities from the training provided on the date of completion of training. There had grown up a tendency to designate employment objectives in terms of an ultimate goal, as accountant, manager, banker, or the like when the practical possibilities as a result of training in the individual case was limited, until promotion could result from years of experience, to bookkeeper, assistant, or clerk.

INDIVIDUAL TRAINING PROGRAMS

Similar difficulties had grown up in connection with individual training programs which in many instances were too abstract or academic in character, and which contemplated a more inclusive course of training than was required for the actual job for which the trainee was in preparation. Accordingly a complete revision of all programs was enforced, in connection with the installation of a new record system, to insure compliance with the following:

The language of the individual training program must be, as far as possible, the terms in which the training will be received.

The use of abstract programs for trainees in diverse facilities, such as results from mere duplication of complete programs of instruction, will not produce the desired results. The individual training program must be made specific to provide for the training of the individual in the place where he is to be trained.

Institutional courses should be programmed in terms of the unit courses given by the institution showing the course number, credit hours, and the dates between which the course is to be taken. In other courses the programs should be drawn up in terms either of productive job or characteristic operations, and in sufficient detail so that the progress of the trainee through the items of the program can be noted at the time of each regular supervisory contact. The basis used must be the one which will give the greatest practical control of training in the particular facility.

Special care should be taken to state the standard by which the completion of each unit should be measured, to limit the duration of the remainder of the course to the time actually necessary to obtain employability, and to obtain the acceptance of the training program by the training facility and assurance that training will be provided as programmed.

SUPERVISION RECORDS

The quality of supervision records had proved inadequate to provide the proper control of training. Lack of a definite record of accomplishments often resulted in exploitation of trainees by continuing them unnecessarily in productive operations for which they were fully trained, thus unduly protracting training. This was largely due to the very large loads and great variety of duties of rehabilitation assistants in the earlier years of the work, to the difficulty of securing the proper educational records from the various employers, etc., with whom the trainees were in training, and to the indefinite character of previous bureau forms for this purpose.

To overcome these difficulties, the rehabilitation assistants were relieved from numerous miscellaneous duties, which were given to the rehabilitation survey group and the vocational specialists, their loads were allowed to decrease in size, and a new system of records known as the 1307 series was installed.

This series of records comprises four types of forms, as follows:

1. Form 1307–revised, cumulative supervision form, whose purpose is (*a*) to provide a readily accessible summary of personal information and previous history in training status; (*b*) to provide an inventory of past accomplishments in present employment objective in terms of units of individual training program completed and partially completed; (*c*) to provide an individual training program for future work; and (*d*) to provide a current cumulative record of supervision primarily for the use of the rehabilitation assistant.
2. Forms 1307–A, B, C, and D, report of training adapted to the four types of training, whose purpose is (*a*) to record the training received by the trainee, including in this statement the work done; (*b*) record of evaluation of progress and attitude by the instructor or counselor; and (*c*) record of results of contact by rehabilitation assistant, including his evaluation and action.
3. Form 1307–E, trainee's supervision card, whose purpose is (*a*) to cause a review of each case, evaluation of progress, and comparison of records by the vocational specialist in charge of each field of training or by the chief of rehabilitation division in the smaller offices, and (*b*) to bring unsupervised cases to their attention at the close of each supervisory period.
4. Form 1307–F, rehabilitation assistants supervision card, whose purpose is (*a*) to facilitate study by the chief of the rehabilitation division of the load, volume, and quality of work of the rehabilitation assistants, and (*b*) to improve the quality of their supervision records.

While the introduction of these forms was somewhat difficult due to the additional paper work and case study involved, the results have been very gratifying, particularly in improving the compliance

with bureau policy as regards handling of "problem cases" and in enforcing supervision contacts with the required frequency.

Much attention was also paid to improving the work of vocational specialists, by instruction on the following points:

1. Standards in the preparation and approval of individual training programs, considering the individual training program as the schedule of the trainee's work, the measuring stick of his accomplishment and as an instrument for providing the greatest possible practical control of training in the particular facility.
2. Use of Form 1307-revised and Forms 1307-A, B, C, and D in improving training of individual trainees, including proper record on Form 1307-E and use of this form to identify cases requiring attention.
3. Plans for the transfer of trainees in institutional training requiring this action to placement training in proper facilities as soon as possible.
4. Distribution of working time between office and field work, and between his duties as vocational specialist and other assignments.

BUREAU VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

At the close of the previous fiscal year there were in operation 16 bureau vocational schools, with a training load of 1,599 and an annual expense for salaries, rentals, etc., of $1,165,895. All these units were completely closed out during the fiscal year, with entire elimination of this type of expense.

This brought to a close the bureau's experiment in developing and maintaining vocational schools for the training of special types of disabled men. It must be confessed that bureau schools did not prove the most effective facility for rehabilitation. It must be borne in mind however that the development of institutions, with the attendant difficulties of supplying equipment, mobilizing a staff of instructors, etc., particularly when it is recognized by all that the institution is to be temporary, is a far more difficult task than the utilization of existing facilities. To these difficulties of development were added the facts that the trainees assigned to these institutions were those least qualified by their physique and mental ability to profit by the instruction elsewhere available, and that in many instances the difficulties of handling communities of several hundred families far exceeded those of providing training itself.

DEMOBILIZATION OF PERSONNEL

Throughout the year central office has endeavored to keep the number of personnel in the various rehabilitation units reducing to conform to the reducing training load. In enforcing this reduction consideration has always been given to the increasing difficulty of effecting rehabilitation in the cases remaining in training to this late date, to the necessity of maintaining proper morale of the staff and insuring the interest of the necessary number until the completion of the task, and to the fact that the scattered location of trainees makes it exceedingly difficult to combine loads and itineraries.

As a basis for the demobilization the following standards for personnel allotments were adopted:

One chief of division or section in each regional office or suboffice.

Three members of vocational survey groups for each 800 trainees.

One vocational specialist, 1 registration officer, and 1 employment officer for each 500 trainees.

One rehabilitation assistant for each 100 institutional and miscellaneous trainees, 1 for each 50 placement trainees, and 1 for each 40 project trainees, except where the rehabilitation assistant acts also as instructor in which case 1 rehabilitation assistant is allowed for each 15 trainees.

Larger and smaller offices are allowed a proportionate number of staff members with the understanding that combinations of duties will be required whenever an officer's load is reduced materially below the figure here set forth. Consideration is also given to transportation difficulties of various regions.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

During the year employment service and the direction of training so that the transition from training to employment shall be as easy as possible has been a primary concern on the part of all employed in rehabilitation work. The statutory requirement "to provide for the placement of rehabilitated veterans in suitable or gainful employment" has been recognized as of equal importance with other provisions of law regarding vocational training.

The policy of the bureau requires training directly into employment. An employment opportunity as closely as possible in line with training is secured for all rehabilitated veterans at the time of rehabilitation, and in most cases (an average of 73 per cent for the last 6 months) such arrangements are completed 60 days before rehabilitation.

This result is secured first by the provision of placement training, whenever possible with establishments which will agree to accept the man for employment at the completion of the course of training as outlined, or of project training in agriculture, on a farm owned or controlled by the trainee, when institutional training does not adequately prepare for employment. At the time a case is considered for rehabilitation, all aspects of his training and future employment are discussed with the trainee, and if an employment opportunity has not been definitely provided, the rehabilitation survey group directs that such arrangements be completed, with proper follow up to insure compliance.

The rehabilitation assistant in charge of each case is responsible for securing employment for trainees under his supervision, having the assistance of the employment officer in difficult cases. The employment officer in each regional office maintains a constant survey of employment conditions in each locality, and a current file of employment opportunities available for rehabilitated trainees.

Close and intensive employment follow up is maintained in the case of all trainees rehabilitated under section 400 until the trainee is suitably placed in employment, and at least once each month thereafter until two months from the date of such placement. The purpose of these follow ups is threefold: (1) To provide for entrance into employment, (2) to assist the trainee in adjusting himself in employment by appropriate advice, and (3) to evaluate the training provided in terms of the trainee's ability to carry on in employment. If an employment opportunity accepted by the trainee is unsatisfactory from the point of view of the trainee's physical condition or for any other good and sufficient reason, effort is made to provide for more appropriate employment. Rehabilitation assistants are responsible for this follow up on all trainees rehabilitated under their supervision so long as their cases are not transferred from the regional office territory. The employment office coordinates this service, provides technical assistance in difficult cases, and is responsible for follow ups on cases transferred from other territories.

On the last day of the fiscal year, in spite of the large number of professional men, lawyers, doctors, teachers, etc., rehabilitated during the month of June, whose employment is always an individual matter, the number of unemployed veterans from the last two months rehabilitations was 654, or 13.8 per cent. This is not believed to be an unsatisfactory figure when it is compared with other figures for employment at the conclusion of training, and especially when it is considered that trainees receive maintenance and support allowance for two months after the date of rehabilitation. The average of corresponding figures for previous months of the fiscal year was considerably smaller, 8.5 per cent, and this may be taken as representative of the condition except at the close of the month of June.

In addition to these unemployed cases there were on June 30, 1925, 244 cases still unemployed for whom the bureau retains responsibility for employment service, from the men rehabilitated before May 1, 1925, totaling 92,329 cases. All other known unemployed cases, numbering 1,179, have either been physically incapacitated from entering employment or have forfeited their claim to employment service by refusing to take advantage of employment opportunities offered them, or by failing to keep in touch with the bureau.

The bureau has had marked success in securing the cooperation of large employers of labor, both in providing placement training facilities and in securing employment for rehabilitated veterans. That these employers feel that the bureau's product is generally satisfactory is evidenced by letters like the following, scores of which are on file in the bureau:

From a large mail-order house:

We have lately come to consider the rehabilitation division of the United States Veterans' Bureau as a very real assistance in furnishing us with men for special or technical work. The men we now have in our employ show an unusual interest in their work. This must come largely from the attitude developed and the training secured during their development period with the bureau. Naturally their work is much above the average and while our first thought in placing such men as the Veterans' Bureau sent us was to do our part in assisting in the rehabilitation of our ex-service men, we have now arrived at the very definite conviction that we are really serving ourselves as much, if not more, by placing these men, than we are the men themselves.

From the office of a prominent engineering company:

Upon investigation I find that we have had very favorable results with the rehabilitated veterans whom we have employed. The majority of these men are above the average. We have placed a number of junior draftsmen in our engineering department and have found them well trained and willing workers.

From a nationally known paper manufacturing concern:

On several occasions during the past year we have asked the Veterans' Bureau to send us candidates for different positions in our office. The type of man applying has been well above the average. The men hired have proven to be well trained, diligent, and of good character. We consider the Veterans' Bureau one of the best sources of personnel supply we know of.

From the civil service commission of Cleveland, Ohio:

We have a fair percentage of veterans who have been provided training under the supervision of the United States Veterans' Bureau among the 8,000 classified employees of the city of Cleveland and our board of education. In several instances, that I can recall, these men have attained the highest grading among all competitors.

From a southern engineering firm:

I am pleased to report that the men we obtained from your bureau have been satisfactory in every respect. We find that the men, after obtaining the bureau's training, are ready to take hold of actual work, and this training has made them understand the necessity of starting at the very bottom of the trade they have trained for. Practically all of the men you have furnished us have worked out satisfactory and are still in our employ, having worked themselves up from the bottom, and are now holding positions that require skilled men.

Letters from rehabilitated veterans, showing their appreciation of the training provided and their success as a result of this training, are received almost daily and are a source of great satisfaction, particularly to the rehabilitation assistants and others who have been directly concerned with the individual.

TABLE NO. 55.—*Rehabilitation condition report as of last of each month from November, 1918, to June, 1925, showing the origin of each status* [1]

Date	Pending eligibility	Rated eligible	Pending registration	Registered unassigned	Deceased before assignment	Registered assigned	Registration canceled	Lapsed eligibility	In process of induction	Declined	Deferred	Deceased before induction	Total entered training	Training interrupted	In training	Discontinued	Deceased after induction	Rehabilitated and completed
1918—November													35		32			3
1919—June													3,606		3,192			414
1920—June													46,414		38,797			7,617
1921—June	16,071	256,378		41,339		215,039			[2] 53,613	[2] 14,536	[2] 36,709		108,497	[3] 14,049	85,338	2,490	[3] 1,570	5,050
1922—June	56,289	303,077		[4] 3,838	[4] 2,197	[5] 289,511		[5] 9,728	40,383	[5] 38,241	[5] 55,396	[6] 3,127	[6] 152,364	26,258	102,108	6,283	[6] 749	16,966
1923—June	7,494	329,791	[7] 4,838	12,820	1,592	226,260	[8] 14,262	70,019	9,537	7,693	35,902	5,315	167,815	27,498	80,359	16,864	1,329	41,765
July	4,139	329,535	4,375	12,664	1,606	224,941	14,800	71,149	8,596	7,073	35,428	5,379	168,465	28,276	76,311	[7] 17,939	1,347	44,592
August	3,014	327,842	3,177	12,833	1,611	222,008	13,844	74,369	7,770	6,054	33,513	5,449	169,222	28,566	73,276	19,216	1,408	46,756
September	4,614	326,789	4,684	12,652	1,626	216,596	14,467	76,764	6,938	4,589	30,417	5,263	169,389	26,252	71,758	20,628	1,315	49,436
October	4,328	326,490	4,604	12,532	1,477	215,343	14,798	77,736	5,809	3,851	29,603	5,300	170,780	22,836	71,416	22,929	1,380	52,219
November	3,780	327,164	4,203	11,394	1,527	213,558	14,961	81,521	5,206	3,200	28,695	5,301	171,156	20,832	69,014	24,899	1,423	54,988
December	2,765	329,996	3,871	10,400	1,539	212,542	13,321	88,323	4,833	2,885	27,859	5,413	171,552	17,960	66,014	27,517	1,467	58,594
1924—January	2,039	330,058	3,136	8,955	1,549	[9] 210,383	15,405	90,630	4,761	2,521	24,947	5,688	172,466	14,282	63,011	30,721	1,532	62,920
									Pending induction									
1924—February	1,099	327,424	1,884	8,809	1,579	204,149	18,716	97,287		26,240		6,004	171,905	10,346	60,664	33,911	1,603	65,381
March	1,373	329,659	1,706	7,562	1,589	196,785	27,006	95,011		17,726		6,296	172,763	6,889	57,511	38,049	1,690	68,624
April	1,149	328,409	1,188	6,116	1,599	191,596	28,559	99,351		11,928		6,657	173,011	4,727	54,392	40,640	1,744	71,508
May	1,079	329,673	1,044	4,853	1,603	189,374	30,315	102,484		9,220		6,756	173,398	3,679	51,466	42,201	1,805	74,247
June	5,296	330,943	1,144	4,276	1,608	188,661	31,726	103,528		8,213		6,816	173,632	4,820	45,347	42,989	1,845	78,631
July	4,977	332,441	1,777	2,646	1,610	189,103	31,688	105,707		7,377		6,900	174,736	5,206	41,718	43,965	1,879	81,968
August	1,618	332,848	1,898	2,562	1,614	188,952	32,114	105,702		6,939		6,920	175,093	5,533	38,728	44,464	1,997	84,471
September	[10] 498	333,430	1,596	1,749	1,618	186,577	34,628	107,262		4,066		7,008	175,503	4,034	37,651	45,069	1,883	86,866
October	[10] 443	332,920	1,003	[11] 201	[12] 677	[9] 187,537	36,140	107,362		3,659		7,375	176,503	2,269	36,725	45,873	1,920	89,716
November	[10] 645	322,505	[10] 859				34,549	100,815		3,243		7,181	176,717	1,943	34,951	46,182	1,951	91,690
December	[10] 1,239	327,676	[10] 708				36,144	103,210		2,843		7,687	177,084	1,725	33,046	46,508	1,966	93,839
1925—January	[10] 939	326,800	1,002				34,521	105,058		2,654		7,076	176,489	1,547	30,545	46,463	1,957	95,977
February	1,283	329,043	1,008				34,627	106,329		2,749		7,176	177,154	1,478	28,987	46,772	2,000	97,917
March	1,359	331,435	1,039				35,168	107,970		2,659		7,270	177,329	1,388	27,277	47,187	2,004	99,473
April	1,776	333,004	1,048				35,124	109,037		2,654		7,318	177,823	1,158	25,762	47,618	2,025	101,260
May	1,115	333,684	843				35,413	108,832		2,868		7,347	178,381	979	24,192	47,855	2,059	103,296
June [13]		334,864					36,580	111,076				7,461	179,747	1,134	21,803	48,134	2,068	106,608

[1] All data in this table are status figures as of the end of each month.
[2] "In process of induction," "declined," and "deferred" constitute those persons "assigned" that have not entered training (after July 1, 1922, deceased before induction should be included).
[3] "Deceased" and "training interrupted" were separated from "discontinued" May 1, 1921.
[4] "Deceased before assignment" was separated from "registered unassigned."
[5] "Lapsed eligibility" was counted in "declined" and "deferred" prior to July 1, 1922. "Lapsed eligibility" is not included in "registered assigned."
[6] "Deceased before induction" which has previously been included under "deceased" and "entered training" is shown separately after July 1, 1922
[7] "Pending registration" was separated from "pending eligibility" on this date.
[8] "Registration canceled" is not included in "registered assigned" after this date.
[9] Status discontinued at time of decentralization.
[10] Variation of figures due to process of decentralization from district to regional office basis.
[11] "Pending assignment" changed to "pending induction" at time decentralization was effected.
[12] "Deceased before assignment" changed to "deceased before induction" at time of decentralization.
[13] Closing date for original induction.

TABLE NO. 56.—*Condition report of rehabilitation activities, showing active training status, training status terminated, and employment by regional offices, fiscal year ended June 30, 1925*

Regional office	Active training status									Training status terminated		Training status terminated—Continued									Employment					
	In training			Training interrupted			In training status			Rehabilitated	Completed	Discontinued			Deceased after induction			Total terminated			Rehabilitated during July and August.—Employment			Rehabilitated during April and May		
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total			Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Arranged	Not arranged	Total	Employed	Unemployed	Total
Boston, Mass	1,672	131	1,803	77	26	103	1,749	157	1,906	5,897	536	2,043	414	2,457	101	1	102	8,041	951	8,992	190	135	325	313	141	454
Portland, Me	161	3	164	7	0	7	168	3	171	393	15	180	27	207	12	0	12	585	42	627	27	0	27	36	0	36
Manchester, N. H	119	1	120	9	0	9	128	1	129	376	7	127	25	152	13	0	13	516	32	548	18	2	20	23	3	26
Providence, R. I	383	14	397	8	0	8	391	14	405	732	40	238	23	261	19	0	19	989	63	1,052	22	21	43	45	22	67
Burlington, Vt	49	0	49	2	0	2	51	0	51	209	15	61	16	77	5	0	5	275	31	306	7	0	7	9	2	11
New York, N. Y	840	55	895	59	34	93	899	89	988	7,048	966	2,893	822	3,715	156	17	173	10,097	1,805	11,902	101	111	212	183	85	268
Buffalo, N. Y	422	59	481	10	12	22	432	71	503	2,079	210	721	231	952	54	8	62	2,854	449	3,303	30	1	31	74	8	82
Hartford, Conn	282	10	292	13	0	13	295	10	305	1,295	66	427	132	559	25	2	27	1,747	200	1,947	32	2	34	42	5	47
Newark, N. J	257	21	278	9	0	9	266	21	287	1,923	173	769	141	910	50	2	52	2,742	316	3,058				238	68	306
Philadelphia, Pa	1,237	95	1,332	36	18	54	1,273	113	1,386	6,244	561	2,099	462	2,561	126	10	136	8,469	1,033	9,502	43	13	56	88	6	94
Pittsburgh, Pa	313	43	356	23	0	23	336	43	379	2,379	292	1,113	198	1,311	60	3	63	3,552	493	4,045	41	12	53	186	5	191
Washington, D. C	445	28	473	14	11	25	459	39	498	1,569	571	738	156	894	38	3	41	2,345	730	3,075	33	0	33	68	2	70
Baltimore, Md	290	17	307	20	7	27	310	24	334	1,285	96	561	109	670	30	2	32	1,876	207	2,083	22	2	24	42	2	44
Richmond, Va	177	3	180	13	1	14	190	4	194	899	54	378	84	462	23	1	24	1,300	139	1,439	9	3	12	18	3	21
Charleston, W. Va	139	6	145	11	0	11	150	6	156	773	28	267	73	340	19	0	19	1,059	101	1,160	172	26	198	133	1	134
Atlanta, Ga	708	7	715	14	2	16	722	9	731	2,212	74	829	251	1,080	39	2	41	3,080	327	3,407	18	0	18	27	0	27
Jacksonville, Fla	115	3	118	2	0	2	117	3	120	765	23	377	89	466	7	1	8	1,149	113	1,262	47	5	52	24	5	29
Charlotte, N. C	398	8	406	18	0	18	416	8	424	1,266	27	616	129	745	24	0	24	1,906	156	2,062	18	8	26	23	7	30
Columbia, S. C	120	1	121	3	0	3	123	1	124	780	18	372	62	434	17	0	17	1,169	80	1,249	42	3	45	52	4	56
Nashville, Tenn	341	5	346	21	2	23	362	7	369	1,915	57	822	178	1,000	46	1	47	2,783	236	3,019	35	0	35	71	0	71
New Orleans, La	247	23	270	17	0	17	264	23	287	2,096	49	765	174	939	64	1	65	2,925	224	3,149	46	0	46	49	2	51
Birmingham, Ala	381	58	439	7	0	7	388	58	446	2,788	40	856	196	1,052	55	3	58	3,699	239	3,938	42	0	42	65	0	65
Jackson, Miss	256	13	269	0	0	0	256	13	269	1,475	30	553	111	664	33	0	33	2,061	141	2,202	72	9	81	126	4	130
Cincinnati, Ohio	525	47	572	13	8	21	538	55	593	2,699	273	1,224	677	1,901	75	9	84	3,998	959	4,957	0	0	0	49	9	58
Cleveland, Ohio	366	41	407	7	0	7	373	41	414	2,157	234	666	556	1,222	36	7	43	2,859	797	3,656	23	7	30	86	6	92
Indianapolis, Ind	310	29	339	17	5	22	327	34	361	1,897	298	825	424	1,249	48	9	57	2,770	731	3,501	49	5	54	57	0	57
Louisville, Ky	366	13	379	6	3	9	372	16	388	1,275	160	656	281	937	49	6	55	1,980	447	2,427	121	48	169	211	57	268
Chicago, Ill	1,248	125	1,373	48	8	56	1,296	133	1,429	4,803	1,206	1,880	889	2,769	72	6	78	6,755	2,101	8,856	51	31	82	54	8	62
Detroit, Mich	421	47	468	23	8	31	444	55	499	2,950	429	792	407	1,199	10	0	10	3,752	836	4,588	100	0	100	125	0	125
Milwaukee, Wis	361	23	384	15	0	15	376	23	399	2,118	269	599	362	961	31	1	32	2,748	632	3,380	58	0	58	107	24	131
St. Louis, Mo	657	36	693	44	9	53	701	45	746	2,144	282	891	287	1,178	10	0	10	3,045	569	3,614	30	1	31	49	5	54
Kansas City, Mo	315	11	326	14	5	19	329	16	345	1,381	274	574	234	808	18	1	19	1,973	509	2,482	35	0	35	39	9	48
Des Moines, Iowa	200	20	220	23	5	28	223	25	248	1,482	222	502	437	939	26	2	28	2,010	661	2,671	13	1	14	93	2	95
Omaha, Nebr	207	8	215	16	7	23	223	15	238	912	121	340	194	534	11	2	13	1,263	317	1,580	129	35	164	226	49	275
Minneapolis, Minn	1,336	49	1,385	77	3	80	1,413	52	1,465	3,559	256	1,162	288	1,450	60	5	65	4,781	549	5,330	24	2	26	26	17	43
Helena, Mont	173	6	179	21	0	21	194	6	200	827	34	318	49	367	21	0	21	1,166	83	1,249	5	0	5	20	3	23
Fargo, N. Dak	47	4	51	3	0	3	50	4	54	430	33	88	85	173	8	1	9	526	119	645	19	6	25	39	4	43
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	153	12	165	8	0	8	161	12	173	469	28	129	58	187	5	1	6	603	87	690	91	10	101	224	7	231
Denver, Colo	828	16	844	31	1	32	859	17	876	2,945	97	1,146	155	1,301	82	2	84	4,173	254	4,427						
Albuquerque, N. Mex	196	2	198	5	0	5	201	2	203	887	13	459	56	515	51	1	52	1,397	70	1,467	14	3	17	41	3	44
Salt Lake City, Utah	106	8	114	6	1	7	112	9	121	869	18	134	42	176	15	0	15	1,018	60	1,078	8	2	10	12	2	14
Casper, Wyo	38	6	44	5	0	5	43	6	49	274	9	103	35	138	4	0	4	381	44	425	68	16	84	165	21	186
San Francisco, Calif	571	40	611	47	0	47	618	40	658	3,151	117	1,086	253	1,339	63	1	64	4,300	371	4,671	57	10	67	201	8	209
Los Angeles, Calif	613	34	647	26	3	29	639	37	676	3,342	124	1,795	205	2,000	58	2	60	5,195	331	5,526	15	0	15	34	2	36
Phoenix, Ariz	158	14	172	22	0	22	180	14	194	383	6	458	33	491	27	0	27	868	39	907	27	11	38	57	11	68
Seattle, Wash	156	33	189	25	2	27	181	35	216	2,202	344	512	203	715	7	2	9	2,721	549	3,270	3	0	3	5	0	5
Boise, Idaho	20	8	28	0	0	0	20	8	28	297	10	73	42	115	2	0	2	372	52	424	27	3	30	45	1	46
Portland, Oreg	147	18	165	6	5	11	153	23	176	1,132	218	374	102	476	16	1	17	1,522	321	1,843	27	3	30	45	1	46
Dallas, Tex	364	18	382	9	0	9	373	18	391	1,632	55	544	89	633	25	1	26	2,201	145	2,346	69	25	94	69	0	69
Little Rock, Ark	401	8	409	6	0	6	407	8	415	818	53	332	61	393	13	2	15	1,163	116	1,279	49	2	51	32	2	34
Oklahoma City, Okla	341	20	361	8	2	10	349	22	371	1,288	67	512	127	639	24	0	24	1,824	194	2,018	28	7	35	34	4	38
Wichita, Kans	169	7	176	3	1	4	172	8	180	955	110	287	199	486	21	4	25	1,263	313	1,576	21	12	33	21	21	42
San Antonio, Tex	293	10	303	9	1	10	302	11	313	1,185	70	491	67	558	20	0	20	1,696	137	1,833	28	6	34	20	4	24
Reno, Nev	14	3	17	6	0	6	20	3	23	95	4	24	9	33	0	0	0	119	13	132	2	0	2	9	0	9
Foreign	21	10	31	2	0	2	23	10	33	259	11	288	56	344	19	2	21	566	69	635						
Total, June 30, 1925	20,473	1,330	21,803	944	190	1,134	21,417	1,520	22,937	97,215	9,393	37,069	11,065	48,134	1,943	125	2,068	136,227	20,583	156,810	2,331	596	2,827	4,085	654	4,739
Total, June 30, 1924	42,596	2,751	45,347	3,717	1,103	4,820	46,313	3,854	50,167	70,936	7,695	32,967	10,022	42,989	1,739	106	1,845	105,642	17,823	123,465						

TABLE No. 57.—*Date of entrance of section 400 trainees in training as of June 30, 1925, by regional offices*

Regional office	Calendar year						Calendar year 1924					Calendar year 1924—Continued								Calendar year 1925							Grand total
	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Total Jan. to June inclusive	
Boston, Mass		57	130	389	479	271	10	10	6	3	4	11	16	11	15	6	8	7	107	13	17	16	13	38	132	229	1,662
Portland, Me		4	10	32	57	41	2					1	3		2	4	1	3	16	3	3	3		1	1	11	171
Manchester, N. H		2	2	27	43	32	1	4			1	1	1		2		3	2	15		2		1	2	5	10	131
Providence, R. I		11	22	88	108	70	2	2	1	1	1	6	2	1	1	5	6	1	4	32	5	5	2	3	10	26	51	382
Burlington, Vt			1	1	19	13								1	1				2		2	1		4	7	14	50
New York, N. Y		18	75	132	171	241	11	20	14	8	7	8	11	3	17	7	7	4	117	6	9	2	5	5	28	55	809
Buffalo, N. Y		3	26	37	52	133	13	6	9	14	12	6	7	6	4	9	6	2	94	5	3	6	11	6	28	59	404
Hartford, Conn		10	22	25	55	85	5	3	3	3	5	3	2	5		12	6	8	55	4	4	4	3	3	20	38	290
Newark, N. J		5	19	28	49	110	3	3	5	5	2	3	1	3	5	5	5	2	42	2	3	2		1	1	9	262
Philadelphia, Pa		21	84	260	418	226	9	13	10	10	10	9	4	12	10	12	6	11	116	13	8	11	20	12	87	151	1,276
Pittsburgh, Pa		4	15	48	91	78	5	1	1	2	7	3	1		1	3	1		25	1	2	2	2	4	15	26	287
Washington, D. C		17	36	83	85	91	4	6	7	6	3	6	5	6	5	6	4	3	61	5	10	2	5	4	46	72	445
Baltimore, Md		9	24	59	79	78	2	6	4	5	3	1	4	5	4	4	3	1	42	3	3	2	2	5	19	34	325
Richmond, Va		5	26	25	45	52	6	4	2	6	2	4	5	6	1		5		46		1	1		2	4	8	207
Charleston, W. Va		8	6	17	31	17	3	2		4		1	2	2	7		2	2	25	4	1	1	4	6	31	47	151
Atlanta, Ga		15	25	76	190	190	24	16	14	6	7	11	7	5	13	9	13	5	130	7	6	10	6	5	22	56	682
Jacksonville, Fla			1	10	21	40	5	4	4	4		3		2	2	4		2	30	4	3	1	4		9	21	123
Charlotte, N. C		12	19	35	71	91	17	11	12	8	17	19	16	5	7	16	4	5	137	5	2	1	2	3	36	49	414
Columbia, S. C		1	4	7	16	46	4	3	4	5	1	1	1	3	1	1	1		25	2	1		1	1	5	10	109
Nashville, Tenn		2	4	28	51	88	10	17	7	10	16	12	6	1	15	9	11	6	120	3	2	6	4	3	15	33	326
New Orleans, La		5	12	36	55	64	5	4	5	8	7	2	7	1	9	8	5	2	63	5	1		15	6	18	45	280
Birmingham, Ala		3	8	35	75	116	6	8	14	10	11	14	6	7	6	11	9	4	106	9	7	4	15	5	16	56	399
Jackson, Miss	1	4	9	44	55	48	4	2	4	12	11	3	13	6	14	8	4	3	84	2	5	5	10	7	4	33	278
Cincinnati, Ohio		18	22	40	50	126	9	13	18	10	8	10	12	7	7	6	7	6	113	9	4	9	5	4	44	75	444
Cleveland, Ohio		9	11	38	51	130	15	16	11	12	4	5	7	4	9	13	9	11	116	6	6	7	8	1	8	36	391
Indianapolis, Ind		5	9	34	49	91	6	11	3	1	5	2	2	4	12	12	6	7	71	8	5	3	4	4	14	38	297
Louisville, Ky		2	8	47	40	87	10	10	18	15	10	5	7	4	16	10	8		113	4	9	3	8	8	25	57	354
Chicago, Ill		36	98	286	320	188	12	11	12	10	7	11	16	9	20	13	13	12	146	17	11	9	10	14	82	143	1,217
Detroit, Mich		12	34	81	62	66	3	2	2	3		8	4	2	10	7	2	7	50	2	6	4	6	8	23	49	354
Milwaukee, Wis		9	35	73	108	76	3	5	4	5	1	5	6	1	6	3	3	2	44	2	3	1	3	2	11	22	367
St. Louis, Mo		13	20	103	137	152	11	6	9	11	5	7	10	5	5	8	2	4	83	5	2	10	22	15	76	131	639
Kansas City, Mo		7	12	42	59	86	5	3	4	6	2	2	2	9	6	7	7	1	54	5	7	2	3	4	25	46	306
Des Moines, Iowa		8	9	36	45	51	3	2	1	2	2	3	4	1	5	4	1	1	29		3	3	3	4	8	21	199
Omaha, Nebr		3	11	30	39	53	3	4	4	2	3	4	4		3	5	1	3	36	4	4	3	4	3	8	26	198
Minneapolis, Minn		24	95	277	372	329	12	14	9	23	16	16	15	6	19	15	8	19	172	14	10	13	12	10	41	100	1,369
Helena, Mont		4	13	33	52	42	2	1			1	3	5	3	2		4	1	22	2	6	1	2	1	7	19	185
Fargo, N. Dak			3	3	15	20	2					1	1		1	1	1		7	1		1		1		3	51
Sioux Falls, S. Dak		2	8	20	26	52	1	4	2	4	4	6	1	1	2	2	7	3	37	1		2	1	1	2	7	152
Denver, Colo		27	53	92	139	216	18	19	17	18	15	19	17	10	24	24	16	8	205	19	12	14	15	22	48	130	862
Albuquerque, N. Mex		7	11	19	23	53	3	2	7	4	3	4	4	3	6	2	4	5	47	4	5	6	4	11		30	190
Salt Lake City, Utah		1	8	16	21	37	4	1				1		3	2	2		1	14	2		4	4		5	15	112
Casper, Wyo		2	1	3	8	10	1	1		1		2		1				2	8						4	4	36
San Francisco, Calif		22	59	97	111	100	3	7	5	5	8	5	4	10	7	5	10	5	74	9	5	8	21	17	65	125	588
Los Angeles, Calif		21	54	106	125	126	10	16	4	7	16	8	7	13	13	3	8	7	112	7	11	8	9	10	78	123	667
Phoenix, Ariz		7	13	20	23	30	1	2	1		2	1	3		7	4		6	27	4	5	4	7	10	20	50	170
Seattle, Wash		5	17	16	20	35	2	1	4	1	1	4	4	2	5	7	2	8	36	8	4	3	3	4	12	34	163
Boise, Idaho			2	2	3	3	1	1	1			1	1	1		1	1	1	9						4	4	23
Portland, Oreg		1	11	34	30	26	3	1	1	1			1	1	2			2	12	3	3	3	2	2	17	30	144
Dallas, Tex		9	22	56	50	131	22	19	7	12	5	13	4	5	3	2		3	95	4		1	5	4	13	27	390
Little Rock, Ark		10	7	25	59	118	23	29	13	13	12	4	2	5	4	3		1	109	6	3	1	4	2	24	40	368
Oklahoma City, Okla		5	19	46	31	78	9	10	15	10	6	6	1	2	12	5	3	2	81	6	3	5	15	8	30	67	327
Wichita, Kans		2	7	31	30	39	4	3	5	3	1	4	3	3	2	4	1	1	34	1	2	1		1	5	10	153
San Antonio, Tex		5	13	23	29	71	10	12	11	9	6	11	6	5	9	3	9	2	93	3	2	1	5	4	24	39	273
Reno, Nev			2	6	1	1								1		1			2					1		1	13
Total	[1] 1	492	1,267	3,257	4,444	4,844	362	371	314	318	270	299	273	212	365	317	238	202	3,541	257	231	212	312	309	1,298	2,619	[2] 20,465

[1] Tabulation of entrance date from 107 series.

[2] Total in training does not agree with condition figures due to length of time required to tabulate 107 series.

TABLE No. 58.—*Condition report of rehabilitation activities, by regional offices, type and class of training, fiscal year ended June 30, 1925*

Regional office, city, and State	Agriculture						Commercial						Professional						Trade and industrial						Total in training					
	Institutional	Placement	Project	Correspondence	Tutorial	Total	Institutional	Placement	Project	Correspondence	Tutorial	Total	Institutional	Placement	Correspondence	Tutorial	Total	Institutional	Placement	Correspondence	Tutorial	Total	Institutional	Placement	Project	Correspondence	Tutorial	Total
Boston, Mass	12	77	45	1	0	135	103	196	0	28	0	327	197	92	8	2	299	61	947	34	0	1,042	373	1,312	45	71	2	1,803
Portland, Me	3	6	28	0	0	37	5	6	0	2	0	13	2	1	0	0	3	0	110	1	0	111	10	123	28	3	0	164
Manchester, N. H	0	3	20	0	0	23	0	7	0	2	0	9	7	2	1	0	10	0	78	0	0	78	7	90	20	3	0	120
Providence, R. I	1	21	16	0	0	38	24	52	0	2	0	78	8	20	2	1	31	44	201	5	0	250	77	294	16	9	1	397
Burlington, Vt	0	11	6	0	0	17	0	6	0	0	0	6	0	1	0	0	1	0	25	0	0	25	0	43	6	0	0	49
New York, N. Y	0	40	24	0	0	64	54	120	1	18	0	193	60	39	6	14	119	18	489	12	0	519	132	688	25	36	14	895
Buffalo, N. Y	2	37	31	4	0	74	13	36	0	25	0	74	31	19	4	1	55	2	249	25	2	278	48	341	31	58	3	481
Hartford, Conn	0	17	7	0	1	25	0	40	0	3	0	43	2	10	0	3	15	0	200	9	0	209	2	267	7	12	4	292
Newark, N. J	0	14	29	0	0	43	5	8	0	11	0	24	4	14	4	0	22	1	180	8	0	189	10	216	29	23	0	278
Philadelphia, Pa	2	38	32	3	0	75	81	90	0	42	0	213	97	34	3	0	134	97	784	29	0	910	277	946	32	77	0	1,332
Pittsburgh, Pa	7	9	11	4	0	31	19	23	0	17	0	59	13	19	1	0	33	20	191	22	0	233	59	242	11	44	0	356
Washington, D. C	16	16	18	1	0	51	43	59	0	6	1	109	95	22	5	0	122	3	187	1	0	191	157	284	18	13	1	473
Baltimore, Md	0	7	14	0	0	21	26	35	3	4	0	68	9	7	0	2	18	2	192	6	0	200	37	241	17	10	2	307
Richmond, Va	4	9	38	0	0	51	4	15	0	1	0	20	16	5	3	0	24	8	75	2	0	85	32	104	38	6	0	180
Charleston, W. Va	0	2	24	0	0	26	12	5	0	3	0	20	9	0	0	0	9	0	86	4	0	90	21	93	24	7	0	145
Atlanta, Ga	27	23	204	0	0	254	46	41	0	4	0	91	57	15	1	0	73	0	296	1	0	297	130	375	204	6	0	715
Jacksonville, Fla	24	5	22	0	0	51	2	12	0	1	0	15	5	0	0	0	5	3	42	2	0	47	34	59	22	3	0	118
Charlotte, N. C	7	35	126	1	0	169	14	42	0	5	0	61	16	6	2	0	24	7	145	0	0	152	44	228	126	8	0	406
Columbia, S. C	6	7	35	0	0	48	1	2	0	0	0	3	7	0	0	0	7	1	61	1	0	63	15	70	35	1	0	121
Nashville, Tenn	0	9	170	0	0	179	6	5	0	3	0	14	22	7	0	0	29	16	105	3	0	124	44	126	170	6	0	346
New Orleans, La	7	15	48	2	0	72	15	18	0	12	2	47	6	7	2	0	15	39	94	3	0	136	67	134	48	19	2	270
Birmingham, Ala	8	0	209	2	0	219	22	23	0	14	0	59	30	7	2	1	40	21	80	20	0	121	81	110	209	38	1	439
Jackson, Miss	0	0	192	0	0	192	4	8	0	2	0	14	19	1	0	0	20	3	38	2	0	43	26	47	192	4	0	269
Cincinnati, Ohio	6	33	35	5	0	79	30	41	0	25	0	96	61	4	8	0	73	20	291	13	0	324	117	369	35	51	0	572
Cleveland, Ohio	0	30	19	3	0	52	42	35	0	12	0	89	19	33	10	0	62	1	192	11	0	204	62	290	19	36	0	407
Indianapolis, Ind	19	15	31	2	0	67	17	23	0	16	0	56	57	14	6	0	77	18	114	7	0	139	111	166	31	31	0	339
Louisville, Ky	91	11	101	1	0	204	16	7	0	2	0	25	53	15	7	0	75	0	75	0	0	75	160	108	101	10	0	379
Chicago, Ill	7	9	80	4	0	100	133	86	0	23	0	242	291	89	2	0	382	155	478	16	0	649	586	662	80	45	0	1,373
Detroit, Mich	19	3	54	0	0	76	31	28	0	20	0	79	119	7	6	0	132	6	155	20	0	181	175	193	54	46	0	468
Milwaukee, Wis	6	4	83	0	0	93	26	16	0	9	0	51	53	24	1	0	78	16	143	3	0	162	101	187	83	13	0	384
St. Louis, Mo	14	14	170	0	0	198	43	58	0	13	0	114	76	8	3	14	101	34	244	2	0	280	167	324	170	18	14	693
Kansas City, Mo	16	9	127	2	0	154	8	22	0	7	0	37	20	20	2	1	43	4	87	1	0	92	48	138	127	12	1	326
Des Moines, Iowa	8	13	36	0	0	57	5	17	0	8	0	30	22	18	2	0	42	4	76	11	0	91	39	124	36	21	0	220
Omaha, Nebr	5	3	33	2	0	43	17	16	0	0	0	33	29	12	1	0	42	3	88	6	0	97	54	119	33	9	0	215
Minneapolis, Minn	26	29	334	6	0	395	114	99	0	16	0	229	214	70	9	0	293	55	408	5	0	468	409	606	334	36	0	1,385
Helena, Mont	5	9	50	0	2	66	16	17	0	2	0	35	18	3	2	7	30	2	42	4	0	48	41	71	50	8	9	179
Fargo, N. Dak	2	0	11	2	0	15	9	0	0	1	0	10	2	0	0	0	2	0	23	1	0	24	13	23	11	4	0	51
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	4	3	44	2	0	53	5	10	0	5	0	20	19	11	3	0	33	0	56	3	0	59	28	80	44	13	0	165
Denver, Colo	25	34	85	0	0	144	117	111	0	10	0	238	109	57	2	2	170	26	265	1	0	292	277	467	85	13	2	844
Albuquerque, N. Mex	5	11	52	0	0	68	19	23	0	0	0	42	15	14	1	0	30	0	56	2	0	58	39	104	52	3	0	198
Salt Lake City, Utah	2	2	17	1	0	22	8	6	0	4	0	18	31	0	5	0	36	4	33	1	0	38	45	41	17	11	0	114
Casper, Wyo	1	3	15	0	0	19	1	2	0	4	0	7	0	1	0	1	2	1	12	3	0	16	3	18	15	7	1	44
San Francisco, Calif	13	8	50	2	0	73	78	34	0	13	0	125	124	18	6	0	148	46	210	9	0	265	261	270	50	30	0	611
Los Angeles, Calif	0	13	21	0	1	35	92	52	0	7	0	151	143	50	5	0	198	75	181	7	0	263	310	296	21	19	1	647
Phoenix, Ariz	7	13	16	2	0	38	7	31	0	12	0	50	15	6	3	0	24	0	58	2	0	60	29	108	16	19	0	172
Seattle, Wash	4	8	17	0	0	29	15	19	0	4	0	38	21	2	4	4	31	8	67	15	1	91	48	96	17	23	5	189
Boise, Idaho	0	4	2	1	0	7	5	0	0	4	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4	1	12	5	11	2	9	1	28
Portland, Oreg	4	19	11	1	0	35	13	13	0	6	0	32	32	17	1	1	51	6	36	5	0	47	55	85	11	13	1	165
Dallas, Tex	0	22	83	2	0	107	44	50	0	10	0	104	33	10	3	0	46	7	117	1	0	125	84	199	83	16	0	382
Little Rock, Ark	70	20	111	1	0	202	5	38	0	2	0	45	22	8	3	0	33	33	96	0	0	129	130	162	111	6	0	409
Oklahoma City, Okla	33	19	110	1	0	163	24	29	0	12	0	65	21	3	2	0	26	6	96	5	0	107	84	147	110	20	0	361
Wichita, Kans	10	10	50	1	0	71	0	13	0	4	0	17	32	3	1	0	36	7	43	2	0	52	49	69	50	8	0	176
San Antonio, Tex	26	13	66	0	0	105	7	43	0	6	0	56	22	6	3	0	31	12	98	1	0	111	67	160	66	10	0	303
Reno, Nev	0	0	3	0	0	3	1	1	0	1	0	3	6	0	0	0	6	0	4	1	0	5	7	5	3	2	0	17
Foreign	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	0	6	0	13	5	0	1	0	6	4	4	4	0	12	16	4	0	11	0	31
Total June 30, 1925	554	785	3,266	59	4	4,668	1,454	1,789	4	469	3	3,719	2,396	851	146	54	3,447	899	8,710	356	4	9,969	5,303	12,135	3,270	1,030	65	21,803

TABLE No. 59.—*Total beneficiaries in training by types and sections, as of the last of each month, from July, 1923, to June, 1925*

Year and month	Institutional			Placement			Project			Vocational schools			Correspondence courses			Tutorial courses			Total in training		
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total
1923—July	30,370	2,106	32,476	35,649	27	35,676	------	------	------	4,301	0	4,301	658	3,097	3,755	85	18	103	71,063	5,248	76,311
August	27,745	1,901	29,646	35,643	28	35,671	------	------	------	4,331	16	4,347	633	2,880	3,513	82	17	99	68,434	4,842	73,276
September	28,431	1,936	30,367	33,920	21	33,941	------	------	------	4,013	17	4,030	619	2,708	3,327	76	17	93	67,059	4,699	71,758
October	29,033	2,320	31,353	32,804	23	32,827	------	------	------	3,985	16	4,001	609	2,543	3,152	67	16	83	66,498	4,918	71,416
November	28,034	2,301	30,335	32,054	15	32,069	------	------	------	3,572	16	3,588	558	2,385	2,943	64	15	79	64,282	4,732	69,014
December	26,888	2,273	29,161	30,552	13	30,565	------	------	------	3,370	17	3,387	569	2,260	2,829	59	13	72	61,438	4,576	66,014
1924—January	24,821	2,231	27,052	29,960	11	29,971	------	------	------	3,243	4	3,247	552	2,115	2,667	63	11	74	58,639	4,372	63,011
February	23,229	2,143	25,372	25,568	9	25,577	4,160	1	4,161	2,962	2	2,964	538	1,977	2,515	62	13	75	56,519	4,145	60,664
March	21,543	2,049	23,592	24,531	8	24,539	4,264	0	4,264	2,630	2	2,632	540	1,857	2,397	70	17	87	53,578	3,933	57,511
April	20,173	1,924	22,097	23,601	8	23,609	4,296	3	4,299	2,031	3	2,034	518	1,756	2,274	66	13	79	50,685	3,707	54,392
May	18,854	1,797	20,651	22,701	5	22,706	4,110	4	4,114	1,732	2	1,734	506	1,675	2,181	64	16	80	47,967	3,499	51,466
June	14,377	1,115	15,492	22,068	6	22,074	4,026	4	4,030	1,597	2	1,599	468	1,610	2,078	60	14	74	42,596	2,751	45,347
July	12,402	843	13,245	21,285	7	21,292	3,803	5	3,808	1,351	2	1,353	442	1,515	1,957	56	7	63	39,339	2,379	41,718
August	10,688	754	11,442	20,515	7	20,522	3,707	7	3,714	1,121	2	1,123	419	1,427	1,846	73	8	81	36,523	2,205	38,728
September	11,488	824	12,312	18,976	6	18,982	3,674	7	3,681	924	2	926	389	1,299	1,688	54	8	62	35,505	2,146	37,651
October	12,336	1,063	13,399	17,529	3	17,532	3,439	7	3,446	812	3	815	330	1,145	1,475	51	7	58	34,497	2,228	36,725
November	12,001	1,058	13,059	16,512	3	16,515	3,207	7	3,214	733	3	736	305	1,070	1,375	43	9	52	32,801	2,150	34,951
December	11,272	999	12,271	15,541	4	15,545	3,255	6	3,261	609	4	613	283	1,020	1,303	44	9	53	31,004	2,042	33,046
1925—January	10,567	818	11,385	14,060	3	14,063	3,321	7	3,328	540	8	548	246	913	1,159	50	12	62	28,786	1,759	30,545
February	9,490	842	10,332	13,558	2	13,560	3,444	11	3,455	432	1	433	243	903	1,146	45	16	61	27,212	1,775	28,987
March	8,572	796	9,368	12,991	3	12,994	3,487	9	3,496	275	4	279	218	868	1,086	41	14	55	25,384	1,694	27,278
April	8,174	746	8,920	12,185	0	12,185	3,409	16	3,425	156	4	160	197	823	1,020	36	16	52	24,157	1,605	25,762
May	7,443	715	8,158	11,642	2	11,644	3,323	18	3,341	55	0	55	198	746	944	36	14	50	22,697	1,495	24,192
June	4,894	409	5,303	12,130	5	12,135	3,245	25	3,270	------	0	------	158	872	1,030	46	19	65	20,473	1,330	21,803

TABLE No. 60.—*The date of rehabilitation of section 400; trainies on June 30, 1925*

Regional office	1925								1926						Total
	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	
Boston, Mass	9	138	103	126	148	122	97	130	84	63	44	158	36	404	1,662
Portland, Me	1	12	12	21	11	18	10	13	9	6	8	10	2	38	171
Manchester, N. H	------	8	6	12	14	11	12	3	7	8	9	10	3	28	131
Providence, R. I	2	12	35	25	37	39	19	25	12	10	23	16	13	114	382
Burlington, Vt	------	1	5	3	4	3	2	5	------	4	1	2	1	19	50
New York, N. Y	2	17	50	96	117	84	63	71	49	40	39	38	15	128	809
Buffalo, N. Y	3	3	13	20	33	19	30	31	21	25	27	65	9	105	404
Hartford, Conn	3	6	17	17	19	18	17	26	16	23	16	25	12	75	290
Newark, N. J	------	7	23	24	11	22	18	30	8	19	18	23	13	46	262
Philadelphia, Pa	2	58	91	95	153	94	63	130	51	31	47	45	29	387	1,276
Pittsburgh, Pa	1	10	15	19	35	24	15	26	9	5	9	11	3	105	287
Washington, D. C	5	31	23	24	33	19	15	35	11	16	15	18	12	188	445
Baltimore, Md	7	4	13	24	34	40	23	37	13	12	18	13	12	75	325
Richmond, Va	7	15	8	16	19	34	8	14	2	7	10	8	7	52	207
Charleston, W. Va	5	11	3	12	10	17	3	8	3	6	5	4	4	60	151
Atlanta, Ga	2	18	57	78	88	33	23	79	16	27	26	33	33	169	682
Jacksonville, Fla	1	4	2	17	6	9	4	9	7	6	8	3	6	41	123
Charlotte, N. C	------	4	20	34	33	40	19	49	19	12	33	30	23	98	414
Columbia, S. C	1	1	3	8	12	8	7	18	3	10	6	8	4	20	109
Nashville, Tenn	2	3	15	26	45	22	25	25	17	19	15	28	23	61	326
New Orleans, La	------	19	17	29	18	20	12	39	8	7	19	20	16	56	280
Birmingham, Ala	------	31	14	17	22	21	14	54	17	13	7	87	20	82	399
Jackson, Miss	------	3	12	29	13	14	11	22	6	11	12	93	9	43	278
Cincinnati, Ohio	1	10	27	44	33	32	35	37	16	14	18	36	16	125	444
Cleveland, Ohio	1	8	24	23	30	23	21	39	39	28	29	65	19	42	391
Indianapolis, Ind	------	4	8	36	25	20	9	20	10	7	25	29	11	93	297
Louisville, Ky	------	7	19	21	12	31	16	20	26	25	22	110	4	41	354
Chicago, Ill	12	92	75	116	107	67	55	118	46	56	40	73	26	334	1,217
Detroit, Mich	------	9	23	41	29	14	8	33	22	24	20	8	6	117	354
Milwaukee, Wis	------	5	17	25	66	32	18	29	9	26	22	12	10	96	367
St. Louis, Mo	2	3	27	30	32	52	------	45	46	43	37	24	49	249	639
Kansas City, Mo	------	5	13	13	18	24	11	28	30	14	10	22	12	106	306
Des Moines, Iowa	------	4	18	17	10	9	7	30	11	15	12	6	5	55	199
Omaha, Nebr	------	------	5	9	6	7	7	13	15	9	12	6	13	96	198
Wichita, Kans	------	------	15	13	7	7	6	6	37	2	3	6	17	34	153
Minneapolis, Minn	13	52	80	103	126	105	74	166	66	68	91	193	25	207	1,369
Helena, Mont	1	9	13	16	20	12	5	16	8	6	15	17	2	45	185
Fargo, N. Dak	1	3	2	3	4	6	4	8	3	1	3	6	2	5	51
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	------	------	10	19	9	7	12	7	5	12	22	20	8	21	152
Denver, Colo	10	35	74	68	48	74	38	56	57	28	32	50	25	267	862
Albuquerque, N. Mex	1	6	3	26	17	12	17	16	4	6	14	10	14	44	190
Salt Lake City, Utah	------	2	6	6	8	2	4	21	1	4	11	2	4	41	112
Casper, Wyo	------	3	9	1	7	------	1	2	1	1	2	1	------	8	36
San Francisco, Calif	2	24	28	50	37	36	21	61	13	16	37	40	62	161	588
Reno, Nev	------	------	1	1	------	------	------	4	------	------	------	1	4	2	13
Los Angeles, Calif	------	44	30	39	73	38	38	46	32	47	24	39	25	192	667
Phoenix, Ariz	2	4	5	20	10	9	8	9	10	6	10	5	2	70	170
Seattle, Wash	2	9	12	19	12	8	15	10	9	3	10	5	6	43	163
Boise, Idaho	1	1	------	2	1	------	------	1	------	1	1	2	4	9	23
Portland, Oreg	2	3	5	4	12	10	4	15	6	------	9	10	------	64	144
Dallas, Tex	3	28	24	63	31	40	23	42	15	10	14	19	16	62	390
Little Rock, Ark	2	8	13	25	34	42	24	56	15	8	17	7	8	109	368
Oklahoma City, Okla	2	2	16	17	12	18	62	24	19	8	18	11	10	108	327
San Antonio, Tex	2	16	10	23	31	20	16	30	9	8	10	7	29	62	273
Grand total [1]	[2] 113	[2] 812	1,169	1,665	1,782	1,488	1,069	1,887	968	876	1,005	1,590	739	5,302	20,465

[1] Total does not agree with condition figure, due to time required to forward 107 forms to central office.
[2] 107 series not received in central office at time of tabulation.

TABLE No. 61.—*Condition report of rehabilitation activities showing analysis of total registered, by status and regional offices, June 30, 1925*

Regional offices	Registration terminated												Entered training			Total registered		
	Lapsed			Canceled			Deceased before induction			Total registration terminated								
	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total	Sec. 400	Sec. 402	Total
Boston, Mass	749	4,210	4,959	269	166	435	103	34	137	1,121	4,410	5,531	9,790	1,108	10,898	10,911	5,518	16,429
Portland, Me	123	326	449	81	123	204	11	7	18	215	456	671	753	45	798	968	501	1,469
Manchester, N. H	101	244	345	22	33	55	9	6	15	132	283	415	644	33	677	776	316	1,092
Providence, R. I	172	489	661	61	18	79	23	2	25	256	509	765	1,380	77	1,457	1,636	586	2,222
Burlington, Vt	127	187	314	0	0	0	5	0	5	132	187	319	326	31	357	458	218	676
New York, N. Y	1,122	4,985	6,107	1,556	1,212	2,768	292	64	356	2,970	6,261	9,231	10,996	1,894	12,890	13,966	8,155	22,121
Buffalo, N. Y	546	1,678	2,224	337	409	746	126	28	154	1,009	2,115	3,124	3,286	520	3,806	4,295	2,635	6,930
Hartford, Conn	263	896	1,159	263	175	438	83	11	94	609	1,082	1,691	2,042	210	2,252	2,651	1,292	3,943
Newark, N. J	331	1,614	1,945	538	228	766	131	16	147	1,000	1,858	2,858	3,008	337	3,345	4,008	2,195	6,203
Philadelphia, Pa	1,135	2,842	3,977	478	588	1,066	229	62	291	1,842	3,492	5,334	9,742	1,146	10,888	11,584	4,638	16,222
Pittsburgh, Pa	742	1,616	2,358	410	250	660	114	30	144	1,266	1,896	3,162	3,888	536	4,424	5,154	2,432	7,586
Washington, D. C	487	864	1,351	283	45	328	33	3	36	803	912	1,715	2,804	769	3,573	3,607	1,681	5,288
Baltimore, Md	292	742	1,034	460	199	659	11	0	11	763	941	1,704	2,186	231	2,417	2,949	1,172	4,121
Richmond, Va	297	375	672	414	173	587	58	5	63	769	553	1,322	1,490	143	1,633	2,259	696	2,955
Charleston, W. Va	430	581	1,011	182	86	268	38	4	42	650	671	1,321	1,209	107	1,316	1,859	778	2,637
Atlanta, Ga	354	831	1,185	535	26	561	116	8	124	1,005	865	1,870	3,802	336	4,138	4,807	1,201	6,008
Jacksonville, Fla	268	297	565	297	28	325	27	0	27	592	325	917	1,266	116	1,382	1,858	441	2,299
Charlotte, N. C	575	692	1,267	803	27	830	161	4	165	1,539	723	2,262	2,322	164	2,486	3,861	887	4,748
Columbia, S. C	106	58	164	370	31	401	107	6	113	583	95	678	1,292	81	1,373	1,875	176	2,051
Nashville, Tenn	795	1,742	2,537	796	270	1,066	163	4	167	1,754	2,016	3,770	3,145	243	3,388	4,899	2,259	7,158
New Orleans, La	261	1,089	1,350	569	137	706	116	8	124	946	1,234	2,180	3,189	247	3,436	4,135	1,481	5,616
Birmingham, Ala	439	1,210	1,649	463	187	650	106	9	115	1,008	1,406	2,414	4,087	297	4,384	5,095	1,703	6,798
Jackson, Miss	279	980	1,259	527	175	702	72	8	80	878	1,163	2,041	2,317	154	2,471	3,195	1,317	4,512
Cincinnati, Ohio	1,000	4,513	5,513	1,007	251	1,258	287	52	339	2,294	4,816	7,110	4,536	1,014	5,550	6,830	5,830	12,660
Cleveland, Ohio	740	2,706	3,446	491	206	697	198	42	240	1,429	2,954	4,383	3,232	838	4,070	4,661	3,792	8,453
Indianapolis, Ind	720	3,667	4,387	1,088	252	1,340	186	19	205	1,994	3,938	5,932	3,097	765	3,862	5,091	4,703	9,794
Louisville, Ky	1,102	5,574	6,676	1,222	153	1,375	287	33	320	2,611	5,760	8,371	2,352	463	2,815	4,963	6,223	11,186
Chicago, Ill	1,698	9,052	10,750	1,050	225	1,275	251	55	306	2,999	9,332	12,331	8,051	2,234	10,285	11,050	11,566	22,616
Detroit, Mich	649	3,205	3,854	489	155	644	95	23	118	1,233	3,383	4,616	4,196	891	5,087	5,429	4,274	9,703
Milwaukee, Wis	591	3,473	4,064	449	315	764	84	28	112	1,124	3,816	4,940	3,124	655	3,779	4,248	4,471	8,719
St. Louis, Mo	547	2,949	3,496	800	8	808	98	1	99	1,445	2,958	4,403	3,746	614	4,360	5,191	3,572	8,763
Kansas City, Mo	559	3,097	3,656	423	23	446	63	4	67	1,045	3,124	4,169	2,302	525	2,827	3,347	3,649	6,996
Des Moines, Iowa	676	2,697	3,373	446	22	468	143	14	157	1,265	2,733	3,998	2,233	686	2,919	3,498	3,419	6,917
Omaha, Nebr	369	1,101	1,470	146	9	155	28	4	32	543	1,114	1,657	1,486	332	1,818	2,029	1,446	3,475
Minneapolis, Minn	819	2,960	3,779	736	362	1,098	288	23	311	1,843	3,345	5,188	6,194	601	6,795	8,037	3,946	11,983
Helena, Mont	245	569	814	145	15	160	49	10	59	439	594	1,033	1,360	89	1,449	1,799	683	2,482
Fargo, N. Dak	[1] 288	524	812	0	0	0	49	4	53	337	528	865	576	123	699	913	651	1,564
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	259	529	788	156	41	197	54	3	57	469	573	1,042	764	99	863	1,233	672	1,905
Denver, Colo	373	818	1,191	1,617	56	1,673	623	13	636	2,613	887	3,500	5,032	271	5,303	7,645	1,158	8,803
Albuquerque, N. Mex	152	200	352	904	56	960	344	16	360	1,400	272	1,672	1,598	72	1,670	2,998	344	3,342
Salt Lake City, Utah	83	201	284	72	13	85	26	2	28	181	216	397	1,130	69	1,199	1,311	285	1,596
Casper, Wyo	102	190	292	188	7	195	8	2	10	298	199	497	424	50	474	722	249	971
San Francisco, Calif	559	980	1,539	745	130	875	196	20	216	1,500	1,130	2,630	4,918	411	5,329	6,418	1,541	7,959
Los Angeles, Calif	425	683	1,108	695	16	711	185	10	195	1,305	709	2,014	5,834	368	6,202	7,139	1,077	8,216
Phoenix, Ariz	90	154	244	747	35	782	202	8	210	1,039	197	1,236	1,048	53	1,101	2,087	250	2,337
Seattle, Wash	301	888	1,189	524	331	855	154	13	167	979	1,232	2,211	2,902	584	3,486	3,881	1,816	5,697
Boise, Idaho	72	177	249	45	66	111	6	1	7	123	244	367	392	60	452	515	304	819
Portland, Oreg	233	710	943	319	145	464	41	4	45	593	859	1,452	1,675	344	2,019	2,268	1,203	3,471
Dallas, Tex	283	1,235	1,518	460	306	766	124	5	129	867	1,546	2,413	2,574	163	2,737	3,441	1,709	5,150
Little Rock, Ark	228	1,119	1,347	708	487	1,195	74	1	75	1,010	1,607	2,617	1,570	124	1,694	2,580	1,731	4,311
Oklahoma City, Okla	461	1,305	1,766	590	745	1,335	108	13	121	1,159	2,063	3,222	2,173	216	2,389	3,332	2,279	5,611
Wichita, Kans	370	1,280	1,650	193	6	199	62	2	64	625	1,288	1,913	1,435	321	1,756	2,060	1,609	3,669
San Antonio, Tex	266	690	956	596	258	854	118	9	127	980	957	1,937	1,998	148	2,146	2,978	1,105	4,083
Reno, Nev	26	22	48	33	11	44	3	0	3	62	33	95	139	16	155	201	49	250
Foreign	444	536	980	311	180	491	124	16	140	879	732	1,611	589	79	668	1,468	811	2,279
Total to June 30, 1925	24,724	86,352	111,076	27,109	9,471	36,580	6,692	769	7,461	58,525	96,592	155,117	157,644	22,103	179,747	216,169	118,695	334,864
Total to June 30, 1924	28,604	80,390	108,994	23,272	16,621	39,893	7,330	1,094	8,424	59,206	98,105	157,311	151,955	21,677	173,632	211,161	119,782	330,943

[1] Includes canceled figures.

CLAIMS AND INSURANCE SERVICE

CLAIMS DIVISION

The claims division, central office, throughout the fiscal year 1925, carried on a concentrated drive for a consolidation of sections to effect a more harmonious adjudication of claims. When the last annual report was published, the claims division had 13 independent sections in the division. Consolidations and transfers have progressed so actively that on July 1, 1925, there were nine sections remaining. This is the result of internal consolidation, except for the transfer of the decentralization and transfer section to the mail and records division. Another section, the committee on recoveries, came within the division and was transferred to the director's office within the year. Arrangements were perfected during the fiscal year to transfer the claims folders from under the jurisdiction of the claims division to the mail and records division, in the same manner as the decentralization section was actually transferred during the fiscal year. The net result of these changes are that the functions of the claims division are confined solely to the adjudication of compensation and insurance claims.

Amendatory legislation passed June 7, 1924, was so extensive as to require a complete survey of all disability and death compensation cases in order that all benefits accruing under this legislation might be awarded. This made necessary the establishment of the review groups in central office and in all regional offices. In the central office a separate organization for review was established as a part of the claims division, and claims folders starting with No. 1 are being examined thoroughly in every particular. When the review work began the most prominent changes in legislation were pointed out for the guidance of those about to do the reviewing, in accordance with the following instructions:

All persons suffering from paralysis, paresis, or blindness, or from constitutional lues, which required hospitalization subsequent to June 7, 1924, while in a Veterans' Bureau hospital, are to be awarded compensation in accordance with the first proviso of section 200.

That all claimants who have not been awarded compensation, but who are now entitled thereto by reason of the presumptive period for the disabilities set forth in the second proviso of section 200, are not only to be advised of their rights, but such claimants are to be rerated and awarded benefits in accordance with the proviso.

All awards heretofore made to widows and children of deceased ex-service men are to be amended as of June 7, 1924, on the basis of $30 for a widow and $40 for a widow and one child, with $6 for each additional child, as provided by section 201.

All claims where death compensation to parents has been disallowed for the reason that such parents were in receipt of compensation on account of the death of another person, or by reason of the fact that they were in receipt of pension, on account of the death of another person, are to be reviewed to determine the dependency of such parents and awards by reason of the provisions of section 201, subparagraph 7.

Awards are to be increased in accordance with the provisions of section 202, subparagraph 1c, where the claimant is receiving a temporary partial or temporary total rating and has a wife and two or more children.

All awards covering the disability of the loss of hearing of both ears are to be amended on the basis of permanent and total, as provided by section 202, subparagraph 3.

All awards made on the basis of permanent and total for the loss of the use of both eyes are to be amended in the amount of $150, as provided in section

202, subparagraph 3. If the claimants in such cases are trainees and are receiving maintenance pay, compensation awards are to be made for the difference between the amount of the maintenance pay and $150.

The loss of use of the eyes and one or more limbs is now to be compensated on the basis of $200 per month and awards made in accordance therewith.

The determination of the question as to whether or not claimant is in need of an attendant and to make original or amended award on the basis of $50 per month, as of June 7, 1924.

All awards to insane beneficiaries who have been in the hospital for a period of over six months and who have no wife, child, or dependent parent, are to be reduced to $20 per month, as provided in section 202, subparagraph 7.

In all cases in which the claim has been disallowed for nonservice connection, claimants are to be advised of the right to treatment under section 202, subparagraph 10.

All cases are to be reviewed for the purpose of determining whether or not the beneficiary is suffering or has suffered an injury or an aggravation of an existing injury as the result of training, hospitalization, or medical or surgical treatment, and to secure ratings and make awards in accordance therewith, covering all such disabilities, as provided in section 213.

Review all cases where insurance is involved to determine the exact status of the insurance under the provisions of sections 303 and 305, and to make original or amended awards in accordance therewith.

In the functioning of this reviewing organization there was carried out the bureau's general policy of advising bureau claimants of new rights under amendatory legislation. It has always been the policy of the claims division, in keeping with the policy of the bureau, to apply the provisions of legislation to the disabled veteran and dependent family of deceased veterans to the fullest extent possible.

This amendatory legislation and the decentralization of case files from district to regional offices has greatly increased the work of the claims division during the past fiscal year. It has been necessary to change records in central office as to the location of approximately 660,000 case files, in order that any inquiry coming to central office might be routed to the rgional office in which the claimant's case file is located. In central office it was necessary to review approximately 190,000 death cases and 130,000 disallowed case files, which had never been decentralized, in order to advise the claimants of their rights under the act of June 7, 1924. As a result of the review of these disallowed cases, approximately 24,000 claimants reapplied for compensation, and in these cases the folders were immediately decentralized to the regional office having jurisdiction. The review of disability compensation cases has resulted in the awarding of compensation or increased compensation in a large number of cases, and due to the enormity of the task, this review has not yet been completed in either central office or in regional offices. A general increase in the volume of claims work was experienced during the year in central office and the field, the extent of which is shown by the increase in number of original awards and amended awards made in central office and the field offices during the two six months periods since July, 1924:

Original and amended awards made in central office and field, fiscal year 1925

	July–December, 1924	January–June, 1925	Total, fiscal year 1925
Central office	42,655	49,485	92,140
Regional offices	78,721	91,043	169,764
Total	121,376	140,528	261,904

Moreover, during the fiscal year 1925, a total of 43,624 new death and disability claims was filed, as compared with 40,477 during the fiscal year 1924.

The increase in benefits resulting from the World War veterans act of July 7, 1924, is reflected by the number of death and disability compensation claims which were being paid on June 30, 1925, and compared with the number being paid on June 30, 1924.

	June 30, 1924	June 30, 1925
Death	57,971	65,958
Disability	179,037	211,644

Because of this new legislation, in central office approximately 5,000 awards of compensation have been made to widows and dependent children of deceased veterans; 5,500 awards have been made to dependent parents and more than 6,000 insurance claims have been awarded.

Section 209 of the act of June 7, 1924, gave the director the discretionary power to extend the time for filing a claim. Heretofore, it was necessary to file a claim within five years from date of death, and the director was allowed to extend this time one year on all cases where a good cause was shown. An additional year was added by the act of June 7, 1924, making the discretionary period two years. As soon as this extension was authorized, large numbers of dependency claims were filed and in the majority of cases the extension was granted, so that a large number of awards have been made to dependents, where it would have been impossible under the old act to allow the claim for compensation. To the assistant director of claims and insurance service has been delegated the authority to authorize, for good cause shown, these extensions and the magnitude of the task can be seen by the fact that there have been approximately 75 cases a day considered for extension. This extension has been subject only to the limitations implied by the act, and the director's policy of giving the claimant the benefit of any reasonable doubt has been closely adhered to, as in the case of all disability and death compensation claims. Approximately 31,000 new or increased awards of compensation have been made as a result of this act, at a cost to June 30 of more than $13,000,000. (See Introduction, p. 19.) This compensation would not have been payable under the old war risk act.

In applying the provisions of the World War veterans' act, as amended, particularly with respect to the terms of the second proviso of section 200, which relates to presumptive service connection, clarification was necessary to preserve the rights of the claimant, and through General Order No. 320, dated May 1, 1925, the field was notified that the date of January 1, 1925, was not the closing date for the receipt of proof and, therefore, application for benefits would continue to be received and considered subject only to the time limitations of application specified in section 209 of the act. In effect, this means that a claimant may be able to prove after January 1, 1925, that he had prior to that date a compensable disability through tuberculosis, neuropsychiatric diseases, paralysis agitans, amebic dysentery, or encephalitis lethargica. The rating in this case becomes, therefore, a question of medical opinion.

Concurrently with the modification and improvement of claims administration in central office, there has been carried on a reorganization of the claims activities in the field through the estab-

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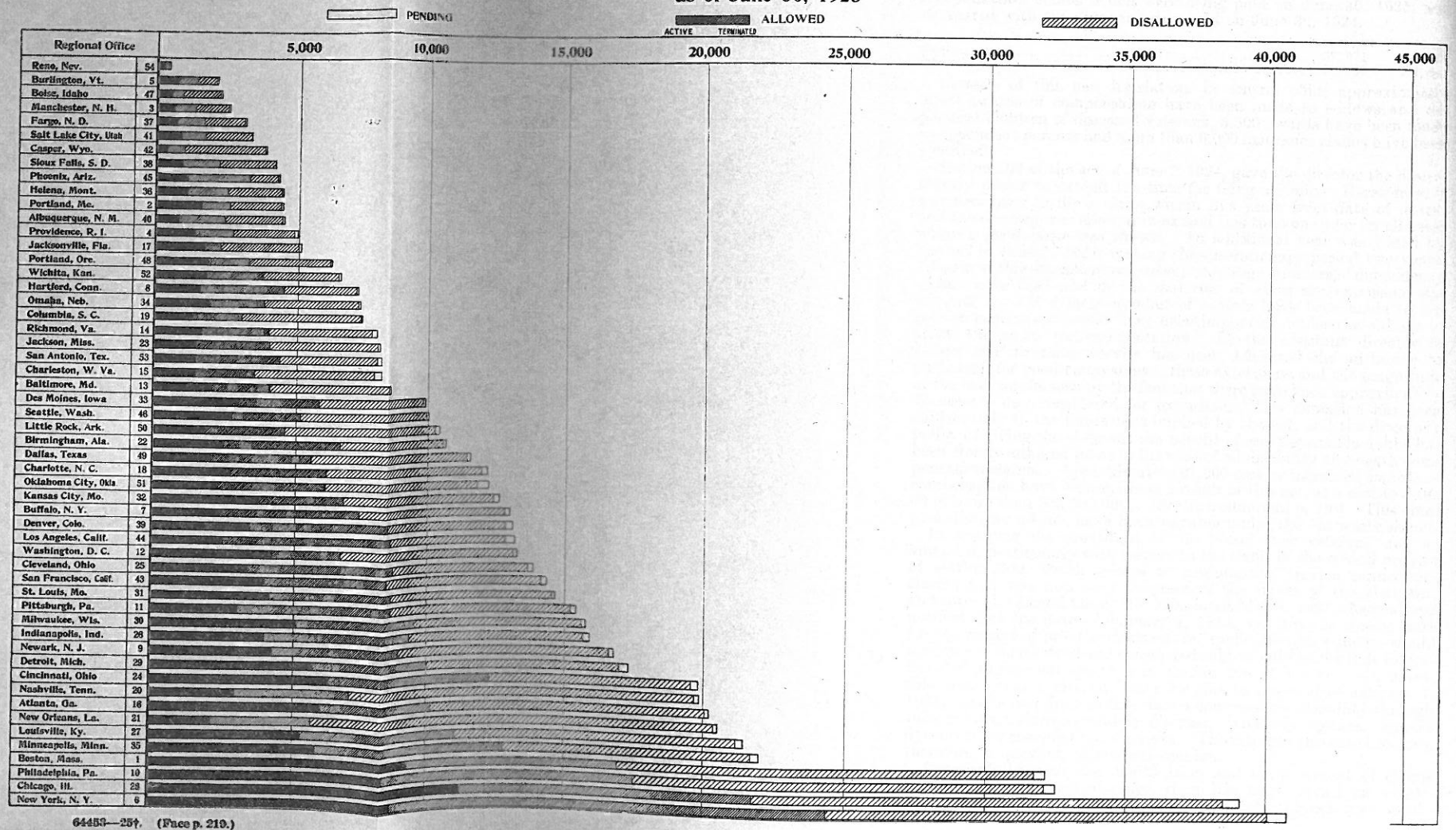
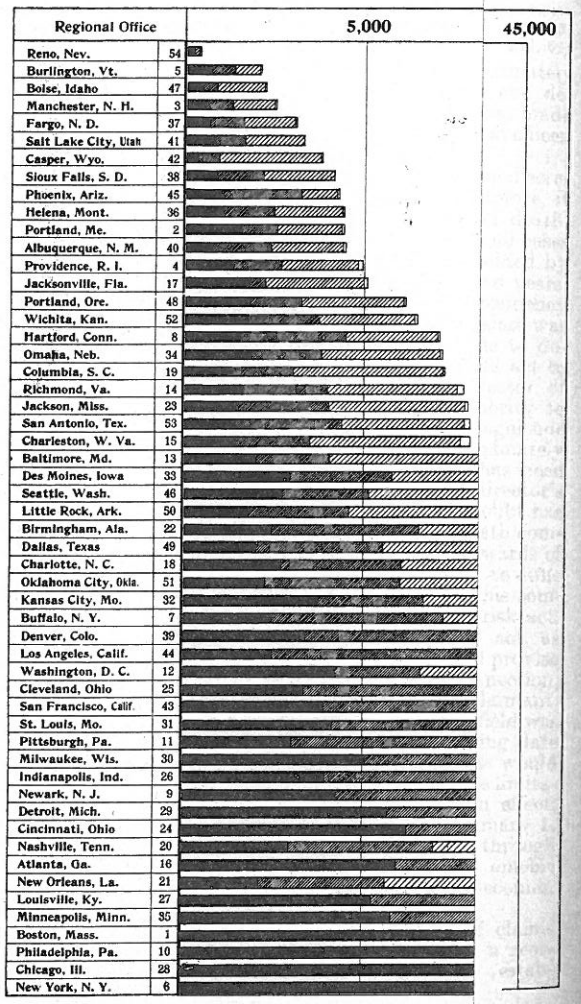
Total Number of Compensation Claims On File, and Their Status

as of June 30, 1925





lishment of claims and rating boards in the 54 regional offices. The claims and rating boards are composed of claims examiners, physicians, and vocational specialists, in order that all phases of a man's case may be considered by men especially qualified. The decentralization of the rating of claimants to regional offices, where the man is actually rated by the board before which he makes a personal appearance, has resulted in complete satisfaction to most claimants. In cases where it is impossible for a claimant to appear before the claims and rating board in the regional office, a traveling board is authorized to visit the hospital or other institution where the claimant might be, in order to make possible his personal appearance before the board. The rating of permanent and total cases by regional offices has also resulted in great satisfaction to the claimants whose cases heretofore were rated by central office, and who did not have the opportunity to appear before the men who actually made the rating. In June, 1925, the decentralization of permanent total cases was started and this work will be completed in September, so that all disability compensation cases, with the exception of the cases of claimants residing in foreign countries will be completely adjudicated in the regional office in the territory in which the claimants reside. With the completion of the decentralization of permanent total cases, disability compensation claims will be handled by regional offices and the decentralization program will be completed.

Supervision of field activities in an efficient and economical manner is accomplished by a field service section. The field service section of the claims division is now established to accomplish a survey and supervision of claims and insurance activities in the field. This section standardizes forms and procedure; investigates delays and departures from standardized procedure; recommends corrective procedure and changes in procedure; prepares correspondence with all field offices where they deal with policy and procedure of the claims division; and prepares material for proposed general orders, regulations, and field letters involving claims procedure. Through this section the assistant director in charge of the service is able to keep in close contact with the work of the 54 regional offices.

The districts in decentralizing the cases to regional offices advised each claimant of the proper office to contact in the future. A copy of that letter was forwarded to the central office in order that a record change could be made showing the regional office having jurisdiction over the case. This work was done under much difficulty during the fiscal year and its satisfactory accomplishment was in every sense gratifying. The address of the claimant determines the location of his claims folder and the location in which the adjudication of his claim is accomplished. In permanent and total cases, it is essential to have the changes of address immediately for the purpose of dispatching insurance checks from the central office. The regional office, of necessity, keeps in close contact with all claimants under its jurisdiction, in order that it may know definitely at all times where to send monthly compensation checks.

Amendatory legislation made possible the payment in lump sum of term insurance in certain cases. Where there is no beneficiary designated, or the designated beneficiary dies prior to receiving the entire amount of insurance, the present value of the remaining unpaid installments is payable to the estate of the insured for dis-

tribution in accordance with the laws of the State under which administration is made. This is entirely a new departure in term insurance and was heretofore possible only in converted insurance. Large sums of money are being spent daily in making lump sum payments to estates of deceased ex-service men. Many cases are being adjudicated in which no previous payment has been made, the amounts ranging from $1,000 to $10,000, dependent upon the number of monthly installments already paid in the individual case. In the majority of cases no alternate beneficiary is named, so that the unpaid installments of insurance on cases now being paid at the rate of $5.75 for each thousand dollars of insurance carried will be settled by administration upon the death of the present beneficiary, provided the full 240 equal monthly installments have not been paid at the death of the beneficiary.

TABLE No. 62.—*Statement showing the number of compensation death and disability claims filed monthly, and total during each fiscal year from October, 1917, to June, 1925, inclusive*

Month and year	Death	Disability	Total
1917			
October to December	1,321	981	2,302
1918			
January	953	709	1,662
February	1,834	1,362	3,196
March	1,987	1,477	3,464
April	2,093	1,556	3,649
May	1,733	1,287	3,020
June	2,104	1,564	3,668
Total to June 30, 1918	12,025	8,936	20,961
July	2,134	1,586	3,720
August	3,273	2,432	5,705
September	3,539	2,629	6,168
October	8,822	6,555	15,377
November	12,489	9,280	21,769
December	16,081	11,949	28,030
1919			
January	14,302	10,628	24,930
February	12,839	9,541	22,380
March	13,149	9,771	22,920
April	14,836	11,024	25,860
May	11,876	8,824	20,700
June	14,422	10,718	25,140
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1919	127,762	94,937	222,699
July	2,400	20,140	22,540
August	1,762	18,320	20,082
September	1,063	14,155	15,218
October	1,107	11,717	12,824
November	781	8,235	9,016
December	811	9,879	10,690
1920			
January	3,273	15,499	18,772
February	1,182	12,550	13,732
March	1,068	18,325	19,393
April	838	17,301	18,139
May	611	14,642	15,253
June	638	15,491	16,129
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1920	15,534	176,254	191,788
July	591	18,077	18,668
August	521	16,185	16,706
September	673	18,088	18,761
October	510	15,167	15,677
November	430	13,496	13,926
December	485	15,710	16,195
1921			
January	604	20,471	21,075
February	549	20,025	20,574
March	585	21,624	22,209
April	473	15,513	15,986
May	455	16,300	16,755
June	505	15,046	15,551
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1921	6,381	205,702	212,083
July	460	13,893	14,353
August	477	17,284	17,761
September	411	16,799	17,210
October	403	26,826	27,229
November	371	21,371	21,742
December	415	13,912	14,327
1922			
January	479	15,180	15,659
February	352	13,379	13,731
March	487	15,487	15,974
April	397	11,978	12,375
May	342	11,312	11,654
June	390	8,613	9,003
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1922	4,984	186,034	191,018
July	303	7,708	8,011
August	378	10,297	10,675
September	423	10,782	11,205
October	362	6,846	7,208
November	336	4,781	5,117
December	307	5,925	6,232
1923			
January	388	7,404	7,792
February	396	4,972	5,368
March	477	4,719	5,196
April	391	4,410	4,801
May	365	3,687	4,052
June	350	3,274	3,624
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1923	4,476	74,805	79,281
July	316	3,142	3,458
August	295	3,149	3,444
September	325	2,705	3,030
October	325	2,782	3,107
November	326	2,590	2,916
December	350	2,487	2,837
1924			
January	430	2,972	3,402
February	366	2,758	3,124
March	435	3,764	4,199
April	551	3,640	4,191
May	488	3,163	3,651
June	451	2,667	3,118
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1924	4,658	35,819	40,477
July	520	2,548	3,068
August	468	2,690	3,158
September	546	2,991	3,537
October	534	2,559	3,093
November	406	2,842	3,248
December	516	3,722	4,238
1925			
January	648	5,695	6,343
February	533	3,412	3,945
March	633	2,922	3,555
April	633	2,460	3,093
May	635	2,352	2,987
June	681	2,678	3,359
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1925	6,753	36,871	43,624
Total to date	182,573	819,358	1,001,931

TABLE No. 63.—*Statement showing the number of compensation death and disability awards each month and total during each fiscal year from October, 1917, to June, 1925, inclusive*[1]

Date	Death	Disability	Total
1917			
October to December	44	10	54
1918			
January	106	45	151
February	132	65	197
March	271	100	371
April	318	155	473
May	443	304	747
June	350	477	827
Total to June 30, 1918	1,664	1,156	2,820
July	380	739	1,119
August	463	424	887
September	431	334	765
October	548	1,452	2,000
November	363	474	837
December	897	512	1,409
1919			
January	1,758	631	2,389
February	3,151	1,209	4,360
March	5,637	3,378	9,015
April	3,941	5,253	9,194
May	3,078	6,822	9,900
June	2,578	5,900	8,478
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1919	23,225	27,128	50,353
July	3,076	11,919	14,995
August	2,497	12,481	14,978
September	2,184	14,304	16,488
October	2,987	20,089	23,076
November	1,679	13,638	15,317
December	1,378	11,184	12,562
1920			
January	1,429	12,666	14,095
February	1,087	9,167	10,254
March	1,378	13,349	14,727
April	1,186	11,906	13,092
May	661	11,822	12,483
June	836	12,875	13,711
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1920	20,378	155,400	175,778
July	748	8,158	8,906
August	512	8,221	8,733
September	593	8,739	9,332
October	611	8,660	9,271
November	528	9,178	9,706
December	469	9,297	9,766
1921			
January	588	8,728	9,316
February	631	7,408	8,039
March	749	5,715	6,464
April	747	7,213	7,960
May	513	6,458	6,971
June	703	9,502	10,205
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1921	7,392	97,277	104,669
July	503	7,671	8,174
August	551	7,973	8,524
September	547	7,602	8,149
October	506	8,426	8,932
November	577	8,038	8,615
December	500	5,203	5,703
1922			
January	547	5,805	6,352
February	494	3,440	3,934
March	516	4,490	5,006
April	360	4,606	4,966
May	540	3,451	3,991
June	575	4,274	4,849
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1922	6,216	70,979	77,195
July	397	1,501	1,898
August	460	2,673	3,133
September	513	3,338	3,851
October	574	2,950	3,524
November	500	3,765	4,265
December	496	1,346	1,842
1923			
January	495	2,898	3,393
February	445	2,144	2,589
March	495	2,645	3,140
April	597	2,523	3,120
May	547	1,980	2,527
June	412	1,606	2,018
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1923	5,931	29,369	35,300
July	425	1,335	1,760
August	378	923	1,301
September	440	1,220	1,660
October	537	975	1,512
November	454	785	1,239
December	423	708	1,131
1924			
January	418	734	1,152
February	323	711	1,034
March	400	643	1,043
April	391	750	1,141
May	428	720	1,148
June	333	808	1,141
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1924	4,950	10,312	15,262
July	390	1,394	1,784
August	444	1,314	1,758
September	466	1,935	2,401
October	496	2,206	2,702
November	583	1,145	1,728
December	511	988	1,499
1925			
January	729	1,481	2,210
February	743	2,834	3,577
March	867	2,349	3,216
April	800	968	1,768
May	1,076	2,109	3,185
June	1,246	1,807	3,053
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1925	8,351	20,530	28,881
Grand total	78,107	412,151	490,258

[1] Only 1 compensation award is counted for each veteran.

TABLE No. 64.—*Gross number of compensation awards on which payments have been terminated, analyzed as to reasons for terminations during fiscal year 1925*

Reason	Number terminated during fiscal year 1925	Reason	Number terminated during fiscal year 1925
Entered vocational training	7,994	Reenlisted	84
Payee remarried (female)	1,112	Disability less than 10 per cent	12,608
Payee dead	5,587	Disability not result of service	471
Not dependent (parents only)	15	Claim withdrawn	1
Refuses compensation	7	Misconduct	90
Erroneous award	37	Dishonorable discharge	5
Failure to cooperate	3,996	Child becomes of age	5
Pending appointment of guardian	403	Miscellaneous	1,287
Can not locate claimant	1,255		
Pending investigation or examination	857	Total	35,814

TABLE No. 65.—*Gross number of disallowed compensation claims analyzed as to reasons for disallowance during fiscal year 1925*

Reason	Number disallowed during fiscal year 1925	Reason	Number disallowed during fiscal year 1925
Claim withdrawn	308	No dependency shown	34
Disability less than 10 per cent	3,495	Reenlisted	3
No relative in permitted class (death compensation)	63	Failure to prosecute	2,281
Unable to locate claimant	250	Pending investigation	153
Still in service	8	Enlisted after Feb. 9, 1922	408
Never in service	85	Claim for insurance only	1,098
Disability not result of service	20,924	Time limit expired	174
Man not dead	100	Miscellaneous	900
Dishonorable discharge	78	Total	30,357

TABLE No. 66.—*Number of active disability compensation awards by ratings, number of active death awards, and total number of active awards, as of the end of each month from January 31, 1919, to June 30, 1925, inclusive*[1]

Date	Temporary		Permanent		Double permanent total	Total	Death	Grand total
	Total	Partial	Total	Partial				
1919								
January	3,829	672	32	154	--------	4,687	6,381	11,068
February	4,927	710	35	164	--------	5,836	9,522	15,358
March	8,003	798	44	234	--------	9,079	15,129	24,208
April	12,477	941	65	373	--------	13,856	18,975	32,831
May	17,683	1,474	109	652	1	19,919	21,953	41,872
June	21,485	2,288	182	991	1	24,947	24,458	49,405
July	29,350	3,666	232	1,934	1	35,183	27,467	62,650
August	35,816	6,485	278	3,962	1	46,542	29,878	76,420
September	39,708	12,917	352	6,800	2	59,774	31,960	91,734
October	41,072	22,499	801	8,789	2	73,163	34,645	107,808
November	36,554	31,483	829	9,746	2	78,614	36,164	114,778
December	36,556	38,436	958	10,170	2	86,122	37,377	123,499
1920								
January	34,564	48,767	1,224	10,763	2	95,320	38,653	133,973
February	32,677	55,927	1,484	11,130	2	101,220	39,573	140,793
March	31,120	64,300	2,054	11,298	2	108,774	40,800	149,574
April	31,415	71,727	2,522	11,456	2	117,122	41,764	158,886
May	31,301	79,158	2,817	11,763	2	125,041	42,284	167,325
June	31,476	87,865	3,201	11,863	3	134,408	42,945	177,353
July	31,585	92,365	3,320	12,131	3	139,402	43,466	182,868
August	31,292	96,451	3,360	12,374	3	143,480	43,677	187,157
September	31,703	100,956	3,414	12,509	3	148,585	44,048	192,633
October	31,417	104,150	3,330	12,375	3	151,275	44,244	195,519
November	31,264	105,873	3,310	12,133	3	152,583	44,524	197,107
December	30,617	106,527	3,438	11,954	3	152,539	44,760	197,299

[1] Only 1 compensation award is counted for each veteran.

TABLE No. 66.—*Number of active disability compensation awards by ratings, number of active death awards, and total number of active awards, as of the end of each month from January 31, 1919, to June 30, 1925, inclusive*—Continued

Date	Temporary		Permanent		Double permanent total	Total	Death	Grand total
	Total	Partial	Total	Partial				
1921								
January	30,273	107,628	3,608	11,905	3	153,417	45,178	198,595
February	29,083	108,002	4,023	11,844	3	152,955	45,620	198,575
March	27,185	108,511	5,252	11,864	3	152,815	46,196	199,011
April	23,964	111,084	7,648	11,910	3	154,609	46,790	201,399
May	20,182	111,346	9,651	11,994	3	153,176	47,094	200,270
June	16,698	114,515	11,624	12,120	3	154,960	47,559	202,519
July	12,102	117,669	14,813	12,414	4	157,002	47,858	204,860
August	12,583	118,672	14,889	12,613	4	158,761	48,196	206,957
September	13,930	117,871	14,649	12,572	4	159,026	48,566	207,592
October	15,346	114,698	14,181	12,361	4	156,590	48,818	205,408
November	16,510	113,528	13,227	12,154	4	155,423	49,182	204,605
December	17,570	111,874	12,125	12,078	4	153,651	49,438	203,089
1922								
January	18,020	112,500	11,791	12,045	4	154,360	49,774	204,134
February	18,235	112,504	11,570	12,082	4	154,395	50,106	204,501
March	19,219	113,670	11,479	12,167	4	156,539	50,420	206,959
April	22,563	115,611	11,458	12,309	4	161,945	50,642	212,587
May	30,870	115,926	11,401	12,437	4	170,638	50,949	221,587
June	30,728	120,599	11,062	11,631	4	174,024	51,339	225,363
July	29,781	120,991	11,225	12,362	4	174,363	51,433	225,796
August	29,913	121,528	11,275	12,417	4	175,137	51,730	226,867
September	30,742	124,915	11,585	12,768	4	180,014	52,142	232,156
October	30,069	126,591	11,889	13,156	4	181,709	52,649	234,358
November	30,048	128,340	12,071	13,759	4	184,222	53,016	237,238
December	29,211	126,613	12,332	14,165	4	182,325	53,345	235,670
1923								
January	28,937	124,462	12,424	15,065	4	180,892	53,654	234,546
February	29,024	123,239	12,599	15,891	4	180,757	53,818	234,575
March	29,448	121,894	12,975	16,860	4	181,181	54,141	235,322
April	29,714	121,398	13,349	18,110	4	182,575	54,658	237,233
May	29,459	120,471	13,477	19,451	4	182,862	55,061	237,923
June	29,062	119,682	13,784	20,558	4	183,090	55,305	238,395
July	29,003	119,465	13,761	20,523	4	182,756	55,611	238,367
August	27,183	117,854	14,369	23,090	3	182,499	55,864	238,363
September	26,100	117,708	15,027	24,721	3	183,559	56,106	239,665
October	25,322	115,992	15,380	25,893	3	182,590	56,451	239,041
November	24,540	113,380	15,669	27,839	3	181,431	56,733	238,164
December	23,586	109,257	15,772	30,912	3	179,530	56,964	236,494
1924								
January	23,343	104,772	15,861	34,660	3	178,639	57,105	235,744
February	22,884	99,317	16,071	39,543	3	177,818	57,231	235,049
March	22,575	94,316	16,191	44,376	3	177,461	57,421	234,882
April	23,229	90,786	16,513	48,759	4	179,291	57,636	236,927
May	21,747	87,388	16,797	52,700	3	178,635	57,921	236,556
June	21,960	83,339	16,737	56,976	5	179,037	58,110	237,147
July	21,539	81,122	16,821	61,869	6	181,357	58,379	239,736
August	22,063	80,063	17,254	64,552	7	183,939	58,701	242,640
September	23,333	77,824	17,884	67,233	7	186,281	59,055	245,336
October	24,524	76,775	18,170	69,374	8	188,851	59,416	248,267
November	24,859	76,033	18,354	70,843	8	190,097	59,909	250,006
December	25,166	75,813	18,637	72,016	8	191,640	60,354	251,994
1925								
January	26,099	75,830	18,930	73,637	9	194,505	60,952	255,457
February	27,028	77,219	19,325	75,583	8	199,163	61,625	260,788
March	27,682	78,431	19,779	76,995	7	202,894	62,385	265,279
April	27,293	78,958	20,421	78,509	8	205,189	63,118	268,307
May	27,421	80,445	21,022	79,822	8	208,718	64,157	272,875
June	26,595	81,632	21,866	81,538	13	211,644	65,958	277,602

TABLE No. 67.—*Compensation, active disability awards; effective dates of original awards, correlated with extent of major disability, showing number, per cent, and amount of monthly payments, as of June 30, 1925*

Effective dates of original awards	Temporary partial			Temporary total			Permanent partial			Permanent total			Total		
	Number	Per cent of extent	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent of extent	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent of extent	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent of extent	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent of total	Monthly payment
Apr. 6, 1917, to June 30, 1917	6	0.007	$280	4	0.015	$320	6	0.007	$115	20	0.091	$1,820	36	0.017	$2,535
July 1, 1917, to Dec. 31, 1917	555	.690	14,405	187	.703	16,810	470	.576	10,250	262	1.196	25,350	1,474	.696	66,845
Jan. 1, 1918, to June 30, 1918	2,783	3.400	75,790	796	2.993	71,190	2,219	2.721	47,925	961	4.392	90,970	6,759	3.194	285,345
July 1, 1918, to Dec. 31, 1918	2,438	6.663	131,220	1,349	5.072	119,730	4,375	5.366	96,025	1,630	7.450	157,025	12,793	6.045	506,000
Jan. 1, 1919, to June 30, 1919	29,631	36.298	640,730	5,771	21.700	512,605	43,075	52.857	864,525	4,793	21.907	474,545	83,620	39.510	2,492,455
July 1, 1919, to Dec. 31, 1919	12,967	17.110	317,775	3,249	12.217	294,905	16,426	19.799	382,040	3,564	16.290	344,635	36,850	17.411	1,689,560
Jan. 1, 1920, to June 30, 1920	4,819	5.903	117,765	1,675	6.298	145,635	6,655	8.017	156,420	2,572	11.756	250,015	14,492	6.847	668,560
July 1, 1920, to Dec. 31, 1920	3,846	4.724	89,975	1,470	5.577	129,270	3,212	3.869	64,845	1,700	8.044	167,375	9,730	4.596	449,830
Jan. 1, 1921, to June 30, 1921	4,150	5.094	96,946	1,303	5.667	129,965	2,619	3.383	42,450	1,691	7.729	171,155	9,587	4.530	448,950
July 1, 1921, to Dec. 31, 1921	3,852	4.386	78,555	1,507	3.704	84,270	1,943	2.108	35,620	1,298	5.857	121,655	8,096	3.825	365,275
Jan. 1, 1922, to June 30, 1922	2,174	2.663	48,470	985	1.530	34,945	1,719	1.211	18,510	712	3.254	76,720	4,858	2.295	215,505
July 1, 1922, to Dec. 31, 1922	1,842	1.399	26,515	388	1.459	32,715	987	.684	11,330	327	1.494	24,434	2,434	1.150	96,450
Jan. 1, 1923, to June 30, 1923	966	1.202	21,340	451	1.696	38,200	558	.496	7,210	211	.964	18,515	1,969	.930	77,955
July 1, 1923, to Dec. 31, 1923	3,061	3.760	73,415	3,659	13.758	307,620	404	.368	8,200	184	.841	16,655	2,022	.955	84,405
Jan. 1, 1924, to June 30, 1924	3,572	4.376	66,030	2,752	10.348	231,980	406	.464	4,155	1,411	6.449	127,825	8,695	4.061	517,010
July 1, 1924, to Dec. 31, 1924	948	1.161	13,470	142	.534	11,265	390	.368	1,845	442	2.020	41,030	7,068	3.339	313,315
Jan. 1, 1925, to June 30, 1925							147	.180		51	.233	5,500	1,268	.609	32,680
Total	81,632	100.000	1,827,835	26,595	100.000	2,304,685	81,538	100.000	1,761,175	21,879	100.000	2,091,975	211,644	100.000	7,985,670

TABLE NO. 68.—*Compensation, active disability awards; degree of impairment and extent of major disability, correlated with classification of disability, showing number and amount of monthly payments, as of June 30, 1925*

Extent	Degree of impairment	Abnormalities and congenital malformations		Blood and blood-forming organs		Bones and cartileges		Circulatory system		Communicable and infectious diseases		Dental		Digestive system	
		Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
	Per cent														
Temporary partial	10–19	64	$670	9	$90	729	$7,785	4,461	$48,710	190	$2,010	113	$1,125	1,973	$21,040
	20–29	37	715	6	125	306	6,340	3,054	64,315	76	1,615	5	105	978	20,940
	30–39	10	275	1	30	81	2,400	889	25,980	25	725	1	25	167	5,010
	40–49					36	1,255	387	14,030	18	640			50	1,810
	50–59	5	220	2	80	108	4,890	939	42,945	37	1,725	1	40	224	10,215
	60–69	2	110			17	975	139	7,650	7	435	2	100	15	845
	70–79	1	60	1	70	46	2,975	320	21,490	11	745			49	3,310
	80–89					4	275	18	1,325	4	270			4	295
	90–99					1	80	5	410	2	160			1	95
Total		119	2,050	19	395	1,328	26,975	10,212	226,855	370	8,325	122	1,395	3,461	63,560
Permanent partial	10–19	266	3,070	1	10	2,331	26,635	2,796	32,445	68	765	16	190	1,071	12,050
	20–29	79	1,740	1	20	726	16,175	1,536	34,585	32	735	3	80	345	7,840
	30–39	33	1,065	2	65	241	7,730	320	10,185	11	350	3	95	73	2,315
	40–49	13	545			140	5,805	152	6,185	6	240			36	1,470
	50–59	16	830			144	7,240	248	12,355	8	400	3	150	52	2,615
	60–69	7	425			47	2,935	34	2,040	2	125			8	485
	70–79	3	220			59	4,325	62	4,585	2	145			9	665
	80–89					20	1,625	8	645	1	80			4	330
	90–99					1	95								
Total		417	7,895	4	95	3,709	72,565	5,156	103,025	130	2,840	25	515	1,598	27,770
Temporary total	100	12	1,080	16	1,370	239	20,955	891	78,620	119	10,555	2	175	463	40,720
Permanent total	100	7	700	19	2,000	98	9,970	752	76,340	135	14,700			84	8,685
Grand total		555	11,725	58	3,860	5,374	130,465	17,011	484,840	754	36,420	149	2,085	5,606	140,735

Extent	Degree of impairment	Ear, nose, and throat		Endocrines		Eye and annexa		Genito-urinary system		Hernia		Joints and bursae		Lymphatic system	
		Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
	Per cent														
Temporary partial	10–19	3,388	$37,100	1,019	$10,930	577	$6,245	617	$6,765	607	$6,440	3,879	$41,305	27	$295
	20–29	1,065	21,605	724	15,420	232	4,720	442	9,475	138	2,885	1,201	24,675	12	250
	30–39	285	8,140	135	3,940	264	7,345	108	3,175	27	790	311	9,060	1	30
	40–49	91	3,340	55	2,015	119	4,375	59	2,215	10	375	135	5,010	1	40
	50–59	91	4,135	213	9,680	103	4,700	247	11,260	13	580	294	13,375	3	120
	60–69	19	1,025	12	650	44	2,500	42	2,375	3	165	58	3,215		
	70–79	13	885	65	4,210	36	2,335	79	5,210	6	400	119	7,875	3	215
	80–89			10	730	31	2,205	5	385	1	85	15	1,110		
	90–99			2	185	3	240					1	75		
Total		4,952	76,230	2,235	47,760	1,409	34,665	1,599	40,860	805	11,720	6,013	105,700	47	950
Permanent partial	10–19	2,491	30,095	136	1,460	711	8,665	754	8,305	398	4,525	9,094	102,715	63	755
	20–29	465	10,455	54	1,235	358	8,075	368	8,750	190	4,405	2,477	55,680	21	480
	30–39	209	6,530	8	245	1,459	44,015	68	2,185	40	1,295	1,060	34,310	1	35
	40–49	94	3,820	3	130	947	38,800	41	1,680	21	870	577	24,035	2	90
	50–59	85	4,360	5	255	243	12,155	66	3,320	30	1,500	485	24,590	1	50
	60–69	64	4,125	4	250	98	5,935	17	1,045	4	245	169	10,380	2	130
	70–79	8	580	1	70	64	4,610	28	2,050	4	295	147	10,750	2	150
	80–89	2	160			28	2,255	4	325	1	80	64	5,195	1	80
	90–99					5	455					10	905		
Total		3,417	60,125	211	3,645	3,913	124,965	1,346	27,660	688	13,215	14,083	267,960	93	1,770
Temporary total	100	162	14,095	345	30,130	114	10,015	304	26,445	47	4,085	661	57,885	10	885
Permanent total	100	126	12,520	110	10,960	477	76,810	203	20,580	8	800	352	38,720	9	950
Double permanent total	200					3	750					1	250		
Grand total		8,657	162,970	2,901	92,495	5,916	247,205	3,452	115,545	1,548	29,820	21,110	470,515	159	4,555

TABLE No. 68.—*Compensation, active disability awards; degree of impairment and extent of major disability, correlated with classification of disability, showing number and amount of monthly payments, as of June 30, 1925*—Continued

Extent	Degree of impairment	Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths		Nervous system		Obstetric and gynecological conditions		Parasitic diseases		Psychiatric diseases		Respiratory system		Skin and its appendages	
		Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
	Per cent														
Temporary partial	10–19	792	$8,310	7,031	$74,730	2	$25	116	$1,185	3,108	$32,690	4,843	$52,175	576	$6,020
	20–29	209	4,235	2,961	62,410	1	20	68	1,450	1,787	37,395	1,929	41,405	171	3,550
	30–39	45	1,290	587	17,290			19	565	300	8,710	276	8,090	43	1,250
	40–49	30	1,125	249	9,125			8	285	105	3,850	110	4,115	19	690
	50–59	34	1,585	824	36,715	1	40	29	1,300	892	38,720	472	21,265	33	1,445
	60–69	13	710	124	6,855			1	50	77	4,230	33	1,880	2	110
	70–79	8	505	332	22,005			7	460	392	25,530	207	14,130	8	535
	80–89	2	150	21	1,575					16	1,135	9	630		
	90–99			7	560					4	320	1	90		
Total		1,133	17,910	12,136	231,265	4	85	248	5,295	6,681	152,580	7,880	143,780	852	13,600
Permanent partial	10–19	1,939	22,585	2,118	24,875	5	55	12	135	406	4,655	3,223	36,060	1,794	19,985
	20–29	741	16,470	1,469	34,100	2	40	5	110	190	4,360	704	15,740	329	7,170
	30–39	191	6,045	723	23,305			6	180	43	1,345	96	3,040	43	1,330
	40–49	96	3,920	469	19,570			2	80	36	1,465	53	2,175	26	1,055
	50–59	95	4,750	662	33,525	3	150	1	50	122	6,125	56	2,855	22	1,095
	60–69	32	1,965	299	18,605					17	1,020	16	985	1	60
	70–79	15	1,090	241	17,800			1	75	35	2,600	18	1,325	3	225
	80–89	9	730	90	7,325					12	975	6	495	2	165
	90–99	1	95	10	910					4	370	1	90		
Total		3,119	57,650	6,081	180,015	10	245	27	630	865	22,915	4,173	62,765	2,220	31,085
Temporary total	100	54	4,750	1,959	169,565	1	90	108	9,550	4,926	394,755	676	60,130	73	6,385
Permanent total	100	25	2,550	1,229	128,025			9	900	8,062	644,940	160	15,950	9	880
Double permanent total	200			4	950					1	200				
Grand total		4,331	82,860	21,409	709,820	15	420	392	16,375	20,535	1,215,390	12,889	282,625	3,154	51,950

Extent	Degree of impairment	Tuberculosis		Tumors		Venereal diseases		Miscellaneous		Amputations		Fractures		Total	
		Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
	Per cent														
Temporary partial	10–19	5,295	$56,905	89	$955	22	$245	1,459	$15,410	91	$1,015	493	$5,385	41,570	$445,560
	20–29	4,059	91,650	46	950	6	130	402	7,950	65	1,295	288	5,995	20,268	431,620
	30–39	463	13,810	12	335	3	75	82	2,355	31	920	92	2,725	4,258	124,340
	40–49	199	7,535	6	220			36	1,355	18	695	54	2,040	1,795	66,140
	50–59	2,377	108,630	12	540	3	130	56	2,525	30	1,435	89	4,065	7,132	322,360
	60–69	91	5,125	1	50	1	55	13	670	24	1,360	21	1,145	761	42,285
	70–79	3,764	254,975	8	520	2	145	22	1,395	28	1,885	29	1,885	5,556	373,750
	80–89	86	6,310	2	145			5	380	15	1,125	3	220	251	18,350
	90–99	5	435							9	780			41	3,430
Total		16,339	545,375	176	3,715	37	780	2,075	32,040	311	10,510	1,069	23,460	81,632	1,827,835
Permanent partial	10–19	4,323	47,510	96	1,130	9	120	7,258	82,150	1,805	21,075	4,344	51,040	47,528	543,060
	20–29	900	20,535	33	735			1,659	36,610	1,093	24,430	2,127	47,365	15,907	357,320
	30–39	93	2,945	10	315	1	35	334	10,655	343	11,055	713	22,860	6,124	193,530
	40–49	49	2,025	10	385	2	80	170	7,035	781	35,830	458	19,215	4,183	176,505
	50–59	82	4,130	3	140	1	50	122	6,155	503	28,725	363	18,620	3,421	176,190
	60–69	22	1,335	4	235	1	65	49	3,005	786	50,645	153	9,470	1,836	115,510
	70–79	37	2,750					30	2,190	336	24,265	115	8,330	1,220	89,095
	80–89	8	665					27	2,220	824	68,240	75	6,155	1,186	97,745
	90–99	1	95					2	185	87	8,010	11	1,010	133	12,220
Total		5,515	81,990	156	2,940	14	350	9,651	150,205	6,558	272,275	8,359	184,065	81,538	1,761,175
Temporary total	100	14,824	1,312,175	52	4,500	96	7,965	181	15,540	134	11,450	126	10,815	26,595	2,304,685
Permanent total	100	9,160	933,775	86	9,125	68	6,665	88	8,735	522	56,585	68	6,960	21,866	2,088,825
Double permanent total	200	1	250							3	750			13	3,150
Grand total		45,839	2,873,565	470	20,280	215	15,760	11,995	206,520	7,528	351,570	9,622	225,300	211,644	7,985,670

TABLE No. 69.—*Compensation, active disability awards; comparative analysis of special classification of major disability, by extent of disability, as of various dates from June 30, 1923, to June 30, 1925, showing number and per cent of awards, monthly and average monthly payments*

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISEASES

Month	Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total [1]				Total			
	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
June 30, 1923	15,801	8.630	$319,650	$20.23	6,247	3.412	$521,340	$83.45	1,055	0.576	$36,790	$34.87	5,153	2.815	$514,750	$99.89	28,256	15.433	$1,392,530	$49.28
Sept. 30, 1923	16,087	8.764	325,885	20.26	5,666	3.087	473,910	83.64	1,394	.759	47,735	34.24	5,862	3.194	586,220	100.00	29,009	15.804	1,433,750	49.42
Dec. 31, 1923	16,310	9.085	333,050	20.42	5,443	3.032	455,200	83.63	1,994	1.111	63,190	31.69	6,198	3.452	619,560	99.96	29,945	16.680	1,471,000	49.12
Apr. 30, 1924	15,313	8.541	311,970	20.37	5,567	3.105	465,935	83.70	3,670	2.047	109,155	29.74	6,712	3.743	671,195	100.00	31,262	17.436	1,558,255	49.85
June 30, 1924	15,371	8.585	315,375	20.52	5,288	2.954	443,200	83.81	4,545	2.539	133,075	29.28	6,899	3.853	689,805	99.99	32,103	17.931	1,581,455	49.26
Sept. 30, 1924	15,945	8.560	324,695	20.36	5,706	3.063	478,650	83.89	5,505	2.955	159,505	28.97	7,308	3.923	732,095	100.18	34,464	18.501	1,694,945	49.18
Dec. 31, 1924	16,969	8.855	346,310	20.41	6,479	3.381	544,180	83.99	6,022	3.142	173,670	28.84	7,653	3.993	766,030	100.10	37,123	19.371	1,830,190	49.30
Mar. 31, 1925	19,584	9.652	395,015	20.17	7,380	3.637	621,435	84.21	6,651	3.278	192,330	28.92	8,322	4.102	788,265	94.72	41,937	20.669	1,997,045	47.62
June 30, 1925	21,052	9.947	431,605	20.50	7,230	3.416	594,450	82.22	7,157	3.381	206,575	28.86	9,406	4.444	785,075	83.47	44,845	21.188	2,017,705	44.99

TUBERCULOSIS

Month	Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total [1]				Total			
	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
June 30, 1923	18,221	9.952	$630,400	$34.60	16,544	9.036	$1,437,070	$86.86	314	0.171	$6,000	$19.11	6,472	3.535	$648,060	$100.13	41,551	22.694	$2,721,530	$65.50
Sept. 30, 1923	19,430	10.585	671,565	34.56	14,850	8.090	1,294,820	87.19	337	.184	6,455	19.15	6,963	3.793	697,985	100.24	41,580	22.652	2,670,825	64.23
Dec. 31, 1923	19,046	10.609	658,475	34.57	13,257	7.384	1,159,870	87.49	657	.366	11,810	17.98	7,300	4.066	732,245	100.31	40,260	22.425	2,562,400	63.65
Apr. 30, 1924	17,491	9.756	594,210	33.97	12,978	7.238	1,138,650	87.74	2,062	1.150	30,780	14.93	7,433	4.146	746,475	100.43	39,964	22.290	2,510,115	62.81
June 30, 1924	16,774	9.369	569,780	33.97	12,278	6.858	1,079,140	87.89	2,685	1.500	39,425	14.68	7,362	4.112	739,695	100.47	39,099	21.839	2,428,040	62.10
Sept. 30, 1924	16,358	8.781	568,325	34.74	13,338	7.161	1,166,685	87.47	3,771	2.024	54,685	14.50	7,866	4.223	796,040	101.20	41,333	22.189	2,585,735	62.56
Dec. 31, 1924	15,842	8.266	544,565	34.37	14,286	7.455	1,253,450	87.74	4,364	2.277	63,730	14.60	8,154	4.255	828,940	101.66	42,646	22.253	2,690,685	63.09
Mar. 31, 1925	15,788	7.781	534,415	33.85	15,670	7.724	1,380,935	88.13	4,898	2.414	72,960	14.90	8,475	4.177	863,280	101.86	44,831	22.096	2,851,590	63.61
June 30, 1925	16,339	7.720	545,375	33.38	14,824	7.004	1,312,175	88.52	5,515	2.606	81,990	14.87	9,161	4.329	934,025	101.96	45,839	21.659	2,873,565	62.69

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CONDITIONS

Month	Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total [1]				Total			
	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
June 30, 1923	85,660	46.786	$1,405,075	$16.40	6,271	3.425	$537,790	$85.76	19,189	10.481	$524,285	$27.32	2,163	1.181	$221,680	$102.49	113,283	61.873	$2,688,830	$23.74
Sept. 30, 1923	82,191	44.776	1,359,720	16.54	5,584	3.042	480,170	85.99	22,990	12.525	604,955	26.31	2,205	1.201	229,350	104.01	112,970	61.544	2,674,195	23.67
Dec. 31, 1923	73,901	41.163	1,233,420	16.69	4,886	2.722	421,390	86.24	28,261	15.741	705,355	24.96	2,277	1.269	238,200	104.61	109,325	60.895	2,598,365	23.77
Apr. 30, 1924	57,982	32.340	996,270	17.18	4,684	2.613	405,145	86.50	43,027	23.998	975,115	22.66	2,372	1.323	248,920	104.94	108,065	60.274	2,625,450	24.30
June 30, 1924	51,194	28.594	898,570	17.55	4,414	2.465	382,735	86.71	49,746	27.785	1,095,845	22.03	2,481	1.386	261,625	105.45	107,835	60.230	2,638,775	24.47
Sept. 30, 1924	45,521	24.437	820,585	18.03	4,289	2.302	372,105	86.76	57,957	31.113	1,249,720	21.56	2,717	1.458	299,160	110.11	110,484	59.310	2,741,570	24.81
Dec. 31, 1924	43,002	22.439	789,050	18.35	4,401	2.296	383,155	87.06	61,630	32.160	1,322,090	21.45	2,838	1.481	316,835	111.64	111,871	58.376	2,811,130	25.13
Mar. 31, 1925	43,059	21.223	807,840	18.76	4,632	2.283	404,515	87.33	65,446	32.256	1,402,060	21.42	2,989	1.473	335,025	112.09	116,126	57.235	2,949,440	25.40
June 30, 1925	44,241	20.903	850,855	19.23	4,541	2.146	398,060	87.66	68,866	32.539	1,472,610	21.38	3,312	1.565	372,875	112.58	120,960	57,153	3,094,400	25.58

TOTAL

Month	Temporary partial				Temporary total				Permanent partial				Permanent total [1]				Total			
	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
June 30, 1923	119,682	65.368	$2,355,125	$19.68	29,062	15.873	$2,496,200	$85.89	20,558	11.228	$567,075	$27.58	13,788	7.531	$1,384,490	$100.41	183,090	100.000	$6,802,890	$37.16
Sept. 30, 1923	117,708	64.125	2,357,170	20.03	26,100	14.219	2,248,900	86.16	24,721	13.468	659,145	26.66	15,030	8.188	1,513,555	100.70	183,559	100.000	6,778,770	36.93
Dec. 31, 1923	109,257	60.857	2,224,945	20.36	23,586	13.138	2,036,460	86.34	30,912	17.218	780,355	25.24	15,775	8.787	1,590,005	100.79	179,530	100.000	6,631,765	36.94
Apr. 30, 1924	90,786	50.637	1,902,450	20.96	23,229	12.956	2,009,730	86.52	48,759	27.195	1,115,050	22.87	16,517	9.212	1,666,590	100.90	179,291	100.000	6,693,820	37.33
June 30, 1924	83,339	46.548	1,783,725	21.40	21,980	12.277	1,905,075	86.67	56,976	31.824	1,268,345	22.26	16,742	9.351	1,691,125	101.01	179,037	100.000	6,648,270	37.13
Sept. 30, 1924	77,824	41.778	1,713,605	22.02	23,333	12.526	2,017,440	86.46	67,233	36.092	1,463,910	21.77	17,891	9.604	1,827,295	102.13	186,281	100.000	7,022,250	37.70
Dec. 31, 1924	75,813	39.560	1,679,925	22.16	25,196	13.132	2,180,785	86.66	72,016	37.579	1,559,490	21.65	18,645	9.729	1,911,805	102.54	191,640	100.000	7,332,005	38.26
Mar. 31, 1925	78,431	38.656	1,737,270	22.15	27,682	13.644	2,406,885	86.95	76,995	37.948	1,667,350	21.66	19,786	9.752	1,986,570	100.40	202,894	100.000	7,798,075	38.43
June 30, 1925	81,632	38.570	1,827,835	22.39	26,595	12.566	2,304,685	86.66	81,538	38.526	1,761,175	21.60	21,879	10.338	2,091,975	95.62	211,644	100.000	7,985,670	37.73

[1] Includes double permanent totals.

TABLE No. 70.—*Compensation, active disability awards; special classification of major disability, showing extent of disability, number and per cent of awards, monthly and average monthly payments for regional offices, foreign countries and central office, as of June 30, 1925*

NEUROPSYCHIATRIC DISEASES

Regional office	Temporary partial		Temporary total		Permanent partial		Permanent total		Total			
	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
Boston, Mass	1,746	$30,445	277	$22,640	220	$7,675	275	$23,470	2,518	5.615	$84,230	$33.45
Portland, Me	157	2,980	49	3,920	23	835	10	760	239	.533	8,495	35.54
Manchester, N. H	159	2,620	18	1,490	28	970	23	1,900	228	.508	6,980	30.61
Providence, R. I	211	3,890	62	5,250	41	1,280	45	4,330	359	.800	14,750	41.09
Burlington, Vt	131	2,510	22	1,865	11	245	16	1,250	180	.401	5,870	32.61
New York, N. Y	2,792	61,405	941	74,325	438	14,725	400	33,295	4,571	10.193	183,750	40.20
Buffalo, N. Y	688	14,800	205	17,270	218	6,520	141	11,180	1,252	2.792	49,770	39.75
Hartford, Conn	399	9,050	82	6,520	69	2,190	74	5,030	624	1.391	22,790	36.52
Newark, N. J	732	16,165	251	20,930	145	4,945	124	10,290	1,252	2.792	52,330	41.80
Philadelphia, Pa	848	14,220	172	14,805	399	12,130	284	24,555	1,703	3.798	65,710	38.58
Pittsburgh, Pa	522	10,375	104	8,690	269	8,795	159	13,900	1,054	2.350	41,760	39.62
Washington, D. C	215	4,310	185	13,615	88	2,935	122	9,120	610	1.360	29,980	49.15
Baltimore, Md	240	4,105	117	9,705	91	2,745	87	7,370	535	1.193	23,925	44.72
Richmond, Va	200	4,595	108	8,990	64	2,250	47	3,790	419	.934	19,625	46.84
Charleston, W. Va	113	2,145	39	3,235	53	1,540	33	2,930	238	.531	9,850	41.39
Atlanta, Ga	340	7,355	259	22,090	181	5,060	59	5,000	839	1.871	39,505	47.09
Jacksonville, Fla	115	2,775	52	4,485	79	2,120	26	1,910	272	.606	11,290	41.51
Charlotte, N. C	144	3,555	81	6,900	189	4,935	49	4,040	463	1.032	19,430	41.97
Columbia, S. C	98	2,320	63	5,340	107	3,200	32	2,530	300	.669	13,390	44.63
Nashville, Tenn	248	6,305	107	9,150	212	4,870	65	5,700	632	1.409	26,025	41.18
New Orleans, La	198	5,090	161	13,965	132	4,705	47	3,900	538	1.200	27,660	51.41
Birmingham, Ala	373	8,800	209	17,280	188	5,625	59	4,700	829	1.849	36,405	43.91
Jackson, Miss	173	4,060	121	10,380	131	3,270	22	1,800	447	.997	19,510	43.65
Cincinnati, Ohio	374	7,855	173	14,505	249	7,070	139	12,690	935	2.085	42,120	45.05
Cleveland, Ohio	612	10,790	143	12,020	251	6,745	125	11,610	1,131	2.522	41,165	36.40
Indianapolis, Ind	598	11,390	220	18,415	138	3,810	120	9,880	1,076	2.399	43,495	40.42
Louisville, Ky	475	10,215	68	5,795	129	3,905	76	6,785	748	1.668	26,700	35.70
Chicago, Ill	1,520	28,500	523	41,620	260	7,215	350	31,055	2,653	5.916	108,390	40.86
Detroit, Mich	573	11,530	183	15,220	158	4,405	156	11,510	1,070	2.386	42,665	39.87
Milwaukee, Wis	688	12,430	237	19,065	146	3,665	120	10,130	1,191	2.656	45,290	38.03
St. Louis, Mo	741	13,965	106	9,200	145	4,280	111	10,050	1,103	2.460	37,495	33.99
Kansas City, Mo	390	7,210	85	7,210	99	2,790	69	5,850	643	1.434	23,060	35.86
Des Moines, Iowa	382	6,980	73	5,770	104	2,995	95	8,160	654	1.458	23,905	36.55
Omaha, Nebr	144	2,895	56	4,775	52	1,355	40	2,960	292	.651	11,985	41.04
Minneapolis, Minn	670	17,155	380	31,490	264	8,505	149	12,025	1,463	3.262	69,175	47.28
Helena, Mont	84	1,845	39	3,220	65	1,855	23	1,700	211	.471	8,620	40.85
Fargo, N. Dak	96	1,965	34	2,750	5	1,585	19	1,390	204	.455	7,690	37.70
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	75	1,830	34	2,900	77	1,750	22	1,930	208	.464	8,410	40.45
Denver, Colo	200	4,080	52	4,375	167	3,105	40	3,470	449	1.001	15,030	33.47
Albuquerque, N. Mex	68	1,685	24	1,960	51	1,045	22	1,880	165	.368	6,570	39.82
Salt Lake City, Utah	62	1,270	10	840	54	1,040	13	1,190	139	.310	4,340	31.22
Casper, Wyo	39	707	50	3,895	30	635	36	1,730	155	.346	7,030	45.35
San Francisco, Calif	337	7,475	227	18,045	199	5,725	170	11,970	933	2.080	43,215	46.32
Los Angeles, Calif	433	11,135	169	14,030	218	5,085	79	6,880	899	2.005	37,130	41.30
Phoenix, Ariz	29	590	12	985	27	670	3	60	71	.158	2,305	32.46
Seattle, Wash	204	4,610	90	7,155	94	3,025	97	7,220	485	1.082	22,010	45.38
Boise, Idaho	13	265	17	1,515	22	625	17	1,620	69	.154	4,025	58.33
Portland, Oreg	181	3,390	53	4,395	85	2,550	27	2,220	346	.771	12,555	36.29
Dallas, Tex	260	4,750	79	6,695	113	2,885	51	4,470	503	1.122	18,800	37.38
Little Rock, Ark	181	4,250	103	8,495	109	2,595	41	3,060	434	.968	18,400	42.40
Oklahoma City, Okla	252	5,355	91	7,265	201	5,050	34	3,470	578	1.289	21,140	36.57
Wichita, Kans	167	3,380	39	3,280	56	1,555	33	3,030	295	.658	11,245	38.12
San Antonio, Tex	128	2,820	58	4,810	83	2,325	56	4,875	325	.725	14,830	45.63
Reno, Nev	13	275			8	225			21	.047	500	23.81
Total regional offices	20,831	426,530	7,113	584,535	7,075	203,635	4,532	377,620	39,551	88.195	1,592,320	40.26
Foreign countries	185	4,025	47	4,025	68	2,355	1	100	301	.671	10,505	34.90
Central office	36	1,050	70	5,890	14	585	4,873	407,355	4,993	11.134	414,880	83.09
Total	21,052	431,605	7,230	594,450	7,157	206,575	9,406	785,075	44,845	100.000	2,017,705	44.99

TUBERCULOSIS

Boston, Mass	401	$8,255	336	$29,635	23	$410	53	$5,260	813	1.773	$43,560	$53.58
Portland, Me	77	1,775	105	9,565	8	85	3	300	193	.421	11,725	60.75
Manchester, N. H	73	1,105	45	4,000	11	135	10	1,050	139	.303	6,290	45.25
Providence, R. I	58	1,370	69	5,880	5	100	6	600	138	.301	7,950	57.61
Burlington, Vt	35	870	20	1,750	1	10	3	300	59	.129	2,930	49.66
New York, N. Y	974	32,815	1,201	103,955	67	1,040	95	9,500	2,337	5.098	147,310	63.03
Buffalo, N. Y	353	12,080	252	21,920	61	1,150	21	2,100	687	1.499	37,250	54.22
Hartford, Conn	186	5,675	339	29,525	60	1,450	27	2,700	612	1.335	39,350	64.30
Newark, N. J	333	13,015	260	23,025	22	365	37	3,570	652	1.422	39,975	61.31
Philadelphia, Pa	880	19,835	575	50,810	106	1,545	23	2,500	1,584	3.455	74,690	47.15
Pittsburgh, Pa	273	7,205	281	24,460	57	980	28	2,800	639	1.394	35,445	55.47
Washington, D. C	124	3,320	147	12,775	39	575	27	2,630	337	.735	19,300	57.27
Baltimore, Md	101	2,480	109	9,615	32	425	17	1,720	259	.565	14,240	54.98
Richmond, Va	136	3,720	160	14,000	63	940	18	1,800	377	.822	20,460	54.27
Charleston, W. Va	99	2,975	95	8,565	51	730	10	1,000	255	.556	13,270	52.04
Atlanta, Ga	586	19,170	303	27,155	241	3,765	28	2,770	1,158	2.526	52,860	45.65
Jacksonville, Fla	244	9,545	67	5,920	105	1,715	20	2,100	436	.951	19,280	44.22
Charlotte, N. C	414	16,765	437	38,440	285	4,430	69	7,050	1,205	2.629	66,685	55.34
Columbia, S. C	315	11,760	144	12,960	172	2,465	6	650	637	1.390	27,835	43.70
Nashville, Tenn	573	21,610	487	44,270	274	3,765	4	400	1,338	2.919	70,045	52.35
New Orleans, La	173	5,430	445	40,710	125	2,015	23	2,210	766	1.671	50,365	65.75
Birmingham, Ala	231	8,330	332	29,790	130	2,175	16	1,560	709	1.547	41,855	59.03
Jackson, Miss	98	3,585	553	50,600	67	1,105	8	800	726	1.584	56,090	77.26
Cincinnati, Ohio	591	21,860	251	22,100	218	3,100	15	1,600	1,075	2.345	48,660	45.27

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TUBERCULOSIS—Continued

Regional office	Temporary partial		Temporary total		Permanent partial		Permanent total		Total			
	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
Cleveland, Ohio	346	$11,745	125	$10,810	241	$3,160	17	$1,750	729	1.590	$27,465	$37.67
Indianapolis, Ind	795	27,480	193	17,015	252	3,665	12	1,150	1,252	2.731	49,310	39.38
Louisville, Ky	862	29,805	198	17,530	347	4,590	21	2,070	1,428	3.115	53,995	37.81
Chicago, Ill	900	21,095	652	57,780	47	1,035	96	9,740	1,695	3.698	89,650	52.89
Detroit, Mich	414	10,985	396	35,075	20	415	34	3,650	864	1.885	50,125	58.02
Milwaukee, Wis	331	7,475	345	30,085	13	320	36	3,650	725	1.582	41,530	57.28
St. Louis, Mo	232	7,550	318	29,045	16	420	29	2,950	595	1.298	39,965	67.17
Kansas City, Mo	145	4,420	189	16,575	30	515	12	1,170	376	.820	22,680	60.32
Des Moines, Iowa	139	3,835	122	10,835	8	155	4	400	273	.596	15,225	55.77
Omaha, Nebr	39	940	41	3,690	18	295	1	100	99	.216	5,025	50.76
Minneapolis, Minn	436	17,330	645	56,905	198	3,915	19	2,050	1,298	2.832	80,200	61.79
Helena, Mont	69	3,085	137	12,005	30	455	17	1,700	253	.552	17,245	68.16
Fargo, N. Dak	83	3,255	68	6,165	27	490	1	100	179	.390	10,010	55.92
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	68	2,730	78	7,020	58	775	3	300	207	.452	10,825	52.29
Denver, Colo	512	22,645	545	47,450	755	9,610	79	7,795	1,891	4.125	87,500	46.27
Albuquerque, N. Mex	214	9,200	374	32,710	204	2,685	50	5,070	842	1.837	49,665	58.98
Salt Lake City, Utah	30	1,060	18	1,535	50	735	3	300	101	.220	3,630	35.94
Casper, Wyo	42	1,795	9	760	47	635			98	.214	3,190	32.55
San Francisco, Calif	331	13,835	302	26,305	90	1,505	51	5,115	774	1.689	46,760	60.41
Los Angeles, Calif	662	25,920	614	53,170	316	3,970	91	9,325	1,683	3.672	92,385	54.89
Phoenix, Ariz	272	13,070	392	34,245	103	1,315	79	7,705	846	1.846	56,335	66.59
Seattle, Wash	118	3,190	160	14,080	52	805	27	2,670	357	.779	20,745	58.11
Boise, Idaho	17	315	27	2,300	19	250	8	800	71	.155	3,665	51.62
Portland, Oreg	96	2,815	108	9,380	27	380	3	300	234	.510	12,875	55.02
Dallas, Tex	385	11,450	302	27,225	60	915	16	1,600	763	1.665	41,190	53.98
Little Rock, Ark	250	9,890	289	26,575	63	1,075	2	200	604	1.318	37,740	62.48
Oklahoma City, Okla	363	12,555	271	24,605	80	1,215	2	200	716	1.562	38,575	53.88
Wichita, Kans	132	3,980	87	5,970	16	320	5	500	220	.480	10,770	48.95
San Antonio, Tex	260	7,560	454	40,255	73	1,155	59	5,695	846	1.846	54,665	64.62
Reno, Nev	11	695	7	610	4	155			22	.048	1,460	66.36
Total regional offices	15,882	526,255	14,459	1,279,135	5,487	81,405	1,344	135,025	37,172	81.093	2,021,820	54.39
Foreign countries	391	16,395	206	19,315	24	470	4	400	625	1.363	36,580	58.53
Central office	66	2,725	159	13,725	4	115	7,813	798,600	8,042	17.544	815,165	101.36
Total	16,339	545,375	14,824	1,312,175	5,515	81,990	9,161	934,025	45,839	100.000	2,873,565	62.69

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CONDITIONS

Boston, Mass	3,013	$49,600	180	$15,890	1,392	$32,025	18	$1,820	4,603	3.805	$99,335	$21.58
Portland, Me	290	4,910	33	2,945	186	4,550	1	100	510	.422	12,505	24.52
Manchester, N. H	243	4,180	20	1,875	130	2,905	2	200	395	.327	9,160	23.19
Providence, R. I	425	6,605	38	3,290	280	6,285	2	250	745	.616	16,430	22.05
Burlington, Vt	160	2,665	12	1,110	129	2,505			301	.249	6,280	20.86
New York, N. Y	4,197	78,740	342	30,020	4,113	98,215	47	4,860	8,699	7.192	211,835	24.35
Buffalo, N. Y	1,221	22,145	115	10,145	1,758	37,545	6	600	3,100	2.563	70,435	22.72
Hartford, Conn	869	15,765	66	5,800	851	17,690	2	200	1,788	1.478	39,455	22.07
Newark, N. J	1,388	25,530	115	10,060	1,562	35,730	10	1,120	3,075	2.542	72,440	23.56
Philadelphia, Pa	2,525	45,290	151	13,145	3,900	81,360	15	1,750	6,591	5.449	141,545	21.48
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,124	19,805	123	10,815	2,521	53,360	16	1,560	3,784	3.128	85,540	22.61
Washington, D. C	472	9,210	138	11,720	859	20,835	19	1,805	1,488	1.230	43,570	29.28
Baltimore, Md	507	10,130	90	7,675	913	21,030	11	1,200	1,521	1.258	40,035	26.32
Richmond, Va	420	9,045	65	5,670	1,011	21,970	2	200	1,498	1.238	36,885	24.62
Charleston, W. Va	366	6,530	30	2,545	1,182	24,870	1	100	1,579	1.305	34,045	21.56
Atlanta, Ga	796	17,495	154	13,720	1,591	36,620	11	1,150	2,552	2.110	68,985	27.03
Jacksonville, Fla	235	5,260	60	5,315	641	15,005	10	1,050	946	.782	26,630	28.15
Charlotte, N. C	337	7,245	64	5,635	1,244	28,700	11	1,150	1,656	1.369	42,730	25.80
Columbia, S. C	220	5,435	32	2,850	660	15,230	6	535	918	.759	24,050	26.20
Nashville, Tenn	462	9,630	78	6,900	1,533	34,515	5	570	2,078	1.718	51,615	24.84
New Orleans, La	550	12,430	109	9,835	1,134	23,035	9	855	1,802	1.490	46,155	25.61
Birmingham, Ala	550	10,450	70	6,280	1,930	38,590	4	600	2,554	2.111	55,920	21.90
Jackson, Miss	445	9,505	63	5,910	862	16,585	1	100	1,371	1.133	32,100	23.41
Cincinnati, Ohio	1,312	28,455	112	9,890	2,766	56,080	5	500	4,189	3.463	94,925	22.66
Cleveland, Ohio	818	16,860	48	4,140	2,656	52,505	6	645	3,528	2.917	74,150	21.02
Indianapolis, Ind	1,254	28,420	126	11,140	1,826	37,145	10	1,050	3,216	2.659	77,755	24.18
Louisville, Ky	1,452	28,425	66	5,915	2,174	41,585	4	400	3,696	3.056	76,325	20.65
Chicago, Ill	3,701	64,660	253	21,920	2,786	64,235	30	3,110	6,770	5.597	153,925	22.74
Detroit, Mich	1,245	22,845	104	8,875	1,612	37,315	13	1,450	2,974	2.459	70,485	23.70
Milwaukee, Wis	1,217	21,835	82	7,065	1,359	29,090	13	1,400	2,671	2.208	59,390	22.24
St. Louis, Mo	1,260	26,125	87	7,575	1,277	27,895	14	1,750	2,638	2.181	63,345	24.01
Kansas City, Mo	845	16,250	59	5,225	1,062	22,335	2	200	1,968	1.627	44,010	22.36
Des Moines, Iowa	857	15,180	34	3,070	1,189	24,745	1	100	2,081	1.720	43,095	20.71
Omaha, Nebr	580	11,590	31	2,810	907	18,280	5	550	1,523	1.259	33,230	21.82
Minneapolis, Minn	1,245	23,975	265	23,335	2,613	55,050	19	1,950	4,142	3.424	104,310	25.18
Helena, Mont	239	4,930	57	4,870	666	13,380	1	100	963	.796	23,280	24.17
Fargo, N. Dak	123	2,560	25	2,240	417	8,430	2	200	567	.469	13,430	23.69
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	195	3,730	37	3,240	604	11,480			836	.691	18,450	22.07
Denver, Colo	513	11,000	93	8,045	1,090	19,710	11	1,100	1,707	1.411	39,855	23.35
Albuquerque, N. Mex	144	3,160	41	3,510	410	8,415	3	300	598	.494	15,385	25.73
Salt Lake City, Utah	143	2,560	17	1,510	416	6,700	3	400	579	.479	11,170	19.29
Casper, Wyo	58	915	10	940	272	4,755			340	.281	6,610	19.44
San Francisco, Calif	604	12,980	114	9,575	1,895	40,365	21	2,320	2,634	2.178	65,240	24.77
Los Angeles, Calif	955	22,100	165	14,260	2,026	41,260	18	1,870	3,164	2.616	79,490	25.12
Phoenix, Ariz	90	2,180	17	1,540	189	3,845	2	200	298	.246	7,765	26.06
Seattle, Wash	401	7,465	63	5,470	1,252	28,080	6	600	1,722	1.424	41,615	24.17
Boise, Idaho	77	1,430	14	1,155	185	3,935	6	600	282	.233	7,120	25.25
Portland, Oreg	248	4,580	55	4,685	595	13,630	6	600	904	.747	23,495	25.99
Dallas, Tex	882	17,365	71	6,430	1,269	27,550	6	590	2,228	1.842	51,935	23.31

TABLE No. 70.—*Compensation, active disability awards; special classification of major disability, showing extent of disability, number and per cent of awards, monthly and average monthly payments for regional offices, foreign countries and central office, as of June 30, 1925*—Con.

GENERAL MEDICAL AND SURGICAL CONDITIONS—Continued

Regional office	Temporary partial		Temporary total		Permanent partial		Permanent total		Total			
	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
Little Rock, Ark	636	$12,445	73	$6,585	989	$18,675	3	$300	1,701	1.406	$38,005	$22.34
Oklahoma City, Okla	806	16,720	108	9,495	1,545	31,715	2	300	2,461	2.035	58,230	23.66
Wichita, Kans	538	11,220	27	2,340	751	15,575	5	550	1,321	1.092	29,685	22.47
San Antonio, Tex	487	10,275	53	4,585	971	20,265	5	500	1,516	1.253	35,625	23.50
Reno, Nev	21	425			50	1,060			71	.059	1,485	20.92
Total regional offices	43,761	840,260	4,455	390,585	68,195	1,454,240	431	45,410	116,842	96.596	2,730,495	23.37
Foreign countries	385	8,460	32	2,825	575	14,920	1	100	993	.821	26,305	26.49
Central office	95	2,135	54	4,650	96	3,450	2,880	327,365	3,125	2.583	337,600	108.03
Total	44,241	850,855	4,541	398,060	68,866	1,472,610	3,312	372,875	120,960	100.000	3,094,400	25.58
TOTAL												
Boston, Mass	5,160	$88,300	793	$68,165	1,635	$40,110	346	$30,550	7,934	3.749	$227,125	$28.63
Portland, Me	524	9,665	187	16,430	217	5,470	14	1,160	942	.445	32,725	34.74
Manchester, N. H	475	7,905	83	7,365	169	4,010	35	3,150	762	.360	22,430	29.44
Providence, R. I	694	11,865	169	14,420	326	7,665	53	5,180	1,242	.587	39,130	31.51
Burlington, Vt	326	6,045	54	4,725	141	2,760	19	1,550	540	.255	15,080	27.93
New York, N. Y	7,963	172,960	2,484	208,300	4,618	113,980	542	47,655	15,607	7.374	542,895	34.79
Buffalo, N. Y	2,262	49,025	572	49,335	2,037	45,215	168	13,880	5,039	2.381	157,455	31.25
Hartford, Conn	1,454	30,490	487	41,845	980	21,330	103	7,930	3,024	1.429	101,595	33.60
Newark, N. J	2,453	54,710	625	54,015	1,729	41,040	171	14,980	4,979	2.353	164,745	33.09
Philadelphia, Pa	4,253	79,345	898	78,760	4,405	95,035	322	28,805	9,878	4.667	281,945	28.54
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,919	37,385	508	43,965	2,847	63,135	203	18,260	5,477	2.588	162,745	29.71
Washington, D. C	811	16,840	470	38,110	986	24,345	168	13,555	2,435	1.151	92,850	38.13
Baltimore, Md	848	16,715	316	26,995	1,036	24,200	115	10,290	2,315	1.094	78,200	33.78
Richmond, Va	756	17,360	333	28,660	1,138	25,160	67	5,790	2,294	1.084	76,970	33.55
Charleston, W. Va	578	11,650	164	14,345	1,286	27,140	44	4,030	2,072	.979	57,165	27.59
Atlanta, Ga	1,722	44,020	716	62,965	2,013	45,445	98	8,920	4,549	2.149	161,350	35.47
Jacksonville, Fla	594	17,580	179	15,720	825	18,840	56	5,060	1,654	.782	57,200	34.58
Charlotte, N. C	895	27,565	582	50,975	1,718	38,065	129	12,240	3,324	1.571	128,845	38.76
Columbia, S. C	633	19,515	239	21,150	939	20,895	44	3,715	1,855	.877	65,275	35.19
Nashville, Tenn	1,283	37,545	672	60,320	2,019	43,150	74	6,670	4,048	1.913	147,685	36.48
New Orleans, La	921	22,950	715	64,510	1,391	29,755	79	6,965	3,106	1.468	124,180	39.98
Birmingham, Ala	1,154	27,580	611	53,350	2,248	46,390	79	6,860	4,092	1.933	134,180	32.79
Jackson, Miss	716	17,150	737	66,890	1,060	20,960	31	2,700	2,544	1.202	107,700	42.33
Cincinnati, Ohio	2,277	58,170	536	46,495	3,227	66,250	159	14,790	6,199	2.929	185,705	29.96
Cleveland, Ohio	1,776	39,395	316	26,970	3,148	62,410	148	14,005	5,388	2.546	142,780	26.50
Indianapolis, Ind	2,647	67,290	539	46,570	2,216	44,620	142	12,080	5,544	2.619	170,560	30.76
Louisville, Ky	2,789	68,445	332	29,240	2,650	50,080	101	9,255	5,872	2.774	157,020	26.74
Chicago, Ill	6,121	114,255	1,428	121,320	3,093	72,485	476	43,905	11,118	5.253	351,965	31.66
Detroit, Mich	2,232	45,360	683	59,170	1,790	42,135	203	16,610	4,908	2.319	163,275	33.27
Milwaukee, Wis	2,236	41,740	664	56,215	1,518	33,075	169	15,180	4,587	2.167	146,210	31.87
St. Louis, Mo	2,233	47,640	511	45,820	1,438	32,595	154	14,750	4,336	2.049	140,805	32.47
Kansas City, Mo	1,380	27,880	333	29,010	1,191	25,640	83	7,220	2,987	1.411	89,750	30.05
Des Moines, Iowa	1,378	25,995	229	19,675	1,301	27,895	100	8,660	3,008	1.421	82,225	27.34
Omaha, Nebr	763	15,425	128	11,275	977	19,930	46	3,610	1,914	.904	50,240	26.25
Minneapolis, Minn	2,351	58,460	1,290	111,730	3,075	67,470	187	16,025	6,903	3.262	253,685	36.75
Helena, Mont	392	9,860	233	20,095	761	15,690	41	3,500	1,427	.674	49,145	34.44
Fargo, N. Dak	302	7,780	127	11,155	499	10,505	22	1,690	950	.449	31,130	32.77
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	338	8,290	149	13,160	739	14,005	25	2,230	1,251	.591	37,685	30.12
Denver, Colo	1,225	37,725	690	59,870	2,002	32,425	130	12,365	4,047	1.912	142,385	35.18
Albuquerque, N. Mex	426	14,045	439	38,180	665	12,145	75	7,250	1,605	.758	71,620	44.62
Salt Lake City, Utah	235	4,890	45	3,885	520	8,475	19	1,890	819	.387	19,140	23.37
Casper, Wyo	139	3,480	69	5,595	349	6,025	36	1,730	593	.280	16,830	28.38
San Francisco, Calif	1,272	34,290	643	53,925	2,184	47,595	242	19,405	4,341	2.051	155,215	35.76
Los Angeles, Calif	2,050	59,155	948	81,460	2,560	50,315	188	18,075	5,746	2.715	209,005	36.37
Phoenix, Ariz	391	15,840	421	36,770	319	5,830	84	7,965	1,215	.574	66,405	54.65
Seattle, Wash	723	15,265	313	26,705	1,398	31,910	130	10,490	2,564	1.211	84,370	32.91
Boise, Idaho	107	2,010	58	4,970	226	4,810	31	3,020	422	.199	14,810	35.09
Portland, Oreg	525	10,785	216	18,460	707	16,560	36	3,120	1,484	.701	48,925	32.97
Dallas, Tex	1,527	33,565	452	40,350	1,442	31,350	73	6,660	3,494	1.651	111,925	32.03
Little Rock, Ark	1,067	26,585	465	41,655	1,161	22,345	46	3,560	2,739	1.294	94,145	34.37
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,421	34,630	470	41,365	1,826	37,980	38	3,970	3,755	1.774	117,945	31.41
Wichita, Kans	837	18,580	133	11,590	823	17,450	43	4,080	1,836	.868	51,700	28.16
San Antonio, Tex	875	20,655	565	49,650	1,127	23,745	120	11,070	2,687	1.270	105,120	39.12
Reno, Nev	45	1,395	7	610	62	1,440			114	.054	3,445	30.22
Total regional offices	80,474	1,793,045	26,027	2,254,255	80,757	1,739,280	6,307	558,055	193,565	91.458	6,344,635	32.78
Foreign countries	961	28,880	285	26,165	667	17,745	6	600	1,919	.907	73,390	38.24
Central office	197	5,910	283	24,265	114	4,150	15,566	1,533,320	16,160	7.635	1,567,645	97.01
Grand total	81,632	1,827,835	26,595	2,304,685	81,538	1,761,175	[1] 21,879	2,091,975	211,644	100.000	7,985,670	37.73

[1] Includes 13 double permanent totals.

TABLE No. 71.—*Compensation, active disability awards; comparative analysis of temporary and permanent awards, showing number and per cent of awards, monthly and average monthly payments, as of June 30, 1925*

Regional office	Temporary awards			Permanent awards			Total		
	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Number	Per cent	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Average monthly payment
Boston, Mass	5,953	75.032	$156,465	1,981	24.968	$70,660	7,934	$227,125	$28.63
Portland, Me	711	75.478	26,095	231	24.522	6,630	942	32,725	34.74
Manchester, N. H	558	73.228	15,270	204	26.772	7,160	762	22,430	29.44
Providence, R. I	863	69.485	26,285	379	30.515	12,845	1,242	39,130	31.51
Burlington, Vt	380	70.370	10,770	160	29.630	4,310	540	15,080	27.93
New York, N. Y	10,447	66.938	381,260	5,160	33.062	161,635	15,607	542,895	34.79
Buffalo, N. Y	2,834	56.241	98,360	2,205	43.759	59,095	5,039	157,455	31.25
Hartford, Conn	1,941	64.187	72,335	1,083	35.813	29,260	3,024	101,595	33.60
Newark, N. J	3,079	61.840	108,725	1,900	38.160	56,020	4,979	164,745	33.09
Philadelphia, Pa	5,151	52.146	158,105	4,727	47.854	123,840	9,878	281,945	28.54
Pittsburgh, Pa	2,427	44.313	81,350	3,050	55.687	81,395	5,477	162,745	29.71
Washington, D. C	1,281	52.608	54,950	1,154	47.392	37,900	2,435	92,850	38.13
Baltimore, Md	1,164	50.281	43,710	1,151	49.719	34,490	2,315	78,200	33.78
Richmond, Va	1,089	47.472	46,020	1,205	52.528	30,950	2,294	76,970	33.55
Charleston, W. Va	742	35.811	25,995	1,330	64.189	31,170	2,072	57,165	27.59
Atlanta, Ga	2,438	53.594	106,985	2,111	46.406	54,365	4,549	161,350	35.47
Jacksonville, Fla	773	46.735	33,300	881	53.265	23,900	1,654	57,200	34.58
Charlotte, N. C	1,477	44.434	78,540	1,847	55.566	50,305	3,324	128,845	38.76
Columbia, S. C	872	47.008	40,665	983	52.992	24,610	1,855	65,275	35.19
Nashville, Tenn	1,955	48.295	97,865	2,093	51.705	49,820	4,048	147,685	36.48
New Orleans, La	1,636	52.672	87,460	1,470	47.328	36,720	3,106	124,180	39.98
Birmingham, Ala	1,765	43.133	80,930	2,327	56.867	53,250	4,092	134,180	32.79
Jackson, Miss	1,453	57.115	84,040	1,091	42.885	23,660	2,544	107,700	42.33
Cincinnati, Ohio	2,813	45.378	104,665	3,386	54.622	81,040	6,199	185,705	29.96
Cleveland, Ohio	2,092	38.827	66,365	3,296	61.173	76,415	5,388	142,780	26.50
Indianapolis, Ind	3,186	42.532	113,860	2,358	57.468	56,700	5,544	170,560	30.76
Louisville, Ky	3,121	53.151	97,685	2,751	46.849	59,335	5,872	157,020	26.74
Chicago, Ill	7,549	67.899	235,575	3,569	32.101	116,390	11,118	351,965	31.66
Detroit, Mich	2,915	59.393	104,530	1,993	40.607	58,745	4,908	163,275	33.27
Milwaukee, Wis	2,900	53.222	97,955	1,687	36.778	48,255	4,587	146,210	31.87
St. Louis, Mo	2,744	63.284	93,460	1,592	36.716	47,345	4,336	140,805	32.47
Kansas City, Mo	1,713	57.349	56,890	1,274	42.651	32,860	2,987	89,750	30.05
Des Moines, Iowa	1,607	53.424	45,670	1,401	46.576	36,555	3,008	82,225	27.34
Omaha, Nebr	891	46.552	26,700	1,023	53.448	23,540	1,914	50,240	26.25
Minneapolis, Minn	3,641	52.745	170,190	3,262	47.255	83,495	6,903	253,685	36.75
Helena, Mont	625	43.798	29,955	802	56.202	19,190	1,427	49,145	34.44
Fargo, N. Dak	429	45.158	18,935	521	54.842	12,195	950	31,130	32.77
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	487	38.929	21,450	764	61.071	16,235	1,251	37,685	30.12
Denver, Colo	1,915	47.319	97,595	2,132	52.681	44,790	4,047	42,385	35.18
Albuquerque, N. Mex	865	53.894	52,225	740	46.106	19,395	1,605	71,620	44.62
Salt Lake City, Utah	280	34.188	8,775	539	65.812	10,365	819	19,140	23.37
Casper, Wyo	208	35.076	9,075	385	64.924	7,755	593	16,830	28.38
San Francisco, Calif	1,915	44.114	88,215	2,426	55.886	67,000	4,341	155,215	35.76
Los Angeles, Calif	2,998	52.175	140,615	2,748	47.825	68,390	5,746	209,005	36.37
Phoenix, Ariz	812	66.831	52,610	403	33.169	13,795	1,215	66,405	54.65
Seattle, Wash	1,036	40.406	41,970	1,528	59.594	42,400	2,564	84,370	32.91
Boise, Idaho	165	39.100	6,980	257	60.900	7,830	422	14,810	35.09
Portland, Oreg	741	49.933	29,245	743	50.067	19,680	1,484	48,925	32.97
Dallas, Tex	1,979	56.640	73,915	1,515	43.360	38,010	3,494	111,925	32.03
Little Rock, Ark	1,532	55.933	68,240	1,207	44.067	25,905	2,739	94,145	34.37
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,891	50.360	75,995	1,864	49.640	41,950	3,755	117,945	31.41
Wichita, Kans	970	52.832	30,170	866	47.168	21,530	1,836	51,700	28.16
San Antonio, Tex	1,440	53.591	70,305	1,247	46.409	34,815	2,687	105,120	39.12
Reno, Nev	52	45.614	2,005	62	54.386	1,440	114	3,445	30.22
Total regional offices[1]	106,501	55.021	4,047,300	87,064	44.979	2,297,335	193,565	6,344,635	32.78
Foreign countries	1,246	64.930	55,045	673	35.070	18,345	1,919	73,390	38.24
Central office	480	2.970	30,175	15,680	97.030	1,537,470	16,160	1,567,645	97.01
Grand total	108,227	51.136	4,132,520	103,417	48.864	3,853,150	211,644	7,985,670	37.73

[1] Figures based on reports of decentralization received in central office to June 30, 1925.

TABLE No. 72.—*Compensation, active disability awards; relationship of beneficiary to claimant, showing number and amount of monthly payments, as of June 30, 1925*

Beneficiary relationship	Number	Monthly payment
Self	150,849	$5,492,025
Self and 1 child	857	39,370
Self and 2 children	302	13,775
Self and 3 or more children	122	5,675
Self and wife	20,038	760,375
Self, wife, and 1 child	17,112	680,440
Self, wife, and 2 children	11,204	467,465
Self, wife, and 3 or more children	3,748	182,940
Self and parent or parents	5,026	227,480
Self, parent or parents, and 1 child	71	3,700
Self, parent or parents, and 2 children	7	315
Self, parent or parents, and 3 or more children	4	115
Self, wife, and parent or parents	1,128	52,795
Self, wife, parent or parents, and 1 child	831	39,005
Self, wife, parent or parents, and 2 children	258	13,900
Self, wife, parent or parents, and 3 or more children	87	6,295
Total	[1] 211,644	7,985,670

[1] Of this number 1,277 are given allowance for nurse.

TABLE No. 73.—*Compensation, active death awards; number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving compensation, or compensation and insurance payments, with amount of monthly payments to dependents, as of June 30, 1925*

Kind of claim	Number	Monthly compensation payment
Compensation only	12,259	$359,055
Compensation and contract (term) insurance	49,328	1,267,430
Compensation and automatic insurance	3,405	86,580
Compensation and United States Government life insurance	837	26,990
Compensation, contract (term) insurance and United States Government life	129	4,035
Total	65,958	1,744,090

TABLE No. 74.—*Compensation, active death awards; number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving compensation correlated with State or country of dependents, and showing amount of monthly payments as of June 30, 1925*

State or country	Wife		Child		2 children		3 or more children		Parent or parents		Wife and child		Wife and 2 children		Wife and 3 or more children		Wife and parent or parents		Wife, child or children, parent or parents		Child or children parent or parents		Total	
	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
Maine	70	$2,000	23	$460	9	$265	2	$80	364	$8,300	44	$1,675	18	$810	10	$540	5	$250			4	$160	549	$14,540
Massachusetts	256	7,310	122	2,445	29	875	11	460	1,670	36,690	196	7,560	105	4,725	46	2,460	39	1,960	41	$2,225	18	875	2,533	67,585
New Hampshire	40	1,140	20	395	7	210	2	80	160	3,500	24	950	12	535	3	160	2	110	2	120	6	275	278	7,475
Rhode Island	40	1,150	19	380	6	170			173	3,740	35	1,360	13	585	3	165	3	150	2	115	5	240	299	8,055
Vermont	18	525	16	320	1	75			179	4,000	17	650	5	225	3	160	4	210	2	115	2	100	247	6,380
Connecticut	67	1,940	43	880	9	285	1	40	513	11,100	57	2,205	36	1,165	7	365	7	335	11	645	9	395	750	19,355
New Jersey	202	5,740	95	1,880	19	565	7	285	1,068	23,305	165	6,375	56	2,520	20	1,030	21	1,055	16	955	11	445	1,680	44,155
New York	760	21,710	268	5,340	67	1,995	23	970	4,411	97,370	466	17,960	169	7,595	59	3,115	104	5,215	69	4,130	57	2,495	6,453	167,895
Delaware	21	585	11	215	1	30			57	1,240	9	355	5	225	2	100	2	95	2	115	2	90	112	3,050
Pennsylvania	497	14,195	285	5,665	80	2,380	18	760	3,208	70,650	356	13,615	151	6,790	49	2,610	72	4,060	47	2,925	54	2,370	4,817	126,020
District of Columbia	174	4,950	25	510	8	240	3	125	201	4,200	85	3,265	24	1,080	7	360	22	1,145	5	335	9	390	563	16,600
Maryland	131	3,750	60	1,200	14	420	4	165	623	13,740	71	2,725	26	1,170	19	1,000	15	775	12	730	6	240	981	25,915
Virginia	171	4,800	75	1,485	19	550	14	570	970	21,740	130	4,930	46	2,075	27	1,395	20	980	17	1,045	26	1,155	1,515	40,725
West Virginia	62	1,790	60	1,210	8	240	4	170	583	13,390	56	2,125	23	1,035	10	520	7	350	8	515	12	560	833	21,905
Florida	98	2,805	70	1,385	13	390	6	260	460	10,230	55	2,135	20	900	9	475	18	915	12	755	17	760	778	21,010
Georgia	158	4,550	122	2,430	45	1,345	14	565	1,144	25,710	122	4,675	55	2,475	19	1,020	40	1,995	19	1,190	20	975	1,758	46,930
North Carolina	154	4,350	70	1,395	31	925	10	415	963	21,600	115	4,405	36	1,615	17	905	18	950	13	835	21	905	1,448	38,300
South Carolina	142	4,020	87	1,725	23	690	9	375	614	13,745	105	3,970	29	1,285	11	590	20	1,005	11	680	18	815	1,069	28,900
Tennessee	175	5,000	140	2,790	23	680	20	830	1,205	27,610	135	5,190	46	2,055	28	1,520	31	1,565	19	1,195	47	2,110	1,869	50,545
Alabama	132	3,730	94	1,885	25	745	5	225	1,023	22,985	106	4,085	36	1,620	21	1,140	28	1,420	22	1,375	27	1,265	1,519	40,475
Louisiana	177	5,030	77	1,545	19	565	7	280	858	19,060	120	4,605	44	1,980	17	895	23	1,140	15	955	25	1,100	1,382	37,155
Mississippi	88	2,495	99	1,975	19	555	4	165	712	16,020	71	2,695	26	1,170	8	415	22	1,100	13	825	16	720	1,078	28,135
Indiana	161	4,595	119	2,390	29	870	9	365	1,013	22,695	112	4,290	57	2,565	20	1,025	28	1,430	13	805	31	1,385	1,592	42,415
Kentucky	148	4,265	108	2,150	28	840	9	370	1,270	29,085	117	4,595	50	2,250	20	1,070	22	1,080	23	1,450	40	1,770	1,835	48,925
Ohio	347	9,950	201	4,025	48	1,425	12	515	1,937	43,345	217	8,290	90	4,045	23	1,200	42	2,150	21	1,270	43	1,895	2,981	78,110
Illinois	392	11,215	225	4,500	44	1,320	23	970	1,917	42,320	255	9,855	89	4,005	24	1,280	48	2,435	16	970	39	1,750	3,072	80,620
Michigan	193	5,590	130	2,605	26	780	8	325	1,113	25,140	109	4,165	39	1,755	22	1,175	22	1,105	13	835	23	990	1,698	44,465
Wisconsin	103	2,915	84	1,680	16	480	3	125	979	22,025	96	3,690	33	1,485	10	520	20	985	11	685	11	480	1,366	35,070
Iowa	103	2,930	91	1,815	15	450	5	200	648	14,715	75	2,885	22	990	8	440	9	455	10	620	9	360	995	25,850
Kansas	91	2,600	66	1,325	23	690	3	120	536	12,160	63	2,440	18	810	7	360	9	445	6	355	15	650	837	21,965
Missouri	250	7,130	133	2,660	33	990	7	265	1,497	33,595	142	5,430	51	2,295	23	1,230	31	1,575	17	1,055	36	1,505	2,220	57,730
Nebraska	62	1,780	51	1,010	13	390	4	160	290	6,510	29	1,095	10	450	5	265	5	250	8	435	5	260	482	12,605
Minnesota	129	3,625	70	1,410	13	390	11	455	723	16,360	96	3,700	30	1,350	8	420	11	550	6	395	9	410	1,106	29,085
Montana	15	430	20	400	7	210			194	4,490	17	645	6	270	3	165	3	160			1	50	266	6,820
North Dakota	13	360	19	380	3	90			142	3,200	15	585	4	180	3	160	1	50	3	180	1	40	204	5,225
South Dakota	19	540	27	540	4	120	1	40	139	3,145	17	675	6	270	1	60	1	45	1	60	2	80	218	5,575
Colorado	91	2,620	51	1,020	14	420	3	130	358	7,985	67	2,595	18	810	8	445	15	765	12	750	8	355	645	17,895
New Mexico	33	930	20	395	2	60	1	45	151	3,380	20	765	19	855	3	160	4	210	8	520	4	160	265	7,480
Utah	21	580	20	410	3	90	3	120	146	3,290	11	405	6	270	5	270	5	255	3	195	5	210	228	6,095
Wyoming	10	265	13	260					54	1,255	13	510	1	45	1	50							92	2,385
Arizona	36	1,020	10	200	1	30	2	80	67	1,440	23	875	9	405	2	100			6	345	3	120	159	4,615
California	452	12,990	196	3,925	51	1,515	13	550	1,130	24,355	237	9,190	96	4,310	29	1,495	39	1,945	18	1,125	28	1,190	2,289	62,590
Nevada	2	60	1	20	2	60			15	330	2	80									1	40	23	590
Alaska	1	30							1	30													2	60
Idaho	13	380	18	360	4	120	5	200	156	3,500	9	345	7	310	1	60	3	160			3	150	219	5,585
Oregon	47	1,340	35	700	10	300	1	40	257	5,710	37	1,430	21	945	2	100	7	355	1	40	7	300	425	11,260
Washington	94	2,675	63	1,260	15	440	4	160	490	10,915	53	2,045	20	895	3	160	6	295	7	435	10	440	765	19,720
Arkansas	93	2,655	84	1,660	22	660	4	165	628	14,130	61	2,340	23	1,035	21	1,115	16	815	6	385	25	1,125	983	26,085
Oklahoma	78	2,235	127	2,550	34	1,010	18	770	705	16,055	94	3,625	32	1,440	9	465	16	850	12	750	27	1,240	1,152	30,990
Texas	309	8,730	185	3,690	41	1,215	17	725	1,463	33,005	191	7,415	67	3,015	21	1,060	29	1,470	39	2,420	34	1,545	2,396	64,290
Total	6,939	198,000	4,048	80,855	976	29,160	330	13,715	39,178	874,090	4,718	181,470	1,795	80,690	677	35,790	915	46,615	618	37,860	832	36,940	61,026	1,615,185
Guam	2	60									1	40			3	150							6	250
Hawaii	7	200	3	60	2	60	2	60	13	265	2	80	2	90	2	105							33	920
Panama	2	60	1	20					3	60	2	80											8	220
Philippine Islands	56	1,575	9	180	9	265	9	360	184	4,020	42	1,600	25	1,125	24	1,300	13	640	13	820	4	215	388	12,100
Porto Rico	28	815	7	135	9	270	4	175	151	3,340	33	1,245	30	1,350	14	740	44	2,495			3	120	323	10,685
Samoa					1	30	2	85							1	75							4	190
Virgin Islands	1	30									1	35					1	45					3	110
Total United States possessions	96	2,740	20	395	21	625	17	680	351	7,685	81	3,080	57	2,565	44	2,370	58	3,180	13	820	7	335	765	24,475
Austria	1	25							9	200													10	225
Belgium									29	675	1	40											30	715
British Isles	8	225	5	100					618	14,100	10	365	3	135	3	150			1	65	1	50	649	15,190
France	14	390	2	40					15	360	12	460	1	45			1	50					45	1,345
Germany	2	50	1	20					8	190					1	50			1	60			13	370
Italy	18	500	6	115	3	85			1,616	38,800	25	975	17	765	2	100	20	1,030	36	2,285	12	580	1,755	45,235
Northern Russia and Siberia									19	410	1	35	1	45					1	50			22	540
Other parts of Europe	24	670	12	235	8	240	3	110	1,212	28,115	36	1,385	20	900	3	155	9	490	8	520	4	170	1,339	32,990
Total European countries	67	1,860	26	510	11	325	3	110	3,526	82,850	85	3,260	42	1,890	9	455	30	1,570	47	2,980	17	800	3,863	96,610
Africa									8	180							1	65					9	245
Asia			1	20					26	725			2	60									29	805
Australia			1	20																			1	20
Azores									6	140	1	35											7	175
Canada	14	405	7	140	4	120					11	425	6	270	1	60					141	3,160	184	4,580
China	6	180	2	40					4	80	3	115	2	85	1	60			1	65			19	625
Cuba									1	20							1	50					2	70
Dominican and Haiti Republics	1	20							2	40	1	35											4	105
India					1	25																	1	25
Japan	1	25																					1	25

TABLE No. 74.—*Compensation, active death awards; number of deceased veterans whose dependents are receiving compensation correlated with State or country of dependents, and showing amount of monthly payments as of June 30, 1925*—Continued

State or country	Wife		Child		2 children		3 or more children		Parent or parents		Wife and child		Wife and 2 children		Wife and 3 or more children		Wife and parent or parents		Wife, child or children, parent or parents		Child or children parent or parents		Total	
	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment	Number	Monthly payment
Mexico	1	$30							4	$100													5	$130
Newfoundland									8	175													8	175
South America									7	140													7	140
West Indies			1	$20					23	510			1	$45							2	$125	27	700
Total miscellaneous countries	23	670	12	240	5	$145			99	2,110	16	610	11	460	2	$120	2	$115	1	$65	143	3,285	304	7,820
Total United States possessions and other countries	186	5,270	58	1,145	37	1,095	20	$790	3,966	92,645	182	6,950	110	4,915	55	2,945	90	4,865	61	3,865	167	4,420	4,932	128,905
Grand total	7,125	203,270	4,106	82,000	1,013	30,255	350	14,505	43,144	968,735	4,900	188,420	1,905	85,605	732	38,735	1,005	51,480	679	41,725	999	41,360	65,958	1,744,090

TABLE No. 75.—*Statement showing the number of United States Government term and converted insurance claims received monthly and by fiscal years from October, 1917, to June 30, 1925*

Date	Term insurance claims[1]	Converted insurance claims	Total
1917			
October	982		982
November	1,553		1,553
December	1,691		1,691
1918			
January	1,111		1,111
February	2,542		2,542
March	695		695
April	1,337		1,337
May	1,793		1,793
June	1,614		1,614
Total to June 30, 1918	13,318		13,318
July	1,326		1,326
August	1,345		1,345
September	2,863		2,863
October	3,927		3,927
November	5,223		5,223
December	7,909		7,909
1919			
January	33,469		33,469
February	19,380		19,380
March	12,480		12,480
April	8,940		8,940
May	5,520		5,520
June	3,000		3,000
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1919	105,382		105,382
July	2,280		2,280
August	2,910		2,910
September	2,220		2,220
October	1,210		1,210
November	1,632		1,632
December	1,181		1,181
1920			
January	1,454		1,454
February	1,457		1,457
March	1,628		1,628
April	1,045	135	1,180
May	1,626	37	1,663
June	1,659	48	1,707
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1920	20,302	220	20,522
July	1,616	53	1,669
August	833	56	889
September	796	56	852
October	1,100	71	1,171
November	1,022	69	1,091
December	1,302	69	1,371
1921			
January	2,296	108	2,404
February	2,131	109	2,240
March	2,109	182	2,291
April	3,561	191	3,752
May	2,591	128	2,719
June	2,511	132	2,643
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1921	21,868	1,224	23,092
July	3,379	69	3,448
August	1,419	84	1,503
September	1,114	153	1,267
October	1,038	125	1,163
November	1,001	90	1,091
December	966	123	1,089
1922			
January	872	102	974
February	1,081	109	1,190
March	925	116	1,041
April	630	95	725
May	2,275	84	2,359
June	910	102	1,012
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1922	15,610	1,252	16,862
July	828	116	944
August	822	112	934
September	1,268	127	1,395
October	1,487	145	1,632
November	1,199	111	1,310
December	1,229	127	1,356
1923			
January	1,305	164	1,469
February	1,200	124	1,324
March	1,700	183	1,883
April	1,128	165	1,293
May	1,215	120	1,335
June	1,223	136	1,359
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1923	14,604	1,630	16,234
July	1,240	120	1,360
August	1,420	110	1,530
September	1,182	142	1,324
October	1,202	167	1,369
November	977	120	1,097
December	785	118	903
1924			
January	881	121	1,002
February	948	142	1,090
March	1,096	141	1,237
April	1,303	152	1,455
May	1,092	138	1,230
June	960	127	1,087
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1924	13,086	1,598	14,684
July	1,279	130	1,409
August	1,173	139	1,312
September	1,146	175	1,321
October	1,165	176	1,341
November	1,048	106	1,154
December	976	128	1,104
1925			
January	1,476	141	1,617
February	1,429	145	1,574
March	1,509	156	1,665
April	1,564	150	1,714
May	1,571	177	1,748
June	1,452	172	1,624
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1925	15,788	1,795	17,583
Grand total	219,958	7,719	227,677

[1] Includes automatic insurance.

TABLE No. 76.—*Statement showing number of United States Government term and converted insurance, death and disability awards, monthly and by fiscal years, from December, 1917, to June 30, 1925*

Date	Insurance awards								
	Term insurance			Converted insurance			Total		
	Death	Disability	Total	Death	Disability	Total	Death	Disability	Total
1917									
December	128		128				128		128
1918									
January	296		296				296		296
February	318		318				318		318
March	700		700				700		700
April	1,129		1,129				1,129		1,129
May	1,657		1,657				1,657		1,657
June	1,494		1,494				1,494		1,494
Total to June 30, 1918	5,722		5,722				5,722		5,722
July	1,762		1,762				1,762		1,762
August	2,570		2,570				2,570		2,570
September	2,408		2,408				2,408		2,408
October	3,613		3,613				3,613		3,613
November	3,859	25	3,884				3,859	25	3,884
December	4,038	7	4,045				4,038	7	4,045
1919									
January	13,828	5	13,833				13,828	5	13,833
February	20,970	13	20,983				20,970	13	20,983
March	22,122	37	22,159				22,122	37	22,159
April	12,012	47	12,059				12,012	47	12,059
May	6,644	46	6,690				6,644	46	6,690
June	4,871	44	4,915				4,871	44	4,915
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1919	98,697	224	98,921				98,697	224	98,921
July	4,943	83	5,026				4,943	83	5,026
August	3,337	93	3,430				3,337	93	3,430
September	2,693	100	2,793				2,693	100	2,793
October	3,129	237	3,366				3,129	237	3,366
November	1,513	211	1,724				1,513	211	1,724
December	1,115	273	1,388				1,115	273	1,388
1920									
January	1,296	378	1,674				1,296	378	1,674
February	957	431	1,388				957	431	1,388
March	1,432	287	1,719				1,432	287	1,719
April	1,191	264	1,455	63		63	1,254	264	1,518
May	835	293	1,128	25		25	860	293	1,153
June	1,338	380	1,718	16	1	17	1,354	381	1,735
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1920	23,779	3,030	26,809	104	1	105	23,883	3,031	26,914
July	1,104	106	1,210	32		32	1,136	106	1,242
August	717	23	740	14		14	731	23	754
September	724	−49	675	24		24	748	−49	699
October	663	30	693	30	1	31	693	31	724
November	515	69	584	24	1	25	539	70	609
December	436	124	560	39	7	46	475	131	606
1921									
January	516	149	665	25	4	29	541	153	694
February	573	434	1,007	39	10	49	612	444	1,056
March	544	692	1,236	58	8	66	602	700	1,302
April	658	969	1,627	53	10	63	711	979	1,690
May	608	1,097	1,705	55	18	73	663	1,115	1,778
June	562	1,011	1,573	116	17	133	678	1,028	1,706
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1921	7,620	4,655	12,275	509	76	585	8,129	4,731	12,860
July	465	781	1,246	60	7	67	525	788	1,313
August	412	329	741	57	14	71	469	343	812
September	436	363	799	68	16	84	504	379	883
October	470	353	823	119	56	175	589	409	998
November	562	273	835	59	20	79	621	293	914
December	488	205	693	96	45	141	584	250	834

TABLE No. 76.—*Statement showing number of United States Government term and converted insurance, death and disability awards, monthly and by fiscal years, from December, 1917, to June 30, 1925*—Continued

Date	Insurance awards								
	Term insurance			Converted insurance			Total		
	Death	Disability	Total	Death	Disability	Total	Death	Disability	Total
1922									
January	496	200	696	69	35	104	565	235	800
February	404	143	547	73	39	112	477	182	659
March	468	166	634	97	24	121	565	190	755
April	313	86	399	78	24	102	391	110	501
May	482	98	580	75	9	84	557	107	664
June	505	93	598	86	21	107	591	114	705
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1922	5,501	3,090	8,591	937	310	1,247	6,438	3,400	9,838
July	309	43	352	71	10	81	380	53	433
August	322	32	354	60	13	73	382	45	427
September	388	39	427	91	25	116	479	64	543
October	410	79	489	73	30	103	483	109	592
November	321	82	403	76	30	106	397	112	509
December	336	84	420	78	38	116	414	122	536
1923									
January	337	118	455	83	63	146	420	181	601
February	296	55	351	68	22	90	364	77	441
March	305	66	371	96	57	153	401	123	524
April	350	115	465	98	18	116	448	133	581
May	379	211	590	97	19	116	476	230	706
June	379	214	593	92	11	103	471	225	696
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1923	4,132	1,138	5,270	983	336	1,319	5,115	1,474	6,589
July	290	141	431	76	15	91	366	156	522
August	248	102	350	65	27	92	313	129	442
September	246	132	378	54	31	85	300	163	463
October	254	140	394	116	50	166	370	190	560
November	238	60	298	70	51	121	308	111	419
December	209	42	251	61	31	92	270	73	343
1924									
January	203	38	241	95	42	137	298	80	378
February	182	30	212	75	13	88	257	43	300
March	230	26	256	95	36	131	325	62	387
April	255	80	335	86	21	107	341	101	442
May	247	69	316	86	27	113	333	96	429
June	204	3	207	89	34	123	293	37	330
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1924	2,806	863	3,669	968	378	1,346	3,774	1,241	5,015
July	199	48	247	90	24	114	289	72	361
August	198	156	354	99	26	125	297	182	479
September	242	60	302	89	30	119	331	90	421
October	224	51	275	112	37	149	336	88	424
November	215	34	249	112	16	128	327	50	377
December	222	85	307	79	18	97	301	103	404
1925									
January	246	80	326	81	27	108	327	107	434
February	250	65	315	95	27	122	345	92	437
March	217	168	385	83	26	109	300	194	494
April	231	204	435	83	27	110	314	231	545
May	263	98	361	96	43	139	359	141	500
June	237	203	440	100	44	144	337	247	584
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1925	2,744	1,252	3,996	1,119	345	1,464	3,863	1,597	5,460
Grand total	150,999	14,254	165,253	4,620	1,446	6,066	155,619	15,700	171,319

TABLE No. 77.—*Term insurance, death awards; number of deceased veterans whose beneficiaries are receiving insurance payments, classified by cause of death of veteran and amount of insurance in force, June 30, 1925*

Cause of death	Total active insurance	
	Number	Amount
Suicidal	1,336	$11,654,445
Homicidal	390	3,334,553
Conflagration	51	425,536
Accidental drowning	2,107	16,637,439
Traumatism by firearms, accidental	686	5,889,955
Traumatism by explosion	344	3,862,574
Traumatism by fall	324	2,609,183
Traumatism by motor vehicles	982	8,433,831
Traumatism by airplanes	1,261	12,148,678
Traumatism by railroads	927	8,305,272
Traumatism by other vehicles	30	248,000
Traumatism by machines	20	151,365
Traumatism by other crushing	84	722,457
Traumatism due to athletic sports	38	332,239
Effects of electricity	142	1,186,500
Industrial injuries	48	429,863
Injuries by animals	69	596,228
Casualty in action	52,149	478,512,451
Traumatism due to violence	944	7,997,022
Chemical	352	2,965,533
Traumatism by brawls	33	262,502
Disease	79,067	708,511,062
Total	141,384	1,275,216,688

TABLE No. 78.—*Term insurance, disability and death awards active June 30, 1925; classification of major disability, causing permanent total disability or death*

Classification	Disability		Death		Total	
	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount
Abnormal and congenital malformations	2	$7,000	1	$3,000	3	$10,000
Blood and blood forming organs	17	133,000	203	1,642,145	220	1,775,145
Bones and cartilages	60	536,348	52	460,422	112	996,770
Circulatory system	409	3,363,700	2,568	21,752,935	2,977	25,116,635
Communicable and infectious diseases	60	490,919	3,929	35,076,778	3,989	35,567,697
Digestive system	59	509,464	2,003	17,272,463	2,062	17,781,927
Ear, nose, and throat	56	443,726	243	2,109,122	299	2,552,848
Endocrines	68	566,273	518	4,495,072	586	5,061,345
Eye and annexa	324	2,759,054	11	103,534	335	2,862,588
Genito-urinary system	134	1,126,234	1,291	10,925,226	1,425	12,051,460
Hernia	7	65,000	37	336,404	44	401,404
Joints and bursae	210	1,754,335	39	313,251	249	2,067,586
Lymphatic system	5	47,714	96	820,645	101	868,359
Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths	7	65,000	4	24,908	11	89,908
Nervous system	725	6,034,326	2,442	21,475,456	3,167	27,509,782
Obstetric and gyneocological conditions	1	10,000	5	40,000	6	50,000
Parasitic diseases	6	54,000	28	212,337	34	266,337
Poisonings and intoxications	1	5,000	462	3,827,636	463	3,832,636
Psychiatric diseases	3,219	27,272,356	452	3,625,152	3,671	30,897,508
Respiratory system	90	728,724	51,616	478,179,264	51,706	478,907,988
Skin and its appendages	2	6,823	43	363,557	45	370,380
Tuberculosis	4,224	34,779,042	13,345	109,692,829	17,569	144,471,871
Tumors	52	440,543	785	6,629,537	837	7,070,080
Venereal diseases	63	506,835	150	1,205,388	213	1,712,223
Miscellaneous [1]	144	1,330,532	60,371	548,828,042	60,515	550,158,574
Amputation	478	4,385,180	49	427,528	527	4,812,708
Fractures	47	414,969	641	5,374,057	688	5,789,026
Total	10,470	87,836,097	141,384	1,275,216,688	151,854	1,363,052,785

[1] Includes battle deaths, accidents, and injuries.

TABLE No. 79.—*Term insurance, terminated disability and death awards June 30, 1925; classification of major disability and reasons for termination*

Classification	Disability				Death				Total			
	Recovery		Death		Total		Lump-sum payments			
	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount
Abnormalities and congenital malformations	3	$25,000			3	$25,000			3	$25,000
Blood and blood-forming organs	1	8,000	84	$692,533	85	700,533			85	700,533
Bones and cartilages	130	1,189,000	24	208,000	154	1,397,000			154	1,397,000
Circulatory system	55	478,000	582	5,092,585	637	5,570,585			637	5,570,585
Communicable and infectious diseases	9	80,000	67	595,000	76	675,000	1	$5,000	77	680,000
Digestive system	15	139,000	206	1,831,491	221	1,970,491	2	14,425	223	1,970,491
Ear, nose, and throat	36	332,000	31	295,000	67	627,000			67	627,000
Endocrines	13	125,000	311	2,781,000	324	2,906,000			324	2,906,000
Eye and annexa	28	248,000	31	289,478	59	537,478			59	537,478
Genito-urinary system	41	340,000	440	3,851,478	481	4,200,478			481	4,200,478
Hernia	1	10,000	11	100,000	12	110,000			12	110,000
Joints and bursae	105	970,000	54	495,000	157	1,465,000			157	1,465,000
Lymphatic system			56	466,190	56	466,190			56	466,190
Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths	3	27,000	4	25,000	7	52,000			7	52,000
Nervous system	124	1,099,000	348	2,989,081	472	4,088,081	2	13,000	474	4,101,081
Parasitic diseases	2	20,000	5	40,000	7	60,000	1	7,500	7	67,500
Psychiatric diseases	1	10,000	2	20,000	3	30,000			4	37,500
Respiratory system	159	1,357,000	588	5,164,420	747	6,521,420	43	350,487	747	6,521,420
Skin and its appendages	67	560,000	264	2,361,500	331	2,922,000			374	3,272,487
Tuberculosis	1	10,000	6	40,500	7	50,500			7	50,500
Tumors	1,411	12,030,149	8,992	76,946,890	10,403	88,977,039	8	54,814	10,411	89,031,853
Venereal diseases	11	95,000	314	2,720,572	325	2,815,572			325	2,815,572
Miscellaneous	15	124,000	80	689,433	95	813,433			95	813,433
Amputations	140	1,296,000	90	784,000	230	2,080,000			268	2,373,396
Fractures	105	963,500	44	414,000	149	1,377,500			149	1,377,500
Total	151	1,387,500	15	115,000	166	1,502,500	1	10,000	167	1,512,500
	2,625	22,952,649	12,649	108,979,248	15,274	131,931,897	96	748,622	15,370	132,680,519

[1] Includes battle deaths, accidents, and injuries.

TABLE No. 80.—*Term insurance, disability and death awards active June 30, 1925; number of veterans classified by place of residence of veteran, or beneficiary receiving insurance payments, and amount of insurance in force*

State or country	Self		Wife or husband		Child or children		Parent or parents		Sisters, brothers		Aunt, uncle, niece, nephew	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama	109	$908,588	288	$2,424,707	31	$242,822	1,514	$13,234,034	410	$3,617,206	12	$109,382
Alaska	1	10,000	6	47,857	1	10,000	8	69,816	3	25,000		
Arizona	391	3,274,114	58	498,726	3	29,698	141	1,281,821	52	446,601	3	29,963
Arkansas	100	780,261	221	1,956,963	22	205,893	1,090	9,597,771	343	2,920,701	11	89,543
California	737	6,232,431	893	8,033,585	51	469,632	2,586	23,531,406	823	7,420,584	26	243,114
Colorado	706	6,075,311	223	1,950,603	15	136,671	794	7,360,793	169	1,619,337	3	25,000
Connecticut	149	1,204,517	146	1,316,879	9	85,000	1,048	9,353,606	388	3,319,931	22	187,467
Delaware	13	106,221	35	301,404	4	34,086	95	808,085	40	343,302	1	5,000
District of Columbia	378	3,198,895	235	2,045,270	17	131,397	326	2,827,193	134	1,189,684	5	40,000
Florida	92	763,554	236	2,112,621	19	164,728	801	6,821,601	230	1,944,618	4	40,000
Georgia	167	1,352,653	320	2,689,004	34	278,849	1,653	13,652,464	500	4,150,227	26	236,917
Idaho	34	269,020	52	491,785	2	14,500	383	3,683,637	81	756,934	1	10,000
Illinois	558	4,674,616	807	7,287,057	80	730,931	4,544	42,131,249	1,439	12,986,094	54	478,858
Indiana	222	1,812,253	397	3,553,206	38	370,629	2,074	19,060,968	431	3,908,742	12	99,621
Iowa	139	1,202,903	293	2,709,918	26	245,000	2,583	24,682,787	536	5,093,101	12	115,000
Kansas	107	948,238	271	2,547,945	19	175,001	1,832	17,448,830	337	3,057,506	4	40,000
Kentucky	169	1,434,573	340	3,063,380	45	389,078	1,993	18,115,804	481	4,254,095	14	139,155
Louisiana	102	767,182	267	2,198,655	42	354,779	1,259	10,732,299	400	3,411,319	9	85,000
Maine	48	355,173	144	1,249,517	8	56,908	619	5,658,690	151	1,359,398	12	92,000
Maryland	207	1,685,670	262	2,186,790	16	136,958	1,153	10,004,990	324	2,719,104	18	137,529
Massachusetts	373	2,976,336	579	4,977,191	32	260,675	3,083	27,049,703	953	8,169,767	57	505,482
Michigan	195	1,754,301	457	4,161,497	37	328,254	2,934	27,322,820	685	6,299,494	32	268,118
Minnesota	279	2,328,087	287	2,678,385	22	201,070	2,806	26,721,341	608	5,746,043	10	84,789
Mississippi	51	412,500	194	1,681,207	30	268,267	1,080	9,359,748	337	2,969,485	14	128,457
Missouri	299	2,582,610	490	4,507,704	51	432,583	3,024	28,098,617	683	6,130,228	31	280,155
Montana	60	525,084	62	592,245	4	35,000	485	4,627,036	150	1,446,753	4	39,933
Nebraska	70	606,590	166	1,544,339	17	164,787	1,083	10,231,778	249	2,403,607	7	64,728
Nevada	5	49,500	5	50,000			41	374,303	19	177,276		
New Hampshire	28	226,000	90	803,280	7	69,148	397	3,538,688	100	928,639	1	10,000
New Jersey	204	1,671,156	385	3,407,769	26	226,733	2,254	19,859,446	748	6,619,154	35	318,539
New Mexico	317	2,721,459	81	663,328	4	37,813	298	2,647,433	79	680,832	4	19,500
New York	1,013	8,457,689	1,374	12,004,733	94	815,835	7,949	70,578,001	2,618	22,770,211	127	1,110,690
North Carolina	298	2,497,849	326	2,936,361	21	177,367	1,949	17,105,140	477	4,178,421	18	135,698
North Dakota	41	348,926	55	529,499	3	30,000	658	6,321,827	152	1,446,117	5	39,933
Ohio	409	3,588,180	749	6,864,518	66	566,082	4,198	39,367,493	1,296	11,913,246	51	474,028
Oklahoma	100	855,749	368	3,520,751	36	349,191	1,610	15,158,734	396	3,711,967	17	159,638
Oregon	56	462,357	129	1,186,813	13	127,583	707	6,505,364	141	1,246,458	7	57,000
Pennsylvania	726	6,044,692	1,096	9,729,356	99	841,182	7,159	64,185,927	1,910	16,783,145	71	591,331
Rhode Island	47	404,430	86	750,238	6	51,768	412	3,618,545	134	1,138,352	6	55,000
South Carolina	90	718,148	325	2,610,281	28	233,725	1,106	9,105,561	373	3,073,234	9	67,000
South Dakota	49	433,781	93	876,953	2	16,000	675	6,637,822	147	1,404,316	1	8,958
Tennessee	177	1,440,849	412	3,630,269	42	373,966	1,927	17,187,238	528	4,623,093	13	117,181
Texas	397	3,413,986	620	5,604,278	75	654,587	3,287	29,705,277	822	7,369,157	22	196,730
Utah	26	210,924	79	731,919	7	56,000	353	3,384,237	68	630,344	1	10,000
Vermont	28	224,619	55	532,204	5	36,916	381	3,433,499	71	610,553	7	55,708
Virginia	164	1,414,494	397	3,468,761	38	303,644	1,947	17,267,386	459	3,944,589	22	186,521
Washington	140	1,112,635	209	1,898,713	26	239,449	1,066	9,863,363	281	2,556,054	9	89,334
West Virginia	78	676,375	203	1,856,280	25	220,450	1,656	15,468,724	262	2,400,237	11	104,487
Wisconsin	190	1,624,438	263	2,458,177	26	239,933	2,532	24,028,661	598	5,650,059	18	177,327
Wyoming	25	220,000	37	344,765	5	44,344	130	1,234,882	35	331,000		
Total United States	10,364	87,059,917	15,166	135,267,686	1,329	11,664,912	83,683	760,106,438	22,651	201,895,315	859	7,559,814
Canal Zone									1	10,000		
Guam	2	15,000	2	10,000	1	5,000			2	6,000		
Hawaii	7	46,000	20	167,833	3	30,000	23	186,938	13	105,608	2	6,819
Panama			2	20,000			3	30,000	2	18,335		
Philippine Islands	8	22,000	33	120,775	9	47,391	43	132,463	35	135,170	1	1,817
Porto Rico	17	76,064	50	254,199	9	58,036	124	692,378	46	276,537	2	9,952
Samoa			2	15,000			2	15,000	1	5,000		
Virgin Islands			2	11,000			3	29,334				
Total United States possessions	34	159,064	111	598,807	22	140,427	198	1,086,113	100	556,650	5	18,588
Austria							14	125,000	5	50,000		
Belgium					2	20,000	17	160,000	6	55,000	1	10,000
British Isles	12	110,000	26	221,908			576	5,205,662	144	1,288,003	12	115,000
France	4	40,000	14	129,590			28	218,399	14	116,000		
Germany							11	81,344	10	63,990	2	19,022
Italy	17	154,595	65	521,819	13	120,000	1,521	13,214,753	242	2,075,684	4	33,131
Northern Russia and Siberia			2	15,000			18	170,000	4	20,000		
Other parts of Europe	15	100,521	64	525,716	9	69,000	1,462	13,136,866	428	3,719,595	17	132,463
Total European countries	48	405,116	171	1,414,033	24	209,000	3,647	32,312,024	853	7,388,272	36	309,616
Africa							5	45,000	2	20,000		
Asia			4	39,608			23	173,784	13	101,048		
Australia	1	5,000	1	5,000			3	25,000	3	24,000		
Azores			1	10,000			11	72,000	3	30,000		
British West Indies			1	8,732			24	220,000	3	29,453		
Canada	18	171,000	39	383,516	6	55,000	270	2,459,187	118	1,115,425	2	20,000
Central America							1	10,000	1	10,000		
China	2	6,000	6	38,246			5	43,000	4	40,000	1	2,000
Cuba	1	10,000					2	15,000	3	25,000		
Dominican and Haiti Republics							1	5,000	1	10,000		
India							2	20,000	1	10,000		
Japan							2	20,000	4	40,000		
Mexico	2	20,000					6	59,963	7	55,000		
Newfoundland							9	74,366	2	15,000		
New Zealand							1	10,000	3	21,000		

TABLE No. 80.—*Term insurance, disability and death awards active June 30, 1925; number of veterans classified by place of residence of veteran, or beneficiary receiving insurance payments, and amount of insurance in force*—Continued

State or country	Self		Wife or husband		Child or children		Parent or parents		Sisters, brothers		Aunt, uncle, niece, nephew	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Oceanica									1	$10,000		
South America							11	$93,501	8	70,000		
Total miscellaneous countries	24	$212,000	52	$485,102	6	$55,000	376	3,345,801	177	1,625,926	3	$22,000
Total United States possessions and other countries	106	776,180	334	2,497,942	52	404,427	4,221	36,743,938	1,130	9,570,848	44	350,204
Grand total	10,470	87,836,097	15,500	137,765,628	1,381	12,069,339	87,904	796,850,376	23,781	211,466,163	903	7,910,018

State or country	Wife, others		Child, others		Parents, others		Sister, sisters, brother, brothers, others		Estate		All others		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama	60	$551,520	13	$123,000	166	$1,449,616	39	$300,085	2	$20,000			2,644	$22,980,960
Alaska							1	10,000					20	172,673
Arizona	12	118,452			21	202,933	3	29,185	3	22,857			687	5,934,350
Arkansas	68	646,176	14	115,344	79	722,027	38	306,164					1,986	17,340,843
California	134	1,255,162	9	81,239	149	1,409,640	54	491,346	2	19,207	3	$23,894	5,467	49,211,240
Colorado	18	162,302	2	20,000	48	466,549	11	102,094			1	10,000	1,990	17,928,660
Connecticut	16	147,404	6	56,085	67	627,345	19	167,407			1	9,578	1,871	16,475,219
Delaware	10	99,770	3	30,000	6	59,418	4	37,319					211	1,824,605
District of Columbia	35	302,529	3	19,000	16	143,733	10	80,489	1	10,000			1,160	9,988,190
Florida	36	345,698	2	20,000	60	560,483	18	163,417					1,498	12,936,720
Georgia	104	900,429	9	73,949	258	2,192,494	71	577,533	2	20,000			3,144	26,124,519
Idaho	10	99,518	1	10,000	13	129,875	11	100,000					588	5,565,269
Illinois	137	1,259,709	24	239,272	603	5,670,385	117	1,055,968			2	15,342	8,365	76,529,481
Indiana	68	629,881	7	63,747	225	2,094,914	46	413,288					3,520	32,007,249
Iowa	36	346,629	8	74,603	112	1,114,089	32	311,700	2	13,764			3,779	35,909,494
Kansas	42	404,616	9	90,000	83	789,733	25	239,210					2,729	25,741,079
Kentucky	75	708,626	11	100,783	87	823,174	56	490,326	2	19,846	1	10,000	3,274	29,548,840
Louisiana	52	457,223	14	109,846	148	1,258,885	50	432,760	2	14,904			2,345	19,822,852
Maine	25	220,990	2	11,548	76	683,817	10	100,000					1,095	9,788,041
Maryland	27	237,659	6	49,179	48	449,081	27	223,132	2	20,000	1	8,535	2,091	17,858,627
Massachusetts	81	711,553	10	89,758	144	1,316,726	57	479,261	3	29,904			5,372	46,566,356
Michigan	76	738,705	5	44,366	193	1,812,094	70	632,679	1	10,000			4,685	43,372,328
Minnesota	39	362,792	5	50,000	123	1,202,797	38	353,429	1	8,765			4,218	39,737,498
Mississippi	40	361,614	10	99,186	159	1,431,820	29	246,954					1,944	16,959,238
Missouri	93	893,007	7	59,816	376	3,548,766	69	627,493	1	9,578			5,124	47,170,557
Montana	6	60,000	1	10,000	26	258,626	13	125,846	1	10,000			812	7,730,523
Nebraska	12	115,698	6	59,542	43	405,651	16	155,000					1,669	15,751,720
Nevada	1	10,000			2	20,000			1	10,000			74	691,079
New Hamsphire	13	122,500	1	9,668	21	191,379	8	75,000	1	10,000			667	5,984,302
New Jersey	57	534,048	11	101,000	220	1,965,171	49	437,758	1	10,000			3,990	35,150,774
New Mexico	4	38,302	3	25,960	18	159,500	4	34,757	1	5,000	1	10,000	814	7,043,884
New York	266	2,442,692	37	327,202	549	5,044,173	151	1,339,308	3	25,000	2	20,000	14,183	124,935,534
North Carolina	63	591,936	6	55,000	111	1,029,987	50	422,452	1	5,000			3,320	29,135,211
North Dakota	12	119,608	2	20,000	55	533,382	13	122,439					996	9,511,731
Ohio	120	1,107,084	17	150,359	240	2,291,513	102	939,865	4	40,000			7,252	67,302,368
Oklahoma	88	852,341	7	64,000	93	897,713	38	355,996	1	10,000			2,754	25,936,080
Oregon	23	225,534	1	10,000	48	457,696	16	154,846					1,141	10,433,651
Pennsylvania	166	1,507,691	28	269,216	277	2,601,982	152	1,365,930	9	74,652	1	10,000	11,694	104,005,104
Rhode Island	17	142,250	2	14,816	21	196,605	6	59,608					737	6,431,612
South Carolina	60	494,141	16	131,180	165	1,391,073	56	489,083	2	15,000			2,230	18,328,426
South Dakota	11	109,846	1	10,000	29	284,542	14	140,000					1,022	9,922,218
Tennessee	78	706,333	13	115,842	160	1,424,186	62	546,901					3,412	30,165,858
Texas	119	1,130,918	20	184,470	347	3,163,532	81	741,042	3	30,000	1	10,000	5,794	52,263,977
Utah	18	166,638	1	10,000	17	170,000	7	64,590					577	5,434,652
Vermont	5	44,426			25	246,179	8	69,816					585	5,253,920
Virginia	59	530,429	4	34,334	126	1,148,024	42	366,771	2	18,234	3	25,000	3,263	28,708,187
Washington	29	265,747	4	32,000	63	609,273	16	154,933	1	5,000	1	10,000	1,845	16,836,501
West Virginia	15	145,000	3	30,000	69	668,496	30	265,450					2,352	21,835,499
Wisconsin	52	497,389	10	95,000	198	1,910,526	58	551,905	3	29,216			3,948	37,262,631
Wyoming	9	89,291	1	10,000	19	179,638	5	50,000	1	10,000			267	2,513,920
Total United States	2,597	24,011,806	375	3,400,310	6,202	57,409,241	1,902	17,000,535	59	525,927	18	162,349	145,205	1,306,064,250
Canal Zone													1	10,000
Guam	1	4,000											8	40,000
Hawaii	2	20,000			4	29,952	1	5,000					75	598,150
Panama	1	10,000											8	78,335
Philippine Islands	6	18,942			12	54,608	2	5,970					149	539,136
Porto Rico	13	80,003	2	9,266	12	99,246	3	16,631					278	1,572,312
Samoa	1	10,000											6	45,000
Virgin Islands					1	10,000							6	50,334
Total United States possessions	24	142,945	2	9,266	29	193,806	6	27,601					531	2,933,267
Austria													19	175,000
Belgium					3	21,000	1	10,000					30	276,000
British Isles	1	9,904			84	783,790	22	178,326					877	7,912,593
France	1	9,457			4	36,933	2	20,000					67	570,379
Germany	1	10,000			6	55,000							30	229,356
Italy	20	177,000	8	69,085	161	1,395,561	27	254,548					2,078	18,016,176

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TABLE No. 80.—*Term insurance, disability and death awards active June 30, 1925; number of veterans classified by place of residence of veteran, or beneficiary receiving insurance payments, and amount of insurance in force*—Continued

State or country	Wife, others		Child, others		Parents, others		Sister, sister, brother, brother, others		Estate		All others		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Northern Russia and Siberia													26	$225,000
Other parts of Europe	18	$164,425	2	$11,000	223	$10,000	1	$10,000					2,299	20,417,163
Total European countries	41	370,786	10	80,085	482	2,010,192	61	547,375						
Africa					4	4,312,476	114	1,020,249					5,426	47,821,657
Asia	1	10,000					1	10,000						
Australia	1	10,000			4	25,000							8	75,000
Azores													46	349,440
British West Indies													9	69,000
Canada													15	112,000
Central America	7	66,256	2	18,000	1	5,000	1	2,636					30	296,171
China					23	211,728	4	40,000			1	$10,000	490	4,590,112
Cuba	1	9,904											2	20,000
Dominican and Haiti Republics													19	139,150
India													6	50,000
Japan	1	10,000											2	15,000
Mexico					1	10,000							5	50,000
Newfoundland													6	60,000
New Zealand	1	10,000					2	18,958					16	144,963
Oceanica							1	10,000					13	108,324
South America					1	10,000							5	41,000
Total miscellaneous countries	12	116,160	2	18,000	30	261,728	9	81,894			1	10,000	692	6,233,611
Total United States possessions and other countries	77	629,891	14	107,351	541	4,768,010	129	1,129,744			1	10,000	6,649	56,988,535
Grand total	2,674	24,641,697	389	3,507,661	6,743	62,177,251	2,031	18,130,279	59	$525,927	19	172,349	151,854	1,363,052,785

TABLE No. 81.—*Automatic insurance, death awards; number of deceased veterans whose beneficiaries are receiving insurance payments, classified by cause of death of veterans and amount of insurance in force, June 30, 1925*

Cause of death	Total active insurance	
	Number	Amount
Suicidal	222	$964,368
Homicidal	41	178,104
Conflagration	10	43,440
Accidental drowning	257	1,116,408
Traumatism by firearms, accidental	99	430,056
Traumatism by explosion	19	82,536
Traumatism by fall	53	230,232
Traumatism by motor vehicles	84	364,896
Traumatism by airplanes	30	130,320
Traumatism by railroads	193	833,959
Traumatism by other vehicles	7	30,408
Traumatism by machines	1	4,344
Traumatism by other crushing	13	56,472
Traumatism due to athletic sports	10	43,440
Effects of electricity	2	8,688
Industrial injuries	1	4,344
Injuries by animals	21	91,224
Casualty in action	183	794,952
Traumatism due to violence	125	543,000
Chemical	59	256,296
Traumatism by brawls	5	21,720
Disease	6,603	28,619,957
Total	8,038	34,849,164

TABLE No. 82.—*Automatic insurance, disability and death awards, active June 30, 1925; classification of major disability causing permanent total disability or death*

Classification	Disability		Death		Total	
	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount
Blood and blood-forming organs			8	$34,752	8	$34,752
Bones and cartilages			2	8,688	2	8,688
Circulatory system	5	$21,720	261	1,132,950	266	1,154,670
Cummunicable and infectious diseases	2	8,688	493	2,139,526	495	2,148,214
Digestive system			204	886,139	204	886,139
Ear, nose, and throat	3	13,032	25	107,746	28	120,778
Endocrines	1	4,344	37	160,690	38	165,034
Eye and annexa	9	39,096			9	39,096
Genito-urinary system	1	4,344	97	419,948	98	424,292
Hernia			4	17,376	4	17,376
Joints and bursae	2	8,688	7	30,408	9	39,096
Lymphatic system			4	17,376	4	17,376
Muscles, fasciae, tendons, and tendon sheaths			1	4,344	1	4,344
Nervous system	13	56,472	467	2,028,648	480	2,085,120
Parasitic diseases			3	13,032	3	13,032
Poisonings and intoxications			107	464,808	107	464,808
Psychiatric diseases	156	677,664	59	254,731	215	932,395
Respiratory system			3,806	16,532,512	3,806	16,532,512
Skin and its appendages			6	26,064	6	26,064
Tuberculosis	96	417,024	734	3,128,502	830	3,545,526
Tumors	3	13,032	31	134,664	34	147,696
Venereal diseases	1	4,344	19	82,536	20	86,880
Miscellaneous [1]	2	8,688	1,559	6,772,296	1,561	6,780,984
Amputations	12	52,128	8	34,404	20	86,532
Fractures	1	4,344	96	417,024	97	421,368
Total	307	1,333,608	8,038	34,849,164	8,345	36,182,772

[1] Includes battle deaths, accidents, and injuries.

TABLE No. 83.—*Automatic insurance, terminated disability and death awards, June 30, 1925; classification of major disability and reasons for termination*

Classification	Disability						Death		Total	
	Recovery		Death		Total		No beneficiaries in permitted class			
	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount	Number of veterans	Amount
Blood and blood-forming organs							1	$4,344	1	$4,344
Circulatory system	1	$4,344	5	$21,720	6	$26,064	6	26,064	12	52,128
Communicable and infectious diseases			1	4,344	1	4,344	3	13,032	4	17,376
Digestive system	2	8,688	2	8,688	4	17,376	1	4,344	5	21,720
Ear, nose, and throat	3	13,032	1	4,344	4	17,376			4	17,376
Endocrines			2	8,688	2	8,688	1	4,344	3	13,032
Genito-urinary system			3	13,032	3	13,032	2	8,688	5	21,720
Joints and bursæ							1	4,344	1	4,344
Muscles, fasciæ, tendons, and tendon sheaths	1	4,344			1	4,344			1	4,344
Nervous system	2	8,688	2	8,688	4	17,376	8	34,752	12	52,128
Poisonings and intoxications							1	4,344	1	4,344
Psychiatric diseases	5	21,720	16	69,504	21	91,224			21	91,224
Respiratory system			1	4,344	1	4,344	40	173,760	41	178,104
Tuberculosis	28	121,632	155	673,320	183	794,952	9	39,096	192	834,048
Tumors							1	4,344	1	4,344
Venereal diseases			1	4,344	1	4,344	1	4,344	2	8,688
Miscellaneous [1]	1	4,344	1	4,344	2	8,688	18	78,192	20	86,880
Amputations	1	4,344	2	8,688	3	13,032			3	13,032
Fractures							2	8,688	2	8,688
Total	44	191,136	192	834,048	236	1,025,184	95	412,680	331	1,437,864

[1] Includes battle deaths, accidents, and injuries.

TABLE No. 84.—*Automatic insurance, disability and death awards, active June 30, 1925; number of veterans classified by place of residence of veteran, or beneficiary receiving insurance payments, and amount of insurance in force*

	Self		Wife or husband		Child or children		Parent or parents		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama	2	$8,688	33	$142,468	18	$78,192	255	$1,107,567	308	$1,336,915
Alaska							1	4,344	1	4,344
Arizona	7	30,408	3	9,880	4	17,376	20	86,880	34	144,544
Arkansas	6	26,064	15	65,084	12	52,128	175	760,047	208	903,323
California	22	95,568	37	157,280	19	81,946	238	1,029,561	316	1,364,355
Colorado	19	82,536	16	68,408	3	13,032	54	234,576	92	398,552
Connecticut	4	17,376	9	39,096	3	13,032	85	369,060	101	438,564
Delaware	2	8,688	2	8,688	3	13,032	10	43,440	17	73,848
District of Columbia	29	125,976	21	90,871	4	16,714	29	124,937	83	358,498
Florida	2	8,688	20	86,880	9	39,096	155	673,320	186	807,984
Georgia	8	34,752	44	191,136	18	78,192	294	1,270,895	364	1,574,975
Idaho	1	4,344	2	8,688	1	4,344	23	99,912	27	117,288
Illinois	22	95,568	27	115,034	18	78,192	289	1,251,070	356	1,539,864
Indiana	3	13,032	12	52,128	6	25,805	177	768,773	198	859,738
Iowa	3	13,032	9	35,613	8	34,752	122	528,908	142	612,305
Kansas	3	13,032	6	26,064	8	34,752	112	484,472	129	558,320
Kentucky	4	17,376	16	68,695	7	30,408	157	680,418	184	796,897
Louisiana	3	13,032	48	207,812	15	65,160	311	1,350,778	377	1,636,782
Maine			5	20,851	3	13,032	54	234,474	62	268,357
Maryland	9	39,096	14	60,367	3	13,032	81	351,864	107	464,359
Massachusetts	15	65,160	28	121,479	10	43,440	217	940,280	270	1,170,359
Michigan	6	26,064	11	47,784	2	8,688	131	568,479	150	651,015
Minnesota	5	21,720	9	39,096	2	8,688	166	720,609	182	790,113
Mississippi	1	4,344	28	121,632	18	78,192	222	963,529	269	1,167,697
Missouri	2	8,688	25	108,433	10	43,440	266	1,153,652	303	1,314,213
Montana	1	4,344	2	8,688			25	107,953	28	120,985
Nebraska	5	21,729	9	39,096	1	4,344	79	343,176	94	408,336
Nevada			1	4,344	1	4,344	6	26,064	8	34,752
New Hampshire	1	4,344	6	26,064	1	4,344	24	104,256	32	139,008
New Jersey	3	13,032	22	95,105	6	26,064	122	529,404	153	663,605
New Mexico	8	34,752	1	4,344	1	4,344	15	65,160	25	108,600
New York	36	156,384	56	241,728	20	86,880	474	2,055,993	586	2,540,985
North Carolina	3	13,032	24	104,256	10	43,440	175	759,251	212	919,979
North Dakota			1	4,344			22	95,568	23	99,912
Ohio	14	60,816	16	69,504	12	51,788	223	967,516	265	1,149,624
Oklahoma	2	8,688	17	73,655	11	47,784	106	459,629	136	589,756
Oregon	4	17,376	5	21,720	3	13,032	69	299,736	81	351,864
Pennsylvania	9	39,096	47	204,168	18	78,064	310	1,346,372	384	1,667,700
Rhode Island	1	4,344	5	21,720	1	4,344	29	125,976	36	156,384
South Carolina	2	8,688	19	82,536	16	69,364	144	625,460	181	786,048

TABLE No. 84.—*Automatic insurance, disability and death awards, active June 30, 1925; number of veterans classified by place of residence of veteran, or beneficiary receiving insurance payments, and amount of insurance in force*—Continued

	Self		Wife or husband		Child or children		Parent or parents		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
South Dakota	3	$13,032	2	$8,688	1	$4,344	35	$151,687	41	$177,751
Tennessee	4	17,376	32	138,614	19	81,615	198	859,363	253	1,096,968
Texas	9	39,096	35	152,040	20	86,375	373	1,618,904	437	1,896,415
Utah	2	8,688	1	4,344	2	8,688	24	104,256	29	125,976
Vermont			2	8,688	1	4,344	26	112,944	29	125,976
Virginia	7	30,408	22	95,492	12	52,128	159	688,983	200	867,011
Washington	5	21,720	7	30,408	2	8,688	75	325,800	89	386,616
West Virginia	2	8,688	17	73,848	4	16,871	85	368,385	108	467,792
Wisconsin	6	26,064	6	25,359	5	21,720	110	477,219	127	550,362
Wyoming	1	4,344			3	13,032	19	82,536	23	99,912
Total United States	306	1,329,264	795	3,432,220	374	1,620,606	6,571	28,503,436	8,046	34,885,526
Guam			1	4,344					1	4,344
Hawaii			1	4,344			6	26,064	7	30,408
Philippine Islands			9	39,096	2	8,688	25	108,600	36	156,384
Porto Rico			9	39,096	2	8,688	17	73,848	28	121,632
Total United States possessions			20	86,880	4	17,376	48	208,512	72	312,768
Austria							1	4,344	1	4,344
Belgium							4	17,376	4	17,376
British Isles	1	4,344	2	8,688			47	203,828	50	216,860
France			1	4,344			1	4,344	2	8,688
Germany							5	21,720	5	21,720
Italy			2	8,688	1	4,344	35	151,521	38	164,553
Other parts of Europe			3	13,032	1	4,344	93	403,421	97	420,797
Total European countries	1	4,344	8	34,752	2	8,688	186	806,554	197	854,338
Asia							3	13,032	3	13,032
Canada			1	4,344			21	91,044	22	95,388
China			2	8,688	1	4,344			3	13,032
Mexico							1	4,344	1	4,344
West Indies							1	4,344	1	4,344
Total miscellaneous countries			3	13,032	1	4,344	26	112,764	30	130,140
Total United States possessions and other countries	1	4,344	31	134,664	7	30,408	260	1,127,830	299	1,297,246
Grand total	307	1,333,608	826	3,566,884	381	1,651,014	6,831	29,631,266	8,345	36,182,772

TABLE No. 85.—*Liability under yearly renewable term insurance claims commuted value, June 30, 1925*

Type of insurance and year	Disability			Death after disability			Death			Total		
	Number of claims	Amount of insurance	Commuted value June 30, 1925	Number of claims	Amount of insurance	Commuted value June 30, 1925	Number of claims	Amount of insurance	Commuted value June 30, 1925	Number of claims	Amount of insurance	Commuted value June 30, 1925
Contract insurance claims:												
Year of award—												
1917	22	$203,344	$141,316				524	$4,532,032	$3,162,493	546	$4,735,376	$3,303,809
1918	3,099	26,327,543	19,202,353	416	$3,345,054	$2,385,103	114,111	982,876,910	719,640,064	117,626	1,012,549,507	741,227,520
1919	2,788	23,722,850	18,074,195	2,020	16,849,387	12,533,647	15,186	128,688,909	97,303,065	19,994	169,261,146	127,910,907
1920	1,271	10,330,963	8,335,136	3,478	27,893,499	21,288,851	3,033	23,576,401	18,938,752	7,782	61,800,863	48,562,739
1921	839	6,503,203	5,503,873	2,658	20,838,043	16,331,426	1,589	12,128,816	10,270,949	5,086	39,470,062	32,106,248
1922	1,038	7,705,077	6,830,589	1,941	14,496,928	11,651,166	1,167	9,147,041	8,104,007	4,146	31,349,046	26,585,762
1923	848	6,164,824	5,658,977	1,240	8,851,888	7,300,736	922	7,001,633	6,458,562	3,010	22,018,345	19,418,275
1924	862	5,565,378	5,307,745	792	5,364,425	4,498,624	918	6,731,703	6,461,452	2,572	17,661,506	16,267,821
1925	203	1,312,915	1,289,215	223	1,497,018	1,282,897	192	1,397,001	1,375,971	618	4,206,934	3,948,083
Total	10,970	87,836,097	70,343,399	12,768	99,136,242	77,272,450	137,642	1,176,080,446	871,715,315	161,380	1,363,052,785	1,019,331,164
Automatic insurance claims, total	307	1,333,608	928,716	149	579,995	403,251	7,889	34,269,169	24,215,716	8,345	36,182,772	25,547,683
Combined contract and automatic insurance claims, total	11,277	89,169,705	71,272,115	12,917	99,716,237	77,675,701	145,531	1,210,349,615	895,931,031	169,725	1,399,235,557	1,044,878,847

Suspended, awards, total amount in suspension June 30, 1925 ..... $114,186
Total liability June 30, 1925 1,044,993,033

TABLE No. 86.—*Converted insurance death claims awarded, classified by plan of insurance*

Plan of insurance	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Ordinary life	8	8	$31,000	144	139	$880,786	233	218	$1,266,926	238	224	$1,220,468	243	227	$1,225,964	258	232	$1,275,189	1,124	1,048	$5,900,333	25.77	25.68	34.07
20-payment life	12	12	62,000	117	116	569,500	231	215	946,396	233	220	969,252	270	243	1,221,092	261	232	1,155,808	1,124	1,038	4,924,048	25.77	25.44	28.43
30-payment life	2	2	10,000	13	12	73,000	17	14	75,679	37	35	201,932	35	29	158,271	18	17	86,919	122	109	605,801	2.80	2.67	3.50
20-year endowment	17	17	42,000	229	225	514,395	297	290	704,099	310	295	873,200	304	289	795,024	261	245	734,604	1,418	1,361	3,663,322	32.51	33.35	21.15
30-year endowment	3	3	19,000	27	25	93,000	37	30	155,500	33	32	136,943	58	51	226,651	40	35	204,494	198	176	835,588	4.54	4.31	4.82
Endowment at 62	3	3	15,000	13	10	61,000	37	30	148,263	46	45	267,770	50	43	224,499	60	54	295,935	209	185	1,012,467	4.79	4.54	5.84
Extended insurance							9	9	18,983	41	41	99,836	63	62	122,607	52	50	135,403	165	162	376,829	3.78	3.97	2.18
Paid-up life																1	1	1,470	1	1	1,470	.02	.02	.01
Paid-up endowment																1	1	59	1	1	59	.02	.02	
Total	45	45	179,000	543	527	2,191,681	861	806	3,315,846	938	892	3,769,401	1,023	944	3,974,108	952	867	3,889,881	4,362	4,081	17,319,917	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 87.—*Total converted insurance disability claims awarded, classified by plan of insurance*

Plan of insurance	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Ordinary life	5	5	$18,953	87	84	$539,992	108	100	$524,000	139	125	$757,755	120	105	$595,528	78	73	$463,079	537	492	$2,899,307	31.77	31.46	43.09
20-payment life	5	5	8,000	61	58	293,500	75	68	300,500	107	100	383,908	118	108	461,526	61	59	266,656	427	398	1,714,090	25.27	25.45	25.47
30-payment life	3	3	9,000	6	5	31,000	6	6	42,000	10	7	31,500	14	12	69,458	6	6	43,000	45	39	225,958	2.66	2.49	3.36
20-year endowment	7	7	18,000	92	87	215,000	116	110	323,485	142	130	278,741	94	89	262,497	43	41	123,000	494	464	1,220,723	29.23	29.67	18.14
30-year endowment	1	0	1,000	6	5	31,000	9	9	40,500	13	11	39,500	26	24	98,471	8	7	42,426	63	56	252,897	3.73	3.58	3.76
Endowment at 62				13	12	45,000	12	11	46,000	16	15	82,500	15	14	69,500	8	7	39,000	64	59	282,000	3.79	3.77	4.19
Extended insurance				1	1	5,000	6	6	11,000	22	21	59,566	25	23	42,574	6	5	15,781	60	56	133,921	3.55	3.58	1.99
Total	21	20	54,953	266	252	1,160,492	332	310	1,287,485	449	409	1,633,470	412	375	1,599,554	210	198	992,942	1,690	1,564	6,728,896	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 88.—*Converted insurance disability claims active December 31, 1924, classified by plan of insurance*

Plan of insurance	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Ordinary life	5	5	$18,953	44	43	$266,000	79	73	$351,000	105	94	$564,666	98	89	$503,056	74	69	$435,079	405	373	$2,138,754	30.13	29.91	40.71
20-payment life	4	4	5,000	38	36	177,500	52	47	206,000	87	81	317,431	102	94	416,551	60	58	263,656	343	320	1,386,138	25.52	25.66	26.38
30-payment life	2	2	8,000	5	5	27,000	3	3	12,000	8	7	30,000	13	11	59,458	5	5	38,000	36	33	174,458	2.68	2.65	3.32
20-year endowment	6	6	16,000	66	62	150,000	93	88	233,491	115	104	225,753	81	77	230,497	42	40	122,000	403	377	977,741	29.99	30.23	18.61
30-year endowment				6	5	31,000	8	8	38,500	11	9	33,500	23	21	85,471	8	7	42,426	56	50	230,897	4.17	4.01	4.39
Endowment at 62				7	7	20,000	9	8	37,000	14	13	76,500	14	13	66,500	6	5	29,000	50	46	229,000	3.72	3.69	4.36
Extended insurance				1	1	5,000	6	6	11,000	18	17	51,566	20	19	33,586	6	5	15,781	51	48	116,933	3.79	3.85	2.23
Total	17	17	47,953	167	159	676,500	250	233	888,991	358	325	1,299,416	351	324	1,395,119	201	189	945,942	1,344	1,247	5,253,921	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 89.—*Converted insurance disability claims terminated by death, classified by plan of insurance*

Plan of insurance	Duration of disability claim																		Total				Per cent of total		
	One-half year				1 year				2 years				3 years				4 years								
	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance
Ordinary life	14	14	$87,500	$82,371	58	46	$295,124	$282,517	34	33	$190,793	$177,333	15	15	$119,136	$105,870	5	5	$31,000	$26,648	126	113	$723,553	$674,739	38.06	37.17	50.92
20-payment life	3	2	14,000	13,717	40	38	138,952	133,042	21	20	74,000	68,806	12	11	60,000	53,550	5	5	33,000	28,523	81	76	319,952	297,638	24.47	25.00	22.52
30-payment life	1	1	5,000	4,938	4	1	15,500	14,833	3	3	30,000	27,755									8	5	50,500	47,526	2.42	1.65	3.55
20-year endowment	8	8	15,000	14,415	36	33	91,994	87,438	28	28	88,994	82,549	12	11	33,994	30,374	4	4	9,000	7,784	88	84	238,982	222,560	26.59	27.63	16.82
30-year endowment					5	5	19,000	18,510	1	1	2,000	1,811									6	6	21,000	20,321	1.81	1.97	1.48
Endowment at 62	2	2	10,000	7,193	2	2	8,000	7,441	6	6	24,000	22,087	3	2	7,000	6,094	1	1	4,000	3,506	14	13	53,000	46,321	4.23	4.28	3.73
Extended insurance	1	1	3,000	2,954	7	6	10,988	10,396													8	7	13,988	13,350	2.42	2.30	.98
Total	29	28	134,500	125,588	152	131	579,558	554,177	93	91	409,787	380,341	42	39	220,130	195,888	15	15	77,000	66,461	331	304	1,420,975	1,322,455	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 90.—*Converted insurance disability claims terminated by recovery, classified by plan of insurance*

Plan of insurance	Duration of disability																Total				Per cent of total		
	One-half year				1 year				2 years				3 years										
	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance
Ordinary life	1	1	$10,000	$9,457	2	2	$5,000	$4,716	2	2	$20,000	$18,760	1	1	$2,000	$1,772	6	6	$37,00	$34,705	40.00	46.15	68.52
20-payment life					2	1	5,000	4,878	1	1	3,000	2,882					3	2	8,000	7,760	20.00	15.39	14.81
30-payment life									1	1	1,000	924					1	1	1,000	924	6.67	7.69	1.85
20-year endowment					1	1	1,000	952	2	2	3,000	2,803					3	3	4,000	3,755	20.00	23.08	7.41
30-year endowment									1		1,000	924					1		1,000	924	6.67		1.85
Endowment at 62									1	1	3,000	2,782					1	1	3,000	2,782	6.66	7.69	5.56
Extended insurance																							
Total	1	1	10,000	9,457	5	4	11,000	10,546	8	7	31,000	29,075	1	1	2,000	1,772	15	13	54,000	50,850	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 91.—*Converted insurance death claims awarded, by class of disability causing death*

Classification	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Blood and blood forming organs				2	2	$11,000	8	7	$41,000	5	5	$23,214	8	7	$24,500	15	15	$80,203	38	36	$179,917	0.87	0.88	1.04
Bones and cartilages	3	3	$8,000	24	23	108,000	45	44	214,983	45	44	190,000	51	47	186,692	55	50	239,898	223	211	947,573	5.11	5.17	5.47
Circulatory system	3	3	25,000	50	48	224,994	86	83	370,763	119	115	507,524	144	136	564,538	122	116	574,714	524	501	2,267,533	12.01	12.28	13.09
Communicable and infectious diseases	3	3	16,500	33	31	103,000	51	49	236,590	44	42	175,450	47	41	153,379	37	37	147,395	215	203	832,314	4.93	4.97	4.81
Digestive system	6	6	21,000	19	19	84,500	57	51	205,885	56	52	198,269	65	62	269,168	55	47	197,124	258	237	975,946	5.91	5.81	5.64
Ear, nose, and throat				4	4	18,000	4	4	12,994				1	1	5,000	8	8	31,873	17	17	67,867	.39	.42	.39
Endocrines				4	4	18,500	13	12	42,000	17	16	74,728	9	9	58,000	9	8	34,193	52	49	227,421	1.19	1.20	1.31
Genito-urinary system				16	16	78,951	33	33	131,760	37	35	165,000	49	47	203,656	31	27	141,447	166	158	720,814	3.81	3.87	4.16
Hernia				2	2	7,500	1	0	2,000				2	1	10,000	2	2	3,000	7	5	22,500	.16	.12	.13
Joints and bursae							1	1	2,000	1	1	1,000	2	2	3,811				4	4	6,811	.09	.10	.40
Lymphatic system							3	2	15,000	2	2	2,000	2	2	12,000	5	4	22,889	12	10	51,889	.28	.25	.30
Muscles, fasciae, tendons and tendon sheaths																								
Nervous system	1	1	1,000	21	20	67,500	18	18	52,698	34	33	140,385	39	37	203,013	37	34	129,433	150	143	594,029	3.44	3.50	3.43
Obstetric and gynecological				3	3	5,000													2	1	10,000	.05	.02	.06
Parasitic				5	5	42,000				2	2	11,000				1	1	1,000	4	4	6,000	.09	.10	.04
Poisonings and intoxications	1	1	1,000	6	6	25,000	15	14	38,000	19	19	59,000	16	15	61,997	20	20	69,913	77	75	254,910	1.77	1.84	1.47
Psychiatric diseases				4	4	32,000	5	5	20,000	10	10	42,910	8	6	14,658	8	8	28,784	35	33	138,352	.80	.81	.80
Respiratory system	12	12	50,500	85	85	297,500	67	66	229,977	66	63	313,165	60	56	238,814	80	72	366,500	370	354	1,496,456	8.48	8.67	8.64
Skin and its appendages				1	1	5,000	1	0	5,000	2	2	10,000	9	7	14,500	7	6	25,000	20	16	59,500	.46	.39	.34
Tuberculosis	1	1	5,000	118	112	675,278	228	210	854,867	214	205	722,760	243	229	833,412	194	171	651,952	998	928	3,642,769	22.88	22.74	21.03
Tumors				20	20	89,970	29	29	155,705	29	26	128,500	41	40	199,349	53	50	259,524	172	165	833,048	3.94	4.04	4.81
Venereal diseases				1	1	2,000	3	3	13,000	1	1	5,000	1	1	1,500	1	1	10,000	7	7	31,500	.16	.17	.18
Miscellaneous [1]	15	15	51,000	125	121	395,988	193	175	672,124	233	218	989,496	226	198	916,121	211	189	865,039	1,003	916	3,889,768	23.00	22.45	22.46
Total	45	45	179,000	543	527	2,191,681	861	806	3,315,846	938	892	3,769,401	1,023	944	3,974,108	952	867	3,889,881	4,362	4,081	17,319,917	100.00	100.00	100.00

[1] Includes certain accidents and injuries.

TABLE No. 92.—*Total converted insurance disability claims awarded, classified by cause of disability*

Classification	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Blood and blood-forming organs							1	1	$10,000				4	4	$27,000	2	2	$8,000	7	7	$45,000	0.41	0.45	0.67
Bones and cartilages	2	2	$11,000	5	5	$25,000	5	5	23,000	4	4	$32,000	1	1	5,000				17	17	96,000	1.01	1.09	1.43
Circulatory system	1	1	5,000	8	8	47,000	18	16	78,000	27	22	111,000	30	28	168,295	23	21	118,697	107	96	527,992	6.33	6.14	7.85
Communicable and infectious diseases				1	1	10,000	1	1	5,000	5	5	32,426	6	6	33,000	1	1	5,000	14	14	85,426	.83	.89	1.27
Digestive system				1	1	10,000	1	1	10,000	2	2	11,000	1	1	10,000				5	5	41,000	.30	.32	.61
Ear, nose, and throat	2	1	2,000													2	2	9,926	4	3	11,926	.24	.19	.18
Endocrines				4	4	36,000	7	7	26,000	5	4	13,000	1	1	5,000	5	5	32,000	22	21	112,000	1.30	1.34	1.66
Eye and annexa				3	3	5,000	7	5	37,000	4	4	18,000	4	3	16,000				18	15	76,000	1.06	.96	1.13
Genito-urinary system	2	2	3,000	3	3	13,000	5	5	15,000	3	3	30,000	10	9	43,500	3	4	23,000	28	26	127,500	1.66	1.66	1.89
Joints and bursae				4	4	23,000	6	6	22,000	4	4	14,000	8	7	24,000	6	6	24,000	27	27	107,000	1.60	1.73	1.59
Lymphatic system							1	1	1,000	1	1	10,000							2	2	11,000	.12	.13	.16
Nervous system	1	1	1,000	14	14	63,000	12	12	44,500	49	45	157,977	44	41	166,444	13	11	59,243	133	124	492,164	7.87	7.93	7.31
Psychiatric	3	3	3,953	47	44	130,000	75	70	220,985	82	76	205,566	56	53	207,293	6	6	19,901	269	252	787,698	15.92	16.11	11.71
Respiratory system				1	1	1,000	1	1	2,000	10	1	10,000	6	4	16,000	2	2	6,000	20	9	35,000	1.18	.58	.52
Tuberculosis	8	8	24,000	157	146	712,492	180	168	744,500	236	222	915,423	226	202	826,806	135	130	647,175	942	876	3,870,396	55.74	56.01	57.52
Tumors				5	5	33,000	3	3	9,000	2	2	2,000	6	5	18,716	4	4	13,000	20	19	75,716	1.18	1.21	1.13
Venereal diseases				1	1	2,000	2	2	20,000	2	2	12,500	5	5	14,500	4	3	17,000	14	13	66,000	.83	.83	.98
Miscellaneous	2	2	5,000	12	12	50,000	7	6	19,500	13	12	58,578	5	5	18,000	2	1	10,000	41	38	161,078	2.42	2.43	2.39
Total	21	20	54,953	266	252	1,160,492	332	310	1,287,485	449	409	1,633,470	412	375	1,599,554	210	198	992,942	1,690	1,564	6,728,896	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 93.—*Converted insurance disability claims active December 31, 1924, classified by cause of disability*

Classification	Year of award																		Total			Per cent of total		
	1919			1920			1921			1922			1923			1924								
	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount	Number	Lives	Amount
Blood and blood forming organs																								
Bones and cartilages	2	2	$11,000	3	3	$16,000	5	5	$23,000	3	3	$30,000	2	2	$16,000	1	1	$5,000	3	3	$21,000	0.22	0.24	0.40
Circulatory system	1	1	5,000	7	7	44,000	11	9	29,000	25	20	102,000	1	1	5,000				14	14	85,000	1.04	1.12	1.62
Communicable and infectious diseases													25	23	141,305	23	21	118,697	92	81	440,002	6.85	6.50	8.37
Digestive system							1	1	5,000	5	5	32,426	6	6	33,000	1	1	5,000	13	13	75,426	.97	1.04	1.44
Ear, nose, and throat							1	1	10,000	2	2	11,000	1	1	10,000				4	4	31,000	.30	.32	.59
Endocrines				2	2	20,000	4	4	9,000	5	4	13,000	1	1	5,000	3	3	22,000	15	14	69,000	1.12	1.12	1.31
Eye and annexa				2	2	4,000	4	3	22,000	4	4	18,000	6	3	16,000				14	12	60,000	1.04	.96	1.14
Genito-urinary system	1	1	1,000	2	2	11,000	4	4	14,000	2	2	20,000	6	5	17,500	3	2	12,000	18	16	75,500	1.34	1.28	1.44
Joints and bursae				2	2	8,000	4	4	17,000	4	4	14,000	7	7	24,000	6	6	24,000	23	23	87,000	1.71	1.85	1.66
Nervous system	1	1	1,000	8	8	25,000	7	7	20,500	40	37	132,500	40	37	148,444	13	11	59,243	109	101	386,687	8.11	8.10	7.36
Psychiatric	3	3	3,953	36	35	111,000	70	65	187,991	78	72	195,566	55	52	203,293	6	6	19,001	248	233	721,704	18.45	18.69	13.73
Respiratory system				1	1	1,000				10	1	10,000	6	4	16,000	2	2	5,000	19	8	33,000	1.41	.64	.63
Tuberculosis	7	7	21,000	89	82	362,500	130	122	517,000	166	158	655,846	183	168	711,361	131	126	624,175	706	663	2,891,882	52.53	53.17	55.04
Tumors				4	4	32,000	1	1	5,000	1	1	1,000	4	4	15,716	4	4	13,000	14	14	66,716	1.04	1.12	1.27
Venereal diseases				1	1	2,000	1	1	10,000	2	2	12,500	5	5	14,500	4	3	17,000	13	12	56,000	.97	.96	1.07
Miscellaneous	2	2	5,000	10	10	40,000	7	6	19,500	11	10	51,578	5	5	18,000	2	1	10,000	37	34	144,078	2.75	2.73	2.74
Total	17	17	47,953	167	159	676,500	250	233	888,991	358	325	1,299,416	351	324	1,395,119	201	189	945,942	1,344	1,247	5,253,921	100.00	100.00	100.00

TABLE No. 94.—*Converted insurance disability claims terminated by death, by class of disability causing death*

Classification	Duration of disability claim																					Total				Per cent of total		
	One-half year				1 year				2 years				3 years				4 years											
	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at death	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance
Blood and blood forming organs	1	1	$3,000	$2,927	2	2	$11,000	$10,572					1	1	$10,000	$8,700					4	4	$24,000	$22,199	1.21	1.32	1.69
Bones and cartilages					1	1	2,000	1,885									2	2	$9,000	$7,741	3	3	11,000	9,626	.91	.99	.78
Circulatory system	1	1	1,000	985	9	9	59,990	58,171	3	3	$22,000	$20,660									13	13	82,990	79,816	3.93	4.27	5.84
Endocrines	2	2	10,000	7,193	2	2	15,000	14,276	3	3	18,000	16,800									7	7	43,000	38,269	2.12	2.30	3.03
Eye and annexa													1	1	10,000	8,765					1	1	10,000	8,765	.30	.33	.70
Genito-urinary system	5	5	27,000	26,332	5	5	25,000	24,199													10	10	52,000	50,531	3.02	3.29	3.66
Joints and bursae									2	2	7,000	6,385	1	1	3,000	2,763	1	1	10,000	8,569	4	4	20,000	17,717	1.21	1.32	1.41
Nervous system													1	1	1,000	889					2	2	11,000	10,315	.60	.66	.78
Psychiatric					1	1	10,000	9,426					2	2	8,000	6,913	3	3	25,000	21,716	24	23	105,477	96,709	7.25	7.56	7.42
Respiratory system	1	1	10,000	9,846	9	8	26,477	24,664	9	9	36,000	33,570	5	3	6,994	6,216	3	3	4,000	3,493	20	18	62,994	57,928	6.04	5.92	4.43
Tuberculosis					4	4	16,000	15,172	8	8	36,000	33,047									1	1	2,000	1,772	.30	.33	.14
Tumors									1	1	2,000	1,772									231	208	960,514	895,540	69.79	68.42	67.59
Venereal diseases	17	17	81,500	76,379	117	97	407,091	389,083	62	60	276,787	257,058	29	28	166,136	148,078	6	6	29,000	24,942	6	5	9,000	8,480	1.81	1.64	.63
Miscellaneous [1]	2	1	2,000	1,926	1	1	2,000	1,940	3	3	5,000	4,614									1	1	10,000	9,022	.30	.33	.70
Total					1	1	5,000	4,789	2	2	7,000	6,435	1	1	10,000	9,022					4	4	17,000	15,766	1.21	1.32	1.20
													1	1	5,000	4,542												
	29	28	134,500	125,588	152	131	579,558	554,177	93	91	409,787	380,341	42	39	220,130	195,888	15	15	77,000	66,461	331	304	1,420,975	1,322,455	100.00	100.00	100.00

[1] Includes certain injuries and accidents.

TABLE No. 95.—*Converted insurance disability claims terminated by recovery, classified by cause of disability*

Classification	Duration of disability												Total				Per cent of total		
	One-half year			1 year			2 years			3 years									
	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance	Commuted value at recovery	Number	Lives	Amount of insurance
Circulatory system				1	1	$3,000							2	2	$5,000	$4,609	13.33	15.39	9.26
Communicable and infectious diseases							1	1	$10,000	1	1	$2,000	2	2	10,000	9,426	6.67	7.69	18.52
Digestive system							1	1	10,000				1	1	10,000	9,334	6.67	7.69	18.52
Ear, nose, and throat							2	1	2,000				1	1	2,000	1,848	13.33	7.69	3.70
Eye and annexa				3	2	6,000							2	2	6,000	5,830	20.00	15.39	11.11
Psychiatric							1	1	3,000				1	1	3,000	2,782	6.67	7.69	5.56
Tuberculosis				1	1	2,000	3	3	6,000				5	5	18,000	17,021	33.33	38.46	33.33
Total	1	1	$10,000	5	4	11,000	8	7	31,000	1	1	2,000	15	13	54,000	50,850	100.00	100.00	100.00
	1	1	10,000	5	4	11,000	8	7	31,000	1	1	2,000	15	13	54,000	50,850	100.00	100.00	100.00
			$9,457			$2,837			$9,426 9,334 1,848 2,782 5,685			$1,772				29,075 1,772			

INSURANCE DIVISION

The insurance division is organized and operated along the lines of a standard life insurance company and administers the service on approximately 550,000 active Government life insurance policies, aggregating $2,865,000,000, involving the following more important functions:

Examining and approving applications for insurance, issuing policies on approved applications, and issuing notices and receipts for premium payments; listing remittances for deposit and collection through the United States Treasury; making refunds, contract changes, dividend payments, reinstatements, policy loans, and cash surrenders; maintaining essential insurance records, including application files, premium accounts, dividend accounts, policy registers, record cards, and actuarial and statistical records; keeping complete financial and accounting records, making actuarial calculations and valuations; handling all correspondence incident to the aforementioned activities; and informing the many ex-service men, whose insurance lapsed since the termination of the war, of their rights and privileges under Government insurance and of the advantages of reinstating and converting it.

The insurance division also administers the World War adjusted compensation act, involving the issuance of adjusted service certificates, maintenance of necessary records, and the awarding and paying of all claims thereunder.

ORGANIZATION

The insurance division is organized in 3 major subdivisions and 17 sections, with an administrative staff consisting of a chief of division, who is directly responsible to the assistant director in charge of claims and insurance service, an assistant chief, an actuary, and a consulting specialist.

In March, 1925, in the interest of a more compact and efficient organization, the division was reorganized by reducing the number of subdivisions from 3 to 2 and the number of sections from 18 to 13. The actuarial subdivision was abolished and its activities were transferred to the administration subdivision. The adjustment section was consolidated with the cashier's section, and the policy loan section and cash surrender section were consolidated with the accounts section. In April, 1925, the premium remittance activities of the mail subdivision were transferred to the cashier's section, and the adjusted compensation division was transferred to and established as a separate subdivision in the insurance division.

Standard procedures have been perfected and new and improved methods installed in many of the important operating functions. These organizational changes and improved methods have eliminated overlapping functions and have resulted in economies in personnel, space and equipment, and increased efficiency in the service.

The personnel on the rolls handling Government life insurance activities has decreased from 872 as of June 30, 1924, to 810 as of June 30, 1925. While this decrease shows a net reduction in personnel of 62 employees, the real reduction in the personnel for these

activities during the last fiscal year amounted to 140 employees since there were lost 78 additional employees by resignation and transfer, which number is represented by the 76 employees engaged on the premium remittance activities which were transferred from the mail subdivision, and 2 employees engaged on "no record" work who were transferred from the index and record section. The real reduction in clerical personnel is therefore 16 per cent, which compares favorably with the reduction in the number of policies in force, which decreased slightly less than 2 per cent during the same period.

YEARLY RENEWABLE TERM INSURANCE

Under the provisions of the war risk insurance act, every person in the active military or naval service was given the privilege of obtaining insurance from the United States, payable in the event of death or total permanent disability. It could be obtained in an amount of $1,000 to $10,000, in multiples of $500. This insurance was issued on the yearly renewable term plan for the temporary war emergency. No charge was included in the premium to cover the extra hazards of war, disability benefits, or the cost of administration, which are borne by the Government.

The premium for yearly renewable term insurance increases with the age of the insured and becomes practically prohibitive at the older ages. It was necessary therefore to provide for conversion into insurance at level premium rates. Provision was made in the war risk insurance act for the conversion of the yearly renewable term (war-time) insurance into level premium United States Government life insurance at any time within five years after the date of the termination of the war as declared by proclamation of the President of the United States.

The World War veterans' act, approved June 7, 1924, repealed the war risk insurance act as amended and made no provision for the granting of yearly renewable term insurance. Prior to the passage of the World War veterans' act, June 7, 1924, men who entered the active military or naval service of the United States were permitted to obtain yearly renewable term insurance under practically the same conditions as during the war. During the period allowed for the issuance of yearly renewable term insurance, i. e., from October 6, 1917, to June 7, 1924, 4,684,840 applications for term insurance, in the amount of $40,542,177,500, were received.

APPLICATIONS FOR YEARLY RENEWABLE TERM INSURANCE

The following table shows the number and amount of applications for yearly renewable term insurance received by fiscal years and to June 7, 1924:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Number	Amount	Number to date	Amount to date
To June 30, 1919 [1]			4,538,116	$39,661,647,500
1920	93,877	$623,245,000	4,631,993	40,284,892,500
1921	39,871	197,867,000	4,671,864	40,482,759,500
1922	2,595	11,786,500	4,674,459	40,494,546,000
1923	6,580	27,185,000	4,681,039	40,521,731,000
1924	[2] 3,801	[2] 20,446,500	[2] 4,684,840	[2] 40,542,177,500

[1] Estimated from date of enactment of war risk insurance act, Oct. 6, 1917.
[2] Includes 381 applications for $2,293,500 received by U. S. Veterans' Bureau during fiscal year 1925 from other departments submitted to them prior to June 7, 1924.

REINSTATEMENT OF YEARLY RENEWABLE TERM INSURANCE

The World War veterans' act, 1924, as amended, provides that all yearly renewable term insurance shall cease on July 2, 1926. Under regulations, yearly renewable term insurance which has lapsed or been canceled may be reinstated in whole or in part on or before that date, provided the applicant meets the health and premium requirements.

The act further provides that in case where an insured whose yearly renewable term insurance has matured by reason of total permanent disability is found and declared to be no longer totally and permanently disabled, and where the insured is required under regulations to renew payment of premiums on his term insurance, and where this contingency is extended beyond the period during which yearly renewable term insurance otherwise must be converted, there shall be given the insured an additional period of two years from the date on which he is required to renew payment of premiums, in which to convert his term insurance.

A special reinstatement provision was made for veterans disabled as a result of service in the World War. Under this provision, applications for reinstatement of insurance lapsed two years or more had to be submitted on or before June 7, 1925. After that date, applications for reinstatement of insurance under this provision must be submitted within two years after date of lapse or cancellation, with the further limitation that no yearly renewable term insurance shall be reinstated after July 2, 1926.

The following table shows the number and amount of yearly renewable term insurance policies reinstated by fiscal years to June 30, 1925:

Fiscal year	Number	Amount	Number to date	Amount to date
To June 30, 1921			228,868	$1,668,804,596
To June 30, 1922	45,885	$301,560,713	274,753	1,970,365,309
To June 30, 1923	25,409	122,533,533	300,162	2,092,898,842
To June 30, 1924	25,978	118,798,443	326,140	2,211,697,285
To June 30, 1925	23,200	121,373,481	349,340	2,333,070,766

YEARLY RENEWABLE TERM INSURANCE IN FORCE

At the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, there were in force 177,328 contracts of yearly renewable term insurance, amounting to $1,372,091,391. This represented a decrease of 32,057 policies, amounting to $236,939,143, compared with the number and amount of yearly renewable term insurance contracts in force at the end of the preceding fiscal year. This decrease was due largely to the natural loss resulting from lapses, death, to the conversion into United States Government life insurance, and to the decrease in the number of men in the active military and naval service carrying insurance.

The following table shows by fiscal years the number and amount of yearly renewable term insurance in force:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Number	Amount
1921	397,890	$2,980,660,235
1922	300,926	2,314,663,588
1923	240,291	1,854,145,796
1924	209,385	1,609,030,534
1925	177,328	1,372,091,391

YEARLY RENEWABLE TERM INSURANCE PREMIUM INCOME

The following table shows by sources the total amount of yearly renewable term insurance premium income to June 30, 1925:

Source	Amount of term premiums deposited in Treasury
War Department	$272,332,051.83
Navy Department	28,328,882.87
Marine Corps	4,982,970.10
Coast Guard	599,625.04
U. S. Public Health Service	230.90
Direct to bureau	127,443,514.39
Gross receipts	433,687,275.13
Refunds paid	733,497.83
Net receipts	432,953,777.30

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE (CONVERTED INSURANCE)

The conversion of yearly renewable term insurance into Government life insurance was provided for in section 404, Article IV, of the war risk insurance act as follows: "Not later than five years after the date of the termination of the war as declared by proclamation of the President of the United States, term insurance shall be converted without medical examination, into such form of insurance as may be prescribed by regulations and as the insured may request." The date of the expiration of the five-year period was established by section 301 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, as amended as follows: "Not later than July 2, 1926, all term insurance held by persons who are in military service after April 6, 1917, shall be converted, without medical examination, into such form or forms of insurance as may be prescribed by regulations and as the insured may request."

The following forms of policies are issued by the Government: Ordinary life, 20-payment life, 30-payment life, 20-year endowment, 30-year endowment, and endowment maturing at age 62. Policies are issued in amounts ranging from $1,000 to $10,000 in multiples of $500. The principal features of United States Government life insurance policies are as follows:

PRINCIPAL FEATURES OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

Premiums.—The premiums are net premiums based on the American Experience Table of Mortality at 3½ per cent interest, computed for payment on a monthly basis and remaining the same throughout the premium-paying period of the policy. They may be paid quarterly, semiannually, or annually at a discount. No additional charge is made for administration expense, which is borne by the Government. Premiums are payable on the first day of the month, but the insured has 31 days as a grace period in which to pay the premiums due, during which time the policy remains in full force. No premium interest is charged if premium is paid during this grace period.

Guaranteed values.—After the policy has been in force one year, guaranteed cash, paid-up, and extended insurance values are equivalent to the full reserve without any deductions.

Dividends.—All policies on the level premium plans participate in dividends derived from excess interest earnings and mortality savings as may be declared by the director.

Disability benefits.—All policies contain a liberal total permanent disability clause which is not limited as to the age at which such disability may occur or the cause of such disability, and provides for the waiver of the payment of premiums and the payment of installments of $5.75 per month per $1,000 of insurance to the insured so long as he may live and is so disabled.

Policy loans.—All policies provide for loans at any time after the first year, equal to 94 per cent of the cash surrender value. This loan value increases so long as the policy remains in force.

No restrictions.—Policies are free from restrictions as to residence, travel, occupation, military or naval service.

Beneficiary.—The insurance will be paid to the beneficiary designated by the insured, such beneficiary to be within the class permitted by the World War veterans' act. The insured may change the beneficiary or take any action on the policy without the consent of the beneficiary.

Optional settlements.—Payment of insurance, on the death of the insured, may be in a lump sum, in 240 monthly installments, or in optional settlements provided by the policy, as selected by the insured during his lifetime or by his last will and testament.

Reinstatement.—Policies may be reinstated in accordance with the regulations (if not surrendered for cash) at any time after default in payment of premiums.

APPLICATIONS FOR UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The bureau has continued the policy of keeping before the term certificate holders the advantages of converting their insurance at an early age.

During the fiscal year 1925 there were approved 33,509 applications for conversion, aggregating $156,111,317.

The following table shows the number of applications received and the number and amount acted upon by fiscal years to June 30, 1925:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Applications received	Applications approved (gross)		Applications disapproved	
	Number	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1919	36,061	2,436	$9,069,000		
1920	131,562	150,543	502,752,500	452	$1,801,000
1921	135,952	142,614	478,230,500	4,352	14,706,750
1922	47,932	48,617	204,946,309	1,665	5,863,512
1923	53,061	49,856	213,134,467	1,721	5,841,847
1924	45,281	44,496	193,586,404	2,522	7,961,099
1925	35,206	33,509	156,111,317	1,079	4,378,114
Total	485,055	472,071	1,757,830,497	[1] 11,016	[1] 37,827,822

[1] 775 applications for $2,724,500 formerly disapproved, later approved.

APPLICATIONS FOR UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE APPROVED, CLASSIFIED BY STATES

The following table shows the gross number and amount of United States Government life insurance applications approved, classified by States, during the fiscal year 1925 and total to June 30, 1925:

State	Fiscal year 1925		Total to June 30, 1925	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama	412	$1,747,819	4,833	$18,148,819
Alaska	18	78,000	308	1,367,500
Arizona	147	726,500	1,505	6,693,275
Arkansas	275	1,236,458	4,472	17,003,048
California	2,272	10,718,158	25,589	104,687,160
Colorado	536	2,267,708	5,360	20,739,819
Connecticut	462	2,051,462	6,730	21,806,195
Delaware	42	259,500	690	2,760,500
District of Columbia	554	2,674,926	7,268	31,625,593
Florida	325	1,617,500	3,502	14,619,500
Georgia	431	2,034,506	6,223	26,588,496
Hawaii	67	353,500	603	3,145,500
Idaho	174	657,000	2,087	7,788,500
Illinois	2,203	10,419,335	35,086	123,353,465
Indiana	646	3,015,470	11,789	37,075,406
Iowa	853	3,751,500	12,133	48,747,477
Kansas	528	2,190,078	7,560	27,065,422
Kentucky	342	1,686,500	5,541	20,293,228
Louisiana	440	2,111,000	5,489	22,483,500
Maine	254	1,107,459	3,893	12,753,959
Maryland	402	1,922,022	5,299	22,328,522
Massachusetts	1,577	7,022,000	23,979	78,155,437
Michigan	1,031	4,343,500	16,604	50,785,362
Minnesota	1,163	5,102,000	14,409	52,197,502
Mississippi	305	1,374,000	3,773	14,856,342
Missouri	1,022	4,354,000	16,238	55,551,953
Montana	225	939,500	3,273	12,361,500
Nebraska	463	1,996,500	6,065	24,439,500
Nevada	26	118,000	368	1,540,500
New Hampshire	150	631,500	2,367	7,538,500
New Jersey	928	4,618,000	13,178	49,138,548
New Mexico	74	326,000	1,110	4,401,500
New York	3,538	17,873,869	51,419	193,276,662
North Carolina	386	1,874,232	5,029	21,286,232
North Dakota	207	826,500	3,044	11,159,500
Ohio	1,626	7,621,000	26,359	92,026,341
Oklahoma	611	2,798,500	6,390	26,725,000
Oregon	461	1,848,500	5,674	20,707,890
Pennsylvania	2,493	12,122,934	35,199	130,482,828
Porto Rico	54	229,500	355	1,446,500
Rhode Island	198	876,500	2,933	9,323,000
South Carolina	253	1,234,431	3,242	14,969,553
South Dakota	230	963,000	2,990	12,255,500
Tennessee	394	2,008,500	6,138	23,398,000
Texas	1,060	4,937,545	13,624	56,143,006
Utah	190	691,000	2,463	8,536,000
Vermont	105	516,500	1,660	5,177,000
Virginia	537	2,659,458	7,190	30,793,445
Washington	681	2,758,167	11,308	42,836,495
West Virginia	317	1,703,000	4,122	16,844,765
Wisconsin	984	4,268,000	14,889	49,587,565
Wyoming	111	477,000	1,216	4,962,000
United States possessions	86	423,301	524	2,593,705
Foreign	164	912,979	2,343	9,040,479
U. S. Army	396	2,666,000	5,477	25,823,000
U. S. Navy	80	469,500	780	4,997,000
Unclassified			359	1,397,500
Total	33,509	156,111,317	472,071	1,757,830,497

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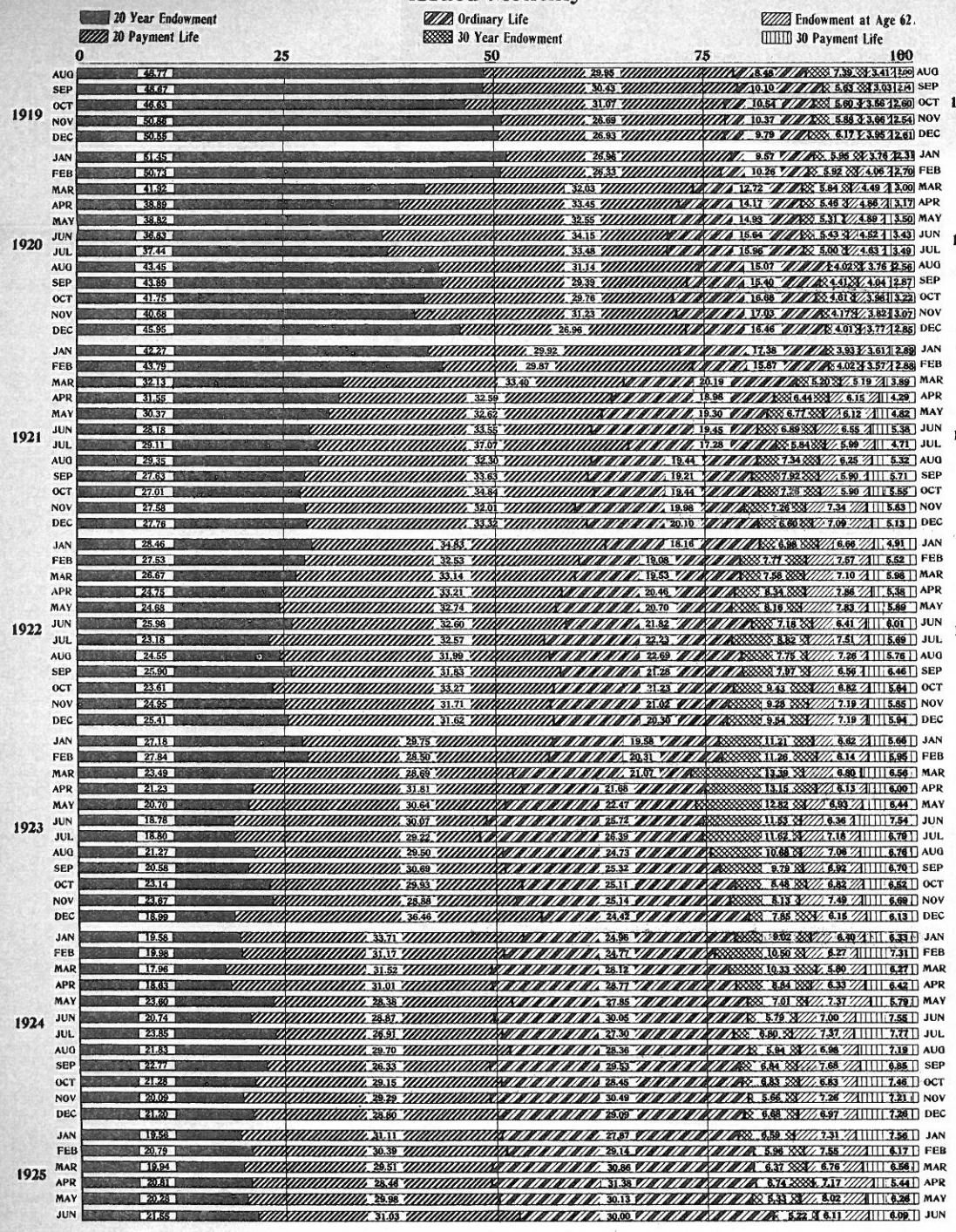
U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

Converted Life Insurance Policies Issued

Selection of Plans by Per Cent of Total Number of Policies Issued Monthly



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ANALYSIS BY PLAN OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The following table shows the number and amount, the percentage, and the average amounts of United States Government life insurance policies issued to June 30, 1925, classified by plan:

Plan	Number	Amount	Per cent of total		Average amounts
			Number	Amount	
Ordinary life	83,081	$393,015,531	17.60	$22.36	$4,730.51
20-payment life	144,335	601,155,248	30.58	34.20	4,165.00
30-payment life	19,749	98,391,519	4.18	5.60	4,982.10
20-year endowment	170,001	424,609,503	36.01	24.15	2,497.69
30-year endowment	30,548	124,043,525	6.47	7.06	4,060.61
Endowment at age 62	24,357	116,615,171	5.16	6.63	4,787.75
Total	472,071	1,757,830,497	100.00	100.00	3,723.66

REINSTATEMENT OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The following table shows the number and amount of United States Government life insurance policies reinstated by fiscal years to June 30, 1925:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Number	Amount	Number to date	Amount to date
1921			3,631	$12,011,000
1922	3,446	$10,774,692	7,077	22,785,692
1923	3,244	10,924,500	10,321	33,710,192
1924	2,785	9,487,348	13,106	43,197,540
1925	3,161	11,917,599	16,267	55,115,139

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE IN FORCE

At the close of the fiscal year 1925, 375,012 United States Government life insurance policies, amounting to $1,492,937,338, were in force. This represented an increase of 21,797 policies, amounting to $117,394,414, compared with the number and amount of United States Government life insurance policies in force at the close of the preceding fiscal year.

The following table shows by fiscal years the number and amount of United States Government life insurance in force:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Number	Amount
1921	253,164	$868,715,500
1922	280,852	1,033,736,886
1923	319,774	1,216,064,021
1924	353,215	1,375,542,924
1925	375,012	1,492,937,338

The following table shows the number of policies and the amount of insurance in force at the end of each calendar year, beginning with December 31, 1920:

Calendar year	Number	Amount
1920	212,152	$712,454,000
1921	264,669	944,901,851
1922	298,256	1,119,714,905
1923	336,541	1,298,548,122
1924	361,792	1,422,265,628

POLICY EXHIBIT OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The following exhibit of United States Government life insurance (converted) policies covering transactions for the calendar year ending December 31, 1924, shows insurance in force at the end of the previous year, insurance issued during the year, and alterations and terminations which occurred during the year, arranged by plan of insurance and total.

United States Government life (converted) insurance in force December 31, 1924

TOTAL—ALL PLANS

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	336,541	$1,298,548,121.72		
Issued during 1924	35,550	158,264,549.00		
Total			372,091	$1,456,812,670.72
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	1,011	4,105,695.89		
Disability claims awarded	577	2,251,460.00		
Surrendered for cash	4,276	11,330,837.58		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	41	191,500.00		
Lapsed	9,051	28,425,469.00		
Dishonorable discharge	160	247,332.00		
Reduced		1,482,573.82		
Canceled	154	441,346.00		
Expired	2,861	9,020,683.00		
Change in data	4,885	18,835,756.00		
Total terminations	23,016	76,332,653.29		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	20	78,472.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	41	31,790.75		
Revived	1,406	4,963,848.00		
Continued under extended insurance	6,191	17,915,711.00		
Change in data	5,059	18,795,789.00		
Total additions	12,717	41,785,610.75		
Net terminations			10,299	34,547,042.54
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			361,792	1,422,265,628.18

ORDINARY LIFE

Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	52,444	$257,766,758.11		
Issued during 1924	9,859	51,711,745.00		
Total			62,303	$309,478,503.11
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	244	1,180,922.00		
Disability claims awarded	167	930,781.00		
Surrendered for cash	314	1,253,000.00		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	12	56,000.00		
Lapsed	1,931	8,083,736.00		
Dishonorable discharge	12	23,000.00		
Reduced		397,167.00		
Canceled	12	35,500.00		
Change in data	747	3,484,702.00		
Total terminations	3,439	15,444,808.00		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	4	19,887.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	12	6,799.30		
Revived	263	1,181,500.00		
Change in data	1,420	6,537,167.00		
Total additions	1,699	7,745,353.30		
Net terminations			1,740	7,699,454.70
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			60,563	301,779,048.41

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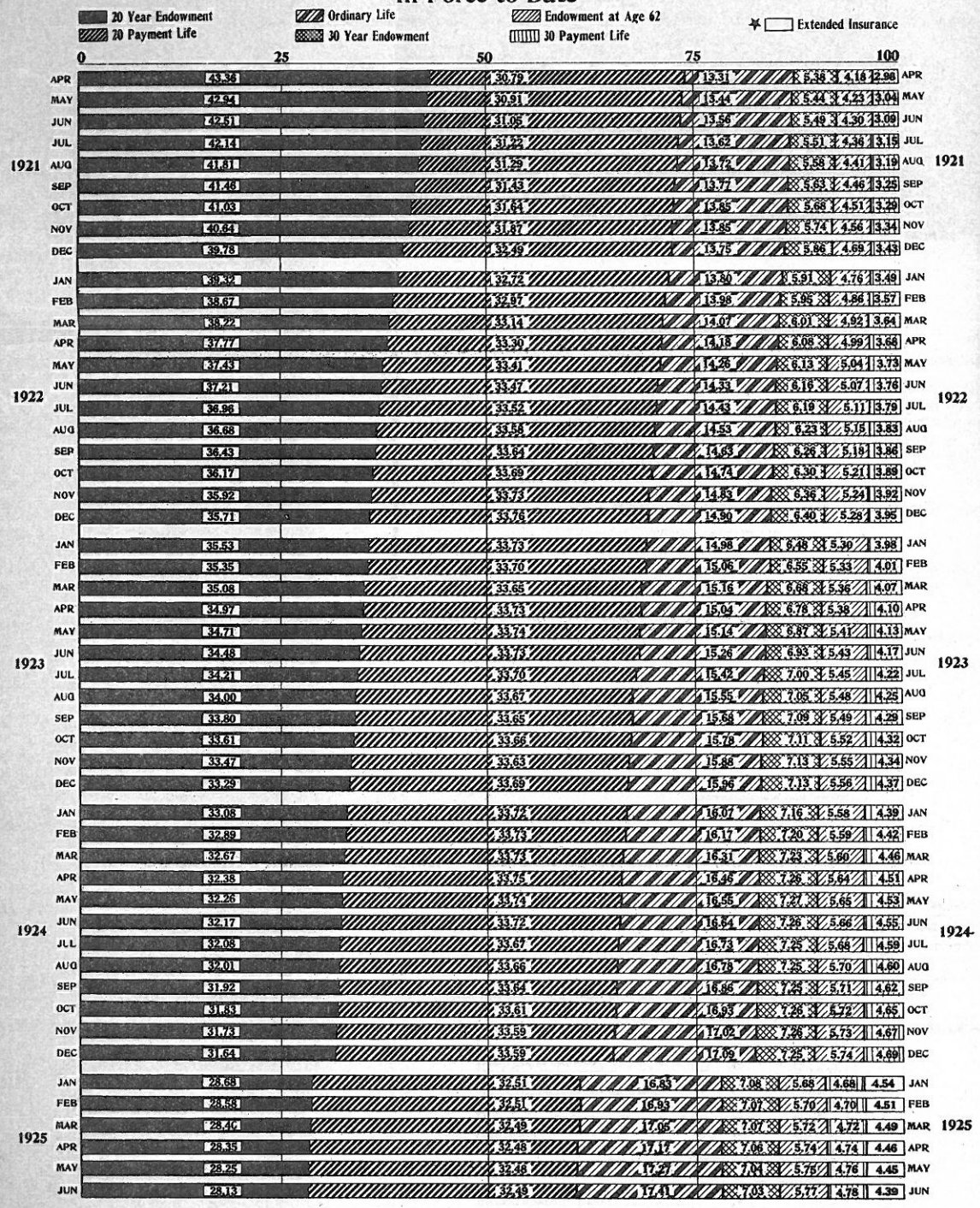
U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

Converted Life Insurance Policies In Force

Selection of Plans by Per Cent of Total Number of Policies In Force to Date



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United States Government life (converted) insurance in force December 31, 1924—Con.

20-PAYMENT LIFE

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	110,189	$468,543,791.09		
Issued during 1924	10,680	46,942,549.00		
Total			120,869	$515,486,340.09
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	281	1,294,765.00		
Disability claims awarded	147	547,877.00		
Surrendered for cash	616	2,240,146.85		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	15	86,500.00		
Lapsed	2,720	9,075,964.00		
Dishonorable discharge	16	32,000.00		
Reduced		433,500.00		
Canceled	15	76,028.00		
Change in data	941	4,155,462.00		
Total terminations	4,751	17,942,242.85		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	5	17,793.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	15	17,173.60		
Revived	431	1,801,500.00		
Change in data	1,091	4,393,223.00		
Total additions	1,542	6,229,689.60		
Net terminations			3,209	11,712,553.25
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			117,660	503,773,786.84

30-PAYMENT LIFE

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	14,623	$73,268,372.69		
Issued during 1924	2,436	12,476,000.00		
Total			17,059	$85,744,372.69
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	22	104,508.00		
Disability claims awarded	17	97,211.00		
Surrendered for cash	57	219,486.90		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	3	13,000.00		
Lapsed	306	1,305,148.00		
Dishonorable discharge	2	11,000.00		
Reduced		76,000.00		
Canceled		19,000.00		
Change in data	157	712,918.00		
Total terminations	564	2,558,271.90		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	2	13,753.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	3	2,266.13		
Revived	60	271,424.00		
Change in data	290	1,420,463.00		
Total additions	355	1,707,906.13		
Net terminations			209	850,365.77
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			16,850	84,894,006.92

United States Government life (converted) insurance in force December 31, 1924—Con.

20-YEAR ENDOWMENT

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	102,759	$282,824,719.51		
Issued during 1924	7,384	23,373,308.00		
Total			110,143	$306,198,027.51
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	277	793,360.89		
Disability claims awarded	163	394,699.00		
Surrendered for cash	2,057	4,353,774.94		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	5	13,000.00		
Lapsed	3,154	6,301,621.00		
Dishonorable discharge	14	24,000.00		
Reduced		345,906.82		
Canceled	46	93,000.00		
Change in data	1,441	5,616,982.00		
Total terminations	7,157	17,936,344.65		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	6	18,940.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	7	3,313.02		
Revived	531	1,144,500.00		
Change in data	609	1,745,810.00		
Total additions	1,153	2,912,563.02		
Net terminations			6,004	15,023,781.63
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			104,139	291,174,245.88

30-YEAR ENDOWMENT

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	23,600	$96,174,298.13		
Issued during 1924	2,803	11,697,578.00		
Total			26,403	$107,871,876.13
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	42	222,982.00		
Disability claims awarded	28	120,664.00		
Surrendered for cash	137	573,121.89		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	4	17,000.00		
Lapsed	574	2,095,000.00		
Dishonorable discharge				
Reduced		135,000.00		
Canceled	2	28,500.00		
Change in data	263	1,224,471.00		
Total terminations	1,070	4,416,738.89		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	2	5,735.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	3	2,086.26		
Revived	71	328,424.00		
Change in data	221	966,691.00		
Total additions	297	1,302,936.26		
Net terminations			773	3,113,802.63
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			25,630	104,758,073.50

United States Government life (converted) insurance in force December 31, 1924—Con.

ENDOWMENT AT AGE 62

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	18,521	$89,115,052.19		
Issued during 1924	2,388	12,063,369.00		
Total			20,909	$101,178,421.19
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	62	327,822.00		
Disability claims awarded	20	92,364.00		
Surrendered for cash	117	510,303.00		
Surrendered for paid-up insurance	2	6,000.00		
Lapsed	366	1,564,000.00		
Dishonorable discharge				
Reduced		95,000.00		
Canceled	1	1,000.00		
Change in data	155	794,004.00		
Total terminations	723	3,390,493.00		
Additions:				
Rerated disability claims	1	2,364.00		
Paid-up insurance issued	1	152.44		
Revived	50	236,500.00		
Change in data	227	960,690.00		
Total additions	279	1,199,706.44		
Net terminations			444	2,190,786.56
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			20,465	98,987,634.63

EXTENDED INSURANCE

	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1923	14,405	$30,855,130.00		
Issued during 1924	7,221	21,601,059.00		
Total			21,626	$52,456,189.00
Terminations:				
Death claims awarded	83	181,336.00		
Disability claims awarded	35	67,864.00		
Surrendered for cash	958	2,181,004.00		
Revived	849	2,963,430.00		
Dishonorable discharge	116	157,332.00		
Canceled	78	188,318.00		
Expired	3,042	9,742,601.00		
Change in data	1,181	2,847,217.00		
Total terminations	6,342	18,329,102.00		
Additions:				
Change in data	1,201	2,771,745.00		
Total additions	1,201	2,771,745.00		
Net terminations			5,141	15,557,357.00
Insurance in force Dec. 31, 1924			16,485	36,898,832.00

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE-INSURANCE POLICIES SURRENDERED FOR CASH AND FOR PAID-UP INSURANCE

United States Government life-insurance policies provide that policies after having been in force one year may be surrendered for cash or for paid-up insurance.

The following table shows by fiscal years the number of policies and the amount of insurance surrendered for cash:

Fiscal year to June 30	Number of policies surrendered for cash	Amount of insurance surrendered for cash
1921	2, 457	$7, 458, 500. 00
1922	9, 512	22, 583, 451. 91
1923	5, 970	14, 769, 690. 13
1924	4, 235	11, 655, 203. 44
1925	4, 087	12, 770, 470. 72
Total	26, 261	69, 237, 316. 20

The following table shows by fiscal years the amount of insurance surrendered for paid-up insurance, the number of paid-up policies issued and the amount of paid-up insurance issued:

Fiscal year to June 30	Amount of insurance surrendered for paid-up insurance	Number of paid-up policies issued	Amount of paid-up insurance issued
1921	$78, 000	13	$3, 804. 65
1922	224, 000	48	16, 617. 74
1923	215, 500	35	23, 924. 61
1924	181, 500	42	22, 838. 88
1925	277, 000	57	44, 536. 06
Total	976, 000	195	111, 721. 94

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE-INSURANCE 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.

The following table shows the number and amount of United States Government life-insurance premiums received by fiscal years to June 30, 1925:

Fiscal year ended June 30	Number	Amount
1919	9, 187	$296, 680. 40
1920	540, 600	10, 055, 542. 73
1921	1, 351, 443	22, 271, 866. 39
1922	1, 364, 970	26, 864, 068. 81
1923	1, 525, 324	30, 918, 906. 67
1924	1, 712, 810	35, 345, 016. 76
1925	1, 880, 734	39, 387, 954. 24
Total	8, 385, 068	165, 140, 036. 00

DIVIDENDS PAID ON UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The fund from which dividends on United States Government life insurance are apportioned is accumulated from two sources—savings due to deferred mortality, and excess interest on the amount earned on invested funds over the assumed rate of 3½ per cent.

The following table shows the number and amount of dividends paid by fiscal years to June 30, 1925:

Fiscal year	Number	Amount
1921	24, 530	$113, 073. 40
1922	345, 190	1, 650, 646. 21
1923	275, 997	1, 790, 458. 83
1924	316, 121	2, 321, 322. 33
1925	358, 232	2, 743, 274. 92
Total	1, 320, 070	8, 618, 775. 69

The following table shows the dividends paid in 1925 on policies for $1,000, issued at age 30, in force on their anniversaries:

Year of issue	End of policy year	Amount of dividend paid in 1925		
		Ordinary life policy	20-payment life policy	20-year endowment policy
1924	1	$1. 74	$1. 77	$1. 82
1923	2	1. 77	1. 83	1. 95
1922	3	1. 81	1. 90	2. 09
1921	4	1. 85	1. 98	2. 23
1920	5	1. 89	2. 06	2. 38
1919	6	1. 93	2. 13	2. 53

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE-INSURANCE POLICY LOANS

The United States Government life-insurance policies provide for loans at any time after the first year equal to 94 per cent of the cash value. Policy loans outstanding as of June 30, 1924, aggregated $12,460,433.75, representing 7.9 per cent of the ledger assets, which amounted to $157,874,484.65.

The table following shows the amount of policy loans made, repaid, and outstanding for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925.

Month	Loans outstanding at beginning of month	New loans issued during month	Repayments					Net increase for month	Loans outstanding at end of month
			By cash	By deduction from					
				Loans	Surrenders	Claims	Dividend deposits and payments	Total repayments	
1924									
July	$7,839,963.51	$814,369.59	$42,899.30	$306,550.44	$49,593.19	$4,198.19	$4.92	$403,246.04	$411,123.55
August	8,251,087.06	733,688.30	49,588.74	283,627.36	69,404.65	2,459.27	31.35	396,111.45	357,576.85
September	8,608,663.91	685,231.85	45,771.95	191,822.65	51,568.75	1,371.47	3.15	290,537.67	394,694.18
October	9,003,358.09	889,131.61	47,509.81	405,594.33	135,386.54	3,541.21	69.11	592,101.00	297,030.61
November	9,300,388.70	727,232.67	51,992.03	316,759.66	95,007.85	2,096.54	10.43	465,866.51	261,366.16
December	9,561,754.86	776,065.79	47,996.75	337,369.48	72,153.58	5,046.62	11.60	462,578.01	313,487.78
1925									
January	9,875,242.64	897,183.45	81,142.18	379,606.78	70,776.81	1,714.50	20.70	533,260.97	363,922.48
February	10,239,165.12	846,023.50	82,364.14	340,518.63	55,543.48	3,758.94	82.62	483,267.81	382,755.69
March	10,621,920.81	1,043,861.66	74,664.49	445,357.51	61,698.13	1,834.20	50.46	583,602.80	460,258.86
April	11,082,179.67	1,057,716.59	64,186.19	428,757.56	105,618.86	2,604.89	28.80	601,296.89	456,420.70
May	11,538,609.37	1,092,993.36	66,804.93	473,520.79	72,834.93	4,005.57	69.22	617,304.74	475,688.62
June	12,014,297.99	1,027,913.48	56,244.15	458,051.37	60,513.10	6,922.00	47.10	581,777.72	446,135.76
Total		10,611,411.85	692,224.55	4,337,443.46	921,299.85	39,543.39	430.36	5,990,941.61	4,620,470.24

Total amount of policy loans issued to date	$23,731,322.65
Outstanding policy loans on July 1, 1924	7,839,963.51
New loans issued during fiscal year	$10,611,411.85
Less:	
Repayments in cash	$692,224.55
Repayments by deduction—	
(a) From new loans	$4,337,443.46
(b) From surrenders	921,299.85
(c) From claims	39,543.39
(d) From dividend deposits and dividend payments	430.36
Total collections by deduction	5,298,717.06
Total repayments	5,990,941.61
Net increase in outstanding loans	4,620,470.24
Outstanding policy loans June 30, 1925	12,460,433.75

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE-INSURANCE FUND

The Government life-insurance fund was established in accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the amendment to the war risk insurance act, approved December 24, 1919 (Public No. 104, 66th Cong.), which provides as follows:

That all premiums paid on account of insurance converted under the provisions of Article IV of the war risk insurance act shall be deposited and covered into the Treasury to the credit of the United States Government life-insurance fund and shall be available for the payment of losses, dividends, refunds, and other benefits provided for under such insurance. Payments from this fund shall be made upon and in accordance with awards by the director.

The Bureau of War Risk Insurance is hereby authorized to set aside out of the fund so collected such reserve funds as may be required, under accepted actuarial principles, to meet all liabilities under such insurance; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to invest and reinvest the said United States Government life-insurance fund, or any part thereof, in interest-bearing obligations of the United States and to sell the obligations for the purposes of the said fund.

This was further amended by section 412 of Public No. 542, Sixty-seventh Congress, so the funds could be invested in interest-bearing obligations of the United States, or bonds of the Federal farm-loan banks. The authority for investment of the fund is now contained in section 17, Public No. 242, Sixty-eighth Congress, World War veterans' act, 1924.

The following is the financial statement of the United States Government life-insurance fund from origin of fund to December 31, 1924:

Financial statement of the United States Government life-insurance fund, by calendar years, from origin of fund to December 31, 1924

	From origin to Dec. 31, 1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
Ledger assets Dec. 31	$0.00	$20,227,973.36	$43,926,875.50	$71,428,561.66	$103,731,836.63
INCOME					
Premiums	20,534,883.59	24,971,186.25	28,966,134.47	33,594,279.66	36,775,206.74
Interest	561,649.71	1,591,428.28	2,661,703.80	3,883,286.25	5,154,961.72
Increase by amortization of bonds	37,543.55	127,514.88	172,829.40	182,562.67	191,990.54
Dividends deposited by policyholders	0.00	1,839.46	4,925.99	9,908.23	18,960.70
Received from United States on account of the extra hazards of military and naval service	0.00	2,257,923.97	3,362,019.92	3,196,628.93	2,355,102.20
Consideration[4] for supplementary installment contracts under claims	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,442,498.55	2,386,853.50
Other income	668.60	21,978.58	24,401.51	47,192.41	96,673.27
Total income	21,134,745.45	28,971,871.42	35,192,015.09	47,356,356.70	46,979,748.67
Total	21,134,745.45	49,199,844.78	79,118,890.59	118,784,918.36	150,711,585.30
DISBURSEMENTS					
Claims (death and total permanent disability)	492,984.58	2,982,500.45	3,913,414.07	9,494,042.19	6,201,436.22
Surrender values	48,274.88	711,167.93	1,595,221.36	1,898,456.07	2,583,236.82
Accrued interest on bonds purchased	237,809.72	290,020.81	250,737.23	272,326.85	306,406.50
Premiums refunded, disapproved applications, and premiums paid in advance	55,481.04	213,926.14	164,041.61	209,369.87	196,054.69
Dividends paid policyholders	0.00	993,706.92	1,631,103.46	2,058,615.97	2,587,932.85
Paid on supplementary installment contracts under claims	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,107,999.58	1,196,648.58
Other disbursements	72,221.87	81,647.03	135,811.20	12,271.20	75,683.00
Total disbursements	906,772.09	5,272,969.28	7,690,328.93	15,053,081.73	13,147,398.66
Balance	20,227,973.36	43,926,875.50	71,428,561.66	103,731,836.63	137,564,186.64

Financial statement of the United States Government life-insurance fund, by calendar years, from origin of fund to December 31, 1924—Continued

	From origin to Dec. 31, 1920	1921	1922	1923	1924
ASSETS					
Ledger assets					
Book value of bonds amortized	$19,904,051.36	$42,182,264.87	$67,978,169.09	$96,885,767.06	[1] $127,147,236.13
Policy loans	58,906.44	751,788.11	2,677,931.40	5,721,787.68	9,875,242.64
Cash on hand and in United States Treasury	265,015.56	992,822.52	772,461.17	1,124,281.89	[2] 541,707.87
Total ledger assets as per "Balance" under income and disbursements	20,227,973.36	43,926,875.50	71,428,561.66	103,731,836.63	137,564,186.64
Nonledger assets					
Interest accrued on bonds and policy loans	176,736.29	355,431.41	602,424.57	938,815.32	1,532,230.07
Premiums due (grace period)	114,157.24	123,978.49	207,142.47	233,281.58	90,355.82
Premiums in course of collection through Government departments	252,476.76	376,049.67	333,929.20	275,813.09	278,238.04
Due from United States on account of the extra hazards of military and naval service	0.00	703,070.50	570,526.39	57,660.98	724,472.28
Policy liens	0.00	29,956.55	31,018.73	17,495.63	21,782.56
Total nonledger assets	543,370.29	1,588,486.62	1,745,041.36	1,523,066.60	2,647,078.77
Total assets	20,771,343.65	45,515,362.12	73,173,603.02	105,254,903.23	140,211,265.41
LIABILITIES					
Reserves	13,804,215.27	33,392,635.84	58,459,958.89	88,237,459.94	120,608,656.68
Present value of future installments on claims	564,883.54	2,133,487.00	3,439,764.30	5,086,789.21	6,563,408.16
Claims in process of settlement	1,498,975.73	1,822,689.00	2,106,323.17	1,156,107.00	1,033,567.80
Premiums paid in advance	3,210,669.56	3,949,351.90	4,462,531.96	5,089,227.74	5,955,875.36
Dividends deposited with interest	0.00	1,905.16	6,867.88	17,323.67	35,219.43
Advance payments from War Department	0.00	339,518.51	323,252.52	253,428.40	254,111.12
Apportioned for payment of dividends	1,030,016.69	1,750,000.00	2,357,000.00	2,759,732.00	2,950,000.00
Other liabilities	404,402.00	436,275.31	200,162.15	142,478.82	111,175.28
Unassigned funds	258,180.86	1,689,499.40	1,817,742.15	2,512,356.45	2,699,251.58
Total liabilities	20,771,343.65	45,515,362.12	73,173,603.02	105,254,903.23	140,211,265.41

[1] Market value $135,578,620.43.
[2] $200,000 of this item in process of investment.

Bond investments of United States Government life insurance fund as of June 30, 1925

Description	First Liberty loan bonds, 4¼ per cent	Second Liberty loan bonds, 4¼ per cent	Fourth Liberty loan bonds, 4¼ per cent
Par value	$6,639,900.00	$18,089,300.00	$42,661,550.00
Purchase price	6,316,209.21	16,247,357.00	39,495,573.60
Market value	6,825,721.88	18,354,986.59	43,941,396.50
Book value	6,342,899.45	16,482,226.15	40,045,275.39
Annual interest	285,017.71	776,483.20	1,831,247.03
Interest accrued to date, not paid	11,758.16	96,099.41	377,732.47

Description	1952 Treasury, 4¼ per cent	1954 farm loan, 4½ per cent	1955 farm loan, 4½ per cent	Grand total
Par value	$49,173,200.00	$15,250,000.00	$16,600,000.00	$148,413,950.00
Purchase price	49,201,905.28	15,173,750.00	16,722,125.00	143,156,920.09
Market value	52,922,656.50	15,726,562.50	17,118,750.00	154,890,073.97
Book value	49,203,115.77	15,174,684.48	16,720,693.56	143,968,894.80
Annual interest	2,110,759.61	693,112.50	754,470.00	6,451,090.05
Interest accrued to date, not paid	435,387.71	343,125.00	373,500.00	1,637,602.75

Average effective rate (all holdings) 4.593 per cent.
Average price paid per $100 (all holdings) 96.42 per cent.

INSURANCE IN FORCE

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

Fiscal year	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

CONDITION OF WORK

The work of the insurance division was transacted on a current basis during the fiscal year. The following items covering the most important activities present an idea of the volume of work accomplished:

Activities	Number	Amount
U. S. Government life insurance policies issued	33,509	$156,111,317.00
Premium notices mailed (term and converted)	3,889,060	
Premium remittances received (term and converted)	3,629,487	52,493,169.11
Premium payments credited (term and converted)	3,736,670	
Applications for reinstatement of insurance examined and approved (term and converted)	26,361	133,291,080.00
Letters from policyholders disposed of	652,142	
Letters to ex-service men originated	754,488	
Dividends paid	358,232	2,743,274.92

POLICIES ISSUED

The following table shows the number and amount of United States Government life insurance policies issued by months for the fiscal year 1925:

United States Government life insurance policies issued

Date	Number	Amount
1924		
July	2,780	$12,283,467
August	2,391	10,679,658
September	2,279	10,085,198
October	2,401	11,225,067
November	2,260	10,363,078
December	2,424	11,338,218
1925		
January	2,806	13,727,522
February	2,886	13,619,000
March	3,581	17,015,926
April	3,306	15,825,743
May	2,682	12,866,741
June	3,713	17,081,699
Total	33,509	156,111,317

PREMIUM REMITTANCES RECEIVED

All remittances for insurance premiums received in the bureau are examined, numbered, listed, assorted, recorded, and deposited in the United States Treasury in such manner that any item can be identified and properly adjusted in case of a refund or discrepancy in the records or of a failure to make collection when such remittance is presented for payment. This work is handled by the cashier's section.

The following report shows the number and amount of yearly renewable term and United States Government life insurance premium remittances received by months during the fiscal year 1925:

Date	Yearly renewable term insurance		United States Government life insurance		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1924						
July	169,639	$1,287,363.78	157,142	$3,360,149.85	326,781	$4,647,513.63
August	152,967	1,117,048.94	154,822	3,038,675.26	307,789	4,155,724.20
September	143,534	1,004,012.91	145,395	2,920,998.52	288,929	3,925,011.43
October	156,430	1,217,913.96	170,686	3,721,678.99	327,116	4,939,592.95
November	136,200	988,618.34	140,476	2,827,996.91	276,676	3,816,615.25
December	146,352	1,087,087.99	157,390	3,389,882.26	303,742	4,476,970.25
1925						
January	154,712	1,187,584.27	172,423	3,863,247.77	327,135	5,050,832.04
February	141,299	1,038,055.42	150,124	3,179,274.72	291,423	4,217,330.14
March	146,668	1,083,660.91	164,210	3,310,147.14	310,878	4,393,808.05
April	135,891	1,030,382.51	156,364	3,178,647.09	292,255	4,209,029.60
May	125,847	938,462.54	151,409	3,109,167.61	277,256	4,047,630.15
June	139,214	1,125,023.30	160,293	3,488,088.12	299,507	4,613,111.42
Total	1,748,753	13,105,214.87	1,880,734	39,387,954.24	3,629,487	52,493,169.11

APPLICATIONS FOR REINSTATEMENT

The following table shows the number and amount of yearly renewable term and United States Government life-insurance policies reinstated, by months, during the fiscal year 1925:

Date	Yearly renewable term insurance		United States Government life insurance		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1924						
July	1,469	$7,404,715	248	$891,000	1,717	$8,295,715
August	1,698	9,080,931	214	740,500	1,912	9,821,431
September	1,428	7,301,776	231	789,500	1,659	8,091,276
October	1,672	8,473,618	277	1,095,500	1,949	9,569,118
November	1,567	8,245,617	281	1,107,500	1,848	9,353,117
December	1,629	8,411,346	267	1,029,148	1,896	9,440,494
1925						
January	1,775	9,321,215	261	966,648	2,036	10,287,863
February	1,895	10,403,694	267	1,058,000	2,162	11,461,694
March	2,363	12,420,331	266	996,021	2,629	13,416,352
April	2,256	11,362,205	307	1,140,782	2,563	12,502,987
May	2,008	10,293,052	321	1,272,000	2,329	11,565,052
June	3,440	18,654,981	221	831,000	3,661	19,485,981
Total	23,200	121,373,481	3,161	11,917,599	26,361	133,291,080

CORRESPONDENCE

The following table shows the amount of correspondence handled, by months, during the fiscal year 1925:

Date	Received	Disposed of	Balance on hand	Originated	Total correspondence handled
1924					
July	61,241	61,684	2,353	149,667	211,351
August	55,749	55,860	2,242	114,361	170,221
September	57,318	56,738	2,822	167,920	224,658
October	57,801	58,175	2,448	67,529	125,704
November	48,711	49,193	1,966	40,222	89,415
December	48,859	49,152	1,673	29,723	78,875
1925					
January	58,064	57,414	2,323	31,817	89,231
February	53,759	53,458	2,624	31,587	85,045
March	57,633	58,527	1,730	35,463	93,990
April	49,387	49,601	1,516	31,617	81,218
May	47,410	47,249	1,677	27,334	74,583
June	56,178	55,091	2,764	27,248	82,339
Total	652,110	652,142	2,764	754,488	1,406,630

DIVIDENDS PAID ON UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE

The following table shows the number and amount of dividends paid, by months, during the fiscal year 1925:

Date	Number	Amount
1924		
July	26,569	$207,018.18
August	36,684	274,320.19
September	33,361	242,600.68
October	29,431	221,135.55
November	29,965	228,983.16
December	29,558	216,680.78
1925		
January	1,028	10,333.82
February	53,528	436,433.94
March	29,169	222,169.90
April	29,206	226,574.41
May	24,673	193,552.09
June	35,060	263,472.22
Total	358,232	2,743,274.92

ADJUSTED COMPENSATION

A total of 2,845,180 claims for the benefits of the World War adjusted compensation act were received by the adjusted compensation division of the bureau during the period from August 26, 1924, to the close of the fiscal year on June 30, 1925. Of these, 2,747,518, representing 97 per cent of all claims received, were adjudicated during that period. The remaining 97,662 were in the process of settlement, initial action having been taken by the bureau at the close of the fiscal year on every claim received. A large number of the unsettled claims consisted of dependency cases awaiting the submission of evidence necessary to determine the fact of dependency, as required by law.

Date	Applications received			
	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Total
1924				
September [1]	245,119	1,651	8,076	254,846
October	571,868	7,807	9,876	589,551
November	453,021	20,392	9,575	482,988
December	316,441	37,160	8,150	361,751
1925				
January	349,565	48,350	5,450	403,365
February	275,789	37,289	4,150	317,228
March	115,189	36,773	300	152,262
April	76,388	34,003	639	111,030
May	68,498	21,862	1,400	91,760
June	55,990	21,959	2,450	80,399
Total	2,527,868	267,246	50,066	2,845,180

[1] First reports on adjusted compensation were compiled during September, 1924.

The claims adjudicated amounted to a total of $2,742,107,858.41. These may be classified as follows: (1) Issuance of adjusted service certificates [1] to veterans; (2) cash payments to veterans whose adjusted service credit did not exceed $50; (3) payments to dependents; (*a*) lump-sum payments in cases of adjusted service credit [2] not exceeding $50; (*b*) quarterly payments in cases of adjusted service credit exceeding $50; (4) payments to beneficiaries of adjusted service certificates. Adjusted service certificates were authorized to the number of 2,640,177, of which number 2,619,576 were issued. Their face value amounted in all to $2,732,809,167. There were 89,813 cash payments made, amounting to $2,959,319.92. Awards were made in 17,528 dependency claims, amounting to $6,339,871.49, and 2,978 dependency claims were disallowed. Claims of beneficiaries of adjusted service certificates numbered 4,416, and payments of this class amounted to $4,634,013.88.

[1] Adjusted service certificates: In accordance with sec. 501 of the World War adjusted compensation act the adjusted service certificate is defined as a "nonparticipating adjusted service certificate of a face value equal to the amount in dollars of 20-year endowment insurance that the amount of his (the veteran) adjusted service credit increased by 25 per cent would purchase at his age on his birthday nearest the date of the certificate, if applied as a net single premium calculated in accordance with accepted actuarial principles, and based upon the American Experience Table of Mortality, and interest at 4 per cent per annum compounded annually."

[2] Adjusted service credit: In accordance with sec. 201 of the World War adjusted compensation act the amount of an adjusted service credit "shall be computed by allowing the following sums for each day of active service in excess of 60 days in the military or naval forces of the United States after Apr. 5, 1917, and before July 1, 1919, as shown by the service or other record of the veteran: $1.25 for each day of overseas service and $1 for each day of home service; but the amount of the credit of a veteran who performed no overseas service shall not exceed $500 and the amount of the credit of a veteran who performed any overseas service shall not exceed $625."

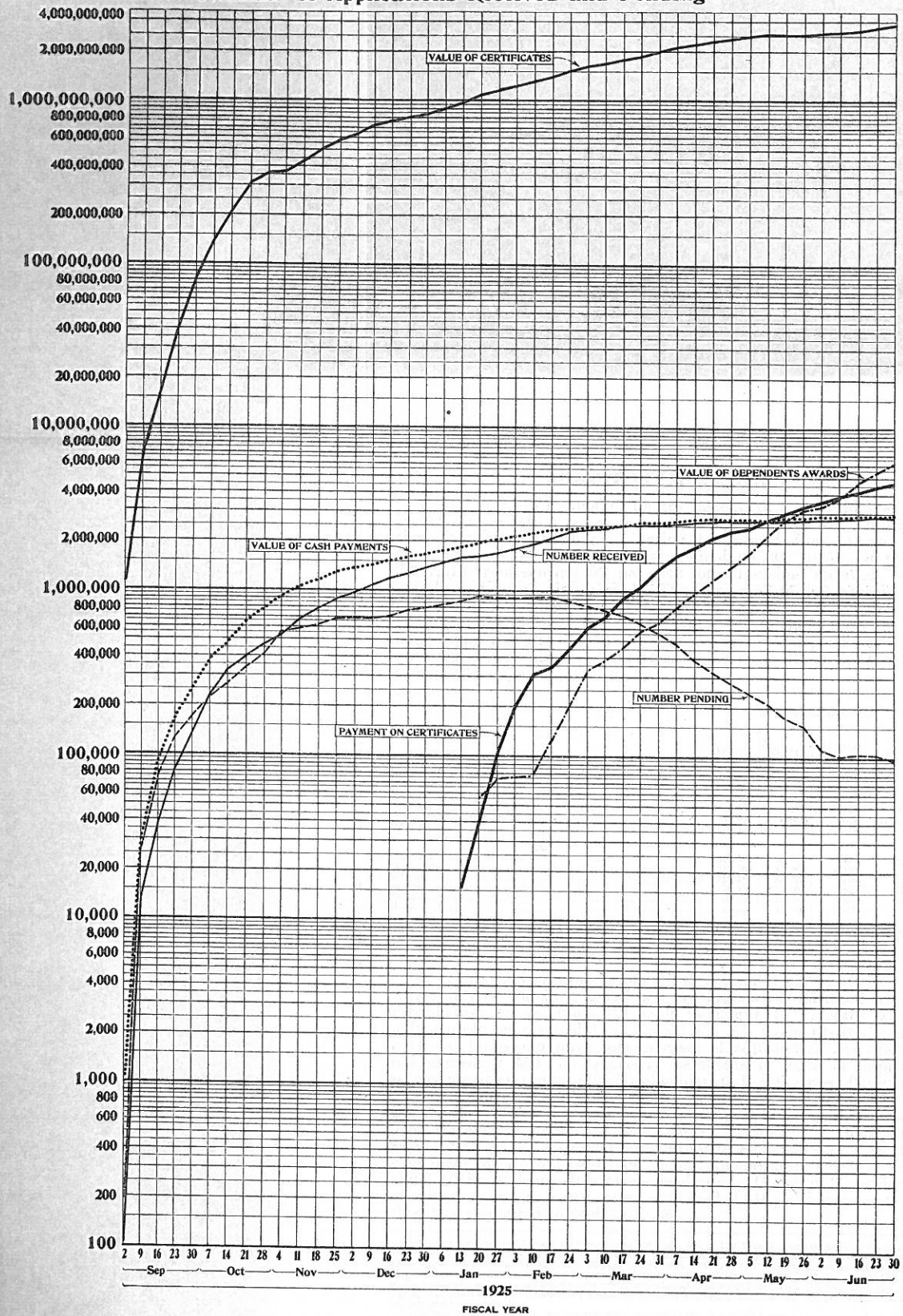
CHART No. 8

U. S. VETERANS BUREAU

Adjusted Compensation Division

WEEKLY ACTION REPORT

Value of Certificates Issued and Cash Payments Approved
Number of Applications Received and Pending



In a "Rate of Change" chart (semilogarithmic) a straight line bending up or down, always represents a constant percentage rate of increase or decrease. If a line bends upward the rate is increasing, if it bends downward the rate is decreasing, if it runs horizontally with no bend, down or up, there is no increase or decrease. The sharper the curve of a bend the more rapid the percentage rate of change. Any two lines, or portions, of lines which are parallel (no matter what the difference in magnitudes) indicate an equal percentage rate of change.

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1925		
January	160	
February	376	
March	747	
April	877	
May	905	
June	987	1,
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Action taken on application for adjusted compensation to June 30, 1925

Branch of service	Claim	Number	Amount
Army	Cash (less than $50):		
	(a) Veterans	85,980	$2,850,443.17
	(b) Dependents	742	20,651.75
	Dependents (over $50) [1]	15,131	5,638,314.75
	Certificates	2,346,649	2,405,818,790.00
	Total	2,448,502	2,414,328,199.67
Navy	Cash (less than $50):		
	(a) Veterans	3,542	98,866.25
	(b) Dependents	39	945.50
	Dependents (over $50) [1]	1,210	514,843.00
	Certificates	247,594	275,814,901.00
	Total	252,385	276,429,555.75
Marine Corps	Cash (less than $50):		
	(a) Veterans	291	10,010.50
	(b) Dependents	9	259.99
	Dependents (over $50) [1]	397	164,356.50
	Certificates	45,934	51,175,476.00
	Total	46,631	51,350,102.99
Grand total		2,747,518	2,742,107,858.41

[1] Payments to dependents of more than $50 are made in 10 equal quarterly installments.

Number and value of death claims for adjusted compensation approved by months to June 30, 1925

Date	Army		Navy		Marine Corps		Total approved	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1925								
January	160	$170,341.00	1	$1,132.00	3	$3,824.00	164	$175,297.00
February	376	391,294.00	1	666.00	1	853.00	378	392,813.00
March	747	776,009.00	37	43,345.00	3	3,740.00	787	823,094.00
April	877	900,979.88	62	80,100.00	15	19,431.00	954	1,000,510.88
May	905	938,061.00	95	110,082.00	17	18,001.00	1,017	1,066,144.00
June	987	1,024,840.00	105	127,754.00	24	23,561.00	1,116	1,176,155.00
Total	4,052	4,201,524.88	301	363,079.00	63	69,410.00	4,416	4,634,013.88

The foregoing statement of facts, covering the settlement of 2,747,518 claims amounting to $2,742,107,858.41 during an 11-month period, reflects an unprecedented and interesting administrative accomplishment. The preaudit by the General Accounting Office of all claims settled, a departure from past Government procedure, has been an outstanding feature of the work. Originality required in many phases of the work added much to its interest. The regard for economy in the administration of the law resulting in a very material saving is particularly noteworthy.

The report of the adjusted compensation division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, in briefly reviewing its establishment, concluded with the statement: "The division is completely organized and ready to begin functioning just as soon as applications and certifications are received from the War and Navy Department." Accordingly, at the beginning of the fiscal year 1925, the adjusted compensation division was completely organized and functioning. While at that time there was but a skeleton force in personnel, the administrative staff was engaged in preparatory work. The

adjusted service certificate, for which no precedent existed in the different Government securities, was drafted and approved. Contemplating future need many questions of the law relating to the administration of the act were then determined. Regulations were drafted and through the helpfulness of an early and thorough study of the law, the tables of organization of the division were perfected with a view to the highest efficiency of work from the beginning. A factor table covering ages from 20 to 75 from which might be readily ascertained the amount of any veteran's adjusted service certificate based upon his age and the amount of his adjusted service credit was originated, and its use has since enabled the greatest possible accuracy and expedition in computing work. To comply with a requirement of law that the loan value of each certificate appear on the face thereof, a table of loan values was prepared covering all cases. This table was inserted on the face of the certificate, and by reference to it each veteran holding a certificate can readily determine the loan value of his own certificate at any time, the loan value of which increases from year to year. Pursuant to section 304 of Title III, a digest and explanation of the World War adjusted compensation act was prepared and distributed throughout the country through bureau offices and through the courtesy of the American Red Cross, American Legion, Disabled American Veterans of the World War, and various other service organizations.

If a veteran himself applies for the benefits of the act and his adjusted service credit exceeds $50, the amount of the certificate issued to him exceeds about two-thirds the amount of his adjusted service credit and the full amount is payable to the beneficiary named by the veteran in the event the latter dies before the maturity date. If a veteran has not applied, his dependent may only receive the amount of his adjusted service credit or about two-thirds less than would have been received had the veteran applied and named his beneficiary. In view of this fact, there was ordered in the beginning a canvass of all ex-service men in Veterans' Bureau hospitals entitled to the benefits, and the commanding officers thereof were directed to advise all disabled veterans and assist them in filing their claims. Upon representations made by this bureau the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, who under the act have exclusive jurisdiction in the matter of applications, issued a joint regulation permitting commanding officers of Veterans' Bureau hospitals to act on behalf of incompetent veterans in their care. Before the adjusted compensation division had actually received claims for adjudication, it had answered thousands of inquiries. The correspondence now handled constitutes a very material amount of the work of the division.

A knowledge of the activities of the War and Navy Departments under the World War adjusted compensation act is essential to a proper understanding of the functions of this bureau in the administration of this act. Claims are first submitted either to the War or Navy Departments, respectively, according to the department with which the veteran, upon whose service the claim is based, last served. These departments identify the veteran and from their records determine the military or naval service of the veteran and, submitting the application to the Veterans' Bureau, also certify the name, address, age, and place of birth of the veteran, and the amount

765.70	7645.42	635.50	625.58	615.66	605.74	595.51	585.59	310.00
790.40	7866.24	656.00	645.76	635.52	625.28	614.72	604.48	320.00
815.10	8187.06	676.50	665.94	655.38	644.82	633.93	623.37	330.00
839.80	8307.88	697.00	686.12	675.24	664.36	653.14	642.26	340.00
864.50	8628.70	717.50	706.30	695.10	683.90	672.35	661.15	350.00
889.20	8849.52	738.00	726.48	714.96	703.44	691.56	680.04	360.00
913.90	9170.34	758.50	746.66	734.82	722.98	710.77	698.93	370.00
938.60	9391.16	779.00	766.84	754.68	742.52	729.98	717.82	380.00
963.30	9511.98	799.50	787.02	774.54	762.06	749.19	736.71	390.00
988.00	9832.80	820.00	807.20	794.40	781.60	768.40	755.60	400.00
12.70	1,0053.62	840.50	827.38	814.26	801.14	787.61	774.49	410.00
7.40	1,0374.44	861.00	847.56	834.12	820.68	806.82	793.38	420.00
2.10	1,0595.26	881.50	867.74	853.98	840.22	826.03	812.27	430.00
.80	1,0816.08	902.00	887.92	873.84	859.76	845.24	831.16	440.00
.50	1,1036.90	922.50	908.10	893.70	879.30	864.45	850.05	450.00
.20	1,1257.72	943.00	928.28	913.56	898.84	883.66	868.94	460.00
.90	1,1478.54	963.50	948.46	933.42	918.38	902.87	887.83	470.00
.40	1,1899.36	984.00	968.64	953.28	937.92	922.08	906.72	480.00
.20	1,2020.18	1,004.50	988.82	973.14	957.46	941.29	925.61	490.00
939.00	1,2241.00	1,025.00	1,009.00	993.00	977.00	960.50	944.50	500.00
963.78	1,2861.82	1,045.50	1,029.18	1,012.86	996.54	979.71	963.39	510.00
988.56	1,2282.64	1,066.00	1,049.36	1,032.72	1,016.08	998.92	982.28	520.00
313.34	1,3003.46	1,086.50	1,069.54	1,052.58	1,035.62	1,018.13	1,001.17	530.00
338.12	1,3224.28	1,107.00	1,089.72	1,072.44	1,055.16	1,037.34	1,020.06	540.00
1,362.90	1,3445.10	1,127.50	1,109.90	1,092.30	1,074.70	1,056.55	1,038.95	550.00
1,387.68	1,3665.92	1,148.00	1,130.08	1,112.16	1,094.24	1,075.76	1,057.84	560.00
1,412.46	1,3886.74	1,168.50	1,150.26	1,132.02	1,113.78	1,094.97	1,076.73	570.00
1,437.24	1,4207.56	1,189.00	1,170.44	1,151.88	1,133.32	1,114.18	1,095.62	580.00
1,462.02	1,4528.38	1,209.50	1,190.62	1,171.74	1,152.86	1,133.39	1,114.51	590.00
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1,511.58	1,4849.20	1,230.00	1,210.80	1,191.60	1,172.40	1,152.60	1,133.40	600.00
1,536.36	1,5170.02	1,250.50	1,230.98	1,211.46	1,191.94	1,171.81	1,152.29	610.00
1,548.78	1,5490.84	1,271.00	1,251.16	1,231.32	1,211.48	1,191.02	1,171.18	620.00
	1,5811.25	1,281.25	1,261.25	1,241.25	1,221.25	1,200.62	1,180.62	625.00

CHART No. 9.—*Table for computing adjusted service credit*

UNITED STATES VETERANS' BUREAU, ADJUSTED COMPENSATION DIVISION

[The amount of an adjusted service certificate may be obtained by ascertaining the age of the veteran and the amount of his adjusted service credit and by referring to the amount in the column under the proper age, directly opposite the amount of the adjusted service credit. For example: To determine the amount of an adjusted service certificate for a veteran whose age is 33 and adjusted service credit of $500, which is $1,256.50. Then refer to the amount in the same column opposite the adjusted service credit of $5.50, which is $13.82. This, added to $1,256.50, represents the amount of the certificate]

Age	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Factor	2.545	2.544	2.542	2.540	2.539	2.537	2.535	2.532	2.530	2.527	2.524	2.521
0.25	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63
.50	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
.75	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89
1.00	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.52	2.52	2.52
1.25	3.18	3.18	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.15	3.15	3.15
1.50	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.79	3.79	3.79	3.78	3.78
1.75	4.45	4.45	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.43	4.43	4.43	4.42	4.42	4.41	4.41
2.00	5.09	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.07	5.07	5.07	5.06	5.06	5.05	5.04	5.04
2.25	5.72	5.72	5.71	5.71	5.71	5.70	5.70	5.69	5.69	5.68	5.67	5.67
2.50	6.36	6.36	6.35	6.35	6.34	6.34	6.33	6.33	6.32	6.31	6.31	6.30
2.75	6.99	6.99	6.99	6.98	6.98	6.97	6.97	6.96	6.95	6.94	6.94	6.93
3.00	7.63	7.63	7.62	7.62	7.61	7.61	7.60	7.59	7.59	7.58	7.57	7.56
3.25	8.27	8.26	8.26	8.25	8.25	8.24	8.23	8.22	8.22	8.21	8.20	8.19
3.50	8.90	8.90	8.89	8.89	8.88	8.87	8.87	8.86	8.85	8.84	8.83	8.82
3.75	9.54	9.54	9.53	9.52	9.52	9.51	9.50	9.49	9.48	9.47	9.46	9.45
4.00	10.18	10.17	10.16	10.16	10.15	10.14	10.14	10.12	10.12	10.10	10.09	10.08
4.25	10.81	10.81	10.80	10.79	10.79	10.78	10.77	10.76	10.75	10.73	10.72	10.71
4.50	11.45	11.44	11.43	11.43	11.42	11.41	11.40	11.39	11.38	11.37	11.35	11.34
4.75	12.08	12.08	12.07	12.06	12.06	12.05	12.04	12.02	12.01	12.00	11.98	11.97
5.00	12.72	12.72	12.71	12.70	12.69	12.68	12.67	12.66	12.65	12.63	12.62	12.60
5.25	13.36	13.35	13.34	13.33	13.32	13.31	13.30	13.29	13.28	13.26	13.25	13.23
5.50	13.99	13.99	13.98	13.97	13.96	13.95	13.94	13.92	13.91	13.89	13.88	13.86
5.75	14.63	14.62	14.61	14.60	14.59	14.58	14.57	14.55	14.54	14.53	14.51	14.49
6.00	15.27	15.26	15.25	15.24	15.23	15.22	15.21	15.19	15.18	15.16	15.14	15.12
6.25	15.90	15.90	15.88	15.87	15.86	15.85	15.84	15.82	15.81	15.79	15.77	15.75
6.50	16.54	16.53	16.52	16.51	16.50	16.49	16.47	16.45	16.44	16.42	16.40	16.38
6.75	17.17	17.17	17.15	17.14	17.13	17.12	17.11	17.09	17.07	17.05	17.03	17.01
7.00	17.81	17.80	17.79	17.78	17.77	17.75	17.74	17.72	17.71	17.68	17.66	17.64
7.25	18.45	18.44	18.42	18.41	18.40	18.39	18.37	18.35	18.34	18.32	18.29	18.27
7.50	19.08	19.08	19.06	19.05	19.04	19.02	19.01	18.99	18.97	18.95	18.93	18.90
7.75	19.72	19.71	19.70	19.68	19.67	19.66	19.64	19.62	19.60	19.58	19.56	19.53
8.00	20.36	20.35	20.33	20.32	20.31	20.29	20.28	20.25	20.24	20.21	20.19	20.16
8.25	20.99	20.98	20.97	20.95	20.94	20.93	20.91	20.88	20.87	20.84	20.82	20.79
8.50	21.63	21.62	21.60	21.59	21.58	21.56	21.54	21.52	21.50	21.47	21.45	21.42
8.75	22.26	22.26	22.24	22.22	22.21	22.19	22.18	22.15	22.13	22.11	22.08	22.06
9.00	22.90	22.89	22.87	22.86	22.85	22.83	22.81	22.78	22.77	22.74	22.71	22.68
9.25	23.54	23.53	23.51	23.49	23.48	23.46	23.44	23.42	23.40	23.37	23.34	23.31
9.50	24.17	24.16	24.14	24.13	24.12	24.10	24.08	24.05	24.03	24.00	23.97	23.94
9.75	24.81	24.80	24.78	24.76	24.75	24.73	24.71	24.68	24.66	24.63	24.60	24.57
10.00	25.45	25.44	25.42	25.40	25.39	25.37	25.35	25.32	25.30	25.27	25.24	25.21
50.00	127.25	127.20	127.10	127.00	126.95	126.85	126.75	126.60	126.50	126.35	126.20	126.05
60.00	152.70	152.64	152.52	152.40	152.34	152.22	152.10	151.92	151.80	151.62	151.44	151.26
70.00	178.15	178.08	177.94	177.80	177.73	177.59	177.45	177.24	177.10	176.89	176.68	176.47
80.00	203.60	203.52	203.36	203.20	203.12	202.96	202.80	202.56	202.40	202.16	201.92	201.68
90.00	229.05	228.96	228.78	228.60	228.51	228.33	228.15	227.88	227.70	227.43	227.16	226.89
100.00	254.50	254.40	254.20	254.00	253.90	253.70	253.50	253.20	253.00	252.70	252.40	252.10
110.00	279.95	279.84	279.62	279.40	279.29	279.07	278.85	278.52	278.30	277.97	277.64	277.31
120.00	305.40	305.28	305.04	304.80	304.68	304.44	304.20	303.84	303.60	303.24	302.88	302.52
130.00	330.85	330.72	330.46	330.20	330.07	329.81	329.55	329.16	328.90	328.51	328.12	327.73
140.00	356.30	356.16	355.88	355.60	355.46	355.18	354.90	354.48	354.20	353.78	353.36	352.94
150.00	381.75	381.60	381.30	381.00	380.85	380.55	380.25	379.80	379.50	379.05	378.60	378.15
160.00	407.20	407.04	406.72	406.40	406.24	405.92	405.60	405.12	404.80	404.32	403.84	403.36
170.00	432.65	432.48	432.14	431.80	431.63	431.29	430.95	430.44	430.10	429.59	429.08	428.57
180.00	458.10	457.92	457.56	457.20	457.02	456.66	456.30	455.76	455.40	454.86	454.32	453.78
190.00	483.55	483.36	482.98	482.60	482.41	482.03	481.65	481.08	480.70	480.13	479.56	478.99
200.00	509.00	508.80	508.40	508.00	507.80	507.40	507.00	506.40	506.00	505.40	504.80	504.20
210.00	534.45	534.24	533.82	533.40	533.19	532.77	532.35	531.72	531.30	530.67	530.04	529.41
220.00	559.90	559.68	559.24	558.80	558.58	558.14	557.70	557.04	556.60	555.94	555.28	554.62
230.00	585.35	585.12	584.66	584.20	583.97	583.51	583.05	582.36	581.90	581.21	580.52	579.83
240.00	610.80	610.56	610.08	609.60	609.36	608.88	608.40	607.68	607.20	606.48	605.76	605.04
250.00	636.25	636.00	635.50	635.00	634.75	634.25	633.75	633.00	632.50	631.75	631.00	630.25
260.00	661.70	661.44	660.92	660.40	660.14	659.62	659.10	658.32	657.80	657.02	656.24	655.46
270.00	687.15	686.88	686.34	685.80	685.53	684.99	684.45	683.64	683.10	682.29	681.48	680.67
280.00	712.60	712.32	711.76	711.20	710.92	710.36	709.80	708.96	708.40	707.56	706.72	705.88
290.00	738.05	737.76	737.18	736.60	736.31	735.73	735.15	734.28	733.70	732.83	731.96	731.09
300.00	763.50	763.20	762.60	762.00	761.70	761.10	760.50	759.60	759.00	758.10	757.20	756.30
310.00	788.95	788.64	788.02	787.40	787.09	786.47	785.85	784.92	784.30	783.37	782.44	781.51
320.00	814.40	814.08	813.44	812.80	812.48	811.84	811.20	810.24	809.60	808.64	807.68	806.72
330.00	839.85	839.52	838.86	838.20	837.87	837.21	836.55	835.56	834.90	833.91	832.92	831.93
340.00	865.30	864.96	864.28	863.60	863.26	862.58	861.90	860.88	860.20	859.18	858.16	857.14
350.00	890.75	890.40	889.70	889.00	888.65	887.95	887.25	886.20	885.50	884.45	883.40	882.35
360.00	916.20	915.84	915.12	914.40	914.04	913.32	912.60	911.52	910.80	909.72	908.64	907.56
370.00	941.65	941.28	940.54	939.80	939.43	938.69	937.95	936.84	936.10	934.99	933.88	932.77
380.00	967.10	966.72	965.96	965.20	964.82	964.06	963.30	962.16	961.40	960.26	959.12	957.98
390.00	992.55	992.16	991.38	990.60	990.21	989.43	988.65	987.48	986.70	985.53	984.36	983.19
400.00	1,018.00	1,017.60	1,016.80	1,016.00	1,015.60	1,014.80	1,014.00	1,012.80	1,012.00	1,010.80	1,009.60	1,008.40
410.00	1,043.45	1,043.04	1,042.22	1,041.40	1,040.99	1,040.17	1,039.35	1,038.12	1,037.30	1,036.07	1,034.84	1,033.61
420.00	1,068.90	1,068.48	1,067.64	1,066.80	1,066.38	1,065.54	1,064.70	1,063.44	1,062.60	1,061.34	1,060.08	1,058.82
430.00	1,094.35	1,093.92	1,093.06	1,092.20	1,091.77	1,090.91	1,090.05	1,088.76	1,087.90	1,086.61	1,085.32	1,084.03
440.00	1,119.80	1,119.36	1,118.48	1,117.60	1,117.16	1,116.28	1,115.40	1,114.08	1,113.20	1,111.88	1,110.56	1,109.24
450.00	1,145.25	1,144.80	1,143.90	1,143.00	1,142.55	1,141.65	1,140.75	1,139.40	1,138.50	1,137.15	1,135.80	1,134.45
460.00	1,170.70	1,170.24	1,169.32	1,168.40	1,167.94	1,167.02	1,166.10	1,164.72	1,163.80	1,162.42	1,161.04	1,159.66
470.00	1,196.15	1,195.68	1,194.74	1,193.80	1,193.33	1,192.39	1,191.45	1,190.04	1,189.10	1,187.69	1,186.28	1,184.87
480.00	1,221.60	1,221.12	1,220.16	1,219.20	1,218.72	1,217.76	1,216.80	1,215.36	1,214.40	1,212.96	1,211.52	1,210.08
490.00	1,247.05	1,246.56	1,245.58	1,244.60	1,244.11	1,243.13	1,242.15	1,240.68	1,239.70	1,238.23	1,236.76	1,235.29
500.00	1,272.50	1,272.00	1,271.00	1,270.00	1,269.50	1,268.50	1,267.50	1,266.00	1,265.00	1,263.50	1,262.00	1,260.50
510.00	1,297.95	1,297.44	1,296.42	1,295.40	1,294.89	1,293.87	1,292.85	1,291.32	1,290.30	1,288.77	1,287.24	1,285.71
520.00	1,323.40	1,322.88	1,321.84	1,320.80	1,320.28	1,319.24	1,318.20	1,316.64	1,315.60	1,314.04	1,312.48	1,310.92
530.00	1,348.85	1,348.32	1,347.26	1,346.20	1,345.67	1,344.61	1,343.55	1,341.96	1,340.90	1,339.31	1,337.72	1,336.13
540.00	1,374.30	1,373.76	1,372.68	1,371.60	1,371.06	1,369.98	1,368.90	1,367.28	1,366.20	1,364.58	1,362.96	1,361.34
550.00	1,399.75	1,399.20	1,398.10	1,397.00	1,396.45	1,395.35	1,394.25	1,392.60	1,391.50	1,389.85	1,388.20	1,386.55
560.00	1,425.20	1,424.64	1,423.52	1,422.40	1,421.84	1,420.72	1,419.60	1,417.92	1,416.80	1,415.12	1,413.44	1,411.76
570.00	1,450.65	1,450.08	1,448.94	1,447.80	1,447.23	1,446.09	1,444.95	1,443.24	1,442.10	1,440.39	1,438.68	1,436.97
580.00	1,476.10	1,475.52	1,474.36	1,473.20	1,472.62	1,471.46	1,470.30	1,468.56	1,467.40	1,465.66	1,463.92	1,462.18
590.00	1,501.55	1,500.96	1,499.78	1,498.60	1,498.01	1,496.83	1,495.65	1,493.88	1,492.70	1,490.93	1,489.16	1,487.39
600.00	1,527.00	1,526.40	1,525.20	1,524.00	1,523.40	1,522.20	1,521.00	1,519.20	1,518.00	1,516.20	1,514.40	1,512.60

Age	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
Factor	2.517	2.513	2.509	2.504	2.498	2.492	2.485	2.478	2.470	2.460	2.450	2.439
0.25	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.60
.50	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.22	1.21
.75	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.86	1.86	1.85	1.85	1.84	1.83	1.82
1.00	2.51	2.51	2.50	2.50	2.49	2.49	2.48	2.47	2.47	2.46	2.45	2.43
1.25	3.14	3.14	3.13	3.13	3.12	3.11	3.10	3.09	3.08	3.07	3.06	3.04
1.50	3.77	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.74	3.73	3.72	3.71	3.70	3.69	3.67	3.65
1.75	4.40	4.39	4.39	4.38	4.37	4.36	4.34	4.33	4.32	4.30	4.28	4.26
2.00	5.03	5.02	5.01	5.00	4.99	4.98	4.97	4.95	4.94	4.92	4.90	4.87
2.25	5.66	5.65	5.64	5.63	5.62	5.60	5.59	5.57	5.55	5.53	5.51	5.48
2.50	6.29	6.28	6.27	6.26	6.24	6.23	6.21	6.19	6.17	6.15	6.12	6.09
2.75	6.92	6.91	6.89	6.88	6.86	6.85	6.83	6.81	6.79	6.76	6.73	6.70
3.00	7.55	7.53	7.52	7.51	7.49	7.47	7.45	7.43	7.41	7.38	7.35	7.31
3.25	8.18	8.16	8.15	8.13	8.11	8.09	8.07	8.05	8.02	7.99	7.96	7.92
3.50	8.80	8.79	8.78	8.76	8.74	8.72	8.69	8.67	8.64	8.61	8.57	8.53
3.75	9.43	9.42	9.40	9.39	9.36	9.34	9.31	9.29	9.26	9.22	9.18	9.14
4.00	10.06	10.05	10.03	10.01	9.99	9.96	9.94	9.91	9.88	9.84	9.80	9.75
4.25	10.69	10.68	10.66	10.64	10.61	10.59	10.56	10.53	10.49	10.45	10.41	10.36
4.50	11.32	11.30	11.29	11.26	11.24	11.21	11.18	11.15	11.11	11.07	11.02	10.97
4.75	11.95	11.93	11.91	11.89	11.86	11.83	11.80	11.77	11.73	11.68	11.63	11.58
5.00	12.58	12.56	12.54	12.52	12.49	12.46	12.42	12.39	12.35	12.30	12.25	12.19
5.25	13.21	13.19	13.17	13.14	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	12.96	12.91	12.86	12.80
5.50	13.84	13.82	13.79	13.77	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	13.58	13.53	13.47	13.41
5.75	14.47	14.44	14.42	14.39	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14.20	14.14	14.08	14.02
6.00	15.10	15.07	15.05	15.02	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	14.82	14.76	14.70	14.63
6.25	15.73	15.70	15.68	15.65	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	15.43	15.37	15.31	15.24
6.50	16.36	16.33	16.30	16.27	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	16.05	15.99	15.92	15.85
6.75	16.98	16.96	16.93	16.90	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	16.67	16.60	16.53	16.46
7.00	17.61	17.59	17.56	17.52	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17.29	17.22	17.15	17.07
7.25	18.24	18.21	18.19	18.15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	17.90	17.83	17.76	17.68
7.50	18.87	18.84	18.81	18.78	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	18.52	18.45	18.37	18.29
7.75	19.50	19.47	19.44	19.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	19.14	19.06	18.98	18.90
8.00	20.13	20.10	20.07	20.03	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	19.76	19.68	19.60	19.51
8.25	20.76	20.73	20.69	20.65	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	20.37	20.29	20.21	20.12
8.50	21.39	21.36	21.32	21.28	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	20.99	20.91	20.82	20.73
8.75	22.02	21.98	21.95	21.91	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	21.61	21.52	21.43	21.34
9.00	22.65	22.61	22.58	22.53	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	22.23	22.14	22.05	21.95
9.25	23.28	23.24	23.20	23.16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	22.84	22.75	22.66	22.56
9.50	23.91	23.87	23.83	23.78	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	23.46	23.37	23.27	23.17
9.75	24.54	24.50	24.46	24.41	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	24.08	23.98	23.88	23.78
10.00	25.17	25.13	25.09	25.04	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	24.70	24.60	24.50	24.39
50.00	125.85	125.65	125.45	125.20	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	123.50	123.00	122.50	121.95
60.00	151.02	150.78	150.54	150.24	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	148.20	147.60	147.00	146.34
70.00	176.19	175.91	175.63	175.28	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	172.90	172.20	171.50	170.73
80.00	201.36	201.04	200.72	200.32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	197.60	196.80	196.00	195.12
90.00	226.53	226.17	225.81	225.36	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	222.30	221.40	220.50	219.51
100.00	251.70	251.30	250.90	250.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	247.00	246.00	245.00	243.90
110.00	276.87	276.43	275.99	275.44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	271.70	270.60	269.50	268.29
120.00	302.04	301.56	301.08	300.48	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	296.40	295.20	294.00	292.68
130.00	327.21	326.69	326.17	325.52	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	321.10	319.80	318.50	317.07
140.00	352.38	351.82	351.26	350.56	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	345.80	344.40	343.00	341.46
150.00	377.55	376.95	376.35	375.60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	370.50	369.00	367.50	365.85
160.00	402.72	402.08	401.44	400.64	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	395.20	393.60	392.00	390.24
170.00	427.89	427.21	426.53	425.68	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	419.90	418.20	416.50	414.63
180.00	453.06	452.34	451.62	450.72	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	444.60	442.80	441.00	439.02
190.00	478.23	477.47	476.71	475.76	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	469.30	467.40	465.50	463.41
200.00	503.40	502.60	501.80	500.80	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	494.00	492.00	490.00	487.80
210.00	528.57	527.73	526.89	525.84	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	518.70	516.60	514.50	512.19
220.00	553.74	552.86	551.98	550.88	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	543.40	541.20	539.00	536.58
230.00	578.91	577.99	577.07	575.92	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	568.10	565.80	563.50	560.97
240.00	604.08	603.12	602.16	600.96	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	592.80	590.40	588.00	585.36
250.00	629.25	628.25	627.25	626.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	617.50	615.00	612.50	609.75
260.00	654.42	653.38	652.34	651.04	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	642.20	639.60	637.00	634.14
270.00	679.59	678.51	677.43	676.08	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	666.90	664.20	661.50	658.53
280.00	704.76	703.64	702.52	701.12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	691.60	688.80	686.00	682.92
290.00	729.93	728.77	727.61	726.16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	716.30	713.40	710.50	707.31
300.00	755.10	753.90	752.70	751.20	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	741.00	738.00	735.00	731.70
310.00	780.27	779.03	777.79	776.24	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	765.70	762.60	759.50	756.09
320.00	805.44	804.16	802.88	801.28	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	790.40	787.20	784.00	780.48
330.00	830.61	829.29	827.97	826.32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	815.10	811.80	808.50	804.87
340.00	855.78	854.42	853.06	851.36	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	839.80	836.40	833.00	829.26
350.00	880.95	879.55	878.15	876.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	864.50	861.00	857.50	853.65
360.00	906.12	904.68	903.24	901.44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	889.20	885.60	882.00	878.04
370.00	931.29	929.81	928.33	926.48	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	913.90	910.20	906.50	902.43
380.00	956.46	954.94	953.42	951.52	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	938.60	934.80	931.00	926.82
390.00	981.63	980.07	978.51	976.56	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	963.30	959.40	955.50	951.21
400.00	1,006.80	1,005.20	1,003.60	1,001.60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	988.00	984.00	980.00	975.60
410.00	1,031.97	1,030.33	1,028.69	1,026.64	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,012.70	1,008.60	1,004.50	999.99
420.00	1,057.14	1,055.46	1,053.78	1,051.68	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,037.40	1,033.20	1,029.00	1,024.38
430.00	1,082.31	1,080.59	1,078.87	1,076.72	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,062.10	1,057.80	1,053.50	1,048.77
440.00	1,107.48	1,105.72	1,103.96	1,101.76	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,086.80	1,082.40	1,078.00	1,073.16
450.00	1,132.65	1,130.85	1,129.05	1,126.80	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,111.50	1,107.00	1,102.50	1,097.55
460.00	1,157.82	1,155.98	1,154.14	1,151.84	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,136.20	1,131.60	1,127.00	1,121.94
470.00	1,182.99	1,181.11	1,179.23	1,176.88	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,160.90	1,156.20	1,151.50	1,146.33
480.00	1,208.16	1,206.24	1,204.32	1,201.92	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,185.60	1,180.80	1,176.00	1,170.72
490.00	1,233.33	1,231.37	1,229.41	1,226.96	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,210.30	1,205.40	1,200.50	1,195.11
500.00	1,258.50	1,256.50	1,254.50	1,252.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,235.00	1,230.00	1,225.00	1,219.50
510.00	1,283.67	1,281.63	1,279.59	1,277.04	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,259.70	1,254.60	1,249.50	1,243.89
520.00	1,308.84	1,306.76	1,304.68	1,302.08	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,284.40	1,279.20	1,274.00	1,268.28
530.00	1,334.01	1,331.89	1,329.77	1,327.12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,309.10	1,303.80	1,298.50	1,292.67
540.00	1,359.18	1,357.02	1,354.86	1,352.16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,333.80	1,328.40	1,323.00	1,317.06
550.00	1,384.35	1,382.15	1,379.95	1,377.20	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,358.50	1,353.00	1,347.50	1,341.45
560.00	1,409.52	1,407.28	1,405.04	1,402.24	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,383.20	1,377.60	1,372.00	1,365.84
570.00	1,434.69	1,432.41	1,430.13	1,427.28	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,407.90	1,402.20	1,396.50	1,390.23
580.00	1,459.86	1,457.54	1,455.22	1,452.32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,432.60	1,426.80	1,421.00	1,414.62
590.00	1,485.03	1,482.67	1,480.31	1,477.36	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,457.30	1,451.40	1,445.50	1,439.01
600.00	1,510.20	1,507.80	1,505.40	1,502.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,482.00	1,476.00	1,470.00	1,463.40

Age	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54
Factor	2.426	2.413	2.398	2.381	2.364	2.345	2.324	2.302	2.279	2.254	2.228
0.25	$0.60	$0.60	$0.59	$0.59	$0.59	$0.58	$0.58	$0.57	$0.56	$0.56	$0.55
.50	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.19	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.13	1.12	1.11
.75	1.81	1.80	1.79	1.78	1.77	1.75	1.74	1.72	1.70	1.69	1.67
1.00	2.42	2.41	2.39	2.38	2.36	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.22
1.25	3.03	3.01	2.99	2.97	2.95	2.93	2.90	2.87	2.84	2.81	2.78
1.50	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.57	3.54	3.51	3.48	3.45	3.41	3.38	3.34
1.75	4.24	4.22	4.19	4.16	4.13	4.10	4.06	4.02	3.98	3.94	3.89
2.00	4.85	4.82	4.79	4.76	4.72	4.69	4.64	4.60	4.55	4.50	4.45
2.25	5.45	5.42	5.39	5.35	5.31	5.27	5.22	5.17	5.12	5.07	5.01
2.50	6.06	6.03	5.99	5.95	5.91	5.86	5.81	5.75	5.69	5.63	5.57
2.75	6.67	6.63	6.59	6.54	6.50	6.44	6.39	6.33	6.26	6.19	6.12
3.00	7.27	7.23	7.19	7.14	7.09	7.03	6.97	6.90	6.83	6.76	6.68
3.25	7.88	7.84	7.79	7.73	7.68	7.62	7.55	7.48	7.40	7.32	7.24
3.50	8.49	8.44	8.39	8.33	8.27	8.20	8.13	8.05	7.97	7.88	7.79
3.75	9.09	9.04	8.99	8.92	8.86	8.79	8.71	8.63	8.54	8.45	8.35
4.00	9.70	9.65	9.59	9.52	9.45	9.38	9.29	9.20	9.11	9.01	8.91
4.25	10.31	10.25	10.19	10.11	10.04	9.96	9.87	9.78	9.68	9.57	9.46
4.50	10.91	10.85	10.79	10.71	10.63	10.55	10.45	10.35	10.25	10.14	10.02
4.75	11.52	11.46	11.39	11.30	11.23	11.13	11.03	10.93	10.82	10.70	10.58
5.00	12.13	12.06	11.99	11.90	11.82	11.72	11.62	11.51	11.39	11.27	11.14
5.25	12.73	12.66	12.58	12.50	12.41	12.31	[illegible]	12.08	11.96	11.83	11.69
5.50	13.34	13.27	13.18	13.09	13.00	12.89	[illegible]	12.66	12.53	12.39	12.25
5.75	13.94	13.87	13.78	13.69	13.59	13.48	[illegible]	13.23	13.10	12.96	12.81
6.00	14.55	14.47	14.38	14.28	14.18	14.07	[illegible]	13.81	13.67	13.52	13.36
6.25	15.16	15.08	14.98	14.88	14.77	14.65	[illegible]	14.38	14.24	14.08	13.92
6.50	15.76	15.68	15.58	15.47	15.36	15.24	[illegible]	14.96	14.81	14.65	14.48
6.75	16.37	16.28	16.18	16.07	15.95	15.82	[illegible]	15.53	15.38	15.21	15.03
7.00	16.98	16.89	16.78	16.66	16.54	16.41	[illegible]	16.11	15.95	15.77	15.59
7.25	17.58	17.49	17.38	17.26	17.13	17.00	[illegible]	16.68	16.52	16.34	16.15
7.50	18.19	18.09	17.98	17.85	17.73	17.58	[illegible]	17.26	17.09	16.90	16.71
7.75	18.80	18.70	18.58	18.45	18.32	18.17	[illegible]	17.84	17.66	17.46	17.26
8.00	19.40	19.30	19.18	19.04	18.91	18.76	[illegible]	18.41	18.23	18.03	17.82
8.25	20.01	19.90	19.78	19.64	19.50	19.34	[illegible]	18.99	18.80	18.59	18.38
8.50	20.62	20.51	20.38	20.23	20.09	19.93	[illegible]	19.56	19.37	19.15	18.93
8.75	21.22	21.11	20.98	20.83	20.68	20.51	[illegible]	20.14	19.94	19.72	19.49
9.00	21.83	21.71	21.58	21.42	21.27	21.10	[illegible]	20.71	20.51	20.28	20.05
9.25	22.44	22.32	22.18	22.02	21.86	21.69	[illegible]	21.29	21.08	20.84	20.60
9.50	23.04	22.92	22.78	22.61	22.45	22.27	[illegible]	21.86	21.65	21.41	21.16
9.75	23.65	23.52	23.38	23.21	23.04	22.86	[illegible]	22.44	22.22	21.97	21.72
10.00	24.26	24.13	23.98	23.81	23.64	23.45	[illegible]	23.02	22.79	22.54	22.28
50.00	121.30	120.65	119.90	119.05	118.20	117.25	[illegible]	115.10	113.95	112.70	111.40
60.00	145.56	144.78	143.88	142.86	141.84	140.70	[illegible]	138.12	136.74	135.24	133.68
70.00	169.82	168.91	167.86	166.67	165.48	164.15	[illegible]	161.14	159.53	157.78	155.96
80.00	194.08	193.04	191.84	190.48	189.12	187.60	[illegible]	184.16	182.32	180.32	178.24
90.00	218.34	217.17	215.82	214.29	212.76	211.05	[illegible]	207.18	205.11	202.86	200.52
100.00	242.60	241.30	239.80	238.10	236.40	234.50	[illegible]	230.20	227.90	225.40	222.80
110.00	266.86	265.43	263.78	261.91	260.04	257.95	[illegible]	253.22	250.69	247.94	245.08
120.00	291.12	289.56	287.76	285.72	283.68	281.40	[illegible]	276.24	273.48	270.48	267.36
130.00	315.38	313.69	311.74	309.53	307.32	304.85	[illegible]	299.26	296.27	293.02	289.64
140.00	339.64	337.82	335.72	333.34	330.96	328.30	[illegible]	322.28	319.06	315.56	311.92
150.00	363.90	361.95	359.70	357.15	354.60	351.75	348.60	345.30	341.85	338.10	334.20
160.00	388.16	386.08	383.68	380.96	378.24	375.20	371.84	368.32	364.64	360.64	356.48
170.00	412.42	410.21	407.66	404.77	401.88	398.65	395.08	391.34	387.43	383.18	378.76
180.00	436.68	434.34	431.64	428.58	425.52	422.10	418.32	414.36	410.22	405.72	401.04
190.00	460.94	458.47	455.62	452.39	449.16	[illegible]	[illegible]	437.38	433.01	428.26	423.32
200.00	485.20	482.60	479.60	476.20	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	460.40	455.80	450.80	445.60
210.00	509.46	506.73	503.58	500.01	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	483.42	478.59	473.34	467.88
220.00	533.72	530.86	527.56	523.82	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	506.44	501.38	495.88	490.16
230.00	557.98	554.99	551.54	547.63	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	529.46	524.17	518.42	512.44
240.00	582.24	579.12	575.52	571.44	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	552.48	546.96	540.96	534.72
250.00	606.50	603.25	599.50	595.25	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	575.50	569.75	563.50	557.00
260.00	630.76	627.38	623.48	619.06	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	598.52	592.54	586.04	579.28
270.00	655.02	651.51	647.46	642.87	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	621.54	615.33	608.58	601.56
280.00	679.28	675.64	671.44	666.68	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	644.56	638.12	631.12	623.84
290.00	703.54	699.77	695.42	690.49	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	667.58	660.91	653.66	646.12
300.00	727.80	723.90	719.40	714.30	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	690.60	683.70	676.20	668.40
310.00	752.06	748.03	743.38	738.11	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	713.62	706.49	698.74	690.68
320.00	776.32	772.16	767.36	761.92	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	736.64	729.28	721.28	712.96
330.00	800.58	796.29	791.34	785.73	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	759.66	752.07	743.82	735.24
340.00	824.84	820.42	815.32	809.54	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	782.68	774.86	766.36	757.52
350.00	849.10	844.55	839.30	833.35	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	805.70	797.65	788.90	779.80
360.00	873.36	868.68	863.28	857.16	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	828.72	820.44	811.44	802.08
370.00	897.62	892.81	887.26	880.97	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	851.74	843.23	833.98	824.36
380.00	921.88	916.94	911.24	904.78	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	874.76	866.02	856.52	846.64
390.00	946.14	941.07	935.22	928.59	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	897.78	888.81	879.06	868.92
400.00	970.40	965.20	959.20	952.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	920.80	911.60	901.60	891.20
410.00	994.66	989.33	983.18	976.21	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	943.82	934.39	924.14	913.48
420.00	1,018.92	1,013.46	1,007.16	1,000.02	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	966.84	957.18	946.68	935.76
430.00	1,043.18	1,037.59	1,031.14	1,023.83	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	989.86	979.97	969.22	958.04
440.00	1,067.44	1,061.72	1,055.12	1,047.64	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,012.88	1,002.76	991.76	980.32
450.00	1,091.70	1,085.85	1,079.10	1,071.45	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,035.90	1,025.55	1,014.30	1,002.60
460.00	1,115.96	1,109.98	1,103.08	1,095.26	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,058.92	1,048.34	1,036.84	1,024.88
470.00	1,140.22	1,134.11	1,127.06	1,119.07	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,081.94	1,071.13	1,059.38	1,047.16
480.00	1,164.48	1,158.24	1,151.04	1,142.88	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,104.96	1,093.92	1,081.92	1,069.44
490.00	1,188.74	1,182.37	1,175.02	1,166.69	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,127.98	1,116.71	1,104.46	1,091.72
500.00	1,213.00	1,206.50	1,199.00	1,190.50	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,151.00	1,139.50	1,127.00	1,114.00
510.00	1,237.26	1,230.63	1,222.98	1,214.31	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,174.02	1,162.29	1,149.54	1,136.28
520.00	1,261.52	1,254.76	1,246.96	1,238.12	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,197.04	1,185.08	1,172.08	1,158.56
530.00	1,285.78	1,278.89	1,270.94	1,261.93	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,220.06	1,207.87	1,194.62	1,180.84
540.00	1,310.04	1,303.02	1,294.92	1,285.74	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,243.08	1,230.66	1,217.16	1,203.12
550.00	1,334.30	1,327.15	1,318.90	1,309.55	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,266.10	1,253.45	1,239.70	1,225.40
560.00	1,358.56	1,351.28	1,342.88	1,333.36	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,289.12	1,276.24	1,262.24	1,247.68
570.00	1,382.82	1,375.41	1,366.86	1,357.17	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,312.14	1,299.03	1,284.78	1,269.96
580.00	1,407.08	1,399.54	1,390.84	1,380.98	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,335.16	1,321.82	1,307.32	1,292.24
590.00	1,431.34	1,423.67	1,414.82	1,404.79	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,358.18	1,344.61	1,329.86	1,314.52
600.00	1,455.60	1,447.80	1,438.80	1,428.60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,381.20	1,367.40	1,352.40	1,336.80

CHART No. 9.—*Table for computing adjusted service credit*

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[Find the amount of his adjusted service credit and by referring to the amount in the column under the proper age, directly opposite the amount of the adjusted service credit. For example: To determine the amount of an adjusted service certificate for a veteran whose age is 33 years and whose adjusted service credit is $505.50, refer to the amount in the column under age 33 directly opposite the adjusted service credit of $500, which is $1,256.50. Then refer to the amount in the same column opposite the adjusted service credit of $5.50, which is $13.82. This, added to $1,256.50, represents the amount of the certificate]

Age	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
Factor	2.527	2.524	2.521	2.517	2.513	2.509	2.504	2.498	2.492
$0.25	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62
.50	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24
.75	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.86
1.00	2.52	2.52	2.52	2.51	2.51	2.50	2.50	2.49	2.49
1.25	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.14	3.14	3.13	3.13	3.12	3.11
1.50	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.74	3.73
1.75	4.42	4.41	4.41	4.40	4.39	4.39	4.38	4.37	4.36
2.00	5.05	5.04	5.04	5.03	5.02	5.01	5.00	4.99	4.98
2.25	5.68	5.67	5.67	5.66	5.65	5.64	5.63	5.62	5.60
2.50	6.31	6.31	6.30	6.29	6.28	6.27	6.26	6.24	6.23
2.75	6.94	6.94	6.93	6.92	6.91	6.90	6.88	6.86	6.85
3.00	7.58	7.57	7.56	7.55	7.53	7.52	7.51	7.49	7.47
3.25	8.21	8.20	8.19	8.18	8.16	8.15	8.13	8.11	8.09
3.50	8.84	8.83	8.82	8.80	8.79	8.78	8.76	8.74	8.72
3.75	9.47	9.46	9.45	9.43	9.42	9.40	9.39	9.36	9.34
4.00	10.10	10.09	10.08	10.06	10.05	10.03	10.01	9.99	9.96
4.25	10.73	10.72	10.71	10.69	10.68	10.66	10.64	10.61	10.59
4.50	11.37	11.35	11.34	11.32	11.30	11.29	11.26	11.24	11.21
4.75	12.00	11.98	11.97	11.95	11.93	11.91	11.89	11.86	11.83
5.00	12.63	12.62	12.60	12.58	12.56	12.54	12.52	12.49	12.46
5.25	13.26	13.25	13.23	13.21	13.19	13.17	13.14	13.11	13.08
5.50	13.89	13.88	13.86	13.84	13.82	13.79	13.77	13.73	13.70
5.75	14.53	14.51	14.49	14.47	14.44	14.42	14.39	14.36	14.32
6.00	15.16	15.14	15.12	15.10	15.07	15.05	15.02	14.98	14.95
6.25	15.79	15.77	15.75	15.73	15.70	15.68	15.65	15.61	15.57
6.50	16.42	16.40	16.38	16.36	16.33	16.30	16.27	16.23	16.19
6.75	17.05	17.03	17.01	16.98	16.96	16.93	16.90	16.85	16.82
7.00	17.68	17.66	17.64	17.61	17.59	17.56	17.52	17.48	17.44
7.25	18.32	18.29	18.27	18.24	18.21	18.19	18.15	18.11	18.06
7.50	18.95	18.93	18.90	18.87	18.84	18.81	18.78	18.73	18.69
7.75	19.58	19.56	19.53	19.50	19.47	19.44	19.40	19.35	19.31
8.00	20.21	20.19	20.16	20.13	20.10	20.07	20.03	19.98	19.93
8.25	20.84	20.82	20.79	20.76	20.73	20.69	20.65	20.60	20.55
8.50	21.47	21.45	21.42	21.39	21.36	21.32	21.28	21.23	21.18
8.75	22.11	22.08	22.05	22.02	21.98	21.95	21.91	21.85	21.80
9.00	22.74	22.71	22.68	22.65	22.61	22.58	22.53	22.48	22.42
9.25	23.37	23.34	23.31	23.28	23.24	23.20	23.16	23.10	23.05
9.50	24.00	23.97	23.94	23.91	23.87	23.83	23.78	23.73	23.67
9.75	24.63	24.60	24.57	24.54	24.50	24.46	24.41	24.35	24.29
10.00	25.27	25.24	25.21	25.17	25.13	25.09	25.04	24.98	24.92
50.00	126.35	126.20	126.05	125.85	125.65	125.45	125.20	124.90	124.60
60.00	151.62	151.44	151.26	151.02	150.78	150.54	150.24	149.88	149.52
70.00	176.89	176.68	176.47	176.19	175.91	175.63	175.28	174.86	174.44
80.00	202.16	201.92	201.68	201.36	201.04	200.72	200.32	199.84	199.36
90.00	227.43	227.16	226.89	226.53	226.17	225.81	225.36	224.82	224.28
100.00	252.70	252.40	252.10	251.70	251.30	250.90	250.40	249.80	249.20
110.00	277.97	277.64	277.31	276.87	276.43	275.99	275.44	274.78	274.12
120.00	303.24	302.88	302.52	302.04	301.56	301.08	300.48	299.76	299.04
130.00	328.51	328.12	327.73	327.21	326.69	326.17	325.52	324.74	323.96
140.00	353.78	353.36	352.94	352.38	351.82	351.26	350.56	349.72	348.88
150.00	379.05	378.60	378.15	377.55	376.95	376.35	375.60	374.70	373.80
160.00	404.32	403.84	403.36	402.72	402.08	401.44	400.64	399.68	398.72
170.00	429.59	429.08	428.57	427.89	427.21	426.53	425.68	424.66	423.64
180.00	454.86	454.32	453.78	453.06	452.34	451.62	450.72	449.64	448.56
190.00	480.13	479.56	478.99	478.23	477.47	476.71	475.76	474.62	473.48
200.00	505.40	504.80	504.20	503.40	502.60	501.80	500.80	499.60	498.40
210.00	530.67	530.04	529.41	528.57	527.73	526.89	525.84	524.58	523.32
220.00	555.94	555.28	554.62	553.74	552.86	551.98	550.88	549.56	548.24
230.00	581.21	580.52	579.83	578.91	577.99	577.07	575.92	574.54	573.16
240.00	606.48	605.76	605.04	604.08	603.12	602.16	600.96	599.52	598.08
250.00	631.75	631.00	630.25	629.25	628.25	627.25	626.00	624.50	623.00
260.00	657.02	656.24	655.46	654.42	653.38	652.34	651.04	649.48	647.92
270.00	682.29	681.48	680.67	679.59	678.51	677.43	676.08	674.46	672.84
280.00	707.56	706.72	705.88	704.76	703.64	702.52	701.12	699.44	697.76
290.00	732.83	731.96	731.09	729.93	728.77	727.61	726.16	724.42	722.68
300.00	758.10	757.20	756.30	755.10	753.90	752.70	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
310.00	783.37	782.44	781.51	780.27	779.03	777.79	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
320.00	808.64	807.68	806.72	805.44	804.16	802.88	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
330.00	833.91	832.92	831.93	830.61	829.29	827.97	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
340.00	859.18	858.16	857.14	855.78	854.42	853.06	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
350.00	884.45	883.40	882.35	880.95	879.55	878.15	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
360.00	909.72	908.64	907.56	906.12	904.68	903.24	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
370.00	934.99	933.88	932.77	931.29	929.81	928.33	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
380.00	960.26	959.12	957.98	956.46	954.94	953.42	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
390.00	985.53	984.36	983.19	981.63	980.07	978.51	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
400.00	1,010.80	1,009.60	1,008.40	1,006.80	1,005.20	1,003.60	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
410.00	1,036.07	1,034.84	1,033.61	1,031.97	1,030.33	1,028.69	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
420.00	1,061.34	1,060.08	1,058.82	1,057.14	1,055.46	1,053.78	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
430.00	1,086.61	1,085.32	1,084.03	1,082.31	1,080.59	1,078.87	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
440.00	1,111.88	1,110.56	1,109.24	1,107.48	1,105.72	1,103.96	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
450.00	1,137.15	1,135.80	1,134.45	1,132.65	1,130.85	1,129.05	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
460.00	1,162.42	1,161.04	1,159.66	1,157.82	1,155.98	1,154.14	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
470.00	1,187.69	1,186.28	1,184.87	1,182.99	1,181.11	1,179.23	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
480.00	1,212.96	1,211.52	1,210.08	1,208.16	1,206.24	1,204.32	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
490.00	1,238.23	1,236.76	1,235.29	1,233.33	1,231.37	1,229.41	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
500.00	1,263.50	1,262.00	1,260.50	1,258.50	1,256.50	1,254.50	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
510.00	1,288.77	1,287.24	1,285.71	1,283.67	1,281.63	1,279.59	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
520.00	1,314.04	1,312.48	1,310.92	1,308.84	1,306.76	1,304.68	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
530.00	1,339.31	1,337.72	1,336.13	1,334.01	1,331.89	1,329.77	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
540.00	1,364.58	1,362.96	1,361.34	1,359.18	1,357.02	1,354.86	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
550.00	1,389.85	1,388.20	1,386.55	1,384.35	1,382.15	1,379.95	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
560.00	1,415.12	1,413.44	1,411.76	1,409.52	1,407.28	1,405.04	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
570.00	1,440.39	1,438.68	1,436.97	1,434.69	1,432.41	1,430.13	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
580.00	1,465.66	1,463.92	1,462.18	1,459.86	1,457.54	1,455.22	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
590.00	1,490.93	1,489.16	1,487.39	1,485.03	1,482.67	1,480.31	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
600.00	1,516.20	1,514.40	1,512.60	1,510.20	1,507.80	1,505.40	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
610.00	1,541.47	1,539.64	1,537.81	1,535.37	1,532.93	1,530.49	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
620.00	1,566.74	1,564.88	1,563.02	1,560.54	1,558.06	1,555.58	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

Age	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47
Factor	2.485	2.478	2.470	2.460	2.450	2.439	2.426	2.413	2.398	2.381
$0.25	$0.62	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.60	$0.60	$0.60	$0.59	$0.59
.50	1.24	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.22	1.21	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.19
.75	1.86	1.85	1.85	1.84	1.83	1.82	1.81	1.80	1.79	1.78
1.00	2.48	2.47	2.47	2.46	2.45	2.43	2.42	2.41	2.39	2.38
1.25	3.10	3.09	3.08	3.07	3.06	3.04	3.03	3.01	2.99	2.97
1.50	3.72	3.71	3.70	3.69	3.67	3.65	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.57
1.75	4.34	4.33	4.32	4.30	4.28	4.26	4.24	4.22	4.19	4.16
2.00	4.97	4.95	4.94	4.92	4.90	4.87	4.85	4.82	4.79	4.76
2.25	5.59	5.57	5.55	5.53	5.51	5.48	5.45	5.42	5.39	5.35
2.50	6.21	6.19	6.17	6.15	6.12	6.09	6.06	6.03	5.99	5.95
2.75	6.83	6.81	6.79	6.76	6.73	6.70	6.67	6.63	6.59	6.54
3.00	7.45	7.43	7.41	7.38	7.35	7.31	7.27	7.23	7.19	7.14
3.25	8.07	8.05	8.02	7.99	7.96	7.92	7.88	7.84	7.79	7.73
3.50	8.69	8.67	8.64	8.61	8.57	8.53	8.49	8.44	8.39	8.33
3.75	9.31	9.29	9.26	9.22	9.18	9.14	9.09	9.04	8.99	8.92
4.00	9.94	[illegible]	9.88	9.84	9.80	9.75	9.70	9.65	9.59	9.52
4.25	10.56	[illegible]	10.49	10.45	10.41	10.36	10.31	10.25	10.19	10.11
4.50	11.18	[illegible]	11.11	11.07	11.02	10.97	10.91	10.85	10.79	10.71
4.75	11.80	[illegible]	11.73	11.68	11.63	11.58	11.52	11.46	11.39	11.30
5.00	12.42	[illegible]	12.35	12.30	12.25	12.19	12.13	12.06	11.99	11.90
5.25	13.04	[illegible]	12.96	12.91	12.86	12.80	12.73	12.66	12.58	12.50
5.50	13.66	[illegible]	13.58	13.53	13.47	13.41	13.34	13.27	13.18	13.09
5.75	14.28	[illegible]	14.20	14.14	14.08	14.02	13.94	13.87	13.78	13.69
6.00	14.91	[illegible]	14.82	14.76	14.70	14.63	14.55	14.47	14.38	14.28
6.25	15.53	[illegible]	15.43	15.37	15.31	15.24	15.16	15.08	14.98	14.88
6.50	16.15	[illegible]	16.05	15.99	15.92	15.85	15.76	15.68	15.58	15.47
6.75	16.77	[illegible]	16.67	16.60	16.53	16.46	16.37	16.28	16.18	16.07
7.00	17.39	[illegible]	17.29	17.22	17.15	17.07	16.98	16.89	16.78	16.66
7.25	18.01	[illegible]	17.90	17.83	17.76	17.68	17.58	17.49	17.38	17.26
7.50	18.63	[illegible]	18.52	18.45	18.37	18.29	18.19	18.09	17.98	17.85
7.75	19.25	[illegible]	19.14	19.06	18.98	18.90	18.80	18.70	18.58	18.45
8.00	19.88	[illegible]	19.76	19.68	19.60	19.51	19.40	19.30	19.18	19.04
8.25	20.50	[illegible]	20.37	20.29	20.21	20.12	20.01	19.90	19.78	19.64
8.50	21.12	[illegible]	20.99	20.91	20.82	20.73	20.62	20.51	20.38	20.23
8.75	21.74	[illegible]	21.61	21.52	21.43	21.34	21.22	21.11	20.98	20.83
9.00	22.36	[illegible]	22.23	22.14	22.05	21.95	21.83	21.71	21.58	21.42
9.25	22.98	[illegible]	22.84	22.75	22.66	22.56	22.44	22.32	22.18	22.02
9.50	23.60	[illegible]	23.46	23.37	23.27	23.17	23.04	22.92	22.78	22.61
9.75	24.23	[illegible]	24.08	23.98	23.88	23.78	23.65	23.52	23.38	23.21
10.00	24.85	[illegible]	24.70	24.60	24.50	24.39	24.26	24.13	23.98	23.81
50.00	124.25	[illegible]	123.50	123.00	122.50	121.95	121.30	120.65	119.90	119.05
60.00	149.10	[illegible]	148.20	147.60	147.00	146.34	145.56	144.78	143.88	142.86
70.00	173.95	[illegible]	172.90	172.20	171.50	170.73	169.82	168.91	167.86	166.67
80.00	198.80	[illegible]	197.60	196.80	196.00	195.12	194.08	193.04	191.84	190.48
90.00	223.65	[illegible]	222.30	221.40	220.50	219.51	218.34	217.17	215.82	214.29
100.00	248.50	[illegible]	247.00	246.00	245.00	243.90	242.60	241.30	239.80	238.10
110.00	273.35	[illegible]	271.70	270.60	269.50	268.29	266.86	265.43	263.78	261.91
120.00	298.20	[illegible]	296.40	295.20	294.00	292.68	291.12	289.56	287.76	285.72
130.00	323.05	[illegible]	321.10	319.80	318.50	317.07	315.38	313.69	311.74	309.53
140.00	347.90	[illegible]	345.80	344.40	343.00	341.46	339.64	337.82	335.72	333.34
150.00	372.75	[illegible]	370.50	369.00	367.50	365.85	363.90	361.95	359.70	357.15
160.00	397.60	[illegible]	395.20	393.60	392.00	390.24	388.16	386.08	383.68	380.96
170.00	422.45	[illegible]	419.90	418.20	416.50	414.63	412.42	410.21	407.66	404.77
180.00	447.30	[illegible]	444.60	442.80	441.00	439.02	436.68	434.34	431.64	428.58
190.00	472.15	[illegible]	469.30	467.40	465.50	463.41	460.94	458.47	455.62	452.39
200.00	497.00	[illegible]	494.00	492.00	490.00	487.80	485.20	482.60	479.60	476.20
210.00	521.85	[illegible]	518.70	516.60	514.50	512.19	509.46	506.73	503.58	500.01
220.00	546.70	[illegible]	543.40	541.20	539.00	536.58	533.72	530.86	527.56	523.82
230.00	571.55	[illegible]	568.10	565.80	563.50	560.97	557.98	554.99	551.54	547.63
240.00	596.40	[illegible]	592.80	590.40	588.00	585.36	582.24	579.12	575.52	571.44
250.00	621.25	[illegible]	617.50	615.00	612.50	609.75	606.50	603.25	599.50	595.25
260.00	646.10	[illegible]	642.20	639.60	637.00	634.14	630.76	627.38	623.48	619.06
270.00	670.95	[illegible]	666.90	664.20	661.50	658.53	655.02	651.51	647.46	642.87
280.00	695.80	[illegible]	691.60	688.80	686.00	682.92	679.28	675.64	671.44	666.68
290.00	720.65	[illegible]	716.30	713.40	710.50	707.31	703.54	699.77	695.42	690.49
300.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	741.00	738.00	735.00	731.70	727.80	723.90	719.40	714.30
310.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	765.70	762.60	759.50	756.09	752.06	748.03	743.38	738.11
320.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	790.40	787.20	784.00	780.48	776.32	772.16	767.36	761.92
330.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	815.10	811.80	808.50	804.87	800.58	796.29	791.34	785.73
340.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	839.80	836.40	833.00	829.26	824.84	820.42	815.32	809.54
350.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	864.50	861.00	857.50	853.65	849.10	844.55	839.30	833.35
360.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	889.20	885.60	882.00	878.04	873.36	868.68	863.28	857.16
370.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	913.90	910.20	906.50	902.43	897.62	892.81	887.26	880.97
380.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	938.60	934.80	931.00	926.82	921.88	916.94	911.24	904.78
390.00	[illegible]	[illegible]	963.30	959.40	955.50	951.21	946.14	941.07	935.22	928.59
400.00	[illegible]	991.20	988.00	984.00	980.00	975.60	970.40	965.20	959.20	952.40
410.00	[illegible]	1,015.98	1,012.70	1,008.60	1,004.50	999.99	994.66	989.33	983.18	976.21
420.00	[illegible]	1,040.76	1,037.40	1,033.20	1,029.00	1,024.38	1,018.92	1,013.46	1,007.16	1,000.02
430.00	[illegible]	1,065.54	1,062.10	1,057.80	1,053.50	1,048.77	1,043.18	1,037.59	1,031.14	1,023.83
440.00	[illegible]	1,090.32	1,086.80	1,082.40	1,078.00	1,073.16	1,067.44	1,061.72	1,055.12	1,047.64
450.00	[illegible]	1,115.10	1,111.50	1,107.00	1,102.50	1,097.55	1,091.70	1,085.85	1,079.10	1,071.45
460.00	[illegible]	1,139.88	1,136.20	1,131.60	1,127.00	1,121.94	1,115.96	1,109.98	1,103.08	1,095.26
470.00	[illegible]	1,164.66	1,160.90	1,156.20	1,151.50	1,146.33	1,140.22	1,134.11	1,127.06	1,119.07
480.00	[illegible]	1,189.44	1,185.60	1,180.80	1,176.00	1,170.72	1,164.48	1,158.24	1,151.04	1,142.88
490.00	[illegible]	1,214.22	1,210.30	1,205.40	1,200.50	1,195.11	1,188.74	1,182.37	1,175.02	1,166.69
500.00	[illegible]	1,239.00	1,235.00	1,230.00	1,225.00	1,219.50	1,213.00	1,206.50	1,199.00	1,190.50
510.00	[illegible]	1,263.78	1,259.70	1,254.60	1,249.50	1,243.89	1,237.26	1,230.63	1,222.98	1,214.31
520.00	[illegible]	1,288.56	1,284.40	1,279.20	1,274.00	1,268.28	1,261.52	1,254.76	1,246.96	1,238.12
530.00	[illegible]	1,313.34	1,309.10	1,303.80	1,298.50	1,292.67	1,285.78	1,278.89	1,270.94	1,261.93
540.00	[illegible]	1,338.12	1,333.80	1,328.40	1,323.00	1,317.06	1,310.04	1,303.02	1,294.92	1,285.74
550.00	[illegible]	1,362.90	1,358.50	1,353.00	1,347.50	1,341.45	1,334.30	1,327.15	1,318.90	1,309.55
560.00	[illegible]	1,387.68	1,383.20	1,377.60	1,372.00	1,365.84	1,358.56	1,351.28	1,342.88	1,333.36
570.00	[illegible]	1,412.46	1,407.90	1,402.20	1,396.50	1,390.23	1,382.82	1,375.41	1,366.86	1,357.17
580.00	[illegible]	1,437.24	1,432.60	1,426.80	1,421.00	1,414.62	1,407.08	1,399.54	1,390.84	1,380.98
590.00	[illegible]	1,462.02	1,457.30	1,451.40	1,445.50	1,439.01	1,431.34	1,423.67	1,414.82	1,404.79
600.00	[illegible]	1,486.80	1,482.00	1,476.00	1,470.00	1,463.40	1,455.60	1,447.80	1,438.80	1,428.60
610.00	[illegible]	1,511.58	1,506.70	1,500.60	1,494.50	1,487.79	1,479.86	1,471.93	1,462.78	1,452.41
620.00	[illegible]	1,536.36	1,531.40	1,525.20	1,519.00	1,512.18	1,504.12	1,496.06	1,486.76	1,476.22

Age	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56
Factor	2.364	2.345	2.324	2.303	2.279	2.254	2.228	2.201	2.172
$0.25	$0.59	$0.58	$0.58	$0.57	$0.56	$0.56	$0.55	$0.55	$0.54
.50	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.13	1.12	1.11	1.10	1.08
.75	1.77	1.75	1.74	1.72	1.70	1.69	1.67	1.65	1.62
1.00	2.36	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.22	2.20	2.17
1.25	2.95	2.93	2.90	2.87	2.84	2.81	2.78	2.75	2.71
1.50	3.54	3.51	3.48	3.45	3.41	3.38	3.34	3.30	3.25
1.75	4.13	4.10	4.06	4.02	3.98	3.94	3.89	3.85	3.80
2.00	4.72	4.69	4.64	4.60	4.55	4.50	4.45	4.40	4.34
2.25	5.31	5.27	5.22	5.17	5.12	5.07	5.01	4.95	4.88
2.50	5.91	5.86	5.81	5.75	5.69	5.63	5.57	5.50	5.43
2.75	6.50	6.44	6.39	6.33	6.26	6.19	6.12	6.05	5.97
3.00	7.09	7.03	6.97	6.90	6.83	6.76	6.68	6.60	6.51
3.25	7.68	7.62	7.55	7.48	7.40	7.32	7.24	7.15	7.06
3.50	8.27	8.20	8.13	8.05	7.97	7.89	7.79	7.70	7.60
3.75	8.86	8.79	8.71	8.63	8.54	8.45	8.35	8.25	8.14
4.00	9.45	9.38	9.29	9.20	9.11	9.01	8.91	8.80	8.68
4.25	10.04	9.96	9.87	9.78	9.68	9.57	9.46	9.35	9.23
4.50	10.63	10.55	10.45	10.35	10.25	10.14	10.02	9.90	9.77
4.75	11.22	11.13	11.03	10.93	10.82	10.70	10.58	10.45	10.31
5.00	11.82	11.72	11.62	11.51	11.39	11.27	11.14	11.00	10.86
5.25	12.41	12.31	12.20	12.08	11.96	11.83	11.69	11.55	11.40
5.50	13.00	12.89	12.78	12.66	12.53	12.39	12.25	12.10	11.94
5.75	13.59	13.48	13.36	13.23	13.10	12.96	12.81	12.65	12.48
6.00	14.18	14.07	13.94	13.81	13.67	13.52	13.36	13.20	13.03
6.25	14.77	14.65	14.52	14.38	14.24	14.08	13.92	13.75	13.57
6.50	15.36	15.24	15.10	14.96	14.81	14.65	14.48	14.30	14.11
6.75	15.95	15.82	15.68	15.53	15.38	15.21	15.03	14.85	14.66
7.00	16.54	16.41	16.26	16.11	15.95	15.77	15.59	15.40	15.20
7.25	17.13	17.00	16.84	16.68	16.52	16.34	16.15	15.95	15.74
7.50	17.73	17.58	17.43	17.26	17.09	16.90	16.71	16.50	16.29
7.75	18.32	18.17	18.01	17.84	17.66	17.46	17.26	17.05	16.83
8.00	18.91	18.76	18.59	18.41	18.23	18.03	17.82	17.60	17.37
8.25	19.50	19.34	19.17	18.99	18.80	18.59	18.38	18.15	17.91
8.50	20.09	19.93	19.75	19.56	19.37	19.15	18.93	18.70	18.46
8.75	20.68	20.51	20.33	20.14	19.94	19.72	19.49	19.25	19.00
9.00	21.27	21.10	20.91	20.71	20.51	20.28	20.05	19.80	19.54
9.25	21.86	21.69	21.49	21.29	21.08	20.84	20.60	20.35	20.09
9.50	22.45	22.27	22.07	21.86	21.65	21.41	21.16	20.90	20.63
9.75	23.04	22.86	22.65	22.44	22.22	21.97	21.72	21.45	21.17
10.00	23.64	23.45	23.24	23.02	22.79	22.54	22.28	22.01	21.72
50.00	118.20	117.25	116.20	115.10	113.95	112.70	111.40	110.05	108.60
60.00	141.84	140.70	139.44	138.12	136.74	135.24	133.68	132.06	130.32
70.00	165.48	164.15	162.68	161.14	159.53	157.78	155.96	154.07	152.04
80.00	189.12	187.60	185.92	184.16	182.32	180.32	178.24	176.08	173.76
90.00	212.76	211.05	209.16	207.18	205.11	202.86	200.52	198.09	195.48
100.00	236.40	234.50	232.40	230.20	227.90	225.40	222.80	220.10	217.20
110.00	260.04	257.95	255.64	253.22	250.69	247.94	245.08	242.11	238.92
120.00	283.68	281.40	278.88	276.24	273.48	270.48	267.36	264.12	260.64
130.00	307.32	304.85	302.12	299.26	296.27	293.02	289.64	286.13	282.36
140.00	330.96	328.30	325.36	322.28	319.06	315.56	311.92	308.14	304.08
150.00	354.60	351.75	348.60	345.30	341.85	338.10	334.20	330.15	325.80
160.00	378.24	375.20	371.84	368.32	364.64	360.64	356.48	352.16	347.52
170.00	401.88	398.65	395.08	391.34	387.43	383.18	378.76	374.17	369.24
180.00	425.52	422.10	418.32	414.36	410.22	405.72	401.04	396.18	390.96
190.00	449.16	445.55	441.56	437.57	433.01	428.26	423.32	418.19	412.68
200.00	472.80	469.00	464.80	460.40	455.80	450.80	445.60	440.20	434.40
210.00	496.44	492.45	488.04	483.42	478.59	473.34	467.88	462.21	456.12
220.00	520.08	515.90	511.28	506.44	501.38	495.88	490.16	484.22	477.84
230.00	543.72	539.35	534.52	529.46	524.17	518.42	512.44	506.23	499.56
240.00	567.36	562.80	557.76	552.48	546.96	540.96	534.72	528.24	521.28
250.00	591.00	586.25	581.00	575.50	569.75	563.50	557.00	550.25	543.00
260.00	614.64	609.70	604.24	598.52	592.54	586.04	579.28	572.26	564.72
270.00	638.28	633.15	627.48	621.54	615.33	608.58	601.56	594.27	586.44
280.00	661.92	656.60	650.72	644.56	638.12	631.12	623.84	616.28	608.16
290.00	685.56	680.05	673.96	667.58	660.91	653.66	646.12	638.29	629.88
300.00	709.20	703.50	697.20	690.60	683.70	676.20	668.40	660.30	651.60
310.00	732.84	726.95	720.44	713.62	706.49	698.74	690.68	682.31	673.32
320.00	756.48	750.40	743.68	736.64	729.28	721.28	712.96	704.32	695.04
330.00	780.12	773.85	766.92	759.66	752.07	743.82	735.24	726.33	716.76
340.00	803.76	797.30	790.16	782.68	774.86	766.36	757.52	748.34	738.48
350.00	827.40	820.75	813.40	805.70	797.65	788.90	779.80	770.35	760.20
360.00	851.04	844.20	836.64	828.72	820.44	811.44	802.08	792.36	781.92
370.00	874.68	867.65	859.88	851.74	843.23	833.98	824.36	814.37	803.64
380.00	898.32	891.10	883.12	874.76	866.02	856.52	846.64	836.38	825.36
390.00	921.96	914.55	906.36	897.78	888.81	879.06	868.92	858.39	847.08
400.00	945.60	938.00	929.60	920.80	911.60	901.60	891.20	880.40	868.80
410.00	969.24	961.45	952.84	943.82	934.39	924.14	913.48	902.41	890.52
420.00	992.88	984.90	976.08	966.84	957.18	946.68	935.76	924.42	912.24
430.00	1,016.52	1,008.35	999.32	989.86	979.97	969.22	958.04	946.43	933.96
440.00	1,040.16	1,031.80	1,022.56	1,012.88	1,002.76	991.76	980.32	968.44	955.68
450.00	1,063.80	1,055.25	1,045.80	1,035.90	1,025.55	1,014.30	1,002.60	990.45	977.40
460.00	1,087.44	1,078.70	1,069.04	1,058.92	1,048.34	1,036.84	1,024.88	1,012.46	999.12
470.00	1,111.08	1,102.15	1,092.28	1,081.94	1,071.13	1,059.38	1,047.16	1,034.47	1,020.84
480.00	1,134.72	1,125.60	1,115.52	1,104.96	1,093.92	1,081.92	1,069.44	1,056.48	1,042.56
490.00	1,158.36	1,149.05	1,138.76	1,127.98	1,116.71	1,104.46	1,091.72	1,078.49	1,064.28
500.00	1,182.00	1,172.50	1,162.00	1,151.00	1,139.50	1,127.00	1,114.00	1,100.50	1,086.00
510.00	1,205.64	1,195.95	1,185.24	1,174.02	1,162.29	1,149.54	1,136.28	1,122.51	1,107.72
520.00	1,229.28	1,219.40	1,208.48	1,197.04	1,185.08	1,172.08	1,158.56	1,144.52	1,129.44
530.00	1,252.92	1,242.85	1,231.72	1,220.06	1,207.87	1,194.62	1,180.84	1,166.53	1,151.16
540.00	1,276.56	1,266.30	1,254.96	1,243.08	1,230.66	1,217.16	1,203.12	1,188.54	1,172.88
550.00	1,300.20	1,289.75	1,278.20	1,266.10	1,253.45	1,239.70	1,225.40	1,210.55	1,194.60
560.00	1,323.84	1,313.20	1,301.44	1,289.12	1,276.24	1,262.24	1,247.68	1,232.56	1,216.32
570.00	1,347.48	1,336.65	1,324.68	1,312.14	1,299.03	1,284.78	1,269.96	1,254.57	1,238.04
580.00	1,371.12	1,360.10	1,347.92	1,335.16	1,321.82	1,307.32	1,292.24	1,276.58	1,259.76
590.00	1,394.76	1,383.55	1,371.16	1,358.18	1,344.61	1,329.86	1,314.52	1,298.59	1,281.48
600.00	1,418.40	1,407.00	1,394.40	1,381.20	1,367.40	1,352.40	1,336.80	1,320.60	1,303.20
610.00	1,442.04	1,430.45	1,417.64	1,404.22	1,390.19	1,374.94	1,359.08	1,342.61	1,324.92
620.00	1,465.68	1,453.90	1,440.88	1,427.24	1,412.98	1,397.48	1,381.36	1,364.62	1,346.64

Age	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64	65
Factor	2.143	2.113	2.082	2.050	2.018	1.986	1.954	1.921	1.889
$0.25	$0.53	$0.52	$0.52	$0.51	$0.50	$0.49	$0.48	$0.48	$0.47
.50	1.07	1.05	1.04	1.02	1.00	.99	.97	.96	.94
.75	1.60	1.58	1.56	1.53	1.51	1.48	1.46	1.44	1.41
1.00	2.14	2.11	2.08	2.05	2.01	1.98	1.95	1.92	1.88
1.25	2.67	2.64	2.60	2.56	2.52	2.48	2.44	2.40	2.36
1.50	3.21	3.16	3.12	3.07	3.02	2.97	2.93	2.88	2.83
1.75	3.75	3.69	3.64	3.58	3.53	3.47	3.41	3.36	3.30
2.00	4.28	4.22	4.16	4.10	4.03	3.97	3.90	3.84	3.77
2.25	4.82	4.75	4.68	4.61	4.54	4.46	4.39	4.32	4.25
2.50	5.35	5.28	5.20	5.12	5.04	4.96	4.88	4.80	4.72
2.75	5.89	5.81	5.72	5.63	5.54	5.46	5.37	5.28	5.19
3.00	6.42	6.33	6.24	6.15	6.05	5.95	5.86	5.76	5.66
3.25	6.96	6.86	6.76	6.66	6.55	6.45	6.35	6.24	6.13
3.50	7.50	7.39	7.28	7.17	7.06	6.95	6.83	6.72	6.61
3.75	8.03	7.92	7.80	7.68	7.56	7.44	7.32	7.20	7.08
4.00	8.57	8.45	8.32	8.20	8.07	7.94	7.81	7.68	7.55
4.25	9.10	8.98	8.84	8.71	8.57	8.44	8.30	8.16	8.02
4.50	9.64	9.50	9.36	9.22	9.08	8.93	8.79	8.64	8.50
4.75	10.17	10.03	9.88	9.73	9.58	9.43	9.28	9.12	8.97
5.00	10.71	10.56	10.41	10.25	10.09	9.93	9.77	9.60	9.44
5.25	11.25	11.09	10.93	10.76	10.59	10.42	10.25	10.08	9.91
5.50	11.78	11.62	11.45	11.27	11.09	10.92	10.74	10.56	10.38
5.75	12.32	12.14	11.97	11.78	11.60	11.41	11.23	11.04	10.86
6.00	12.85	12.67	12.49	12.30	12.10	11.91	11.72	11.52	11.33
6.25	13.39	13.20	13.01	12.81	12.61	12.41	12.21	12.00	11.80
6.50	13.92	13.73	13.53	13.32	13.11	12.90	12.70	12.48	12.27
6.75	14.46	14.26	14.05	13.83	13.62	13.40	13.18	12.96	12.75
7.00	15.00	14.79	14.57	14.35	14.12	13.90	13.67	13.44	13.22
7.25	15.53	15.31	15.09	14.86	14.63	14.39	14.16	13.92	13.69
7.50	16.07	15.84	15.61	15.37	15.13	14.89	14.65	14.40	14.16
7.75	16.60	16.37	16.13	15.88	15.63	15.39	15.14	14.88	14.63
8.00	17.14	16.90	16.65	16.40	16.14	15.88	15.63	15.36	15.11
8.25	17.67	17.43	17.17	16.91	16.64	16.38	16.12	15.84	15.58
8.50	18.21	17.96	17.69	17.42	17.15	16.88	16.60	16.32	16.05
8.75	18.75	18.48	18.21	17.93	17.65	17.37	17.09	16.80	16.52
9.00	19.28	19.01	18.73	18.45	18.16	17.87	17.58	17.28	17.00
9.25	19.82	19.54	19.25	18.96	18.66	18.37	18.07	17.76	17.47
9.50	20.35	20.07	19.77	19.47	19.17	18.86	18.56	18.24	17.94
9.75	20.89	20.60	20.29	19.98	19.67	19.36	19.05	18.72	18.41
10.00	21.43	21.13	20.82	20.50	20.18	19.86	19.54	19.21	18.89
50.00	107.15	105.65	104.10	102.50	100.90	99.30	97.70	96.05	94.45
60.00	128.58	126.78	124.92	123.00	121.08	119.16	117.24	115.26	113.34
70.00	150.01	147.91	145.74	143.50	141.26	139.02	136.78	134.47	132.23
80.00	171.44	169.04	166.56	164.00	161.44	158.88	156.32	153.68	151.12
90.00	192.87	190.17	187.38	184.50	181.62	178.74	175.86	172.89	170.01
100.00	214.30	211.30	208.20	205.00	201.80	198.60	195.40	192.10	188.90
110.00	235.73	232.43	229.02	225.50	221.98	218.46	214.94	211.31	207.79
120.00	257.16	253.56	249.84	246.00	242.16	238.32	234.48	230.52	226.68
130.00	278.59	274.69	270.66	266.50	262.34	258.18	254.02	249.73	245.57
140.00	300.02	295.82	291.48	287.00	282.52	278.04	273.56	268.94	264.46
150.00	321.45	316.95	312.30	307.50	302.70	297.90	293.10	288.15	283.35
160.00	342.88	338.08	333.12	328.00	322.88	317.76	312.64	307.36	302.24
170.00	364.31	359.21	353.94	348.50	343.06	337.62	332.18	326.57	321.13
180.00	385.74	380.34	374.76	369.00	363.24	357.48	351.72	345.78	340.02
190.00	407.17	401.47	395.58	389.50	383.42	377.34	371.26	364.99	358.91
200.00	428.60	422.60	416.40	410.00	403.60	397.20	390.80	384.20	377.80
210.00	450.03	443.73	437.22	430.50	423.78	417.06	410.34	403.41	396.69
220.00	471.46	464.86	458.04	451.00	443.96	436.92	429.88	422.62	415.58
230.00	492.89	485.99	478.86	471.50	464.14	456.78	449.42	441.83	434.47
240.00	514.32	507.12	499.68	492.00	484.32	476.64	468.96	461.04	453.36
250.00	535.75	528.25	520.50	512.50	504.50	496.50	488.50	480.25	472.25
260.00	557.18	549.38	541.32	533.00	524.68	516.36	508.04	499.46	491.14
270.00	578.61	570.51	562.14	553.50	544.86	536.22	527.58	518.67	510.03
280.00	600.04	591.64	582.96	574.00	565.04	556.08	547.12	537.88	528.92
290.00	621.47	612.77	603.78	594.50	585.22	575.94	566.66	557.09	547.81
300.00	642.90	633.90	624.60	615.00	605.40	595.80	586.20	576.30	566.70
310.00	664.33	655.03	645.42	635.50	625.58	615.66	605.74	595.51	585.59
320.00	685.76	676.16	666.24	656.00	645.76	635.52	625.28	614.72	604.48
330.00	707.19	697.29	687.06	676.50	665.94	655.38	644.82	633.93	623.37
340.00	728.62	718.42	707.88	697.00	686.12	675.24	664.36	653.14	642.26
350.00	750.05	739.55	728.70	717.50	706.30	695.10	683.90	672.35	661.15
360.00	771.48	760.68	749.52	738.00	726.48	714.96	703.44	691.56	680.04
370.00	792.91	781.81	770.34	758.50	746.66	734.82	722.98	710.77	698.93
380.00	814.34	802.94	791.16	779.00	766.84	754.68	742.52	729.98	717.82
390.00	835.77	824.07	811.98	799.50	787.02	774.54	762.06	749.19	736.71
400.00	857.20	845.20	832.80	820.00	807.20	794.40	781.60	768.40	755.60
410.00	878.63	866.33	853.62	840.50	827.38	814.26	801.14	787.61	774.49
420.00	900.06	887.46	874.44	861.00	847.56	834.12	820.68	806.82	793.38
430.00	921.49	908.59	895.26	881.50	867.74	853.98	840.22	826.03	812.27
440.00	942.92	929.72	916.08	902.00	887.92	873.84	859.76	845.24	831.16
450.00	964.35	950.85	936.90	922.50	908.10	893.70	879.30	864.45	850.05
460.00	985.78	971.98	957.72	943.00	928.28	913.56	898.84	883.66	868.94
470.00	1,007.21	993.11	978.54	963.50	948.46	933.42	918.38	902.87	887.83
480.00	1,028.64	1,014.24	999.36	984.00	968.64	953.28	937.92	922.08	906.72
490.00	1,050.07	1,035.37	1,020.18	1,004.50	988.82	973.14	957.46	941.29	925.61
500.00	1,071.50	1,056.50	1,041.00	1,025.00	1,009.00	993.00	977.00	960.50	944.50
510.00	1,092.93	1,077.63	1,061.82	1,045.50	1,029.18	1,012.86	996.54	979.71	963.39
520.00	1,114.36	1,098.76	1,082.64	1,066.00	1,049.36	1,032.72	1,016.08	998.92	982.28
530.00	1,135.79	1,119.89	1,103.46	1,086.50	1,069.54	1,052.58	1,035.62	1,018.13	1,001.17
540.00	1,157.22	1,141.02	1,124.28	1,107.00	1,089.72	1,072.44	1,055.16	1,037.34	1,020.06
550.00	1,178.65	1,162.15	1,145.10	1,127.50	1,109.90	1,092.30	1,074.70	1,056.55	1,038.95
560.00	1,200.08	1,183.28	1,165.92	1,148.00	1,130.08	1,112.16	1,094.24	1,075.76	1,057.84
570.00	1,221.51	1,204.41	1,186.74	1,168.50	1,150.26	1,132.02	1,113.78	1,094.97	1,076.73
580.00	1,242.94	1,225.54	1,207.56	1,189.00	1,170.44	1,151.88	1,133.32	1,114.18	1,095.62
590.00	1,264.37	1,246.67	1,228.38	1,209.50	1,190.62	1,171.74	1,152.86	1,133.39	1,114.51
600.00	1,285.80	1,267.80	1,249.20	1,230.00	1,210.80	1,191.60	1,172.40	1,152.60	1,133.40
610.00	1,307.23	1,288.93	1,270.02	1,250.50	1,230.98	1,211.46	1,191.94	1,171.81	1,152.29
620.00	1,328.66	1,310.06	1,290.84	1,271.00	1,251.16	1,231.32	1,211.48	1,191.02	1,171.18

20	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	Age
2.577	2.534	2.531	2.517	2.513	2.503	2.504	2.488	2.492	2.485	2.475	2.479	2.460	2.450	2.439	2.436	2.413	2.395	2.382	2.364	2.345	2.324	2.305	2.279	2.254	2.235	2.201	2.172	2.143	2.113	2.083	2.050	2.018	1.986	1.954	1.921	1.889	Factor
1	0.63	0.63	0.63	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.62	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.61	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.59	0.59	0.59	0.58	0.58	0.57	0.56	0.56	0.55	0.55	0.54	0.53	0.52	0.52	0.51	0.50	0.49	0.48	0.48	0.47	0.35
1	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.23	1.22	1.22	1.22	1.21	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.19	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.13	1.12	1.11	1.10	1.08	1.07	1.06	1.04	1.02	1.00	0.97	0.95	0.94	0.92	.70
1	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.86	1.85	1.84	1.83	1.82	1.81	1.81	1.79	1.78	1.77	1.76	1.75	1.74	1.73	1.70	1.69	1.67	1.65	1.62	1.60	1.58	1.56	1.53	1.51	1.46	1.43	1.41	1.38	1.05
2	2.52	2.52	2.52	2.51	2.51	2.50	2.50	2.49	2.49	2.48	2.45	2.44	2.43	2.42	2.41	2.39	2.38	2.36	2.35	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.23	2.20	2.17	2.14	2.11	2.08	2.05	2.01	1.95	1.91	1.92	1.88	1.40
3	3.15	3.15	3.15	3.14	3.14	3.13	3.13	3.13	3.12	3.11	3.10	3.09	3.08	3.07	3.06	3.04	3.03	3.01	2.99	2.97	2.95	2.92	2.90	2.87	2.84	2.81	2.78	2.75	2.71	2.67	2.64	2.60	2.56	2.52	2.48	2.44	2.10
3	3.79	3.78	3.78	3.77	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.74	3.73	3.72	3.71	3.70	3.69	3.67	3.65	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.57	3.54	3.51	3.48	3.45	3.42	3.39	3.36	3.32	3.29	3.25	3.21	3.16	3.12	3.07	3.02	2.97	2.92	2.52
4	4.42	4.41	4.41	4.40	4.39	4.39	4.38	4.37	4.36	4.34	4.33	4.32	4.30	4.28	4.26	4.24	4.22	4.19	4.16	4.13	4.10	4.06	4.03	3.99	3.96	3.92	3.88	3.84	3.80	3.75	3.70	3.64	3.58	3.53	3.47	3.41	2.93
5	5.05	5.04	5.04	5.03	5.02	5.01	5.00	4.99	4.98	4.97	4.95	4.93	4.92	4.90	4.87	4.85	4.82	4.79	4.76	4.73	4.69	4.65	4.61	4.57	4.52	4.48	4.43	4.38	4.33	4.28	4.22	4.16	4.10	4.03	3.97	3.90	3.34
5	5.68	5.67	5.67	5.66	5.64	5.63	5.62	5.61	5.60	5.58	5.56	5.54	5.53	5.51	5.48	5.45	5.42	5.39	5.36	5.32	5.28	5.24	5.19	5.15	5.10	5.04	4.99	4.93	4.87	4.81	4.75	4.68	4.61	4.54	4.46	4.39	3.77
6	6.31	6.31	6.30	6.29	6.28	6.27	6.26	6.24	6.23	6.21	6.19	6.17	6.15	6.12	6.09	6.06	6.03	5.99	5.95	5.91	5.86	5.81	5.75	5.70	5.64	5.58	5.52	5.45	5.38	5.31	5.24	5.16	5.08	4.99	4.91	4.82	4.20
6	6.94	6.94	6.93	6.92	6.91	6.89	6.88	6.86	6.85	6.83	6.81	6.79	6.76	6.73	6.70	6.67	6.63	6.59	6.54	6.50	6.44	6.39	6.33	6.27	6.21	6.15	6.08	6.01	5.93	5.86	5.78	5.70	5.61	5.52	5.43	5.34	4.72
7	7.56	7.57	7.56	7.55	7.54	7.53	7.51	7.49	7.47	7.45	7.43	7.41	7.38	7.35	7.31	7.27	7.23	7.18	7.14	7.09	7.03	6.97	6.90	6.83	6.76	6.68	6.60	6.52	6.43	6.34	6.25	6.15	6.05	5.95	5.86	5.76	5.25
8	8.21	8.20	8.19	8.18	8.16	8.15	8.13	8.11	8.09	8.07	8.04	8.02	7.99	7.96	7.92	7.88	7.84	7.79	7.73	7.68	7.62	7.55	7.48	7.40	7.33	7.25	7.16	7.08	6.99	6.90	6.80	6.70	6.60	6.49	6.38	6.28	5.80
8	8.84	8.83	8.82	8.80	8.79	8.78	8.76	8.74	8.72	8.69	8.67	8.64	8.61	8.57	8.53	8.49	8.44	8.39	8.33	8.27	8.20	8.13	8.05	7.97	7.89	7.80	7.71	7.62	7.52	7.42	7.31	7.21	7.09	6.98	6.86	6.75	6.35
9	9.47	9.46	9.45	9.43	9.42	9.40	9.39	9.36	9.34	9.31	9.28	9.25	9.22	9.18	9.14	9.09	9.04	8.99	8.93	8.86	8.79	8.71	8.63	8.54	8.45	8.35	8.25	8.14	8.03	7.92	7.80	7.68	7.56	7.44	7.32	7.20	6.75
10	10.10	10.09	10.08	10.06	10.05	10.03	10.01	9.99	9.96	9.94	9.91	9.88	9.84	9.80	9.75	9.70	9.65	9.59	9.52	9.45	9.38	9.30	9.21	9.11	9.01	8.91	8.80	8.68	8.57	8.45	8.32	8.20	8.07	7.94	7.81	7.68	7.15
11	10.73	10.72	10.71	10.69	10.67	10.65	10.64	10.61	10.58	10.55	10.52	10.49	10.45	10.41	10.36	10.31	10.25	10.19	10.12	10.05	9.97	9.88	9.79	9.69	9.57	9.46	9.35	9.23	9.10	8.98	8.84	8.71	8.57	8.43	8.30	8.16	7.60
12	11.37	11.35	11.34	11.32	11.30	11.28	11.26	11.23	11.20	11.17	11.13	11.10	11.07	11.02	10.97	10.91	10.85	10.79	10.71	10.63	10.55	10.45	10.35	10.25	10.14	10.02	9.90	9.77	9.64	9.50	9.36	9.22	9.08	8.93	8.79	8.64	8.05
13	12.00	11.99	11.98	11.96	11.93	11.91	11.88	11.85	11.82	11.78	11.75	11.71	11.67	11.63	11.58	11.52	11.46	11.39	11.31	11.23	11.15	11.05	10.95	10.83	10.70	10.58	10.45	10.31	10.17	10.03	9.88	9.73	9.58	9.43	9.28	9.12	8.50
14	12.63	12.62	12.60	12.58	12.55	12.53	12.50	12.47	12.43	12.39	12.35	12.32	12.28	12.23	12.18	12.12	12.06	11.99	11.91	11.83	11.74	11.65	11.55	11.44	11.32	11.21	11.08	10.95	10.81	10.67	10.52	10.37	10.21	10.06	9.90	9.74	8.90
15	13.26	13.25	13.23	13.21	13.19	13.17	13.14	13.11	13.09	13.06	13.02	12.98	12.94	12.89	12.84	12.78	12.72	12.65	12.57	12.49	12.41	12.31	12.20	12.09	11.96	11.83	11.69	11.56	11.40	11.24	11.09	10.93	10.76	10.59	10.42	10.26	9.25
16	13.89	13.88	13.86	13.84	13.81	13.79	13.77	13.73	13.70	13.66	13.62	13.58	13.53	13.47	13.41	13.34	13.27	13.18	13.09	13.00	12.90	12.78	12.65	12.52	12.39	12.25	12.10	11.94	11.78	11.62	11.45	11.27	11.09	10.92	10.74	10.56	9.61
17	14.52	14.51	14.49	14.47	14.44	14.42	14.39	14.35	14.32	14.28	14.23	14.18	14.13	14.07	14.00	13.93	13.85	13.77	13.68	13.58	13.48	13.36	13.24	13.11	12.97	12.83	12.68	12.52	12.35	12.18	11.99	11.81	11.62	11.43	11.24	11.04	10.08
18	15.16	15.15	15.13	15.10	15.07	15.05	15.02	14.98	14.94	14.89	14.84	14.79	14.73	14.66	14.59	14.51	14.43	14.34	14.24	14.14	14.03	13.91	13.78	13.65	13.51	13.36	13.21	13.05	12.88	12.71	12.53	12.34	12.15	11.96	11.77	11.57	10.56
19	15.79	15.77	15.75	15.73	15.70	15.68	15.65	15.61	15.57	15.53	15.48	15.42	15.37	15.30	15.23	15.15	15.06	14.97	14.87	14.77	14.66	14.53	14.40	14.27	14.12	13.97	13.81	13.64	13.47	13.29	13.10	12.91	12.71	12.51	12.31	12.11	11.06
20	16.42	16.40	16.38	16.36	16.33	16.30	16.27	16.23	16.19	16.15	16.10	16.04	15.98	15.92	15.85	15.78	15.68	15.58	15.47	15.36	15.24	15.10	14.96	14.81	14.65	14.48	14.30	14.11	13.92	13.73	13.53	13.32	13.11	12.89	12.67	12.45	11.56
21	17.05	17.03	17.01	16.98	16.95	16.92	16.89	16.85	16.80	16.75	16.70	16.64	16.57	16.50	16.42	16.34	16.24	16.13	16.02	15.91	15.78	15.64	15.49	15.34	15.18	15.01	14.83	14.64	14.45	14.25	14.04	13.83	13.61	13.38	13.15	12.92	12.05
22	17.68	17.66	17.64	17.61	17.58	17.55	17.51	17.47	17.42	17.37	17.31	17.25	17.18	17.11	17.03	16.94	16.85	16.74	16.63	16.51	16.37	16.23	16.08	15.92	15.75	15.57	15.39	15.20	15.00	14.79	14.57	14.35	14.12	13.89	13.65	13.41	12.54
23	18.32	18.29	18.27	18.24	18.21	18.17	18.13	18.11	18.09	18.01	17.95	17.88	17.81	17.73	17.64	17.55	17.45	17.34	17.23	17.10	16.97	16.82	16.67	16.51	16.33	16.15	15.95	15.75	15.54	15.32	15.10	14.86	14.63	14.39	14.15	13.89	13.02
24	18.95	18.93	18.90	18.87	18.84	18.81	18.78	18.73	18.69	18.64	18.58	18.51	18.43	18.35	18.26	18.17	18.06	17.95	17.83	17.70	17.56	17.41	17.25	17.09	16.90	16.71	16.51	16.30	16.07	15.84	15.61	15.37	15.13	14.88	14.63	14.37	13.50
25	19.58	19.56	19.53	19.50	19.47	19.43	19.40	19.35	19.31	19.25	19.20	19.14	19.06	18.98	18.90	18.80	18.70	18.58	18.45	18.32	18.17	18.01	17.84	17.66	17.46	17.26	17.05	16.83	16.60	16.37	16.13	15.88	15.63	15.37	15.11	14.85	13.97
26	20.21	20.19	20.16	20.13	20.10	20.06	20.02	19.98	19.93	19.87	19.81	19.76	19.69	19.60	19.51	19.40	19.30	19.18	19.04	18.91	18.76	18.60	18.42	18.23	18.03	17.82	17.60	17.37	17.14	16.90	16.65	16.40	16.14	15.88	15.63	15.36	14.48
27	20.84	20.82	20.79	20.76	20.73	20.69	20.65	20.61	20.56	20.50	20.44	20.37	20.30	20.21	20.12	20.01	19.90	19.78	19.64	19.50	19.34	19.17	18.99	18.80	18.59	18.38	18.16	17.93	17.67	17.41	17.15	16.88	16.61	16.33	16.06	15.78	14.91
28	21.47	21.45	21.42	21.39	21.36	21.32	21.28	21.23	21.18	21.12	21.06	20.99	20.91	20.82	20.73	20.62	20.51	20.38	20.23	20.09	19.93	19.75	19.56	19.37	19.15	18.93	18.70	18.46	18.21	17.96	17.69	17.42	17.15	16.88	16.60	16.32	15.34
29	22.11	22.08	22.05	22.02	21.99	21.95	21.91	21.85	21.80	21.74	21.68	21.61	21.52	21.43	21.34	21.22	21.11	20.98	20.83	20.68	20.51	20.32	20.14	19.94	19.72	19.49	19.25	19.00	18.73	18.48	18.21	17.93	17.64	17.36	17.07	16.80	15.78
30	22.74	22.71	22.68	22.65	22.61	22.58	22.53	22.49	22.43	22.36	22.29	22.22	22.14	22.05	21.95	21.83	21.71	21.58	21.42	21.27	21.10	20.91	20.71	20.51	20.28	20.05	19.80	19.54	19.28	19.01	18.73	18.45	18.16	17.87	17.58	17.28	16.22
31	23.37	23.34	23.31	23.28	23.24	23.20	23.15	23.10	23.04	22.97	22.90	22.83	22.75	22.66	22.56	22.45	22.33	22.19	22.04	21.88	21.71	21.52	21.32	21.08	20.84	20.60	20.35	20.09	19.81	19.54	19.25	18.96	18.67	18.37	18.07	17.76	16.67
32	24.00	23.97	23.94	23.91	23.87	23.82	23.78	23.72	23.67	23.60	23.53	23.45	23.37	23.27	23.17	23.04	22.92	22.78	22.61	22.45	22.27	22.07	21.86	21.65	21.41	21.16	20.90	20.63	20.35	20.07	19.77	19.47	19.17	18.86	18.56	18.24	17.14
33	24.63	24.60	24.57	24.54	24.50	24.45	24.39	24.34	24.28	24.21	24.14	24.06	23.98	23.88	23.78	23.65	23.52	23.38	23.21	23.04	22.85	22.65	22.43	22.22	21.97	21.72	21.46	21.18	20.89	20.60	20.29	19.98	19.67	19.36	19.05	18.72	17.61
34	25.27	25.24	25.21	25.17	25.13	25.08	25.02	24.97	24.91	24.84	24.76	24.68	24.59	24.49	24.38	24.26	24.13	23.98	23.81	23.64	23.45	23.24	23.02	22.79	22.54	22.28	22.01	21.72	21.43	21.12	20.81	20.49	20.17	19.84	19.51	19.18	18.09
35	26.15	26.20	26.05	25.85	25.65	25.45	25.25	24.99	24.69	24.38	24.07	23.80	23.54	23.28	23.01	22.74	22.46	22.17	21.87	21.57	21.26	20.94	20.61	20.27	19.92	19.57	19.21	18.85	18.48	18.11	17.73	17.35	16.96	16.57	16.18	15.78	14.65
36	26.81	26.77	26.73	26.68	26.63	26.57	26.51	26.44	26.36	26.28	26.19	26.09	25.99	25.88	25.76	25.63	25.49	25.34	25.18	25.01	24.83	24.64	24.44	24.23	23.99	23.75	23.49	23.22	22.94	22.65	22.35	22.04	21.72	21.39	21.06	20.72	19.61
37	27.47	27.43	27.38	27.33	27.27	27.21	27.14	27.06	26.98	26.89	26.79	26.69	26.58	26.46	26.33	26.19	26.05	25.89	25.72	25.55	25.36	25.16	24.95	24.73	24.49	24.24	23.98	23.71	23.43	23.14	22.84	22.53	22.21	21.88	21.55	21.21	20.08
38	28.14	28.10	28.05	27.99	27.93	27.87	27.79	27.71	27.62	27.53	27.42	27.31	27.19	27.06	26.92	26.78	26.62	26.45	26.27	26.08	25.88	25.67	25.45	25.22	24.97	24.71	24.44	24.16	23.87	23.57	23.26	22.94	22.61	22.27	21.92	21.57	20.43
39	28.81	28.77	28.72	28.66	28.60	28.53	28.45	28.37	28.28	28.18	28.07	27.95	27.83	27.69	27.55	27.40	27.23	27.06	26.87	26.68	26.47	26.25	26.02	25.78	25.52	25.26	24.98	24.70	24.41	24.11	23.79	23.46	23.13	22.78	22.43	22.06	20.91
40	29.49	29.44	29.39	29.33	29.26	29.19	29.11	29.02	28.93	28.83	28.71	28.59	28.46	28.32	28.17	28.01	27.84	27.66	27.47	27.27	27.05	26.82	26.58	26.33	26.07	25.79	25.51	25.22	24.92	24.61	24.29	23.96	23.62	23.27	22.91	22.54	21.38
41	30.17	30.12	30.06	29.99	29.92	29.85	29.76	29.67	29.57	29.46	29.34	29.21	29.08	28.94	28.78	28.61	28.44	28.25	28.05	27.84	27.62	27.38	27.13	26.87	26.60	26.32	26.03	25.73	25.42	25.10	24.77	24.43	24.08	23.72	23.36	22.98	21.81
42	30.86	30.81	30.75	30.68	30.61	30.53	30.44	30.35	30.24	30.13	30.01	29.88	29.74	29.59	29.43	29.26	29.08	28.88	28.68	28.46	28.23	27.98	27.73	27.46	27.18	26.89	26.59	26.28	25.96	25.63	25.29	24.94	24.58	24.21	23.84	23.45	22.25
43	31.56	31.51	31.45	31.38	31.30	31.22	31.13	31.03	30.92	30.80	30.68	30.54	30.40	30.24	30.08	29.91	29.72	29.52	29.31	29.08	28.84	28.59	28.32	28.05	27.77	27.47	27.16	26.85	26.52	26.18	25.83	25.47	25.10	24.73	24.35	23.96	22.72
44	32.27	32.22	32.16	32.08	32.00	31.91	31.81	31.71	31.59	31.47	31.34	31.20	31.05	30.89	30.72	30.54	30.35	30.15	29.94	29.71	29.47	29.21	28.94	28.66	28.38	28.08	27.77	27.45	27.12	26.78	26.42	26.06	25.68	25.30	24.91	24.51	23.20
45	32.98	32.93	32.87	32.79	32.71	32.62	32.52	32.41	32.29	32.16	32.02	31.87	31.71	31.54	31.36	31.17	30.97	30.76	30.53	30.30	30.05	29.78	29.51	29.22	28.93	28.63	28.31	27.98	27.64	27.29	26.93	26.56	26.18	25.79	25.39	24.98	23.67
46	33.69	33.64	33.57	33.49	33.41	33.32	33.22	33.10	32.98	32.85	32.71	32.55	32.39	32.22	32.04	31.84	31.63	31.41	31.18	30.94	30.68	30.41	30.13	29.84	29.54	29.23	28.91	28.57	28.23	27.87	27.50	27.12	26.73	26.33	25.92	25.50	24.14
47	34.41	34.35	34.28	34.20	34.11	34.02	33.91	33.79	33.66	33.52	33.37	33.21	33.04	32.86	32.67	32.47	32.25	32.02	31.78	31.53	31.26	30.98	30.70	30.40	30.09	29.77	29.43	29.09	28.73	28.36	27.98	27.59	27.19	26.78	26.36	25.93	24.61
48	35.13	35.07	35.00	34.91	34.82	34.72	34.60	34.48	34.34	34.19	34.03	33.86	33.68	33.49	33.29	33.08	32.86	32.62	32.37	32.11	31.83	31.55	31.25	30.94	30.62	30.29	29.94	29.58	29.21	28.83	28.44	28.04	27.63	27.21	26.78	26.34	25.07
49	35.85	35.79	35.71	35.62	35.53	35.42	35.30	35.17	35.03	34.87	34.71	34.53	34.35	34.15	33.94	33.72	33.48	33.23	32.97	32.69	32.41	32.11	31.80	31.47	31.14	30.79	30.43	30.06	29.68	29.29	28.89	28.48	28.06	27.63	27.19	26.74	25.53
50	36.58	36.51	36.43	36.33	36.23	36.11	35.98	35.84	35.69	35.53	35.36	35.17	34.97	34.76	34.53	34.29	34.04	33.77	33.49	33.20	32.89	32.57	32.24	31.89	31.53	31.16	30.78	30.39	29.99	29.58	29.16	28.73	28.29	27.85	27.39	26.93	25.99
51	37.31	37.24	37.15	37.05	36.94	36.82	36.68	36.53	36.37	36.19	36.01	35.81	35.60	35.37	35.13	34.87	34.60	34.32	34.03	33.72	33.40	33.07	32.73	32.37	32.00	31.62	31.23	30.83	30.42	30.00	29.57	29.13	28.68	28.22	27.76	27.29	26.46
52	38.05	37.97	37.88	37.77	37.66	37.53	37.38	37.22	37.05	36.86	36.67	36.45	36.22	35.98	35.72	35.45	35.17	34.87	34.56	34.24	33.90	33.55	33.19	32.821	32.44	32.05	31.65	31.24	30.82	30.39	29.95	29.50	29.05	28.59	28.12	27.65	26.93
53	38.79	38.71	38.61	38.50	38.38	38.24	38.08	37.91	37.72	37.52	37.31	37.08	36.83	36.57	36.29	36.01	35.71	35.40	35.07	34.73	34.38	34.02	33.65	33.27	32.88	32.48	32.07	31.65	31.22	30.78	30.33	29.87	29.41	28.94	28.47	28.000	27.41
54	39.53	39.44	39.33	39.21	39.08	38.93	38.76	38.58	38.38	38.17	37.94	37.70	37.44	37.17	36.88	36.58	36.27	35.94	35.61	35.26	34.90	34.53	34.15	33.76	33.36	32.95	32.53	32.10	31.66	31.21	30.75	30.29	29.82	29.35	28.87	28.39	27.89
55	40.28	40.18	40.06	39.93	39.78	39.62	39.44	39.24	39.03	38.80	38.56	38.31	38.04	37.76	37.47	37.16	36.84	36.51	36.17	35.81	35.45	35.07	34.69	34.29	33.88	33.46	33.03	32.59	32.14	31.68	31.22	30.75	30.27	29.79	29.31	28.82	28.37
56	41.04	40.93	40.80	40.65	40.49	40.31	40.11	39.89	39.66	39.41	39.15	38.88	38.59	38.29	37.98	37.66	37.33	36.99	36.64	36.28	35.91	35.53	35.14	34.73	34.32	33.89	33.46	33.02	32.57	32.11	31.65	31.18	30.71	30.23	29.75	29.27	28.85
57	41.81	41.69	41.55	41.39	41.22	41.03	40.82	40.59	40.34	40.08	39.81	39.52	39.23	38.92	38.60	38.27	37.93	37.58	37.22	36.85	36.47	36.08	35.68	35.27	34.85	34.42	33.98	33.54	33.09	32.63	32.17	31.70	31.23	30.75	30.27	29.79	29.34
58	42.58	42.45	42.30	42.13	41.95	41.74	41.52	41.28	41.02	40.75	40.47	40.17	39.86	39.54	39.21	38.87	38.52	38.16	37.79	37.41	37.02	36.62	36.21	35.79	35.36	34.93	34.49	34.04	33.58	33.12	32.65	32.18	31.70	31.22	30.74	30.26	29.83
59	43.36	43.21	43.05	42.87	42.68	42.46	42.23	41.97	41.70	41.42	41.12	40.81	40.49	40.16	39.82	39.47	39.11	38.74	38.36	37.97	37.57	37.16	36.74	36.31	35.88	35.44	35.00	34.55	34.09	33.63	33.16	32.69	32.21	31.73	31.25	30.77	30.32
60	44.15	43.98	43.80	43.60	43.39	43.16	42.91	42.65	42.37	42.08	41.77	41.45	41.12	40.78	40.43	40.07	39.70	39.32	38.94	38.54	38.13	37.72	37.30	36.87	36.43	35.99	35.54	35.09	34.63	34.16	33.69	33.22	32.74	32.26	31.78	31.30	30.85
61	44.94	44.76	44.56	44.34	44.10	43.85	43.58	43.30	43.01	42.70	42.38	42.05	41.71	41.36	41.00	40.63	40.25	39.86	39.46	39.05	38.64	38.22	37.79	37.36	36.92	36.48	36.03	35.58	35.12	34.66	34.19	33.72	33.24	32.76	32.28	31.80	31.35
62	45.74	45.54	45.32	45.08	44.82	44.55	44.26	43.95	43.63	43.30	42.96	42.61	42.25	41.88	41.51	41.13	40.74	40.35	39.95	39.54	39.13	38.71	38.28	37.85	37.41	36.97	36.52	36.07	35.61	35.15	34.68	34.21	33.73	33.25	32.77	32.30	31.85
63	46.55	46.32	46.08	45.81	45.53	45.24	44.93	44.60	44.26	43.91	43.55	43.18	42.80	42.41

... adjusted service credit of $500, which is $1,256.50. Then refer to the amount in the same column opposite the adjusted service credit. For example: To determine the amount of an adjusted service certificate for a veteran whose age is 33 years and [illegible] adjusted service credit of $5.50, which is $13.82. This, added to $1,256.50, represents the amount of the certificate]

Age	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31
Factor	2.545	2.544	2.542	2.540	2.539	2.537	2.535	2.532	2.530	2.527	2.524	2.521
0.25	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63	$0.63
.50	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.27	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26	1.26
.75	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.90	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89	1.89
1.00	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.54	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.53	2.52	2.52	2.52
1.25	3.18	3.18	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.17	3.16	3.16	3.16	3.15	3.15	3.15
1.50	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.81	3.80	3.80	3.80	3.79	3.79	3.79	3.78	3.78
1.75	4.45	4.45	4.44	4.44	4.44	4.43	4.43	4.43	4.42	4.42	4.41	4.41
2.00	5.09	5.08	5.08	5.08	5.07	5.07	5.07	5.06	5.06	5.05	5.04	5.04
2.25	5.72	5.72	5.71	5.71	5.71	5.70	5.70	5.69	5.69	5.68	5.67	5.67
2.50	6.36	6.36	6.35	6.35	6.34	6.34	6.33	6.33	6.32	6.31	6.31	6.30
2.75	6.99	6.99	6.99	6.98	6.98	6.97	6.97	6.96	6.95	6.94	6.94	6.93
3.00	7.63	7.63	7.62	7.62	7.61	7.61	7.60	7.59	7.59	7.58	7.57	7.56
3.25	8.27	8.26	8.26	8.25	8.25	8.24	8.23	8.22	8.22	8.21	8.20	8.19
3.50	8.90	8.90	8.89	8.89	8.88	8.87	8.87	8.86	8.85	8.84	8.83	8.82
3.75	9.54	9.54	9.53	9.52	9.52	9.51	9.50	9.49	9.48	9.47	9.46	9.45
4.00	10.18	10.17	10.16	10.16	10.15	10.14	10.14	10.12	10.12	10.10	10.09	10.08
4.25	10.81	10.81	10.80	10.79	10.79	10.78	10.77	10.76	10.75	10.73	10.72	10.71
4.50	11.45	11.44	11.43	11.43	11.42	11.41	11.40	11.39	11.38	11.37	11.35	11.34
4.75	12.08	12.08	12.07	12.06	12.06	12.05	12.04	12.02	12.01	12.00	11.98	11.97
5.00	12.72	12.72	12.71	12.70	12.69	12.68	12.67	12.66	12.65	12.63	12.62	12.60
5.25	13.36	13.35	13.34	13.33	13.32	13.31	13.30	13.29	13.28	13.26	13.25	13.23
5.50	13.99	13.99	13.98	13.97	13.96	13.95	13.94	13.92	13.91	13.89	13.88	13.86
5.75	14.63	14.62	14.61	14.60	14.59	14.58	14.57	14.55	14.54	14.53	14.51	14.49
6.00	15.27	15.26	15.25	15.24	15.23	15.22	15.21	15.19	15.18	15.16	15.14	15.12
6.25	15.90	15.90	15.88	15.87	15.86	15.85	15.84	15.82	15.81	15.79	15.77	15.75
6.50	16.54	16.53	16.52	16.51	16.50	16.49	16.47	16.45	16.44	16.42	16.40	16.38
6.75	17.17	17.17	17.15	17.14	17.13	17.12	17.11	17.09	17.07	17.05	17.03	17.01
7.00	17.81	17.80	17.79	17.78	17.77	17.75	17.74	17.72	17.71	17.68	17.66	17.64
7.25	18.45	18.44	18.42	18.41	18.40	18.39	18.37	18.35	18.34	18.32	18.29	18.27
7.50	19.08	19.08	19.06	19.05	19.04	19.02	19.01	18.99	18.97	18.95	18.93	18.90
7.75	19.72	19.71	19.70	19.68	19.67	19.66	19.64	19.62	19.60	19.58	19.56	19.53
8.00	20.36	20.35	20.33	20.32	20.31	20.29	20.28	20.25	20.24	20.21	20.19	20.16
8.25	20.99	20.98	20.97	20.95	20.94	20.93	20.91	20.88	20.87	20.84	20.82	20.79
8.50	21.63	21.62	21.60	21.59	21.58	21.56	21.54	21.52	21.50	21.47	21.45	21.42
8.75	22.26	22.26	22.24	22.22	22.21	22.19	22.18	22.15	22.13	22.11	22.08	22.05
9.00	22.90	22.89	22.87	22.86	22.85	22.83	22.81	22.78	22.77	22.74	22.71	22.68
9.25	23.54	23.53	23.51	23.49	23.48	23.46	23.44	23.42	23.40	23.37	23.34	23.31
9.50	24.17	24.16	24.14	24.13	24.12	24.10	24.08	24.05	24.03	24.00	23.97	23.94
9.75	24.81	24.80	24.78	24.76	24.75	24.73	24.71	24.68	24.66	24.63	24.60	24.57
10.00	25.45	25.44	25.42	25.40	25.39	25.37	25.35	25.32	25.30	25.27	25.24	25.21
50.00	127.25	127.20	127.10	127.00	126.95	126.85	126.75	126.60	126.50	126.35	126.20	126.05
60.00	152.70	152.64	152.52	152.40	152.34	152.22	152.10	151.92	151.80	151.62	151.44	151.26
70.00	178.15	178.08	177.94	177.80	177.73	177.59	177.45	177.24	177.10	176.89	176.68	176.47
80.00	203.60	203.52	203.36	203.20	203.12	202.96	202.80	202.56	202.40	202.16	201.92	201.68
90.00	229.05	228.96	228.78	228.60	228.51	228.33	228.15	227.88	227.70	227.43	227.16	226.89
100.00	254.50	254.40	254.20	254.00	253.90	253.70	253.50	253.20	253.00	252.70	252.40	252.10
110.00	279.95	279.84	279.62	279.40	279.29	279.07	278.85	278.52	278.30	277.97	277.64	277.31
120.00	305.40	305.28	305.04	304.80	304.68	304.44	304.20	303.84	303.60	303.24	302.88	302.52
130.00	330.85	330.72	330.46	330.20	330.07	329.81	329.55	329.16	328.90	328.51	328.12	327.73
140.00	356.30	356.16	355.88	355.60	355.46	355.18	354.90	354.48	354.20	353.78	353.36	352.94
150.00	381.75	381.60	381.30	381.00	380.85	380.55	380.25	379.80	379.50	379.05	378.60	378.15
160.00	407.20	407.04	406.72	406.40	406.24	405.92	405.60	405.12	404.80	404.32	403.84	403.36
170.00	432.65	432.48	432.14	431.80	431.63	431.29	430.95	430.44	430.10	429.59	429.08	428.57
180.00	458.10	457.92	457.56	457.20	457.02	456.66	456.30	455.76	455.40	454.86	454.32	453.78
190.00	483.55	483.36	482.98	482.60	482.41	482.03	481.65	481.08	480.70	480.13	479.56	478.99
200.00	509.00	508.80	508.40	508.00	507.80	507.40	507.00	506.40	506.00	505.40	504.80	504.20
210.00	534.45	534.24	533.82	533.40	533.19	532.77	532.35	531.72	531.30	530.67	530.04	529.41
220.00	559.90	559.68	559.24	558.80	558.58	558.14	557.70	557.04	556.60	555.94	555.28	554.62
230.00	585.35	585.12	584.66	584.20	583.97	583.51	583.05	582.36	581.90	581.21	580.52	579.83
240.00	610.80	610.56	610.08	609.60	609.36	608.88	608.40	607.68	607.20	606.48	605.76	605.04
250.00	636.25	636.00	635.50	635.00	634.75	634.25	633.75	633.00	632.50	631.75	631.00	630.25
260.00	661.70	661.44	660.92	660.40	660.14	659.62	659.10	658.32	657.80	657.02	656.24	655.46
270.00	687.15	686.88	686.34	685.80	685.53	684.99	684.45	683.64	683.10	682.29	681.48	680.67
280.00	712.60	712.32	711.76	711.20	710.92	710.36	709.80	708.96	708.40	707.56	706.72	705.88
290.00	738.05	737.76	737.18	736.60	736.31	735.73	735.15	734.28	733.70	732.83	731.96	731.09
300.00	763.50	763.20	762.60	762.00	761.70	761.10	760.50	759.60	759.00	758.10	757.20	756.30
310.00	788.95	788.64	788.02	787.40	787.09	786.47	785.85	784.92	784.30	783.37	782.44	781.51
320.00	814.40	814.08	813.44	812.80	812.48	811.84	811.20	810.24	809.60	808.64	807.68	806.72
330.00	839.85	839.52	838.86	838.20	837.87	837.21	836.55	835.56	834.90	833.91	832.92	831.93
340.00	865.30	864.96	864.28	863.60	863.26	862.58	861.90	860.88	860.20	859.18	858.16	857.14
350.00	890.75	890.40	889.70	889.00	888.65	887.95	887.25	886.20	885.50	884.45	883.40	882.35
360.00	916.20	915.84	915.12	914.40	914.04	913.32	912.60	911.52	910.80	909.72	908.64	907.56
370.00	941.65	941.28	940.54	939.80	939.43	938.69	937.95	936.84	936.10	934.99	933.88	932.77
380.00	967.10	966.72	965.96	965.20	964.82	964.06	963.30	962.16	961.40	960.26	959.12	957.98
390.00	992.55	992.16	991.38	990.60	990.21	989.43	988.65	987.48	986.70	985.53	984.36	983.19
400.00	1,018.00	1,017.60	1,016.80	1,016.00	1,015.60	1,014.80	1,014.00	1,012.80	1,012.00	1,010.80	1,009.60	1,008.40
410.00	1,043.45	1,043.04	1,042.22	1,041.40	1,040.99	1,040.17	1,039.35	1,038.12	1,037.30	1,036.07	1,034.84	1,033.61
420.00	1,068.90	1,068.48	1,067.64	1,066.80	1,066.38	1,065.54	1,064.70	1,063.44	1,062.60	1,061.34	1,060.08	1,058.82
430.00	1,094.35	1,093.92	1,093.06	1,092.20	1,091.77	1,090.91	1,090.05	1,088.76	1,087.90	1,086.61	1,085.32	1,084.03
440.00	1,119.80	1,119.36	1,118.48	1,117.60	1,117.16	1,116.28	1,115.40	1,114.08	1,113.20	1,111.88	1,110.56	1,109.24
450.00	1,145.25	1,144.80	1,143.90	1,143.00	1,142.55	1,141.65	1,140.75	1,139.40	1,138.50	1,137.15	1,135.80	1,134.45
460.00	1,170.70	1,170.24	1,169.32	1,168.40	1,167.94	1,167.02	1,166.10	1,164.72	1,163.80	1,162.42	1,161.04	1,159.66
470.00	1,196.15	1,195.68	1,194.74	1,193.80	1,193.33	1,192.39	1,191.45	1,190.04	1,189.10	1,187.69	1,186.28	1,184.87
480.00	1,221.60	1,221.12	1,220.16	1,219.20	1,218.72	1,217.76	1,216.80	1,215.36	1,214.40	1,212.96	1,211.52	1,210.08
490.00	1,247.05	1,246.56	1,245.58	1,244.60	1,244.11	1,243.13	1,242.15	1,240.68	1,239.70	1,238.23	1,236.76	1,235.29
500.00	1,272.50	1,272.00	1,271.00	1,270.00	1,269.50	1,268.50	1,267.50	1,266.00	1,265.00	1,263.50	1,262.00	1,260.50
510.00	1,297.95	1,297.44	1,296.42	1,295.40	1,294.89	1,293.87	1,292.85	1,291.32	1,290.30	1,288.77	1,287.24	1,285.71
520.00	1,323.40	1,322.88	1,321.84	1,320.80	1,320.28	1,319.24	1,318.20	1,316.64	1,315.60	1,314.04	1,312.48	1,310.92
530.00	1,348.85	1,348.32	1,347.26	1,346.20	1,345.67	1,344.61	1,343.55	1,341.96	1,340.90	1,339.31	1,337.72	1,336.13
540.00	1,374.30	1,373.76	1,372.68	1,371.60	1,371.06	1,369.98	1,368.90	1,367.28	1,366.20	1,364.58	1,362.96	1,361.34
550.00	1,399.75	1,399.20	1,398.10	1,397.00	1,396.45	1,395.35	1,394.25	1,392.60	1,391.50	1,389.85	1,388.20	1,386.55
560.00	1,425.20	1,424.64	1,423.52	1,422.40	1,421.84	1,420.72	1,419.60	1,417.92	1,416.80	1,415.12	1,413.44	1,411.76
570.00	1,450.65	1,450.08	1,448.94	1,447.80	1,447.23	1,446.09	1,444.95	1,443.24	1,442.10	1,440.39	1,438.68	1,436.97
580.00	1,476.10	1,475.52	1,474.36	1,473.20	1,472.62	1,471.46	1,470.30	1,468.56	1,467.40	1,465.66	1,463.92	1,462.18
590.00	1,501.55	1,500.96	1,499.78	1,498.60	1,498.01	1,496.83	1,495.65	1,493.88	1,492.70	1,490.93	1,489.16	1,487.39
600.00	1,527.00	1,526.40	1,525.20	1,524.00	1,523.40	1,522.20	1,521.00	1,519.20	1,518.00	1,516.20	1,514.40	1,512.60
610.00	1,552.45	1,551.84	1,550.62	1,549.40	1,548.79	1,547.57	1,546.35	1,544.52	1,543.30	1,541.47	1,539.64	1,537.81
620.00	1,577.90	1,577.28	1,576.04	1,574.80	1,574.18	1,572.94	1,571.70	1,569.84	1,568.60	1,566.74	1,564.88	1,563.02
625.00	1,590.62	1,590.00	1,588.75	1,587.50	1,586.87	1,585.62	1,584.37	1,582.50	1,581.25	1,579.37	1,577.50	1,575.62

Age	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
Factor	2.517	2.513	2.509	2.504	2.498	2.492	2.485	2.478	2.470	2.460	2.450	2.439
0.25	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.62	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.61	$0.60
.50	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.23	1.23	1.23	1.22	1.21
.75	1.88	1.88	1.88	1.87	1.87	1.86	1.86	1.85	1.85	1.84	1.83	1.82
1.00	2.51	2.51	2.50	2.50	2.49	2.49	2.48	2.47	2.47	2.46	2.45	2.43
1.25	3.14	3.14	3.13	3.13	3.12	3.11	3.10	3.09	3.08	3.07	3.06	3.04
1.50	3.77	3.76	3.76	3.75	3.74	3.73	3.72	3.71	3.70	3.69	3.67	3.65
1.75	4.40	4.39	4.39	4.38	4.37	4.36	4.34	4.33	4.32	4.30	4.28	4.26
2.00	5.03	5.02	5.01	5.00	4.99	4.98	4.97	4.95	4.94	4.92	4.90	4.87
2.25	5.66	5.65	5.64	5.63	5.62	5.60	5.59	5.57	5.55	5.53	5.51	5.48
2.50	6.29	6.28	6.27	6.26	6.24	6.23	6.21	6.19	6.17	6.15	6.12	6.09
2.75	6.92	6.91	6.89	6.88	6.86	6.85	6.83	6.81	6.79	6.76	6.73	6.70
3.00	7.55	7.53	7.52	7.51	7.49	7.47	7.45	7.43	7.41	7.38	7.35	7.31
3.25	8.18	8.16	8.15	8.13	8.11	8.09	8.07	8.05	8.02	7.99	7.96	7.92
3.50	8.80	8.79	8.78	8.76	8.74	8.72	8.69	8.67	8.64	8.61	8.57	8.53
3.75	9.43	9.42	9.40	9.39	9.36	9.34	9.31	9.29	9.26	9.22	9.18	9.14
4.00	10.06	10.05	10.03	10.01	9.99	9.96	9.94	9.91	9.88	9.84	9.80	9.75
4.25	10.69	10.68	10.66	10.64	10.61	10.59	10.56	10.53	10.49	10.45	10.41	10.36
4.50	11.32	11.30	11.29	11.26	11.24	11.21	11.18	11.15	11.11	11.07	11.02	10.97
4.75	11.95	11.93	11.91	11.89	11.86	11.83	11.80	11.77	11.73	11.68	11.63	11.58
5.00	12.58	12.56	12.54	12.52	12.49	12.46	12.42	12.39	12.35	12.30	12.25	12.19
5.25	13.21	13.19	13.17	13.14	13.11	13.08	13.04	13.00	12.96	12.91	12.86	12.80
5.50	13.84	13.82	13.79	13.77	13.73	13.70	13.66	13.62	13.58	13.53	13.47	13.41
5.75	14.47	14.44	14.42	14.39	14.36	14.32	14.28	14.24	14.20	14.14	14.08	14.02
6.00	15.10	15.07	15.05	15.02	14.98	14.95	14.91	14.86	14.82	14.76	14.70	14.63
6.25	15.73	15.70	15.68	15.65	15.61	15.57	15.53	15.48	15.43	15.37	15.31	15.24
6.50	16.36	16.33	16.30	16.27	16.23	16.19	16.15	16.10	16.05	15.99	15.92	15.85
6.75	16.98	16.96	16.93	16.90	16.86	16.82	16.77	16.72	16.67	16.60	16.53	16.46
7.00	17.61	17.59	17.56	17.52	17.48	17.44	17.39	17.34	17.29	17.22	17.15	17.07
7.25	18.24	18.21	18.19	18.15	18.11	18.06	18.01	17.96	17.90	17.83	17.76	17.68
7.50	18.87	18.84	18.81	18.78	18.73	18.69	18.63	18.58	18.52	18.45	18.37	18.29
7.75	19.50	19.47	19.44	19.40	19.35	19.31	19.25	19.20	19.14	19.06	18.98	18.90
8.00	20.13	20.10	20.07	20.03	19.98	19.93	19.88	19.82	19.76	19.68	19.60	19.51
8.25	20.76	20.73	20.69	20.65	20.60	20.55	20.50	20.44	20.37	20.29	20.21	20.12
8.50	21.39	21.36	21.32	21.28	21.23	21.18	21.12	21.06	20.99	20.91	20.82	20.73
8.75	22.02	21.98	21.95	21.91	21.85	21.80	21.74	21.68	21.61	21.52	21.43	21.34
9.00	22.65	22.61	22.58	22.53	22.48	22.42	22.36	22.30	22.23	22.14	22.05	21.95
9.25	23.28	23.24	23.20	23.16	23.10	23.05	22.98	22.92	22.84	22.75	22.66	22.56
9.50	23.91	23.87	23.83	23.78	23.73	23.67	23.60	23.54	23.46	23.37	23.27	23.17
9.75	24.54	24.50	24.46	24.41	24.35	24.29	24.22	24.16	24.08	23.98	23.88	23.78
10.00	25.17	25.13	25.09	25.04	24.98	24.92	24.85	24.78	24.70	24.60	24.50	24.39
50.00	125.85	125.65	125.45	125.20	124.90	124.60	124.25	123.90	123.50	123.00	122.50	121.95
60.00	151.02	150.78	150.54	150.24	149.88	149.52	149.10	148.68	148.20	147.60	147.00	146.34
70.00	176.19	175.91	175.63	175.28	174.86	174.44	173.95	173.46	172.90	172.20	171.50	170.73
80.00	201.36	201.04	200.72	200.32	199.84	199.36	198.80	198.24	197.60	196.80	196.00	195.12
90.00	226.53	226.17	225.81	225.36	224.82	224.28	223.65	223.02	222.30	221.40	220.50	219.51
100.00	251.70	251.30	250.90	250.40	249.80	249.20	248.50	247.80	247.00	246.00	245.00	243.90
110.00	276.87	276.43	275.99	275.44	274.78	274.12	273.35	272.58	271.70	270.60	269.50	268.29
120.00	302.04	301.56	301.08	300.48	299.76	299.04	298.20	297.36	296.40	295.20	294.00	292.68
130.00	327.21	326.69	326.17	325.52	324.74	323.96	323.05	322.14	321.10	319.80	318.50	317.07
140.00	352.38	351.82	351.26	350.56	349.72	348.88	347.90	346.92	345.80	344.40	343.00	341.46
150.00	377.55	376.95	376.35	375.60	374.70	373.80	372.75	371.70	370.50	369.00	367.50	365.85
160.00	402.72	402.08	401.44	400.64	399.68	398.72	397.60	396.48	395.20	393.60	392.00	390.24
170.00	427.89	427.21	426.53	425.68	424.66	423.64	422.45	421.26	419.90	418.20	416.50	414.63
180.00	453.06	452.34	451.62	450.72	449.64	448.56	447.30	446.04	444.60	442.80	441.00	439.02
190.00	478.23	477.47	476.71	475.76	474.62	473.48	472.15	470.82	469.30	467.40	465.50	463.41
200.00	503.40	502.60	501.80	500.80	499.60	498.40	497.00	495.60	494.00	492.00	490.00	487.80
210.00	528.57	527.73	526.89	525.84	524.58	523.32	521.85	520.38	518.70	516.60	514.50	512.19
220.00	553.74	552.86	551.98	550.88	549.56	548.24	546.70	545.16	543.40	541.20	539.00	536.58
230.00	578.91	577.99	577.07	575.92	574.54	573.16	571.55	569.94	568.10	565.80	563.50	560.97
240.00	604.08	603.12	602.16	600.96	599.52	598.08	596.40	594.72	592.80	590.40	588.00	585.36
250.00	629.25	628.25	627.25	626.00	624.50	623.00	621.25	619.50	617.50	615.00	612.50	609.75
260.00	654.42	653.38	652.34	651.04	649.48	647.92	646.10	644.28	642.20	639.60	637.00	634.14
270.00	679.59	678.51	677.43	676.08	674.46	672.84	670.95	669.06	666.90	664.20	661.50	658.53
280.00	704.76	703.64	702.52	701.12	699.44	697.76	695.80	693.84	691.60	688.80	686.00	682.92
290.00	729.93	728.77	727.61	726.16	724.42	722.68	720.65	718.62	716.30	713.40	710.50	707.31
300.00	755.10	753.90	752.70	751.20	749.40	747.60	745.50	743.40	741.00	738.00	735.00	731.70
310.00	780.27	779.03	777.79	776.24	774.38	772.52	770.35	768.18	765.70	762.60	759.50	756.09
320.00	805.44	804.16	802.88	801.28	799.36	797.44	795.20	792.96	790.40	787.20	784.00	780.48
330.00	830.61	829.29	827.97	826.32	824.34	822.36	820.05	817.74	815.10	811.80	808.50	804.87
340.00	855.78	854.42	853.06	851.36	849.32	847.28	844.90	842.52	839.80	836.40	833.00	829.26
350.00	880.95	879.55	878.15	876.40	874.30	872.20	869.75	867.30	864.50	861.00	857.50	853.65
360.00	906.12	904.68	903.24	901.44	899.28	897.12	894.60	892.08	889.20	885.60	882.00	878.04
370.00	931.29	929.81	928.33	926.48	924.26	922.04	919.45	916.86	913.90	910.20	906.50	902.43
380.00	956.46	954.94	953.42	951.52	949.24	946.96	944.30	941.64	938.60	934.80	931.00	926.82
390.00	981.63	980.07	978.51	976.56	974.22	971.88	969.15	966.42	963.30	959.40	955.50	951.21
400.00	1,006.80	1,005.20	1,003.60	1,001.60	999.20	996.80	994.00	991.20	988.00	984.00	980.00	975.60
410.00	1,031.97	1,030.33	1,028.69	1,026.64	1,024.18	1,021.72	1,018.85	1,015.98	1,012.70	1,008.60	1,004.50	999.99
420.00	1,057.14	1,055.46	1,053.78	1,051.68	1,049.16	1,046.64	1,043.70	1,040.76	1,037.40	1,033.20	1,029.00	1,024.38
430.00	1,082.31	1,080.59	1,078.87	1,076.72	1,074.14	1,071.56	1,068.55	1,065.54	1,062.10	1,057.80	1,053.50	1,048.77
440.00	1,107.48	1,105.72	1,103.96	1,101.76	1,099.12	1,096.48	1,093.40	1,090.32	1,086.80	1,082.40	1,078.00	1,073.16
450.00	1,132.65	1,130.85	1,129.05	1,126.80	1,124.10	1,121.40	1,118.25	1,115.10	1,111.50	1,107.00	1,102.50	1,097.55
460.00	1,157.82	1,155.98	1,154.14	1,151.84	1,149.08	1,146.32	1,143.10	1,139.88	1,136.20	1,131.60	1,127.00	1,121.94
470.00	1,182.99	1,181.11	1,179.23	1,176.88	1,174.06	1,171.24	1,167.95	1,164.66	1,160.90	1,156.20	1,151.50	1,146.33
480.00	1,208.16	1,206.24	1,204.32	1,201.92	1,199.04	1,196.16	1,192.80	1,189.44	1,185.60	1,180.80	1,176.00	1,170.72
490.00	1,233.33	1,231.37	1,229.41	1,226.96	1,224.02	1,221.08	1,217.65	1,214.22	1,210.30	1,205.40	1,200.50	1,195.11
500.00	1,258.50	1,256.50	1,254.50	1,252.00	1,249.00	1,246.00	1,242.50	1,239.00	1,235.00	1,230.00	1,225.00	1,219.50
510.00	1,283.67	1,281.63	1,279.59	1,277.04	1,273.98	1,270.92	1,267.35	1,263.78	1,259.70	1,254.60	1,249.50	1,243.89
520.00	1,308.84	1,306.76	1,304.68	1,302.08	1,298.96	1,295.84	1,292.20	1,288.56	1,284.40	1,279.20	1,274.00	1,268.28
530.00	1,334.01	1,331.89	1,329.77	1,327.12	1,323.94	1,320.76	1,317.05	1,313.34	1,309.10	1,303.80	1,298.50	1,292.67
540.00	1,359.18	1,357.02	1,354.86	1,352.16	1,348.92	1,345.68	1,341.90	1,338.12	1,333.80	1,328.40	1,323.00	1,317.06
550.00	1,384.35	1,382.15	1,379.95	1,377.20	1,373.90	1,370.60	1,366.75	1,362.90	1,358.50	1,353.00	1,347.50	1,341.45
560.00	1,409.52	1,407.28	1,405.04	1,402.24	1,398.88	1,395.52	1,391.60	1,387.68	1,383.20	1,377.60	1,372.00	1,365.84
570.00	1,434.69	1,432.41	1,430.13	1,427.28	1,423.86	1,420.44	1,416.45	1,412.46	1,407.90	1,402.20	1,396.50	1,390.23
580.00	1,459.86	1,457.54	1,455.22	1,452.32	1,448.84	1,445.36	1,441.30	1,437.24	1,432.60	1,426.80	1,421.00	1,414.62
590.00	1,485.03	1,482.67	1,480.31	1,477.36	1,473.82	1,470.28	1,466.15	1,462.02	1,457.30	1,451.40	1,445.50	1,439.01
600.00	1,510.20	1,507.80	1,505.40	1,502.40	1,498.80	1,495.20	1,491.00	1,486.80	1,482.00	1,476.00	1,470.00	1,463.40
610.00	1,535.37	1,532.93	1,530.49	1,527.44	1,523.78	1,520.12	1,515.85	1,511.58	1,506.70	1,500.60	1,494.50	1,487.79
620.00	1,560.54	1,558.06	1,555.58	1,552.48	1,548.76	1,545.04	1,540.70	1,536.36	1,531.40	1,525.20	1,519.00	1,512.18
625.00	1,573.12	1,570.62	1,568.12	1,565.00	1,561.25	1,557.50	1,553.12	1,548.75	1,543.75	1,537.50	1,531.25	1,524.37

Age	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
Factor	2.426	2.413	2.398	2.381	2.364	2.345	2.324	2.302	2.279	2.254	2.228	2.201
0.25	$0.60	$0.60	$0.59	$0.59	$0.59	$0.58	$0.58	$0.57	$0.56	$0.56	$0.55	$0.55
.50	1.21	1.20	1.19	1.19	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.15	1.13	1.12	1.11	1.10
.75	1.81	1.80	1.79	1.78	1.77	1.75	1.74	1.72	1.70	1.69	1.67	1.65
1.00	2.42	2.41	2.39	2.38	2.36	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.27	2.25	2.22	2.20
1.25	3.03	3.01	2.99	2.97	2.95	2.93	2.90	2.87	2.84	2.81	2.78	2.75
1.50	3.63	3.61	3.59	3.57	3.54	3.51	3.48	3.45	3.41	3.38	3.34	3.30
1.75	4.24	4.22	4.19	4.16	4.13	4.10	4.06	4.02	3.98	3.94	3.89	3.85
2.00	4.85	4.82	4.79	4.76	4.72	4.69	4.64	4.60	4.55	4.50	4.45	4.40
2.25	5.45	5.42	5.39	5.35	5.31	5.27	5.22	5.17	5.12	5.07	5.01	4.95
2.50	6.06	6.03	5.99	5.95	5.91	5.86	5.81	5.75	5.69	5.63	5.57	5.50
2.75	6.67	6.63	6.59	6.54	6.50	6.44	6.39	6.33	6.26	6.19	6.12	6.05
3.00	7.27	7.23	7.19	7.14	7.09	7.03	6.97	6.90	6.83	6.76	6.68	6.60
3.25	7.88	7.84	7.79	7.73	7.68	7.62	7.55	7.48	7.40	7.32	7.24	7.15
3.50	8.49	8.44	8.39	8.33	8.27	8.20	8.13	8.05	7.97	7.88	7.79	7.70
3.75	9.09	9.04	8.99	8.92	8.86	8.79	8.71	8.63	8.54	8.45	8.35	8.25
4.00	9.70	9.65	9.59	9.52	9.45	9.38	9.29	9.20	9.11	9.01	8.91	8.80
4.25	10.31	10.25	10.19	10.11	10.04	9.96	9.87	9.78	9.68	9.57	9.46	9.35
4.50	10.91	10.85	10.79	10.71	10.63	10.55	10.45	10.35	10.25	10.14	10.02	9.90
4.75	11.52	11.46	11.39	11.30	11.22	11.13	11.03	10.93	10.82	10.70	10.58	10.45
5.00	12.13	12.06	11.99	11.90	11.82	11.72	11.62	11.51	11.39	11.27	11.14	11.00
5.25	12.73	12.66	12.58	12.50	12.41	12.31	12.20	12.08	11.96	11.83	11.69	11.55
5.50	13.34	13.27	13.18	13.09	13.00	12.89	12.78	12.66	12.53	12.39	12.25	12.10
5.75	13.94	13.87	13.78	13.69	13.59	13.48	13.36	13.23	13.10	12.96	12.81	12.65
6.00	14.55	14.47	14.38	14.28	14.18	14.07	13.94	13.81	13.67	13.52	13.36	13.20
6.25	15.16	15.08	14.98	14.88	14.77	14.65	14.52	14.38	14.24	14.08	13.92	13.75
6.50	15.76	15.68	15.58	15.47	15.36	15.24	15.10	14.96	14.81	14.65	14.48	14.30
6.75	16.37	16.28	16.18	16.07	15.95	15.82	15.68	15.53	15.38	15.21	15.03	14.85
7.00	16.98	16.89	16.78	16.66	16.54	16.41	16.26	16.11	15.95	15.77	15.59	15.40
7.25	17.58	17.49	17.38	17.26	17.13	17.00	16.84	16.68	16.52	16.34	16.15	15.95
7.50	18.19	18.09	17.98	17.85	17.73	17.58	17.43	17.26	17.09	16.90	16.71	16.50
7.75	18.80	18.70	18.58	18.45	18.32	18.17	18.01	17.84	17.66	17.46	17.26	17.05
8.00	19.40	19.30	19.18	19.04	18.91	18.76	18.59	18.41	18.23	18.03	17.82	17.60
8.25	20.01	19.90	19.78	19.64	19.50	19.34	19.17	18.99	18.80	18.59	18.38	18.15
8.50	20.62	20.51	20.38	20.23	20.09	19.93	19.75	19.56	19.37	19.15	18.93	18.70
8.75	21.22	21.11	20.98	20.83	20.68	20.51	20.33	20.14	19.94	19.72	19.49	19.25
9.00	21.83	21.71	21.58	21.42	21.27	21.10	20.91	20.71	20.51	20.28	20.05	19.80
9.25	22.44	22.32	22.18	22.02	21.86	21.69	21.49	21.29	21.08	20.84	20.60	20.35
9.50	23.04	22.92	22.78	22.61	22.45	22.27	22.07	21.86	21.65	21.41	21.16	20.90
9.75	23.65	23.52	23.38	23.21	23.04	22.86	22.65	22.44	22.22	21.97	21.72	21.45
10.00	24.26	24.13	23.98	23.81	23.64	23.45	23.24	23.02	22.79	22.54	22.28	22.01
50.00	121.30	120.65	119.90	119.05	118.20	117.25	116.20	115.10	113.95	112.70	111.40	110.05
60.00	145.56	144.78	143.88	142.86	141.84	140.70	139.44	138.12	136.74	135.24	133.68	132.06
70.00	169.82	168.91	167.86	166.67	165.48	164.15	162.68	161.14	159.53	157.78	155.96	154.07
80.00	194.08	193.04	191.84	190.48	189.12	187.60	185.92	184.16	182.32	180.32	178.24	176.08
90.00	218.34	217.17	215.82	214.29	212.76	211.05	209.16	207.18	205.11	202.86	200.52	198.09
100.00	242.60	241.30	239.80	238.10	236.40	234.50	232.40	230.20	227.90	225.40	222.80	220.10
110.00	266.86	265.43	263.78	261.91	260.04	257.95	255.64	253.22	250.69	247.94	245.08	242.11
120.00	291.12	289.56	287.76	285.72	283.68	281.40	278.88	276.24	273.48	270.48	267.36	264.12
130.00	315.38	313.69	311.74	309.53	307.32	304.85	302.12	299.26	296.27	293.02	289.64	286.13
140.00	339.64	337.82	335.72	333.34	330.96	328.30	325.36	322.28	319.06	315.56	311.92	308.14
150.00	363.90	361.95	359.70	357.15	354.60	351.75	348.60	345.30	341.85	338.10	334.20	330.15
160.00	388.16	386.08	383.68	380.96	378.24	375.20	371.84	368.32	364.64	360.64	356.48	352.16
170.00	412.42	410.21	407.66	404.77	401.88	398.65	395.08	391.34	387.43	383.18	378.76	374.17
180.00	436.68	434.34	431.64	428.58	425.52	422.10	418.32	414.36	410.22	405.72	401.04	396.18
190.00	460.94	458.47	455.62	452.39	449.16	445.55	441.56	437.38	433.01	428.26	423.32	418.19
200.00	485.20	482.60	479.60	476.20	472.80	469.00	464.80	460.40	455.80	450.80	445.60	440.20
210.00	509.46	506.73	503.58	500.01	496.44	492.45	488.04	483.42	478.59	473.34	467.88	462.21
220.00	533.72	530.86	527.56	523.82	520.08	515.90	511.28	506.44	501.38	495.88	490.16	484.22
230.00	557.98	554.99	551.54	547.63	543.72	539.35	534.52	529.46	524.17	518.42	512.44	506.23
240.00	582.24	579.12	575.52	571.44	567.36	562.80	557.76	552.48	546.96	540.96	534.72	528.24
250.00	606.50	603.25	599.50	595.25	591.00	586.25	581.00	575.50	569.75	563.50	557.00	550.25
260.00	630.76	627.38	623.48	619.06	614.64	609.70	604.24	598.52	592.54	586.04	579.28	572.26
270.00	655.02	651.51	647.46	642.87	638.28	633.15	627.48	621.54	615.33	608.58	601.56	594.27
280.00	679.28	675.64	671.44	666.68	661.92	656.60	650.72	644.56	638.12	631.12	623.84	616.28
290.00	703.54	699.77	695.42	690.49	685.56	680.05	673.96	667.58	660.91	653.66	646.12	638.29
300.00	727.80	723.90	719.40	714.30	709.20	703.50	697.20	690.60	683.70	676.20	668.40	660.30
310.00	752.06	748.03	743.38	738.11	732.84	726.95	720.44	713.62	706.49	698.74	690.68	682.31
320.00	776.32	772.16	767.36	761.92	756.48	750.40	743.68	736.64	729.28	721.28	712.96	704.32
330.00	800.58	796.29	791.34	785.73	780.12	773.85	766.92	759.66	752.07	743.82	735.24	726.33
340.00	824.84	820.42	815.32	809.54	803.76	797.30	790.16	782.68	774.86	766.36	757.52	748.34
350.00	849.10	844.55	839.30	833.35	827.40	820.75	813.40	805.70	797.65	788.90	779.80	770.35
360.00	873.36	868.68	863.28	857.16	851.04	844.20	836.64	828.72	820.44	811.44	802.08	792.36
370.00	897.62	892.81	887.26	880.97	874.68	867.65	859.88	851.74	843.23	833.98	824.36	814.37
380.00	921.88	916.94	911.24	904.78	898.32	891.10	883.12	874.76	866.02	856.52	846.64	836.38
390.00	946.14	941.07	935.22	928.59	921.96	914.55	906.36	897.78	888.81	879.06	868.92	858.39
400.00	970.40	965.20	959.20	952.40	945.60	938.00	929.60	920.80	911.60	901.60	891.20	880.40
410.00	994.66	989.33	983.18	976.21	969.24	961.45	952.84	943.82	934.39	924.14	913.48	902.41
420.00	1,018.92	1,013.46	1,007.16	1,000.02	992.88	984.90	976.08	966.84	957.18	946.68	935.76	924.42
430.00	1,043.18	1,037.59	1,031.14	1,023.83	1,016.52	1,008.35	999.32	989.86	979.97	969.22	958.04	946.43
440.00	1,067.44	1,061.72	1,055.12	1,047.64	1,040.16	1,031.80	1,022.56	1,012.88	1,002.76	991.76	980.32	968.44
450.00	1,091.70	1,085.85	1,079.10	1,071.45	1,063.80	1,055.25	1,045.80	1,035.90	1,025.55	1,014.30	1,002.60	990.45
460.00	1,115.96	1,109.98	1,103.08	1,095.26	1,087.44	1,078.70	1,069.04	1,058.92	1,048.34	1,036.84	1,024.88	1,012.46
470.00	1,140.22	1,134.11	1,127.06	1,119.07	1,111.08	1,102.15	1,092.28	1,081.94	1,071.13	1,059.38	1,047.16	1,034.47
480.00	1,164.48	1,158.24	1,151.04	1,142.88	1,134.72	1,125.60	1,115.52	1,104.96	1,093.92	1,081.92	1,069.44	1,056.48
490.00	1,188.74	1,182.37	1,175.02	1,166.69	1,158.36	1,149.05	1,138.76	1,127.98	1,116.71	1,104.46	1,091.72	1,078.49
500.00	1,213.00	1,206.50	1,199.00	1,190.50	1,182.00	1,172.50	1,162.00	1,151.00	1,139.50	1,127.00	1,114.00	1,100.50
510.00	1,237.26	1,230.63	1,222.98	1,214.31	1,205.64	1,195.95	1,185.24	1,174.02	1,162.29	1,149.54	1,136.28	1,122.51
520.00	1,261.52	1,254.76	1,246.96	1,238.12	1,229.28	1,219.40	1,208.48	1,197.04	1,185.08	1,172.08	1,158.56	1,144.52
530.00	1,285.78	1,278.89	1,270.94	1,261.93	1,252.92	1,242.85	1,231.72	1,220.06	1,207.87	1,194.62	1,180.84	1,166.53
540.00	1,310.04	1,303.02	1,294.92	1,285.74	1,276.56	1,266.30	1,254.96	1,243.08	1,230.66	1,217.16	1,203.12	1,188.54
550.00	1,334.30	1,327.15	1,318.90	1,309.55	1,300.20	1,289.75	1,278.20	1,266.10	1,253.45	1,239.70	1,225.40	1,210.55
560.00	1,358.56	1,351.28	1,342.88	1,333.36	1,323.84	1,313.20	1,301.44	1,289.12	1,276.24	1,262.24	1,247.68	1,232.56
570.00	1,382.82	1,375.41	1,366.86	1,357.17	1,347.48	1,336.65	1,324.68	1,312.14	1,299.03	1,284.78	1,269.96	1,254.57
580.00	1,407.08	1,399.54	1,390.84	1,380.98	1,371.12	1,360.10	1,347.92	1,335.16	1,321.82	1,307.32	1,292.24	1,276.58
590.00	1,431.34	1,423.67	1,414.82	1,404.79	1,394.76	1,383.55	1,371.16	1,358.18	1,344.61	1,329.86	1,314.52	1,298.59
600.00	1,455.60	1,447.80	1,438.80	1,428.60	1,418.40	1,407.00	1,394.40	1,381.20	1,367.40	1,352.40	1,336.80	1,320.60
610.00	1,479.86	1,471.93	1,462.78	1,452.41	1,442.04	1,430.45	1,417.64	1,404.22	1,390.19	1,374.94	1,359.08	1,342.61
620.00	1,504.12	1,496.06	1,486.76	1,476.22	1,465.68	1,453.90	1,440.88	1,427.24	1,412.98	1,397.48	1,381.36	1,364.62
625.00	1,516.25	1,508.12	1,498.75	1,488.12	1,477.50	1,465.62	1,452.50	1,438.75	1,424.37	1,408.75	1,392.50	1,375.62

of adjusted service credit to which he or she is entitled, together with facts of record upon which their conclusions are based. The date of application is also certified. Those departments are then through with the claim, and it is from this point that the United States Veterans' Bureau takes up the claim and proceeds to award the benefits in accordance with the law.

In order to carry out the dependency provision that "no payment be made to any individual * * * unless at the time of the death of the veteran such individual was dependent," it is necessary for the bureau to have the facts in each case and judicially determine the alleged dependency. The director is authorized to extend the benefits of the act to dependents only if he "finds that the applicant is the dependent entitled thereto." The act does not admit of a mere automatic administration. Questions of marital state in accord with the law of the place of marriage are involved. Payments to estates must be made pursuant to the intestacy laws of various jurisdictions. Claims have been received from persons in practically every part of the world. Allegations of undue influence in the naming of a beneficiary have been submitted in various cases, and contested claims of this and like nature can be rightfully settled only through investigation and determination of the facts. Questions concerning the rights of adopted children, stepchildren, persons who have stood in loco parentis to the veteran, etc., are involved in many claims. A number of applications for changes in beneficiaries of adjusted service certificates are being received daily and, following the law, the director must approve or disapprove these desired changes. With an average of 60 death claims being received daily, questions arise in contested cases calling for a determination of the legal beneficiary of a deceased veteran's certificate. To comply with decisions of the Comptroller General (4 Comp. Gen. 422) deductions must be made on account of any indebtedness of the veteran to the United States which may be certified by any department to the bureau. Up to the close of the fiscal year approximately $62,000 had been deducted or collected on account of such certifications of indebtedness, most of which were for small amounts involving but a few dollars. In all of these cases of indebtedness the claimant is notified and given 30 days in which to pay the indebtedness before it is deducted from the amounts due under the adjusted compensation act.

In the administration of the act every effort has been made to carry out the letter and spirit of the law, which provides against the assignment or negotiation in any way of the benefits conferred. In this connection some difficulty has been encountered. Instances have come to the attention of the director of loans being made unlawfully to veterans at usurious rates of interest upon the security of their certificates. In one instance 232 certificates valued at $300,794 were seized by the Secret Service of the Treasury Department from one concern which had accepted the certificates as security for loans contrary to the law. While no penalty is provided in the act covering the matter, the loans are unlawful, and the bureau has made every effort to discourage such practices. Changes in beneficiaries of adjusted service certificates will not be recognized if such changes have been made for a monetary consideration. The bureau has cooperated with the Secret Service of the Treasury Department

and with the Department of Justice in all matters of violation of Federal statutes in connection with the World War adjusted compensation act. Conviction carrying terms in prison have been had for tampering with adjusted service certificates.

During the fiscal year the personnel for this activity was increased or decreased directly in conformity with the amount of work on hand. The decrease was made just as promptly upon the lightening of the work as the increase was made as the volume of work became greater. On the first day of the fiscal year a small force of employees was on the rolls of the division. As the needs required, this was increased until March 20, 1925, at which time 503 persons were employed, the maximum number employed on the day force at any one time. In order to obviate material expense in the purchase of additional office equipment, etc., and on account of the unavailability of additional office space without incurring the expense incident to moving, there was authorized on December 17, 1924, the employment of a night force of 157 employees. This force continued from the date of its authorization up to and including March 20, 1925. The greatest number employed on the night force at any one time was 151 on January 6, 1925. After the peak of the load had been reached, the day force was gradually and continuously reduced, this reduction paralleling the decrease in work, until on July 1, 1925, 210 employees remained. The total amount of money disbursed by the division for salaries during the fiscal year was $463,688.07.

The organization of the division was set up in the first instance so that the subdivision and section might easily be changed or assimilated in accord with the fluctuation in the quantity of work. As originally organized, the division consisted of 4 subdivisions and 11 sections. Due to the decrease in clerical work and in the interest of economy the duties and functions of the division were on April 22, 1925, transferred to the insurance division. At the end of the fiscal year on June 30, 1925, the organization consisted of one subdivision and four sections, which represented the absolute minimum in organization structure which effiicently could handle the work required.

On August 26, 1924, the United States Marine Corps forwarded 200 certified applications to the division. These were the first claims received. The War Department on September 3, 1924, certified 11,446 cases and the initial 318 cases certified by the Navy Department were received on September 19, 1924. From these dates, respectively, claims continued to be received regularly. The highest daily receipts were on January 2, 1925, and amounted to 36,672. From the date of the receipt of the first claim to the close of the fiscal year the average daily receipts were 11,326. Immediately upon receipt of claims the work of settlement began. The first delivery of adjusted service certificates was made by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing on October 4, 1924, and the first certificate was written on that day and dated as of January 1, 1925, the first day on which the certificates could be issued in compliance with the law. The work of the division did not wait in the preparation of certificates for the lawful issuance date but the work continued speedily, the prepared certificates being held for release. On January 1, 1925, the first day for the lawful issuance of certificates, there were 557,195 certificates placed in the mail for delivery to the veterans. The Post Office Department cooperated by placing one experienced

employee in the division to assist in supervising the output. Certificates continued to be issued at the rate of several thousand per day. While this part of the work materially decreased during the latter part of the fiscal year, the work of the division in some other respects increased. For instance, an average of about 60 death claims per day were being adjudicated at the close of the fiscal year. This class of claims steadily increased from the time of the first issuance date of certificates and in accord with the American Experience Table of Mortality such claims will continue to increase during the 20-year period prior to the maturity of the certificates. While the class of work which increased at the close of the fiscal year did not require personnel in quantity equal to the personnel required for the greater volume of certificate writing, it did require highly trained and capable personnel. Only through the most efficient service can the Government be protected against unauthorized payments in the amount of money daily being paid in adjusted compensation claims. The dependency section of the act has been one of the most difficult to administer. Aside from the fact that, in order that a dependent be entitled to the benefits he or she must show a dependency in fact at the time of the death of the veteran, there have been many questions of relationship, etc., which have entered into the settlement of this class of claims. Many of the dependency decisions in the disallowed cases have been appealed and a material amount of work may be expected as the dependency claims continue to be adjudicated.

Every effort was made to be assured that the bureau's part in the administration of the act was closely coordinated with that of the other Government departments concerned. Questions of importance regarding the promulgation of joint regulations have been handled in a satisfactory manner; administrative difficulties arising have been settled by personal contact with these departments, and they have exhibited a splendid spirit of cooperation.

In making a preliminary examination of cases certified to the bureau by the War and Navy Departments, it was found that numerous errors, mostly of minor nature, had been made. The War Department established a unit of its office within the subdivision to review the cases and reconcile the inconsistencies, thus avoiding the delay in returning cases to the War Department for correction and resubmittal.

A close liaison service has been established between the bureau and the War and Navy Departments for the purpose of rendering the most satisfactory service in answering correspondence. Since the first issuance of adjusted service certificates on January 1, 1925, the bureau has received considerable correspondence from veterans concerning the amount of their certificates which is based on the adjusted service credit and age certified by the War and Navy Departments. When such a communication is received an immediate check is made to determine whether an error has been made in computing the veteran's certificate. If no error is found the letter is promptly referred through the bureau's liaison service to the War and Navy Departments for the purpose of having the veteran's service record rechecked. If the original certification is found to be correct, or if an error is discovered, the certifying department returns the veteran's inquiry to the bureau with a complete explanation, and the veteran is informed accordingly. Through this procedure, the

veteran receives a twofold service, eliminating as it does the necessity of him corresponding with two different Government agencies on the same subject.

In accord wiith the arrangement effected with the Comptroller General, a unit of the General Accounting Office was detailed to the bureau for the purpose of making a preaudit of all certificates issued and of all payments made under the act. Certificates are audited by the General Accounting Office prior to their issuance of a check by the bureau. Under this arrangement a finality in the settlement of the claim is had which permits of the present ability of the Treasury, in so far as the adjusted compensation act is concerned, to calculate accurately its obligations. There has been complete cooperation between the General Accounting Office and the bureau in the matter of this preaudit. The arrangement has in no way affected the independent action of the bureau in the administration of the law and has resulted in the adherence to the advanced decisions of the Comptroller General, as provided for by law, before rather than after payments have been made. Not the least important factor in the preaudit plan has been the matter of economy. Had the procedure now employed not been effected, the photostating of necessary proofs relative to each claim would have been required for transmittal to the General Accounting Office. This one item alone has resulted in a saving of approximately $651,000 of photostating work, not taking into account the photostating of guardianship papers and letters of administration in the cases of incompetent and minor claimants.

Of the total number of claims paid and certificates issued, amounting to $2,742,107,858.41, disallowance has been made in but three payments, amounting in all to less than $3,500. These cases involved a question respecting the validity of applications received subsequent to the death of the claimant and arose prior to the effective working of the preaudit.

While the close of the fiscal year saw the initial administrative work of the World War adjusted compensation act practically accomplished, it would be unwise to underestimate the work yet to be done. The adjudication of the continuous flow of death claims for the next 20 years is a task in itself. Changes in beneficiaries of adjusted service certificates during the 20-year period will keep busy a small force of personnel. The settlement of dependency claims including new claims to be submitted before the time limit of January 1, 1928, and also the reconsideration, upon the submission of additional evidence, of claims disallowed will call for a continuance of the work of the division. Undoubtedly the most important future work in connection with the adjusted compensation act will be found in the matter of loans which are authorized upon the security of the certificates two years after the date of their issaunce. It is probable that a large percentage of men will effect loans on their certificates during the third year, and it would seem that many of these loans will necessarily have to be redeemed by the bureau.

The adjusted service certificate fund, provision for which is made by sections 505, 506, and 507 of Title V of the act, has been invested by the Treasury Department in Government securities. From time to time a block of these securities equal to an amount required by the bureau in the payment of death claims is sold by the Treasury

and the proceeds placed to the bureau's credit. To date the fund has been augmented by interest on the investment by $57,643.84.

The act made provision for an appropriation of $1,188,500 for the Veterans' Bureau for necessary administrative purposes. With sufficient supplies and equipment purchased to complete the administering of the law, there remains at the close of the fiscal year an approximate unobligated balance of $377,037.23.

In the statistical tables there is shown by age at date of application, birthplace, residence, and character and amount of benefits the distribution of 2,681,739 awards under the World War adjusted compensation act. It is particularly significant to note that of the total cases distributed, benefits were granted to 280,855, or approximately 10 per cent of the total, men whose birthplace was outside the United States, its Territories, or insular possessions, involving an amount of $274,666,513. There is also shown the distribution of 3,938 death claims awarded on account of adjusted service certificates by place of birth, place of residence, and character of benefits. It will be noted that the totals shown under the statistical tabulations do not agree with the totals shown in the foregoing text. This apparent discrepancy is due to the fact that, while administrative action had been taken on the application, the record of such action was not available for statistical tabulations as of the date of the report.

TABLE No. 96—*Awards made on account of adjusted compensation, arranged by birthplace, showing number, amount, and character of award, as of June 30, 1926*

Birthplace	Certificates issued		Cash payments		Payments to dependents		Payments to dependents, $50 or less		Total	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Alabama	50,138	$48,420,490	3,119	$101,375	412	$148,727	33	$948	53,702	$48,671,540
Alaska	227	237,094	6	135					233	237,229
Arizona	1,980	2,197,076	68	2,400	15	4,715	1	23	2,064	2,204,214
Arkansas	41,270	39,853,114	2,449	81,687	276	104,543	13	311	44,008	40,039,655
California	37,767	41,656,065	581	18,594	259	106,782	6	144	38,613	41,781,585
Colorado	14,241	14,841,300	388	12,769	92	34,840	10	350	14,731	14,889,259
Connecticut	23,780	27,167,227	674	22,552	217	89,158	6	166	24,677	27,279,103
Delaware	4,125	4,527,577	146	4,889	31	13,687	2	41	4,304	4,546,194
District of Columbia	7,117	7,640,830	281	8,641	95	40,008	6	162	7,499	7,689,641
Florida	14,383	14,186,940	710	24,407	104	38,468	6	186	15,203	14,250,001
Georgia	57,499	56,351,233	2,610	85,909	471	173,992	39	1,155	60,619	56,612,289
Idaho	4,824	4,967,669	110	3,587	20	6,938	2	63	4,956	4,978,257
Illinois	161,444	166,126,859	3,870	125,671	1,406	516,653	51	1,384	166,771	166,770,567
Indiana	78,401	81,751,150	2,719	96,388	641	243,266	36	984	81,797	82,091,788
Iowa	83,219	81,769,467	2,557	88,121	569	207,229	31	793	86,376	82,065,610
Kansas	54,770	56,227,401	1,710	56,757	409	149,883	21	595	56,910	56,434,636
Kentucky	71,427	72,180,572	2,836	95,382	607	230,195	29	936	74,899	72,507,085
Louisiana	43,090	39,986,884	1,937	58,798	292	107,492	19	510	45,338	40,153,684
Maine	18,193	19,428,865	840	28,124	177	68,098	10	283	19,220	19,525,170
Maryland	32,229	34,000,350	1,346	46,362	316	121,061	9	306	33,900	34,168,079
Massachusetts	76,613	87,510,522	2,112	66,957	854	341,713	29	694	79,608	87,919,886
Michigan	69,903	74,011,878	1,768	55,257	615	236,430	23	580	72,309	74,304,145
Minnesota	62,727	64,041,610	2,470	64,327	444	164,239	27	883	65,668	64,271,059
Mississippi	42,234	40,251,836	2,727	94,370	318	114,041	24	760	45,303	40,461,007
Missouri	98,494	100,495,418	4,622	165,128	881	321,218	49	1,425	104,046	100,983,189
Montana	6,305	6,679,994	107	3,447	41	16,965			6,453	6,700,406
Nebraska	39,206	40,933,663	1,008	35,158	227	87,658	9	240	40,450	41,056,719
Nevada	1,064	1,170,783	25	799	6	2,506			1,095	1,174,088
New Hampshire	9,475	10,481,464	355	11,975	98	38,522	3	70	9,931	10,532,031
New Jersey	46,690	52,157,370	1,275	44,576	403	163,449	12	405	48,380	52,365,800
New Mexico	5,588	5,436,635	415	15,585	40	13,964	1	31	6,044	5,466,215
New York	181,949	198,815,532	4,165	136,631	1,816	699,019	59	1,572	187,989	199,652,754
North Carolina	57,121	57,942,004	2,665	96,073	355	132,103	17	572	60,158	58,170,752
North Dakota	9,718	10,008,100	202	6,568	50	19,652	1	22	9,971	10,034,342
Ohio	119,072	126,547,427	5,471	193,995	950	352,669	40	1,218	125,533	127,095,309
Oklahoma City, Okla	19,985	19,960,801	706	24,635	112	39,127	8	267	20,811	20,024,830
Oregon	12,398	13,565,778	201	6,276	66	27,079	1	45	12,666	13,599,178
Pennsylvania	185,987	206,466,546	4,691	162,223	1,717	652,669	58	1,484	192,453	207,282,922
Rhode Island	10,870	12,220,538	272	9,405	103	43,288	8	269	11,253	12,273,500
South Carolina	36,825	35,178,925	2,391	73,659	240	85,677	25	585	39,481	35,338,846
South Dakota	16,291	15,922,372	403	14,110	64	24,184	5	160	16,763	15,960,826
Tennessee	62,037	63,531,471	2,614	81,729	528	202,318	32	691	65,211	63,816,209
Texas	103,894	107,725,422	3,608	121,607	703	267,697	42	1,161	108,247	108,115,887
Utah	10,475	10,616,265	292	9,542	81	28,863	2	58	10,850	10,654,728
Vermont	8,495	9,518,465	371	12,966	98	38,846	4	90	8,968	9,570,367
Virginia	59,243	61,164,075	2,291	75,286	466	181,382	23	656	62,023	61,421,399
Washington	14,212	15,734,741	317	8,994	92	34,536	1	44	14,622	15,778,315
West Virginia	32,660	32,769,644	1,638	60,436	233	83,468	16	414	34,547	32,913,962
Wisconsin	78,176	77,473,475	2,504	63,340	629	234,924	35	925	81,344	77,772,664
Wyoming	2,335	2,437,424	53	1,766	11	3,925			2,399	2,443,115
United States (State not given)	720	705,165	43	1,526	10	3,116	1	39	774	709,846
Panama	44	43,903	3	80					47	43,983
Philippine Islands	3,410	3,439,486	24	668	2	1,010			3,436	3,441,164
Porto Rico	13,372	6,729,820	975	25,381	78	18,679	4	79	14,429	6,773,959
Hawaii	1,575	1,108,503	37	1,185	3	584			1,615	1,110,272
Virgin Islands	95	105,531			1	610			96	106,141
Guam	51	70,409							51	70,409
Samoa	14	14,611							14	14,611
Canal Zone	26	26,554							26	26,554
France	2,124	2,284,231	49	1,592	10	3,830	1	18	2,184	2,289,671
Belgium	2,114	2,190,243	45	1,551	7	2,867			2,166	2,194,661
Italy	66,273	63,387,773	2,103	70,346	226	75,846	8	241	68,610	63,534,206
Germany	8,891	9,271,567	197	6,316	55	23,274	3	75	9,146	9,301,232
Austria	13,550	14,722,652	321	10,606	63	24,592	1	7	13,935	14,757,857
British Isles	37,591	41,037,369	694	22,707	273	111,166	9	140	38,567	41,171,382
Northern Russia, Siberia, Poland	55,595	56,074,742	1,757	56,893	209	80,236	5	152	57,566	56,212,023
Other parts of Europe and Asia	61,098	59,238,639	1,655	53,820	210	78,215	11	302	62,974	59,370,976
China	282	290,952	7	205	1	323			290	291,480
Japan	450	356,636	7	266					457	356,902
South America	612	633,702	21	813	5	2,271			638	636,786
Canada and Nova Scotia	19,946	20,840,420	538	17,440	181	69,209			20,665	20,927,069
Cuba	148	153,923	5	166	1	447			154	154,536
Dominican and Haiti Republics	39	32,868	1	32					40	32,900
Mexico	608	614,630	13	451	2	574	1	45	624	615,700
New Zealand	90	103,910	3	106	1	238			94	104,254
Australia	369	426,108	9	349					378	426,457
India	135	141,735	2	53	2	1,066			139	142,854
Central America	96	106,266	5	162	1	407	1	24	103	106,859
West Indies	1,204	1,136,071	49	1,578	7	2,401			1,260	1,140,050
Newfoundland	281	304,214	11	418	2	614	1	48	295	305,294
Azores	421	453,844	4	157	4	1,214			429	455,215
Africa	97	97,529	5	170	1	611	1	13	104	98,323
Oceanica	37	39,826							37	39,826
Total	2,571,524	2,660,471,973	89,279	2,954,405	20,005	7,561,266	931	25,844	2,681,739	2,671,013,488

TABLE No. 97.—*Awards made on account of adjusted compensation, arranged by residence showing number, amount and character of award, as of June 30, 1925*

Location	Certificates issued		Cash payments		Payments to dependents		Payments to dependents $50 or less		Total number	Total amount
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount		
Alabama	39,098	$37,346,260	2,527	$82,412	334	$118,485	27	$835	41,986	$37,547,992
Alaska	1,000	1,018,932	46	1,174	4	1,677			1,050	1,021,783
Arizona	8,051	9,076,986	214	7,397	46	17,746	4	115	8,315	9,102,244
Arkansas	34,789	32,697,579	2,235	74,821	248	92,984	14	347	37,286	32,865,731
California	133,207	149,324,555	2,432	77,565	765	315,697	18	458	136,422	149,718,275
Colorado	25,976	26,759,376	716	23,331	184	68,687	16	461	26,892	26,851,855
Connecticut	31,808	35,456,970	961	33,142	250	97,730	6	195	33,025	35,588,037
Delaware	4,444	4,861,699	148	4,923	31	13,529	2	41	4,625	4,880,192
District of Columbia	18,593	19,807,051	683	21,040	218	86,807	9	270	19,503	19,915,168
Florida	24,202	24,498,468	1,003	34,490	169	65,154	7	212	25,381	24,598,324
Georgia	44,016	43,272,129	1,821	59,999	403	151,682	38	1,062	46,278	43,484,872
Idaho	10,128	10,207,640	221	6,927	50	18,015	1	24	10,400	10,232,606
Illinois	181,387	184,737,454	4,668	146,814	1,405	523,610	60	1,652	187,520	185,409,530
Indiana	72,527	73,767,219	2,887	102,337	583	220,603	32	982	76,029	74,091,141
Iowa	66,428	62,791,719	2,136	75,675	470	167,156	23	548	69,057	63,035,098
Kansas	44,500	44,724,216	1,642	53,730	350	123,933	17	454	46,509	44,902,333
Kentucky	49,597	48,456,566	2,218	73,855	466	173,927	20	584	52,301	48,704,932
Louisiana	40,888	38,137,137	1,734	53,319	283	102,564	16	429	42,921	38,293,449
Maine	16,798	17,181,645	876	29,583	175	65,470	12	340	17,861	17,277,038
Maryland	34,365	36,419,517	1,403	49,172	316	120,210	10	331	36,094	36,589,230
Massachusetts	93,817	104,654,116	2,710	88,260	1,019	412,895	32	802	97,578	105,156,073
Michigan	95,108	99,378,965	2,570	82,045	696	263,460	31	743	98,405	99,725,213
Minnesota	66,987	67,470,418	2,946	77,042	452	161,831	27	878	70,412	67,710,169
Mississippi	28,968	27,433,759	1,862	67,565	242	87,392	21	654	31,093	27,589,370
Missouri	79,739	79,562,403	4,366	154,544	806	289,815	48	1,375	84,959	80,008,137
Montana	13,480	13,919,499	290	9,604	58	22,536	3	84	13,831	13,951,723
Nebraska	32,101	33,110,597	965	34,131	172	64,627	5	153	33,243	33,209,508
Nevada	2,043	2,188,993	32	1,087	5	1,368			2,080	2,191,448
New Hampshire	9,637	10,309,417	348	11,820	90	34,689	4	69	10,079	10,355,995
New Jersey	75,066	81,405,904	2,241	77,728	590	236,043	16	470	77,913	81,720,145
New Mexico	8,026	8,120,349	503	18,578	62	22,718	1	31	8,592	8,161,676
New York	233,302	250,239,458	5,417	174,986	2,041	788,798	64	1,753	240,824	251,204,995
North Carolina	48,648	49,002,837	2,376	86,608	307	115,376	12	374	51,343	49,205,195
North Dakota	12,569	12,362,756	282	9,491	63	22,763	2	49	12,916	12,395,059
Ohio	141,745	149,458,756	6,735	239,429	1,031	383,476	58	1,666	149,569	150,083,327
Oklahoma	49,100	48,193,490	1,780	63,126	328	114,394	26	760	51,234	48,371,770
Oregon	25,558	27,459,780	452	14,294	155	65,333	2	73	26,167	27,539,480
Pennsylvania	194,439	211,181,922	5,416	182,822	1,686	632,158	57	1,447	201,598	211,998,349
Rhode Island	14,388	15,712,107	381	13,203	143	57,420	9	331	14,921	15,783,061
South Carolina	27,503	26,669,310	1,813	57,246	198	69,856	16	391	29,530	26,796,801
South Dakota	19,140	17,859,175	494	17,590	56	19,272	4	124	19,694	17,896,163
Tennessee	47,217	47,342,917	2,165	68,503	447	170,177	27	631	49,856	47,582,228
Texas	111,089	116,570,309	3,525	118,629	742	286,390	43	1,223	115,399	116,976,551
Utah	11,012	11,244,241	329	10,868	78	26,140	5	148	11,424	11,281,397
Vermont	6,570	7,270,493	308	10,881	72	28,263	5	142	6,955	7,309,779
Virginia	49,952	52,572,890	1,810	61,173	432	170,251	17	432	52,211	52,804,746
Washington	42,566	46,554,251	1,000	29,082	276	107,188	7	210	43,849	46,690,731
West Virginia	33,850	33,243,032	1,691	61,114	205	73,765	12	335	35,758	33,378,246
Wisconsin	73,403	71,017,087	2,511	62,585	604	225,206	37	947	76,555	71,305,825
Wyoming	8,396	8,804,880	133	4,324	32	12,188			8,561	8,821,392
United States (State not given)	205	235,441	1	10					206	235,451
Panama	156	189,380	2	34					158	189,414
Philippine Islands	2,089	2,534,001	22	676	2	832			2,113	2,535,509
Porto Rico	12,097	5,579,413	933	24,114	74	16,940	4	79	13,108	5,620,546
Hawaii	5,278	5,035,216	72	2,322	2	396			5,352	5,037,934
Virgin Islands	182	212,126	3	60					185	212,186
Guam	77	98,308							77	98,308
Samoa	29	33,489	1	22					30	33,511
Canal Zone	2,607	3,201,100	19	661					2,626	3,201,761
France	799	1,106,200	5	111	2	578			806	1,106,889
Belgium	122	145,085	2	67					124	145,152
Italy	2,005	1,913,119	50	1,515	16	5,170	2	85	2,073	1,919,889
Germany	152	173,785	1	30	1	625			154	174,440
Austria	178	202,691							178	202,691
British Isles	937	1,047,323	8	240	18	7,366	1	28	964	1,054,957
Northern Russia, Siberia, Poland	676	717,102	1	29	1	613			678	717,744
Other parts of Europe and Asia	1,644	1,683,025	29	955	22	7,708	1	17	1,696	1,691,705
China	679	842,931	11	363					690	843,294
Japan	52	54,376	1	12					53	54,388
South America	205	234,495	11	311					216	234,806
Canada and Nova Scotia	2,970	3,023,553	58	1,865	27	9,085			3,055	3,034,503
Cuba	306	370,265	8	267					314	370,532
Dominican and Haiti Republics	194	224,419	4	141					198	224,560
Mexico	358	393,401	6	210	1	448			365	394,059
New Zealand	16	20,534							16	20,534
Australia	34	44,478	1	21					35	44,499
India	38	39,145	4	159					42	39,304
Central America	71	91,080	2	70					73	91,150
West Indies	84	92,214	1	47	1	51			86	92,312
Newfoundland	11	12,510							11	12,510
Azores	17	20,900	1	29					18	20,929
Africa	30	38,779							30	38,779
Oceania	5	4,860							5	4,860
Total	2,571,524	2,660,471,973	89,279	2,954,405	20,005	7,561,266	931	25,844	2,681,739	2,671,013,488

TABLE No. 98.—*Awards made on account of adjusted compensation, arranged by age, showing number, amount and character of award, as of June 30, 1925*

Age	Certificates issued		Cash payments		Payments to dependents		Payments to dependents $50 or less		Total number	Total amount
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount		
Under 20					1	$249			1	$249
20	1	$651							1	651
21	25	22,325	4	$148	3	527			32	23,000
22	79	76,892	8	223	3	1,135			90	78,250
23	537	566,035	19	523	15	8,404			571	574,962
24	4,832	5,141,945	62	2,087	50	21,930	1	$44	4,945	5,166,006
25	46,288	47,101,127	693	19,684	239	97,091	3	71	47,223	47,217,973
26	89,124	112,003,245	1,549	43,313	693	293,552	17	468	91,383	112,340,578
27	104,283	126,198,334	2,864	83,131	876	396,269	20	432	108,043	126,678,166
28	218,431	189,133,915	25,460	868,500	1,179	454,591	89	2,419	245,159	190,459,425
29	345,734	363,173,221	12,873	440,461	2,077	762,639	122	3,542	360,806	364,379,863
30	311,368	329,697,698	6,758	224,876	2,407	899,504	101	2,992	320,634	330,825,070
31	272,192	285,156,937	6,305	209,069	2,070	761,884	103	2,734	280,670	286,130,624
32	233,509	242,650,802	5,877	187,948	1,818	663,047	88	2,624	241,092	243,504,421
33	197,277	201,997,268	5,196	173,395	1,657	608,158	72	1,974	204,202	202,780,795
34	161,945	163,139,781	4,458	145,740	1,302	462,117	73	2,046	167,778	163,749,684
35	147,629	147,512,229	4,028	133,531	1,220	444,711	46	1,205	152,923	148,091,676
36	129,653	128,703,781	3,829	124,521	1,022	368,637	52	1,309	134,556	129,198,248
37	105,311	103,146,956	3,276	105,497	930	327,254	42	1,203	109,559	103,580,910
38	85,205	82,719,776	2,883	94,598	713	259,710	47	1,312	88,848	83,075,396
39	24,637	26,640,615	1,103	35,496	419	151,606	21	548	26,180	26,828,265
40	15,011	17,400,075	359	10,514	172	73,018	4	110	15,546	17,483,717
41	12,234	14,275,276	303	7,991	143	63,873	2	66	12,682	14,347,206
42	10,449	12,352,136	270	7,714	115	53,119	4	103	10,838	12,413,072
43	8,648	10,208,866	167	4,623	79	38,163	5	130	8,899	10,251,782
44	6,761	7,823,486	149	4,216	84	37,426	1	46	6,995	7,865,174
45	7,082	8,056,931	134	3,591	97	41,536			7,313	8,102,058
46	6,099	6,860,371	129	3,873	84	39,965	3	86	6,315	6,904,295
47	5,092	5,680,707	108	3,091	76	31,425	2	79	5,278	5,715,302
48	3,639	4,172,015	83	2,203	59	27,207	2	19	3,783	4,201,444
49	3,176	3,574,953	66	1,841	54	25,233	1	33	3,297	3,602,060
50	2,590	2,864,933	56	1,423	41	17,213	1	48	2,688	2,883,617
51	2,249	2,460,336	65	1,503	42	19,338	1	30	2,357	2,481,207
52	1,926	2,044,961	49	477	37	15,176	2	83	2,014	2,060,697
53	1,477	1,518,016	44	1,356	31	13,559	1	37	1,553	1,532,968
54	1,182	1,168,451	32	968	24	10,014			1,238	1,179,433
55	1,037	1,007,531	44	1,195	27	11,100			1,108	1,019,826
56	1,013	966,375	32	918	16	6,031	1	1	1,062	973,325
57	742	664,063	35	951	28	12,622			805	677,636
58	631	566,689	29	783	9	2,745	2	37	671	570,249
59	557	482,182	12	361	13	5,846			582	488,389
60	480	409,390	21	628	15	6,342	1	3	517	416,363
61	383	312,333	18	544	12	5,181	1	10	414	318,068
62	317	248,168	12	389	18	7,486			347	256,043
63	163	137,446	3	86	6	2,683			172	140,215
64	141	117,843	3	115	6	2,081			150	120,039
65	133	117,624	2	58	4	1,903			139	119,585
66	68	53,292	3	91	5	1,826			76	55,209
67	50	37,728	1	39	3	1,625			54	39,392
68	37	29,931	1	14	1	500			39	30,445
69	32	27,959	1	44	4	1,336			37	29,339
70	26	19,937	2	60	2	1,000			30	20,997
71	17	13,479			1	500			18	13,979
72	7	6,281			1	500			8	6,781
73	4	2,246							4	2,246
74	3	1,839			1	625			4	2,464
75	4	1,857							4	1,857
76	3	1,949	1	4	1	54			5	2,007
77										
78										
79	1	790							1	790
Total	2,571,524	2,660,471,973	89,279	2,954,405	20,005	7,561,266	931	25,844	2,681,739	2,671,013,488

TABLE No. 99.—*Death claims awarded on account of adjusted service certificates, arranged by residence, showing number and amount, as of June 30, 1925*

Residence	Number	Amount
Alabama	59	$57,627
Arizona	54	61,193
Arkansas	46	40,726
California	228	255,741
Colorado	65	75,260
Connecticut	41	48,055
Delaware	6	5,991
District of Columbia	39	42,523
Florida	34	32,664
Georgia	79	78,277
Idaho	18	18,428
Illinois	318	325,020
Indiana	118	110,867
Iowa	74	80,089
Kansas	66	61,113
Kentucky	71	69,011
Louisiana	72	71,927
Maine	21	21,817
Maryland	56	63,664
Massachusetts	151	162,484
Michigan	122	127,411
Minnesota	86	87,035
Mississippi	36	29,543
Missouri	120	123,567
Montana	16	16,509
Nebraska	39	38,436
Nevada	6	6,907
New Hampshire	13	14,080
New Jersey	101	111,178
New Mexico	34	40,054
New York	333	365,487
North Carolina	105	110,487
North Dakota	12	14,057
Ohio	257	272,328
Oklahoma	55	57,175
Oregon	30	33,889
Pennsylvania	279	321,218
Rhode Island	23	22,274
South Carolina	46	45,646
South Dakota	23	23,048
Tennessee	85	80,056
Texas	178	179,227
Utah	14	16,622
Vermont	11	14,237
Virginia	78	87,542
Washington	46	42,169
West Virginia	42	44,058
Wisconsin	117	108,927
Wyoming	5	5,409
Philippines	1	1,172
Porto Rico	4	3,056
Hawaii	1	384
Canal Zone	1	1,249
South America	1	1,149
Canada and Nova Scotia	1	1,573
Mexico	1	1,159
Total	3,938	4,130,795

TABLE No. 100.—*Death claims awarded on account of adjusted service certificates, arranged by beneficiary, as of June 30, 1925*

Beneficiary	Number	Amount
Estate	75	$77,374
Wife and husband	2,055	2,162,507
Child	48	51,086
Mother	938	983,884
Father	186	196,854
Other relatives	558	574,270
No relative	77	83,916
Orphanage, hospital, or institution	1	904
Total	3,938	4,130,795

CENTRAL BOARD OF APPEALS

The accomplishment of the board of appeals is best presented through the complete tables accompanying this report, which show that 48,476 cases were referred to the central board in Washington, and to the sections of the board in the field during the fiscal year. These cases include appeals from decisions of the district boards of appeal, appeals from the ratings made by claims and rating boards in regional offices, as well as permanent total, death, foreign, and bureau employee cases referred to the board by central office, these latter cases coming to the board, commencing in October, 1924, as a result of attaching the medical rating section, which up to that time had functioned in the medical service, to the board during that month. Decisions were rendered by the board in Washington on 17,929 cases appealed from the decisions of the district boards of appeal. In 70 per cent of these cases the opinions of the district boards of appeal were confirmed. The sections of the board of appeals functioning in San Francisco and New Orleans rendered decisions on 2,393 cases. In 77 per cent of these cases the opinions of the claims and rating boards were confirmed. In addition to appeals from the district boards of appeal, ratings and decisions were made on 19,073 other cases. On June 30, 1924, there were 2,048 cases pending action before the board of appeals in Washington. This number had been reduced to 1,533 on June 30, 1925, including cases pending before the sections of the board in the field, as well as in central office. During the fiscal year 1925, 17,929 appeals from field decisions were acted upon by the board, as compared with 23,283 during the fiscal year 1924, despite the elimination of certain district boards of appeal during the last half of the fiscal year 1925. This decrease was due in a large measure to the establishment of claims and rating boards in regional offices, with resultant greater satisfaction to claimants in field adjudications.

Records of receipts and case action by the central board of appeals during the last half of the fiscal year indicate conclusively that, due to the decentralization to regional offices and to the establishment of claims and rating boards, there resulted a steady decrease in the volume of work. This is best evidenced by the fact that, in January of 1925 the receipts of all classes of cases handled by the central board totaled 5,456, whereas the receipts during June totaled but 3,507. Furthermore, over this same period total ratings and opinions made decreased from 4,475 in January to 2,474 in June, together with a decrease in cases on hand from 2,298 to 1,533.

As decentralization progressed from the beginning of the fiscal year the effect of the operating of claims and rating boards was immediately observable in connection with the work of the district boards of appeal, the abolishment of which was not commenced, excepting the fourth district board, until January 3, 1925. Appeals received by these boards in July of 1924 totaled 6,879, as opposed to receipts in December of 1924 totaling 3,484.

In accordance with the policy of complete decentralization, and in order to expedite action on appeals to the greatest possible degree, sections of the central board of appeals were established in San Francisco in January, 1925, and in New Orleans in April, 1925, the nucleus for members of both these sections having been transferred from the central board of appeals in Washington. In the near future three other sections of the board will be established, and there will then be sections of the board of appeals functioning in the cities in which the headquarter's office of the coordination area is located, as follows: Boston, New York, New Orleans, Chicago, and San Francisco. Coincident with the establishment of sections of the central board of appeals the district boards of appeal in the territories affected are automatically abolished. Each section has jurisdiction over appeals within the territory of the area, and is composed of a chairman, a representative of the legal division, a representative of the claims division, two representatives of the medical division, a representative of the rehabilitation division, if necessary, and a secretary to the board. The medical members represent the major branches of medicine, including general medicine and surgery, neuropsychiatry, eye, ear, nose and throat, tuberculosis, and dentistry, as the case may be. A complete and accurate statement of facts for and against the question at issue is prepared in each case, and an opinion is rendered and a rating made on the case. Members of the sections of the central board of appeals are responsible to the director and function directly under the chairman of the central board of appeals, central office, Washington.

Claimants are permitted to appear in person before the sections of the central board of appeals provided such appearance does not involve any expense to the Government, except that, when the claimant's appearance is required for the convenience of the Government, his transportation and other expenses incident to such appearance may be borne by the bureau. The sections of the central board of appeals review, rate and adjudicate all appeals from the decisions of the claims and rating boards, or of the rehabilitation survey groups, made upon a written notice of appeal by the claimant, his guardian, or his agent duly authorized over the claimant's signature within six months from the date the written notice of the decision of the claims and rating board or the rehabilitation survey group from which appeal is made, is mailed to the claimant at his last address of record. Organizations presenting claims must in each case furnish a statement that they are handling the case with the full knowledge and consent of the claimant. Any employee may bring cases which it is believed should be appealed to the attention of the regional manager and it is the duty of the regional manager to take such action as may be proper in the case, and to initiate appeal when necessary, which appeal must be made within 15 days next after the decision made by the claims and rating board or the rehabilitation survey group. Where an appeal originating in the regional office is taken objecting to the decision of the claims and rating board or the rehabilitation survey group, the entire case file is transferred to the proper section of the central board of appeals accompanied by the written application from the regional manager for consideration. The decision of any section of the central board of appeals is final on all questions properly before the board.

The members of the central board of appeals, and the board as a whole, act at all times in accordance with the laws, regulations, orders, instructions, rules, and defined policies of the bureau in order that there be complete uniformity as to the general principles applied in the decisions of the several sections of the central board of appeals.

It is the policy of the bureau to avoid, as far as may be consistent with lawful and proper administration, reviews and retroactive reversals of adjudications previously made by properly constituted agencies within the bureau, otherwise than upon appeal in accordance with bureau regulations.

In order to carry out this policy there were issued instructions to the claims and rating boards and the central board of appeals under general order No. 311, dated March 20, 1925, which were intended to control the practice of these boards in all cases coming before them, as follows:

> Every rating and other finding of fact made by properly constituted authority and unappealed from within the time allowed by regulations shall be presumed to be correct for all purposes, until the contrary is affirmatively shown; and such finding shall not be subject to reversal except in the following instances: (1) Where an error of law is shown on the face of the record. (2) Where there is evidence of fraud. (3) Where the evidence affirmatively shows that the finding could not be correct upon any theory. The fact that the evidence in the file may seem insufficient to support the finding shall not be sufficient to bring the case under this exception. The evidence must negative all reasonable possibility that the finding is correct.

It was not, however, intended that this order would be interpreted to prevent increasing a rating or award previously made or awarding service connection of a disease or injury previously considered as not due to service, where such action would be warranted by the facts in the case, and fall within the provisions of the law.

When additional evidence is necessary before a decision can be rendered upon an appeal, the case is returned to the regional office and upon receipt of the additional evidence is rated by the claims and rating board, and is not resubmitted to the central board of appeals except upon further appeal by the claimant.

The sections of the central board of appeals are authorized to pass upon the mental condition and degree of disability of claimants in accordance with paragraph 7 of section 202 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, and the amendment of March 4, 1925.

Appeals from the decision of the rating section, claims division, central office, may be sent to the chairman, central board of appeals, upon written notice of appeal by the claimant, his legal representative, his agent duly authorized over the signature of the claimant, or by any assistant director, the general counsel, the medical director, or chief of any independent division of central office.

In an effort to insure uniform action upon all classes of appeals, a thorough study is being made of all decisions rendered by the section of the central board of appeals and, whenever it is found that any section is not interpreting the law in accordance with existing regulations and procedure, the matter is brought to the attention of the chairman of the appropriate section of the board in the field for the necessary corrective measures.

Action by central office board of appeals, by month, during fiscal year 1925

Months	Cases on hand at beginning of month	Cases received during month	Cases returned without action	Cases acted on		Total	Cases on hand at end of month
				Emergency	Regular		
1924							
July	2,048	2,682	166	346	1,852	2,364	2,366
August	2,366	2,092	125	401	1,927	2,453	2,005
September	2,005	1,679	202	431	1,597	2,230	1,454
October	1,454	3,276	124	320	1,406	1,850	2,880
November	2,880	5,414	910	1,087	2,937	4,934	3,360
December	3,360	5,061	1,589	1,520	3,014	6,123	2,298
1925							
January	2,298	4,995	1,044	1,468	2,820	5,332	1,961
February	1,961	4,999	1,219	1,514	2,953	5,686	1,274
March	1,274	4,742	1,205	1,218	2,162	4,585	1,431
April	1,431	4,429	1,138	1,508	1,983	4,629	1,231
May	1,231	3,434	1,006	1,358	1,164	3,528	1,137
June	1,137	2,941	815	1,000	1,016	2,831	1,247
Total	----------	45,744	9,543	12,171	24,831	46,545	----------

Action by sections of central board of appeals, by months, during the fiscal year 1925

Months	Cases on hand at beginning of month		Cases received during month		Cases returned without action		Cases on which decisions were rendered		Total		Cases on hand at end of month	
	Section		Section		Section		Section		Section		Section	
	C [1]	E [2]	C [1]	E [2]	C [1]	E [2]	C [1]	E [2]	C [1]	E [2]	C [1]	E [2]
1925												
January	-------	-------	-------	461	-------	-------	-------	187	-------	187	-------	274
February	-------	274	-------	375	-------	-------	-------	307	-------	307	-------	342
March	-------	342	-------	240	-------	-------	-------	325	-------	325	-------	257
April	-------	257	188	309	-------	21	111	361	111	382	77	184
May	-------	184	305	288	11	2	330	314	341	316	41	156
June	-------	156	257	309	17	2	203	255	220	257	78	208
Total	-------	-------	750	1,982	28	25	644	1,749	672	1,774	-------	-------

[1] Section "C," New Orleans, La. [2] Section "E," San Francisco, Calif.

Action by central board of appeals on permanent total, death, foreign, and bureau employee cases during the fiscal year 1925

Months	Previous ratings confirmed	To date permanent total back new evidence	Permanent total ratings reduced	Ratings for insurance purposes	Appeal for increased compensation	To act on appeal for bureau employees or foreign cases	Retroactive rating approved	Retroactive rating disapproved	Total
1924									
July	0	163	0	1	144	35	28	35	406
August	0	181	0	0	142	32	28	41	424
September	0	192	0	0	120	46	19	31	408
October	0	211	0	0	106	35	13	22	387
November	875	447	0	1	929	30	9	33	2,324
December	895	575	0	0	1,079	50	5	81	2,685
1925									
January	711	316	26	103	1,064	24	6	134	2,384
February	757	291	28	132	1,131	32	0	151	2,522
March	729	314	35	59	859	39	1	135	2,171
April	709	332	16	66	1,055	34	1	176	2,389
May	201	270	15	48	927	12	35	172	1,680
June	97	235	10	93	688	7	32	131	1,293
Total	4,974	3,527	130	503	8,244	376	177	1,142	[1] 19,073
Per cent of actions taken during year	26.079	18.492	0.682	2.637	43.223	1.971	0.928	5.988	100.000

[1] Does not include decisions rendered on cases appealed from district boards of appeal.

Action by central board of appeals on cases appealed from decisions of district boards of appeal during the fiscal year 1925

	District							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
DECISIONS CONFIRMED								
Compensation award sustained	296	387	426	684	550	113	817	1,372
Compensation disallowance sustained	147	121	160	207	254	60	284	482
Further training denied	193	243	245	264	91	82	72	166
Training disallowance sustained	63	63	45	68	41	55	50	81
Regulation No. 86 approved	4	7	6	16	4	1	3	6
Reimbursement for medical treatment disallowed	1	4	1	5	0	0	5	5
Total	704	825	883	1,244	940	311	1,231	2,112
DECISIONS MODIFIED								
Compensation award increased	84	240	98	136	121	61	194	163
Compensation award decreased	8	32	20	28	30	16	33	22
Compensation disallowance changed to an award	28	38	46	39	30	15	46	70
Compensation award terminated	16	35	29	44	37	11	76	53
Training allowed	14	32	36	44	13	6	10	33
Regulation No. 86 disapproved	103	155	133	158	87	34	230	270
Reimbursement for medical treatment allowed	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0
Total	253	532	362	450	318	143	590	611
Grand total	957	1,357	1,245	1,694	1,258	454	1,821	2,723

	District—Continued						Total	Per cent of action taken
	9	10	11	12	13	14		
DECISIONS CONFIRMED								
Compensation award sustained	453	445	343	366	151	641	7,044	56.953
Compensation disallowance sustained	180	157	91	93	36	434	2,706	21.879
Further training denied	66	132	85	101	30	103	1,873	15.144
Training disallowance sustained	44	58	25	12	6	44	655	5.296
Regulation No. 86 approved	5	7	2	2	2	3	68	.550
Reimbursement for medical treatment disallowed	0	1	0	0	0	0	22	.178
Total	748	800	546	574	225	1,225	12,368	100.000
DECISIONS MODIFIED								
Compensation award increased	108	132	208	229	74	188	2,036	36.612
Compensation award decreased	30	39	30	19	11	27	345	6.204
Compensation disallowance changed to an award	31	23	20	23	25	48	482	8.667
Compensation award terminated	39	28	26	20	10	43	467	8.398
Training allowed	16	32	12	6	9	12	275	4.945
Regulation No. 86 disapproved	98	129	129	197	92	139	1,954	35.138
Reimbursement for medical treatment allowed	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	.036
Total	322	383	425	494	221	457	5,561	100.000
Grand total	1,070	1,183	971	1,068	446	1,682	17,929	-------

Appeal cases disposed of by sections of central board of appeals during the fiscal year 1925

Reasons for appeal	January			February			March			April		
	A [1]	D [2]	Total	A [1]	D [2]	Total	A [1]	D [2]	Total	A [1]	D [2]	Total
SECTION C [3]												
Increased compensation										4	35	39
Service connection										2	40	42
Permanent total rating											4	4
Dependency allowance												
Reimbursement of expenses for medical treatment											1	1
Physical examination										1		1
Vocational training										3	14	17
Further training											7	7
Total										10	101	111
Per cent of allowed and disallowed cases for section C										9	91	100
SECTION E [4]												
Increased compensation	18	62	80	26	106	132	34	126	160	39	110	149
Service connection	4	41	45	12	68	80	6	67	73	37	86	123
Permanent total rating	8	8	16	5	16	21	4	5	9	5	8	13
Dependency allowance		1	1								1	1
Reimbursement of expenses for medical treatment		5	5		8	8		6	6	1	2	3
Physical examination							1		1			
Vocational training		6	6	2	9	11	3	12	15	3	13	16
Further Training	2	32	34	7	48	55	8	53	61	12	44	56
Total	32	155	187	52	255	307	56	269	325	97	264	361
Per cent of allowed and disallowed cases for section E	17	83	100	17	83	100	17	83	100	27	73	100

	May			June			Grand total		
	A [1]	D [2]	Total	A [1]	D [2]	Total	A [1]	D [2]	Total
SECTION C [3]									
Increased compensation	13	103	116	13	72	85	30	210	240
Service connection	11	123	134	1	52	53	14	215	229
Permanent total rating	2	9	11		8	8	2	21	23
Reimbursement of expenses for medical treatment		4	4		2	2		7	7
Physical examination							1		1
Vocational training	1	22	23	2	29	31	6	65	71
Further training	3	39	42	1	23	24	4	69	73
Total	30	300	330	17	186	203	57	587	644
Per cent of allowed and disallowed cases for section C	9	91	100	8	92	100	9	91	100
SECTION E [4]									
Increased compensation	42	90	132	20	74	94	179	568	747
Service connection	26	56	82	17	52	69	102	370	472
Permanent total rating	7	8	15	3	11	14	32	56	88
Dependency allowance	1	1	2				1	3	4
Reimbursement of expenses for medical treatment	2	7	9		2	2	3	30	33
Physical examination							1		1
Vocational training	3	18	21	13	25	38	24	83	107
Further training	16	37	53	8	30	38	53	244	297
Total	97	217	314	61	194	255	395	1,354	1,749
Per cent of allowed and disallowed cases for section E	31	69	100	24	76	100	23	77	100

[1] Allowed.
[2] Disallowed.
[3] New Orleans, La.
[4] San Francisco, Calif.

GUARDIANSHIP SERVICE

The guardianship service was reorganized in the central office by general order dated April 27, 1925, under the supervision of a national-guardianship officer, who also supervises the activities of all guardianship officers in the regional offices or suboffices of the bureau. The duties of this service are to render special assistance to mental incompetents and minors in (*a*) obtaining from the bureau all that they are entitled to under the World War veterans' act, as amended, and (*b*) checking administration of guardians of bureau beneficiaries.

There are about 35,000 bureau beneficiaries under guardianship who are recipients of custodial awards, divided into three general classes: (1) Mental incompetents; (2) widows or aged and incompetent parents of deceased claimants, and (3) minor children.

CENTRAL OFFICE

The national guardianship officer, subject to the approval of the director, devises, plans, and prepares instructions as to policy and procedure for carrying on the work of the guardianship service, maintaining in the central office such necessary working records, maps, and charts as are necessary for the proper functioning of the service. Routine inspections are made of all regional guardianship offices, and these reports are reviewed by the national guardianship officer in order that he may be at all times in touch with the progress of guardianship activities in the field.

The national guardianship officer prepares briefs and opinions on problems incident to guardianship matters and passes upon proposed legislation now being fostered in each State by the guardianship service relative to simplifying the legal procedure necessary for the appointment and discharge of committees, guardians, etc., of bureau beneficiaries; waiving court costs and having such costs charged to the respective counties; filing bonds, accountings, etc., making it mandatory for committees and guardians to file, at least, an annual accounting to the court; and reviewing cases submitted to central office by guardianship officers involving prosecutions under criminal proceedings in State and Federal courts for presentation to the general counsel.

In order to establish uniformity of procedure there has been instituted by the national guardianship officer a series of periodical letters covering matter of general policy and interest to the regional guardianship officers. These letters, coupled with voluntary reports, suggestions, or queries on matters of policy, emanating from the field, have accomplished much in the establishment of that uniformity which is necessary for the complete and efficient functioning of this service.

GUARDIANSHIP ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD

Guardianship officers have been appointed in each regional area, operating directly under the national guardianship officer through the regional managers, and entirely disassociated from the adjudicating functions of the regional offices, and are charged with the responsibility of determining (1) that guardians render the periodical accounting required by law relative to the disposition of funds of their wards; (2) that the ward is receiving the benefit of the award of funds in his favor, and (3) that the bureau beneficiary is being properly cared for.

The guardianship officers are coordinating the efforts of ex-service men and their dependents, and have done much to alleviate unsatisfactory conditions of incompetent bureau beneficiaries. A considerable amount of money illegally disposed of by guardians has been recovered. The work of the regional guardianship officers includes a survey of the interests of mentally incompetent patients in hospitals and elsewhere.

FOREIGN GUARDIANSHIP CASES

There are approximately 1,000 beneficiaries resident in the various foreign countries or insular possessions and it is the aim of the bureau to accord to such beneficiaries the same protection accorded beneficiaries residing in the United States proper.

CHILD WELFARE

This service has been designated as the bureau's medium in its cooperation with the child-welfare program of the American Legion.

PROGRESS

The most notable progress, perhaps, is that of the completed decentralization of the accounting indices to the regional offices and the institution and promulgation of service policies as are found in the service issues to date.

The national guardianship officer has had the cooperation, both in conference and in the field, of the national representatives of the service organizations and also notable assistance and counsel from the national representatives of the American Red Cross and the bar associations of the several States.

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TABLE NO. 101.—*Number of guardians and wards by regional offices* [1]

Regional office	Number of guardians			Number of wards				
				Incompetents		Minors		
	For incompetents	For minors	Total	In institutions	Under guardians	82-C [2]	Under guardians	Total wards
Boston, Mass	742	47	789	26	753	2	59	840
Portland, Me				46	88		117	251
Manchester, N. H	66	86	152	0	66	0	86	152
Providence, R. I	165	107	272	0	178	4	134	316
Burlington, Vt	83	46	129	0	83	0	46	129
New York, N. Y	1,730	875	2,605	83	1,693	1	874	2,651
Buffalo, N. Y	408	308	716	12	439	8	300	759
Hartford, Conn	239	166	405	10	238	5	125	378
Newark, N. J			[3] 803	222	200		418	840
Philadelphia, Pa	653	937	1,590	62	653	28	937	1,680
Pittsburgh, Pa	126	20	146	1	313	1	37	352
Washington, D. C			[3] 277	440	259		202	901
Baltimore, Md	183	243	426	80	183	10	243	516
Richmond, Va	203	302	505	40	163	1	332	536
Charleston, W. Va	118	244	362	4	118	0	349	471
Atlanta, Ga	295	514	809	5	297	0	861	1,163
Jacksonville, Fla	109	217	326	0	110	0	280	390
Charlotte, N. C	207	396	603	1	206	1	395	603
Columbia, S. C	103	311	414	0	99		601	700
Nashville, Tenn	418	723	1,141	28	418	1	723	1,170
New Orleans, La	188	287	475	114	74	4	283	475
Birmingham, Ala	282	300	582	10	282	0	460	752
Jackson, Miss	146	298	444	46	113	0	552	711
Cincinnati, Ohio	497	408	905	10	516	1	562	1,089
Cleveland, Ohio	528	222	750	0	711	0	257	968
Indianapolis, Ind	344	499	843	40	448	3	713	1,204
Louisville, Ky			[3] 898	3	211	0	724	938
Chicago, Ill	545	565	1,110	12	1,182	14	1,126	2,334
Detroit, Mich	328	345	673	2	334	0	345	681
Milwaukee, Wis	366	288	654	0	425	6	418	849
Louis, Mo	237	335	572	2	260	20	460	742
Kansas City, Mo	187	269	456	0	194	17	395	606
Des Moines, Iowa	263	17	280	8	271	6	30	315
Omaha, Nebr	109	357	466	0	108	9	349	466
Minneapolis, Minn	306	35	341	1	484	41	44	570
Helena, Mont	49	67	116	0	24	2	88	114
Fargo, N. Dak	84	53	137	1	92	0	79	172
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	68	4	72	0	68	5	4	77
Denver, Colo			[3] 377	132	28		259	419
Albuquerque, N. Mex				40	18		153	211
Salt Lake City, Utah	41	62	103	0	41	7	87	135
Casper, Wyo	43	35	78	33	79	1	35	148
San Francisco, Calif	526	226	752	52	523	14	294	[4] 915
Los Angeles, Calif	261	345	606	0	262	12	403	677
Phoenix, Ariz			[3] 92	2	21		79	102
Seattle, Wash	316	302	618	4	343	21	292	660
Boise, Idaho	14	10	24	11	5	7	9	32
Portland, Oreg	116	138	254	1	119	24	167	311
Dallas, Tex	222	391	613	0	222	38	504	764
Little Rock, Ark	373	195	568	87	335	9	234	665
Oklahoma City, Okla	221	452	[3] 693	0	223	34	641	898
Wichita, Kans	128	200	328	0	129	6	294	429
San Antonio, Tex	201	305	506	0	202	12	472	686
Reno, Nev	7	9	16	0	7	0	9	16
Total	12,844	12,561	[3] 27,872	1,671	14,911	375	17,940	[4] 34,929

[1] Data as of Sept. 1, 1925.
[2] Payments made to legal custodians.
[3] Includes unclassified.
[4] Total includes unclassified.

OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL

The general counsel is the legal adviser to the director, the deputy director, the assistant directors in charge of the coordinate services of the bureau, and through the latter, to the heads of the bureau offices in the various States. Matters of a legal nature incident to the functions of the bureau fall to the care of this office, including questions relating to compensation, Government life insurance, vocational rehabilitation, and World War adjusted compensation.

From one angle or another, such problems involve the application of almost every recognized branch of the law, civil, admiralty and criminal, substantive and administrative, Federal, State, and foreign. As a whole the activities of the office of the general counsel pertain not only to the preparation of opinions of an advisory nature, but also to the conduct of actual and important litigation, so that the office includes the functions of a trial advocate as well as those of a counselor.

The attitude of the general counsel toward the legal aspects of the questions presented for advice and the claims coming to his attention is unlike that of the legal adviser of a typical private organization. Instead of approaching the problem primarily with the intent to uphold the contention of the organization, the general counsel aims to act as a judge, to protect the rights of the claimants as well as those of the Government. The statutes which have been entrusted to the administration of the bureau are essentially remedial and beneficial; therefore every reasonable effort is exerted to bring the case within the spirit and the letter of the law and to develop such evidence as will make the allowance of a claim consistent with the principles of equity and justice.

During the fiscal year just closed the World War veterans' act, 1924, was amended by Congress, approved March 4, 1925. This was done first to supply omissions apparent in the World War veterans' act, and second to make liberal extensions of rights in order to carry out more completely the beneficent purpose of Congress toward World War veterans. Assistance was given the congressional committees on World War veterans' legislation in the preparation of the amendments by the legislative representative of this office. The supervision of legislative work of the bureau, it may be added, was entrusted to the office of the general counsel during the past fiscal year, and by the transfer of these duties it is thought a closer relation has been established between those who propose and draft legislation affecting World War veterans and those whose duty it is to interpret and apply such enactments.

In accordance with the policy established in 1924 there was continued the publication of a monthly digest of important opinions affecting the work of the bureau rendered by the Attorney General, the Comptroller General, and the general counsel. This pamphlet is not available for public distribution but is planned largely for the information of bureau employees and for the use of the legal advisers

attached to the regional offices of the bureau. These advisers have authority to render opinions on matters arising in their offices covered by precedents of the general counsel. Where, however, the legal adviser is in doubt concerning the application of a particular precedent or where the question is one not previously considered, in such cases the opinions of the legal advisers are submitted to the office of the general counsel for review and approval.

Apart from the monthly digests, there was issued a compilation of the digests of opinions rendered covering the period from October 1, 1923, to June 7, 1924. A second volume for the year ending June 7, 1925, is now in preparation. Through these monthly and annual publications it is possible to ascertain whether a given problem is covered by an opinion and the references are sufficiently detailed to give an idea of the substance of the holding.

For the guidance of the bureau personnel and also for general information, this office prepared an indexed edition of the World War veterans' act, 1924, as amended, annotated to June 1, 1925. The annotations contain citations of bureau regulations, opinions of the Attorney General, the Comptroller General and of this office, as well as references to decisions of the director interpretative of the organic act

ORGANIZATION

To promote an efficient and economical administration of the office of the general counsel a thorough reorganization has been effected. A number of attorneys have been transferred to various services of the bureau to handle routine legal matters upon which there were existing precedents. This was done to reduce the volume of work flowing through the office because it was found that many requests for opinions coming from the services were repetitions of questions previously considered in other cases. Such reorganization has brought about a closer and more harmonious contact between the coordinate services and this office and has resulted, it is believed, in improving materially the service which the office has to render. The professional personnel as of June 30, 1925, consists of 24 attorneys and the nonprofessional personnel numbers 31, a total of 55, as compared with 74 shown in the last annual report. The general counsel has general supervision over the entire office and to aid him is an assistant and acting executive officer who is responsible to the general counsel for general executive supervision of the office. There has also been constituted a board of review charged with the final review of all opinions and correspondence prior to submission for signature.

LITIGATION

In the event of disagreement as to a claim under a contract of insurance between the bureau and any person or persons claiming thereunder, section 19 of the World War veterans' act as amended provides that an action on the claim may be brought against the United States in the district court under whose jurisdiction any claimant may reside or in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia. The defense of such actions is committed to the Department of Justice, but this office through the attorneys trained in such litigation prepares the case for trial and in practically all instances

assists the local district attorney in the trial of the case. Among the important cases tried during the past year there may be mentioned the case of Silberschein *v.* United States, 266 U. S. 221. It was therein held by the Supreme Court of the United States that the determination of the director as to the degree of disability for compensation purposes was not reviewable by the courts in the absence of evidence of abuse of authority. Reference may also be made briefly to the case of Arthur Lopez (Frazier) *v.* United States (not yet reported) because of its peculiarly dramatic features. Lopez claimed to be Arthur Frazier, who according to the War Department records had been killed in action. The bureau proved to the satisfaction of the court and jury, and to the community interested, that Lopez and Frazier were not one and the same. Much publicity was given this case, which at first was unfavorable to the bureau's contention, but as the facts became apparent in the trial the tone of the newspaper comments became commendatory.

To this office also falls the preparation of the defense where bureau officials have been sued individually in connection with their official acts.

By way of summary it may be said that the litigated cases settled during the fiscal year now closed involved in round numbers $1,420,000, and the pending cases involve approximately $1,590,000. The following table indicates the cases on hand June 30, 1924, the number received and disposed of, and the balance on June 30, 1925:

Suits on contracts of insurance	On hand	Received	Disposed of	Balance
In litigation	123	148	86	185
Threatened	68	87	66	89

Of the 86 cases disposed of, it is interesting to note that 50 resulted in judgments in favor of the Government, 13 were dismissed, 17 were settled without court action, and 6 resulted in judgment for the plaintiffs.

The prosecution of criminal cases is committed to the Department of Justice, but as in litigation in civil proceedings over insurance contracts, this office prepares the prosecution cases for submission to the Department of Justice, and in several instances district attorneys have requested the presence of a representative of this office to assist in the presentation of cases to the grand jury and in the actual trial. A large proportion of such cases involve some element of fraud, falling under the penal provisions of the various acts relating to the bureau. But where these statutes do not cover the particular offense, the case is then prepared under the germane provisions of the Federal Criminal Code.

The amendment of March 4, 1925, to the World War veterans' act provides for the criminal prosecution and punishment of any person who, while in a fiduciary relationship to a beneficiary, may violate his trust through embezzlement or fraud. The effect of this section, owing to its relatively recent enactment, has not as yet been fully demonstrated, but it is expected that a number of cases under its provisions will arise in the future.

During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, the evidence in 228 criminal cases was developed and submitted to the Department of Justice. Of this number the grand juries failed to indict 60, and 9 were barred by the statute of limitations. One hundred and fifty-nine indictments were secured, 20 of which were dismissed. Fifty cases resulted in convictions, 6 resulted in acquittals, and at the close of the fiscal year 15 indictments were pending trial. The remaining 68 cases were disposed of on other grounds, such as death or disappearance of the defendant. At the close of the fiscal year 46 cases were in process of development for submission to the Department of Justice.

SUBROGATION

Section 313 of the war risk insurance act, as amended, and which Congress has made applicable to section 213 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, provides that if an injury or death for which compensation is payable is caused under circumstances creating a legal liability upon some person other than the United States to pay damages therefor, the director, as a condition to payment of compensation by the United States, may require the beneficiary to assign to the United States any right of action he may have to enforce such liability of such other person, or if it appears to be for the best interests of the beneficiary the director may require him to prosecute the said action in his own name, subject to regulations. This section further provides that the cause of action so assigned to the United States may be prosecuted or compromised by the director, and any money realized or collected thereon, less the reasonable expenses of such realization or collection, shall be placed to the credit of the military and naval compensation appropriation. If the amount placed to the credit of this appropriation in such a case is in excess of the amount of the award of compensation, if any, this excess shall be paid to the beneficiary after any compensation award for the same injury or death is made. These cases are handled in the subrogation unit of the general counsel's office. A report of this work for the fiscal year 1924–25 is as follows:

	Pending June 30, 1924	Received 1924–25	Closed 1924–25	Pending June 30, 1925
In suit ..... number of cases	41	16	19	38
Not in suit ..... do	53	54	83	24

Amount collected, distributed, and credited against compensation payments during the fiscal year 1924–25	$42, 361. 39
Amount undistributed but credited against compensation payments, June 30, 1925	56, 038. 26
Total	98, 399. 65
Judgments in favor of plaintiffs pending June 30, 1925 (appeals having been taken by defendants)	96, 250. 00
Total	194, 649. 65

DAMAGES TO PRIVATE PROPERTY

The act of December 28, 1922 (42 Stat. L. 1066), confers authority "upon the head of each department and establishment acting on behalf of the Government of the United States to consider, ascertain, adjust, and determine any claim accruing after April 6, 1917, on account of damages to or loss of privately owned property where the amount of the claim does not exceed $1,000, caused by the negligence of any officer or employee of the Government acting within the scope of his employment." Claims on account of damages to or loss of privately owned property, caused by the negligence of any officer or employee of the Veterans' Bureau, are referred to the office of the general counsel. Investigations are made, the liability determined, and the damages or loss ascertained. Such amount as may be found to be due to any claimant is certified to Congress, as required by the act, as a legal claim for payment out of appropriations that may be made by Congress therefor. The record of the number of such cases during the fiscal year 1924–25 is as follows:

Pending June 30, 1924	52
Received 1924–25	108
Closed 1924–25	114
Pending June 30, 1925	46

GENERAL LEGAL QUESTIONS

The statement has been previously made that the duties of the general counsel partake both of the nature of a counsellor and of a trial advocate. The figures and summaries presented heretofore have related principally to the second phase of the work. In point of volume the largest item of the year's activities have centered about requests for advisory opinions, covering in one way or another virtually every phase of the bureau's multifarious affairs. The table for these general submissions for the year shows the following results:

	On hand June 30, 1924	Received	Disposed of	Balance June 30, 1925
General legal questions	153	6, 205	6, 319	39

These figures include the opinions of the local legal advisers which were reviewed under the procedure referred to in the earlier portion of this report.

Under general legal questions matters of vital concern to the administration and interpretation of the World War veterans' act, 1924, and the amendment of March 4, 1925, were considered. It would be impossible to give in any brief report a comprehensive idea of the variety or difficulty of these questions or of the far-reaching effects of the opinions rendered. But unusually important and complicated questions arose in connection with the interpretation of sections 305 and 602 of the World War veterans' act. The first relates to the continuance in force of insurance where at lapse and at maturity the insured had uncollected compensation sufficient to have met premiums or a portion thereof. Section 602 relates to the saving of

rights to those entitled to benefits under the war risk insurance act as amended or the rehabilitation act as amended, both of which were repealed by the World War veterans' act. After mature consideration opinions were rendered relating to these sections, predicated on the theory that as the legislation involved was remedial, as liberal a construction as possible should be put upon the sections in question, consistent with sound principles of statutory construction. These opinions, since they did not at first meet with unqualified approval in the bureau, were then submitted under section 9 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, to the Attorney General. By opinions of December 24, 1924, and January 20, 1925, the Attorney General substantially sustained the contentions of this office. In addition to the requests for opinions submitted through the channels of the bureau, it remains to add that this office also passes upon the legality of proposed orders and regulations in the nature of bureau issues drafted under authority of the organic act before such issues are released for publication.

FINANCE SERVICE

The finance service is divided into two major divisions, accounting and disbursing, with the allotment and allowance section organized as a part of the executive office of the assistant director.

The functions of the finance service are: To inaugurate and institute methods of accounting and fiscal procedure for the bureau; to maintain a system of account keeping that will reflect the condition of the various appropriations and trust funds under the administrative control of the bureau; to disburse directly to the beneficiaries the amounts due under all compensation awards that have not been decentralized and under all insurance awards, and to maintain an individual record of such payments; to examine before payment vouchers covering maintenance and operation of certain United State veterans' hospitals, all claims presented by railroad companies and all administrative expenses of central office; to advise field accounting officers, such as regional and hospital auditors, as to the prescribed methods and procedure for handling accounts and to effect direct settlement of cases which, because of unusual features, the field accounting officers are unable to handle; to maintain itemized accounts with certain allied governments and to effect collection for cost of services rendered on account of treatment furnished by the bureau to allied ex-service men; to represent the bureau in the matter of investments from the United States Government life insurance fund; to conduct an administrative examination of all accounts paid by the bureau; to keep an individual account of the pay status of all bureau employees and to handle all bureau matters incident to the civil retirement fund; to furnish for the use of administrative officers of the bureau financial statistics showing an analysis of disbursements embracing over 200 distinct classifications; to handle all inquiries relating to disbursing officers' checks; conducting the business incident to indemnity bonds for lost checks; initiating action in cases of forgery; maintaining check copy files, and having custody of all returned checks; to handle all matters relating to payments, adjustments, and collection of overpayments or erroneous payments of family allotment and allowance made to dependents of enlisted men in the service during the war period. This latter function includes the handling of claims for exemption from compulsory allotment, conducting correspondence, and making official findings on such claims.

During the year finance activities were decentralized from district to regional offices and hospitals, decentralization to the former being authorized on February 25, 1925. In effecting this decentralization, special disbursing agents were appointed at 69 stations.

During the year the net expenditures charged against the appropriations and trust fund totaled $387,379,304.84.

The following statement shows the number of vouchers examined and approved in the finance service during the year:

Miscellaneous vouchers	410, 443
Meal requests	12, 204
Transportation requests	[1] 612, 160
Salary payments	157, 018
New and adjusted compensation and insurance payments	113, 193
Regular monthly payments of compensation and insurance	3, 635, 003
Maintenance and support allowance payments	3, 649

The following is a comparative statement showing the net expenditures from appropriations and trust funds administered by the bureau during the fiscal years 1924 and 1925:

	Fiscal year 1924	Fiscal year 1925
APPROPRIATIONS		
Salaries and expenses	$40, 111, 504. 86	$44, 983, 847. 15
Printing and binding	107, 162. 57	158, 209. 08
Administrative expenses, World War adjusted compensation act, 1924–25		809, 001. 22
Increase of compensation	1, 929, 637. 67	6, 093. 68
Claims for damages, act Dec. 28, 1922		1, 559. 21
Losses on war-risk insurance on American vessels, their cargoes, etc	4, 100. 00	1, 500. 00
Military and naval family allowance	[1] 1, 117. 16	6, 892. 86
Military and naval compensation	115, 494, 991. 41	129, 597, 457. 54
Medical and hospital services	24, 214, 238. 91	26, 678, 526. 59
Hospital facilities and services	9, 216, 649. 86	3, 903, 925. 86
Vocational rehabilitation	106, 954, 449. 87	60, 482, 478. 84
Payments to Edith W. Peacock, treasurer, Peacock Military College (Inc.)		12, 000. 00
Soldiers and sailors civil relief claims	[1] 251. 16	[1] 24. 11
Adjusted service and dependent pay		3, 038, 456. 65
Adjusted service certificate fund		4, 607, 401. 00
Military and naval insurance	101, 239, 648. 19	104, 136, 493. 50
TRUST FUNDS		
United States Government life insurance fund	7, 484, 502. 29	8, 948, 727. 28
Vocational rehabilitation special fund (gift)	7, 437. 19	3, 606. 09
Army allotments	16, 485. 86	7, 836. 01
Navy allotments	[1] 3, 217. 25	[1] 4, 573. 78
Marine Corps allotments	885. 00	[1] 130, 83
Coast Guard allotments	46. 50	21. 00
	406, 777, 154. 61	387, 379, 304. 84

[1] Credits.

Allotments made during the fiscal years 1924 and 1925 amounting to $8,364,233.48 and $6,362,963.28, respectively, are not included in the above expenditures. These allotments were made to the United States Public Health Service; National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers; War and Navy Departments; Interior Department, and Supervising Architect, Treasury Department.

Total loans from vocational rehabilitation revolving fund during the fiscal years 1924 and 1925 amounted to $362,465.67 and $185,672.99, respectively. Also, during the fiscal years 1924 and 1925 investments made from United States Government life insurance fund amounted to $33,809,031.79 and $36,812,438.48, respectively.

NOTE—United States Government life insurance fund investments include policy loans.

[1] Does not include 23,588 transportation requests otherwise acted upon.

The amounts shown below represent the monthly expenditures for the fiscal year 1925:

July, 1924	$31, 438, 038. 31	February, 1925	$31, 715, 918. 51
August, 1924	30, 644, 333. 52	March, 1925	36, 062, 587. 62
September, 1924	32, 842, 705. 80	April, 1925	32, 800, 995. 45
October, 1924	31, 632, 483. 66	May, 1925	31, 021, 645. 38
November, 1924	30, 057, 074. 77	June, 1925	34, 505, 174. 93
December, 1924	33, 380, 941. 94		
January, 1925	31, 277, 404. 95	Total	387, 379, 304. 84

One of the principal developments in finance and budget administration during the year was the extension of systematic control to all bureau appropriations. This control was standardized in all offices of the bureau for all appropriations through the issuance of General Order No. 187–C, effective July 1, 1925, which established a uniform accounting procedure under the budget plan of allotting funds from bureau appropriations. This general order, aside from being specific on matters concerning which field stations were formerly in doubt, contains a detailed classification of accounts in line with the General Accounting Office Bulletin No. 1, "Objects of expenditure," and from its application there will result a reduction in the cost of the maintenance of control.

TABLE No. 102.—*Number and value of checks issued in finance service central office during the fiscal year 1925*

Date	Allotment and allowance				Term insurance		Compensation		Funds due incompetent beneficiaries	
	Number of checks	Allotment	Allowance	Total value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value
1924										
July	84	$2,563.37	$4,472.15	$7,035.52	208,795	$8,165,961.41	91,789	$3,625,660.19	23	$25,053.55
August	98	1,626.55	5,008.13	6,634.68	209,819	8,313,831.14	92,687	3,773,974.34	22	34,704.37
September	71	2,438.39	3,852.51	6,290.90	210,599	8,347,162.97	93,367	3,850,125.58	24	17,539.26
October	74	1,805.32	2,655.57	4,460.89	211,251	8,316,244.68	93,607	3,896,046.57	33	42,301.32
November	89	2,460.00	4,025.18	6,485.18	212,304	8,347,545.38	94,644	4,061,614.07	43	45,841.29
December	68	2,282.45	5,755.84	8,038.29	213,523	8,574,784.12	95,657	4,130,380.35	36	33,070.08
1925										
January	65	1,914.27	4,150.63	6,064.90	214,068	8,310,139.94	96,642	4,068,153.25	39	32,724.33
February	79	1,611.14	3,292.92	4,904.06	215,358	8,551,426.87	98,318	4,383,340.65	40	33,164.58
March	88	2,677.50	3,681.32	6,358.82	216,040	8,444,826.25	99,608	4,317,271.53	53	53,603.97
April	98	3,327.94	5,003.86	8,331.80	216,339	8,368,892.37	101,283	4,523,423.55	112	57,312.88
May	91	2,726.80	5,055.05	7,781.85	216,526	8,360,007.55	102,569	5,025,084.28	76	109,408.60
June	157	2,700.98	4,744.83	7,445.81	216,648	8,343,988.85	103,755	5,071,800.00	64	107,064.24
Total	1,062	28,134.71	51,697.99	79,832.70	2,561,270	100,444,811.53	1,163,926	50,726,874.36	565	591,788.47

Date	Miscellaneous account				United States Government life insurance fund						Total disbursements	
	Salary		Miscellaneous		General payments		Dividends		Investments			
	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value
1924												
July	13,720	$833,064.14	4,798	$1,282,738.51	5,349	$986,924.29	26,396	$205,836.89	17	$2,203,626.03	350,971	$17,335,900.53
August	13,845	881,017.15	4,605	1,113,434.91	5,071	926,438.44	36,582	273,569.05	17	2,010,087.50	362,746	17,333,691.58
September	16,406	970,565.24	4,947	990,553.39	5,141	955,125.53	33,109	241,162.38	18	1,916,787.50	363,682	17,295,312.75
October	16,082	991,392.53	5,459	1,027,179.53	5,369	1,035,737.44	29,223	220,039.02	23	4,505,825.00	361,121	20,039,226.98
November	15,839	994,008.38	5,501	990,418.41	4,809	858,986.67	29,804	228,124.36	21	2,439,250.00	363,054	17,972,273.74
December	15,591	979,645.63	8,531	1,474,636.27	5,462	957,586.23	29,280	215,301.90	22	2,336,100.00	368,170	18,709,542.87
1925												
January	11,785	774,397.31	9,673	1,279,885.32	5,875	926,017.68	1,210	10,914.06	24	2,770,956.25	339,381	18,179,253.04
February	11,427	755,127.03	10,537	1,039,132.10	5,372	911,397.35	53,066	433,234.37	24	3,031,356.25	394,221	19,143,083.26
March	11,492	750,184.10	10,095	1,151,127.54	5,997	1,076,377.81	29,064	221,172.21	23	2,130,562.50	372,460	18,151,484.73
April	10,593	719,335.92	10,243	1,187,396.10	5,913	1,122,727.91	29,110	225,552.92	24	3,921,181.25	373,715	20,134,154.70
May	10,306	697,922.59	9,351	1,414,007.61	5,599	1,111,618.82	24,502	192,388.73	22	2,452,662.50	369,042	19,370,882.53
June	9,932	679,093.94	9,809	1,760,817.57	5,358	1,076,861.14	34,799	261,618.76	20	2,384,350.00	380,542	19,693,040.31
Total	157,018	10,025,753.96	93,549	14,711,327.26	65,315	11,945,799.31	356,145	2,728,914.65	255	32,102,744.78	4,399,105	223,357,847.02

TABLE No. 103.—*Miscellaneous reports of finance service central office for fiscal year 1925*

Date	Miscellaneous receipts											Indemnity bond cases				Information cases handled in division
	Number of remittances					Amount of remittances				Refunds issued						
	On hand	Received	Disposed of: Receipts written	Disposed of: Transferred, returned, and referred	On hand	On hand	Received	Disposed of: Deposited in Treasury	Disposed of: Transferred, returned, and referred for information	On hand	Number	Amount	On hand	Received new cases	Disposed of closed	On hand	
1924																	
July	65	8,627	8,472	178	42	$5,875.56	$3,529,654.95	$502,779.61	$2,831,577.70	$201,173.20	17	$322.40	6,611	1,271	593	7,289	19,765
August	42	11,105	10,898	225	24	201,173.20	500,977.22	387,667.08	312,987.25	1,496.09	17	287.05	7,289	978	640	7,627	19,604
September	24	7,326	6,418	175	757	1,496.09	335,145.95	274,005.19	40,579.99	22,056.86	41	6,200.83	7,627	779	747	7,659	18,600
October	757	5,571	6,043	153	132	22,056.86	436,531.65	299,039.12	153,731.83	5,817.56	39	465.43	7,659	727	982	7,404	19,205
November	132	5,385	5,246	108	163	5,817.56	475,316.36	300,516.76	174,453.71	6,163.45	41	406.24	7,404	580	996	6,988	24,274
December	163	4,361	4,389	97	38	6,163.45	531,571.51	277,416.12	235,272.07	25,046.77	24	1,085.68	6,988	542	1,068	6,462	16,970
1925																	
January	38	4,231	4,154	75	40	25,046.77	1,077,624.50	350,701.02	747,193.99	4,776.26	39	2,045.19	6,462	630	1,396	5,696	14,907
February	40	3,142	3,061	83	38	4,776.26	2,126,420.55	249,594.50	1,873,406.36	8,195.95	29	6,748.36	5,696	921	949	5,668	14,025
March	38	3,781	3,702	81	36	8,195.95	1,300,422.91	345,311.68	961,968.71	1,338.47	32	1,693.28	5,668	1,380	889	6,159	28,480
April	36	3,837	3,716	74	83	1,338.47	533,090.90	341,061.46	186,786.45	6,581.46	40	4,190.75	6,159	682	839	6,002	26,921
May	83	3,835	3,708	86	124	6,581.46	2,944,758.54	394,508.59	2,536,799.89	20,031.52	39	101,899.25	6,002	1,266	1,148	6,120	22,331
June	124	3,609	3,631	53	49	20,031.52	1,553,857.22	819,205.85	752,709.20	1,973.69	46	498,356.31	6,120	556	1,004	5,672	26,230
Total		64,810	63,438	1,388			15,345,372.26	4,541,806.98	10,807,467.15		404	623,700.77		10,312	11,251		251,312

Date	Miscellaneous payments								Mail report							
	Miscellaneous vouchers				United States Government life insurance vouchers				Letters on hand unanswered	Received		Sent		Letters on hand unanswered	Mail sent to file requiring no reply	Letters originating in division
	On hand	Received	Disposed of and paid	On hand	On hand	Received	Disposed of and paid	On hand		From outside	From other divisions	To other divisions	To outside			
1924																
July	4,374	15,600	14,737	5,237	56	3,649	3,518	187	1,179	10,291	3,793	3,495	10,745	1,023	6,637	14,317
August	5,237	13,689	14,342	4,584	187	3,133	3,243	77	1,023	10,024	3,583	2,945	10,843	842	6,593	15,306
September	4,584	14,610	13,919	5,275	77	3,225	3,295	7	842	10,571	3,675	3,295	10,822	971	6,950	15,057
October	5,275	15,259	16,025	4,509	7	3,445	3,445	7	971	11,098	4,234	3,479	11,861	963	7,792	15,788
November	4,509	13,864	14,034	4,339	7	2,917	2,843	81	963	9,823	4,404	3,041	11,386	763	6,631	14,982
December	4,339	15,316	15,101	4,554	81	3,414	3,494	1	763	9,659	3,850	2,657	10,683	932	5,919	13,232
1925																
January	4,554	16,017	16,509	4,062	1	3,830	3,814	17	932	11,170	4,044	2,981	12,444	721	6,654	14,283
February	4,062	14,690	14,326	4,426	17	3,733	3,411	339	721	9,983	3,732	2,807	10,783	846	6,440	14,399
March	4,426	16,176	15,167	5,435	339	3,736	3,960	115	846	11,274	5,116	3,013	13,453	770	8,257	16,518
April	5,435	15,298	14,998	5,735	115	3,764	3,826	53	770	10,364	4,830	2,426	12,661	877	6,916	14,265
May	5,735	14,686	13,842	6,579	53	3,489	3,474	68	877	10,721	3,961	2,563	12,006	990	6,984	13,604
June	6,579	15,994	16,638	5,935	68	3,201	3,195	74	990	11,014	4,661	2,789	13,062	814	8,352	14,634
Total		181,199	179,638			41,536	41,518			125,992	49,883	35,491	140,749		84,125	176,385

TABLE No. 104.—*Number and value of checks canceled in finance service central office during the fiscal year 1925*

Date	Regular payments, checks canceled													
	Allotment and allowance				Insurance		Compensation		Vocational rehabilitation		Dividends		Total regular payments, checks canceled	
	Number of checks	Allotment	Allowance	Total value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value
1924														
July	26	$483.50	$616.66	$1,100.16	510	$19,993.66	534	$29,698.06	5	$207.50	0	$0.00	1,075	$50,999.38
August	9	298.50	452.16	750.66	610	28,834.01	652	35,221.15	10	696.50	13	22.24	1,294	65,524.56
September	15	371.17	336.50	707.67	687	29,163.24	853	44,501.96	11	456.16	0	.00	1,566	74,829.03
October	13	307.00	258.16	565.16	563	22,580.77	718	38,897.37	1	21.25	3	5.86	1,298	62,070.41
November	17	343.50	385.68	729.18	667	29,591.14	884	44,099.83	2	146.25	0	.00	1,570	74,566.40
December	3	20.00	37.16	57.16	791	33,614.47	753	40,340.73	1	50.00	2	2.66	1,550	74,065.02
1925														
January	3	1.00	37.67	38.67	543	20,206.90	406	22,280.90	0	.00	122	209.70	1,074	42,736.17
February	6	139.80	125.25	265.05	683	34,293.80	736	42,405.00	2	85.00	3	9.89	1,430	77,058.74
March	5	55.83	35.00	90.83	682	27,978.14	527	36,715.18	1	72.50	10	28.65	1,225	64,885.30
April	8	484.60	536.34	1,020.94	639	28,135.40	597	33,368.77	1	45.00	10	18.58	1,255	62,588.69
May	2	60.00	110.00	170.00	609	25,508.33	738	43,818.18	0	.00	0	.00	1,349	69,496.51
June	5	265.13	228.67	493.80	721	27,658.77	743	53,932.68	1	117.00	0	.00	1,470	82,202.25
Total	112	2,830.03	3,159.25	5,989.28	7,705	327,558.63	8,141	465,279.81	35	1,897.16	163	297.58	16,156	801,022.46

Date	Miscellaneous checks canceled											
	Regular miscellaneous disbursing account				United States Government life insurance fund				Funds due incompetent beneficiaries		Total miscellaneous checks canceled	
	Salary		Miscellaneous		General payments		Dividends					
	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value	Number of checks	Value
1924												
July	29	$2,091.94	0	$0.00	24	$815.42	9	$66.49	1	$80.00	63	$3,053.85
August	130	6,475.37	7	331.70	40	1,711.27	81	428.32	2	414.32	260	9,360.98
September	85	5,145.36	22	926.92	35	1,905.31	8	72.96	0	.00	150	8,050.55
October	125	7,052.85	16	1,334.51	50	1,931.02	34	289.91	0	.00	225	10,608.29
November	152	7,673.52	17	724.26	21	647.63	25	166.41	0	.00	215	9,211.82
December	92	5,196.68	16	1,036.59	19	637.46	25	103.03	2	1,629.33	154	8,603.09
1925												
January	112	6,289.11	15	781.83	15	179.60	73	423.65	0	.00	215	7,674.19
February	103	5,830.11	42	2,153.50	34	2,733.52	31	211.71	0	.00	210	10,928.84
March	52	3,793.31	86	2,167.47	110	1,098.80	98	560.65	1	2,205.16	347	9,825.39
April	49	2,718.64	87	2,494.07	140	1,992.71	83	498.51	0	.00	359	7,703.93
May	47	2,621.24	43	1,201.83	31	952.19	38	254.29	0	.00	159	5,029.55
June	51	3,076.59	44	2,423.79	49	3,719.61	49	405.36	0	.00	193	9,625.35
Total	1,027	57,964.72	395	15,576.47	568	18,324.54	554	3,481.29	6	4,328.81	2,550	99,675.83

TABLE No. 105.—*Miscellaneous reports of finance service central office for fiscal year 1925*

Date	Returned checks of service subdivision																															
	Allotment and allowance					Compensation					Insurance					Dividends					Vocational rehabilitation					Total returned checks				
			Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—		
	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand
1924																																
July	73	107	23	22	135	3,593	1,122	361	621	3,733	3,192	1,545	594	579	3,564	321	10	27	3	301	52	7	2	4	53	7,231	2,791	1,007	1,229	7,786
August	135	28	90	10	63	3,733	1,335	442	631	3,995	3,564	1,362	723	567	3,636	301	7	20	10	278	53	2	1	17	37	7,786	2,734	1,276	1,235	8,009
September	63	47	16	17	77	3,995	1,113	398	860	3,850	3,636	1,459	675	664	3,756	278	10	3	0	285	37	1	1	3	34	8,009	2,630	1,093	1,544	8,002
October	77	66	83	14	46	3,850	1,012	465	712	3,685	3,756	1,421	838	575	3,764	285	5	4	3	283	34	5	4	2	33	8,002	2,509	1,394	1,306	7,811
November	46	22	14	11	43	3,685	952	459	971	3,207	3,764	1,396	740	798	3,622	283	4	3	2	282	33	4	1	0	36	7,811	2,378	1,217	1,782	7,190
December	43	54	20	3	74	3,207	975	357	549	3,276	3,622	1,337	736	660	3,563	282	5	8	120	159	36	0	1	1	34	7,190	2,371	1,122	1,333	7,106
1925																																
January	74	52	65	6	55	3,276	1,082	420	560	3,378	3,563	1,420	786	586	3,611	159	4	6	2	155	34	2	2	1	33	7,106	2,560	1,279	1,155	7,232
February	55	19	26	3	45	3,378	1,009	376	597	3,414	3,611	1,414	731	670	3,624	155	3	5	13	140	33	2	2	2	31	7,232	2,447	1,140	1,285	7,254
March	45	32	12	6	59	3,414	1,034	359	611	3,478	3,624	1,461	707	732	3,646	140	4	17	8	119	31	1	1	1	30	7,254	2,532	1,096	1,358	7,332
April	59	47	32	7	67	3,478	1,093	363	641	3,567	3,646	1,546	731	552	3,909	119	2	5	2	114	30	0	0	0	30	7,332	2,688	1,131	1,202	7,687
May	67	55	36	1	85	3,567	1,110	308	774	3,595	3,909	1,743	614	1,014	4,024	114	3	4	0	113	30	1	1	0	30	7,687	2,912	963	1,789	7,847
June	85	59	59	5	80	3,595	1,029	364	588	3,672	4,024	1,163	657	461	4,069	113	10	8	0	115	30	4	5	1	28	7,847	2,265	1,093	1,055	7,964
Total		588	476	105			12,866	4,672	8,115			17,267	8,532	7,858			67	110	163			29	21	32			30,817	13,811	16,273	

Date	Returned checks of miscellaneous payments and receipts subdivision																				Graphotype and addressograph files, plates				
	Miscellaneous					Dividends					Former disbursing officers					Total miscellaneous returned checks									
			Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—					Disposed of—							
	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	On hand	Received	Remailed	Canceled	On hand	Made	Corrected and verified	Changes of address, etc.	Suspended	Killed
1924																									
July	507	126	59	145	429	2,392	622	447	33	2,534	230	16	2	18	226	3,129	764	508	196	3,189	7,095	1,878	3,462	9,967	2,183
August	429	226	54	141	460	2,534	891	367	121	2,937	226	6	7	5	220	3,189	1,123	428	267	3,617	4,739	3,309	4,160	6,551	2,223
September	460	156	73	114	429	2,937	1,196	551	43	3,539	220	5	6	3	216	3,617	1,357	630	160	4,184	3,204	2,373	3,679	5,104	2,302
October	429	242	54	141	476	3,539	1,180	951	84	3,684	216	10	10	1	215	4,184	1,432	1,015	226	4,375	4,046	3,431	5,051	6,728	2,011
November	476	258	45	170	519	3,684	959	788	46	3,809	215	7	11	3	208	4,375	1,224	844	219	4,536	3,771	2,556	4,813	5,549	2,329
December	519	190	69	110	530	3,809	1,080	930	44	3,915	208	4	4	4	204	4,536	1,274	1,003	158	4,649	3,354	2,882	4,207	5,363	1,989
1925																									
January	530	299	87	127	615	3,915	1,060	1,142	88	3,745	204	482	188	46	452	4,649	1,841	1,417	261	4,812	3,229	3,176	4,564	6,586	2,145
February	615	296	110	146	655	3,745	664	562	65	3,782	452	695	73	107	967	4,812	1,655	745	318	5,404	4,350	3,660	3,629	5,337	2,633
March	655	278	114	139	680	3,782	1,033	669	208	3,938	967	705	122	129	1,421	5,404	2,016	905	476	6,039	4,220	3,958	4,339	6,820	2,632
April	680	221	132	137	632	3,938	1,040	1,020	223	3,735	1,421	76	173	98	1,226	6,039	1,337	1,325	458	5,593	3,349	4,441	4,419	6,465	3,063
May	632	170	122	92	588	3,735	809	733	69	3,742	1,226	450	93	48	1,535	5,593	1,429	948	209	5,865	3,144	4,786	4,376	5,844	2,410
June	588	227	75	96	644	3,742	714	757	98	3,601	1,535	61	87	126	1,383	5,865	1,002	919	320	5,628	3,652	6,181	5,196	6,080	2,692
Total		2,689	994	1,558			11,248	8,917	1,122			2,517	776	588			16,454	10,687	3,268		48,153	42,631	51,895	76,394	28,612

TABLE No. 106.—*Checks issued in regional and district offices, and total disbursements, by months, during fiscal year 1925*

Date	Number of checks issued by purpose					Disbursements [1]
	Compensation	Salary	Training pay	Miscellaneous	Total	
July, 1924	172,077	24,150	100,261	24,613	321,101	$14,837,758.79
August, 1924	173,074	24,168	94,231	22,294	313,767	14,224,100.66
September, 1924	174,932	24,403	95,551	21,232	316,118	14,471,719.35
October, 1924	178,570	25,206	89,724	24,430	317,930	14,629,084.17
November, 1924	175,716	20,292	71,400	20,603	291,011	13,150,277.92
December, 1924	175,243	30,319	86,424	20,714	312,160	15,470,585.09
January, 1925	176,953	26,342	62,016	21,647	286,958	13,970,239.99
February, 1925	184,933	24,114	68,288	21,691	299,027	13,878,461.97
March, 1925	204,130	27,996	61,474	28,312	321,912	14,912,534.78
April, 1925	185,112	23,257	59,494	29,938	297,801	12,845,096.77
May, 1925	187,315	22,618	53,520	29,121	292,574	12,589,501.14
June, 1925	207,338	23,529	56,084	26,116	313,067	13,300,880.87
Total	2,198,393	296,394	898,467	290,711	3,683,426	168,280,241.50

[1] These figures are compiled from administrative reports and do not take into account final adjustments as a result of audit, refund, etc.

TABLE No. 107.—*Appropriation versus disbursements to June 30, 1925*

Purpose	Appropriation	Receipts other than Appropriation	Total	Disbursements		Covered into Treasury	Balance
				Fiscal year 1925	To date		
Salaries and expenses, 1918	$3,387,800.00		$3,387,800.00		$3,316,993.93	$70,806.07	
Salaries and expenses, 1919	16,468,500.00		16,468,500.00	[1] 50.66	15,842,404.71	626,095.29	
Salaries and expenses, 1920	15,862,806.00		15,862,806.00	[1] 6.00	15,343,442.29	519,363.71	
Salaries and expenses, 1921	10,324,400.00		10,324,400.00	[1] 209.24	9,241,543.24	1,082,856.76	
Salaries and expenses, 1922	7,400,400.00		7,400,400.00	[1] 7.25	6,181,807.41	1,159,885.36	$58,707.23
Salaries and expenses, 1923	34,970,974.65	$1,086.52	34,972,061.17	85,487.57	33,801,293.06		1,170,768.11
Salaries and expenses, 1924	49,984,063.00	8,505.80	49,992,568.80	600,187.87	42,894,177.42		7,098,391.38
Salaries and expenses, 1925	48,015,000.00		48,015,000.00	44,315,813.09	44,315,813.09		3,699,186.91
Printing and binding, 1924	300,000.00		300,000.00	33,245.91	140,408.48		159,591.52
Printing and binding, 1925	275,000.00		275,000.00	124,963.17	124,963.17		150,036.83
Administrative expenses adjusted compensation 1924–25	1,188,500.00		1,188,500.00	809,001.22	809,001.22		379,498.78
Adjusted service and dependent pay	26,629,398.00		26,629,398.00	3,038,456.65	3,038,456.65		23,590,941.35
Adjusted service certificate fund	100,000,000.00	57,643.84	100,057,643.84	4,607,401.00	4,607,401.00		95,450,242.84
Increase of compensation, 1920	1,515,000.00		1,515,000.00	[1] 1.00	1,286,697.81	228,302.19	
Increase of compensation, 1921	780,000.00		780,000.00	[1] 5,014.67	726,780.22	53,219.78	
Increase of compensation, 1922	2,923,024.00		2,923,024.00	[1] 40.00	2,047,991.34	769,373.99	105,358.67
Increase of compensation, 1923	4,013,480.00		4,013,480.00	2,028.68	2,730,494.56		1,282,985.44
Increase of compensation, 1924	3,353,280.00		3,353,280.00	9,120.67	1,909,767.54		1,443,512.46
Increase of compensation, 1923	8,000,000.00	28.30	8,000,028.30	[1] 124.40	7,998,794.27		1,234.03
Vocational rehabilitation	31,000,000.00		31,000,000.00	[1] 4,227.90	30,940,554.89	59,445.11	
Vocational rehabilitation, 1920	105,000,000.00		105,000,000.00		102,410,212.54	2,584,882.07	4,905.39
Vocational rehabilitation, 1921	178,214,182.00	654.27	178,214,836.27	[1] 5,861.07	165,814,055.34	10,773,249.68	1,627,531.25
Vocational rehabilitation, 1922	148,209,188.80	58,434.63	148,267,623.43	379,835.21	147,740,136.58		527,486.85
Vocational rehabilitation, 1923	120,743,000.00	786,177.42	121,529,177.42	2,255,882.51	103,877,069.76		17,652,107.66
Vocational rehabilitation, 1924	89,000,000.00		89,000,000.00	57,856,974.49	57,856,974.49		31,143,025.51
Vocational rehabilitation, 1925	500,000.00		500,000.00		[2] 35,215.17		464,784.83
Vocational rehabilitation, revolving fund		78,144.50	78,144.50	3,606.09	78,131.61		12.89
Vocational rehabilitation, special fund	54,710,272.00		54,710,272.00		54,275,996.36	428,888.71	5,386.93
Medical and hospital services, 1921	78,278,930.00		78,278,930.00	[1] 310,003.10	69,467,294.44	8,291,003.11	520,632.45
Medical and hospital services, 1922	64,658,680.00	44,709.99	64,703,389.99	497,205.40	47,476,458.97		17,226,931.02
Medical and hospital services, 1923	[3] 45,883,710.00	852,786.13	46,736,496.13	4,940,209.45	29,222,706.93		17,513,789.20
Medical and hospital services, 1924	[4] 44,800,000.00		44,800,000.00	27,905,959.89	27,905,959.89		16,894,040.11
Medical and hospital services, 1925	17,000,000.00		17,000,000.00	3,337,577.95	16,113,383.39		886,616.61
Hospital facilities and services	3,850,000.00		3,850,000.00	557,097.91	557,097.91		3,292,902.09
Hospital facilities and services, 1924–26	25,000.00		25,000.00	[1] 24.11	19,494.29		5,505.71
Soldiers' and Sailors' civil relief claims, 1923	675,600,000.00		675,600,000.00	74,582,573.47	675,092,853.22		507,146.78
Compensation	83,000,000.00		83,000,000.00	55,014,884.07	55,014,884.07		27,985,115.93
Compensation, 1925	23,000,000.00	432,953,777.30	455,953,777.30	11,637,325.69	443,856,760.21		12,097,017.09
Military and naval insurance	13,235,000.00		13,235,000.00	21,068.26	13,235,000.00		
Military and naval insurance, 1923	90,000,000.00		90,000,000.00	6,288,574.38	89,971,315.91		28,684.09
Military and naval insurance, 1924	88,000,000.00		88,000,000.00	86,189,525.17	86,189,525.17		1,810,474.83
Military and naval insurance, 1925		188,138,666.77	188,138,666.77	8,962,316.34	31,333,518.37		156,805,148.40
United States Government life insurance		320,526,000.00	320,526,000.00	3,152.40	300,994,577.09		19,531,422.91
Allotment trust fund	298,615,000.00		298,615,000.00	6,892.86	282,202,740.29	15,900,000.00	512,259.71
Military and naval family allowances	50,000,000.00	53,148,319.94	103,148,319.94	1,500.00	35,108,402.38	67,000,000.00	1,039,917.56
Marine and seamen's insurance	1,559.21		1,559.21	1,559.21	1,559.21		
Claims for damages, act Dec. 28, 1922, Veterans' Bureau							
Payments to Edith W. Peacock, treasurer Peacock Military College	12,000.00		12,000.00	12,000.00	12,000.00		
Total	[5] 2,638,728,147.66	996,654,935.41	3,635,383,083.07	393,755,857.18	3,063,162,109.89	109,547,671.83	462,673,301.35

[1] Credit.
[2] Represents loans outstanding.
[3] Does not include $1,127,000 transferred to medical and hospital services, 1925.
[4] Includes $2,800,000 of which $1,673,000 was transferred from medical and hospital services, 1923–24 and $1,127,000 was transferred from medical and hospital services, 1924.
[5] Does not include appropriations made to Treasury Department for construction of hospitals and to U. S. Public Health Service for treatment of veterans prior to establishment of U. S. Veterans' Bureau.

TABLE No. 110.—*United States Veterans' Bureau—Analysis of disbursements from all appropriations and trust funds fiscal year 1925*

Items	Total net disbursements
ADMINISTRATIVE	
1. Personal services:	
Salaries	$40,632,237.88
Retirement fund	1,037,951.65
Wages, hour and per diem	784,265.27
Increase of compensation	11,109.35
2. Employees' travel:	
Railroad fares and pullman	394,934.06
Other travel	121,834.19
Expenses incident to travel	21,838.82
Street-car fares	32,049.87
Mileage	4,095.55
3. Employees' subsistence, per diem	520,332.78
4. Rentals	956,321.29
5. Alterations, installations and restorations	32,326.49
6. Heat, light, power, and water:	
Electricity (including power)	59,222.99
Coal	12,007.72
Other fuel and heat	4,042.53
Water	1,956.87
Ice	6,385.30
7. Maintenance and repairs:	
Maintenance	10,931.73
Repairs	1,588.36
8. Telephone:	
Long distance	21,096.87
Local calls	24,383.46
Rentals	107,410.45
Installations, repairs, etc	46,972.90
9. Telegraph and radiograph:	
Telegraph	18,368.94
Radiograph	84.71
10. Furniture and equipment:	
Furniture	4,128.08
Equipment	220,228.64
Rental of equipment	24,150.57
Repairs to furniture and equipment	44,568.85
Fire preventing and fire fighting equipment	99.32
11. Freight, express, parcel post and drayage:	
Freight	46,166.46
Express	28,627.29
Parcel post	991.41
Drayage	25,612.84
12. Motor vehicles and operating costs:	
Purchase of passenger carrying vehicles	81,923.50
Maintenance and repairs	71,799.82
Other operating costs—	
Lubricants	7,593.91
Gasoline	55,017.01
Tires and tubes	8,426.51
Tools and tire chains	760.86
13. Stationery and office supplies	513,406.87
14. Printing and binding:	
Books, pamphlets, etc	9,884.53
Printed forms and letterheads	287,725.37
15. Claims for damages, act Dec. 28, 1922:	
Claims paid	1,559.21
16. Miscellaneous:	
Stamps and post office box rent (not parcel post)	25,555.12
Towel service	856.96
Laundry service	801.28
Rental of garages, etc	14,963.64
Other items not classified	9,424.61
Sundry supplies	6,700.09
Advertising	3,987.58
Ambulance service	6,221.09
Cleaning and toilet supplies	17,926.24
Electrical supplies (bulbs, etc	8,709.63
Total administrative	46,391,567.32

Items	Total net disbursements
DIRECT	
17. Contract hospitalization (operations not included)	$4,876,630.98
Special nurse (board, fees)	74,767.30
Operations (contract hospitals)	2,013.00
18. Noncontract hospitalization (operations not included)	364,338.28
Operations (noncontract hospitals)	8,418.33
19. Treatment, fee basis:	
Medical treatment by physicians (office, home, etc.)	238,549.00
Operations by physicians (office, home, etc.)	66,556.41
Physiotherapy treatment by physicians (office, home, etc.)	10,543.50
Radium treatment by physicians (office, etc.)	2,007.45
Special medical treatment by hospitals	5,715.10
Anesthetic and operating room fee	16,426.80
Special physiotherapy treatment by hospitals	36,684.85
Special radium treatment by hospitals	557.95
20. Medical examination, fee basis	259,336.35
Reimbursement for loss of wages	87,332.84
21. Dental treatment, fee basis	142,845.02
22. Dental examination, fee basis	17,192.65
23. X-ray services:	
Medical (examination by physicians, office, etc.)	96,107.65
Dental	4,594.81
Medical (treatment by physicians, office, etc.)	4,480.00
Special medical (examination by hospitals)	59,783.64
Special medical (treatment by hospitals)	724.90
24. Laboratory services:	
Examination by physicians (office, home, etc.)	27,849.70
Special examination by hospitals	39,179.68
25. Prosthetic and orthopedic appliances:	
Glasses and artificial eyes	22,891.11
Artificial limbs	148,830.24
Trusses and elastic wear	12,287.54
Sundry prosthetic and orthopedic appliances	61,685.89
26. Hospital, dispensary, and laboratory supplies:	
Drugs	121,822.92
Books and magazines	47,395.87
Other medical and surgical supplies	355,508.29
Occupational therapy supplies (except books and magazines)	87,749.52
Other supplies	61,974.31
27. Prescriptions purchased from druggists	40,705.88
28. Beneficiaries' travel and subsistence:	
Railroad fares and Pullman	2,297,837.81
Other travel	186,762.14
Subsistence and lodging	514,861.25
Attendants fee	68,715.36
Expenses incident to travel	286.61
Street-car fares	11,353.63
29. Provisions:	
Hospitals	6,427,694.93
Schools	14,251.85
30. Rentals:	
Hospitals, etc	470,029.15
Farms	655.57

TABLE No. 109.—*Disbursements by appropriations from June 30, 1918, to June 30, 1925*

Date	Salaries and expenses						Salaries and expenses, 1924		Salaries and expenses, 1925		Adjusted compensation			Allotments	Allowances	Vocational rehabilitation						
	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments	Administrative expenditures, 1924–1925	Certificate fund	Dependents pay			No date	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925
To June 30, 1918	$2,828,929.49													$66,202,398.26	$42,038,096.58							
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1919	460,403.66	$15,809,853.72												201,753,582.33	191,128,912.00							
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1920	26,220.80	130,815.28	$15,184,089.23											20,748,709.14	32,819,927.94	$6,549,549.15	$28,102,424.38					
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1921	2,263.82	154.30	179,895.37	$9,223,161.37										10,324,969.32	13,449,062.74	220,372.65	2,863,301.50	$95,981,319.06				
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1922	[1] 823.84	[1] 98,367.93	[1] 20,559.14	31,176.68	$6,102,300.60									2,079,919.00	2,902,194.22	424,021.19	[1] 20,431.35	6,206,407.54	$159,439,143.84			
July, 1922			22.83	[1] 12,697.99	30,933.49	$2,314,499.81								[1] 175,642.80	[1] 203,789.86	978.38	[1] 511.74	42,956.96	1,933,963.44	$11,753,639.57		
August, 1922				[1] 7.70	16,382.79	2,578,773.28								[1] 9,081.00	[1] 6,742.20	4,197.99		21,353.42	1,238,901.01	12,074,051.22		
September, 1922				[1] .75	13,029.99	2,747,453.68								10,404.02	[1] 7,614.54	825.07		29,271.53	1,142,736.10	11,602,349.54		
October, 1922				5.67	8,891.87	2,812,849.12								15,966.35	16,883.73	1,321.83		28,403.13	642,991.96	11,531,199.14		
November, 1922				19.67	919.41	2,620,161.95								15,160.77	21,787.31	512.09		23,301.46	336,065.54	10,100,783.91		
December, 1922				8.99	3,269.53	3,067,085.96								6,217.87	9,549.78	1,004.38		13,994.33	214,965.03	12,134,773.06		
January, 1923				.50	1,290.13	2,867,771.48								5,611.39	7,160.36	1,695.29		14,708.13	218,677.40	12,913,396.96		
February, 1923				60.60	2,250.11	3,288,773.01								6,314.64	10,388.62	853.15		10,701.21	5,750.96	12,096,336.98		
March, 1923				3.00	1,298.51	2,719,350.70								3,718.18	7,654.37	16,539.00		4,751.52	113,400.88	12,614,726.53		
April, 1923				11.15	[1] 101.90	2,663,258.57								4,002.15	2,432.27	2,038.15		25,351.14	116,059.99	12,109,593.51		
May, 1923				4.08	[1] 27.85	2,713,491.70								5,179.06	2,793.04	257.86		13,128.51	96,077.58	12,472,377.58		
June, 1923				18.20	602.20	2,546,160.71								613.94	[1] 1,731.77	614.60		5,523.08	80,187.03	11,630,982.53		
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1923			22.83	[1] 12,574.58	78,713.28	32,937,629.97								[1] 132,353.47	[1] 141,228.89	30,837.78	[1] 511.74	233,444.42	6,134,777.21	143,034,213.53		
July, 1923					118.89	353,487.56	$2,788,886.40	$825,000.00						2,331.62	1,793.34	4,191.43		1,050.60	32,412.11	2,147,212.09	$8,611,241.74	
August, 1923					20.99	123,242.31	3,169,628.04							2,746.70	3,759.58	7,561.09		[1] 241.41	31,317.38	721,575.77	9,208,571.83	
September, 1923				[1] 3.33	92.62	96,908.41	2,545,429.89							[1] 1,385.06	179.75	341,635.48		[1] 60.97	21,415.49	419,396.45	8,080,213.44	
October, 1923					[1] .96	73,826.67	3,816,427.86	805,000.00						3,868.86	2,529.33	386,050.91		[1] 6,703.71	18,397.40	51,428.08	10,681,964.45	
November, 1923					1.52	30,073.16	4,156,644.23							3,082.49	2,093.87	21,889.92		[1] 837.78	16,906.84	8,258.48	9,127,536.27	
December, 1923					362.97	20,804.22	3,285,816.19							2,305.39	[1] 2,351.00	4,570.54		[1] 1,393.43	30,826.17	6,166.69	8,895,725.88	
January, 1924				[1] 3.25	4.34	7,829.53	3,297,405.06	775,950.00						5,920.11	[1] 694.91	4,176.18		[1] 84.33	32,090.23	36,221.32	8,701,287.92	
February, 1924					[1] .39	4,276.72	3,153,122.76							1,856.22	1,889.31	2,306.24		[1] 138.55	15,188.81	24,870.19	8,371,928.86	
March, 1924					25.56	33,191.98	3,311,984.48							327.61	4,014.07	626.98		[1] 310.64	25,476.10	[1] 17,281.70	8,138,628.85	
April, 1924					73.26	1,472.92	3,205,637.88	555,500.00						3,620.37	[1] 4,725.93	518.03		[1] 4,182.12	6,931.58	922,037.21	7,790,541.63	
May, 1924					[1] .70	2,297.38	3,245,198.91							[1] 8,062.57	[1] 7,512.24	177.92			5,555.07	1,305.48	7,262,124.08	
June, 1924				[1] 4.41	102.68	764.36	3,443,520.42							[1] 2,391.63	[1] 2,092.33	433.18		[1] 56.14	9,469.18	4,897.78	6,751,452.30	
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1924				[1] 10.99	800.78	778,175.52	39,439,702.12	2,961,450.00						14,200.11	[1] 1,117.16	774,137.90		[1] 12,958.48	245,995.36	4,326,087.84	101,621,187.25	
July, 1924					[1] 7.25	771.34	411,234.69		$3,350,110.03	$7,430.00				[1] 3,254.21	[1] 1,649.80	[1] 3.33			[1] 2,209.61	[1] 810.79	1,015,346.40	$5,571,411.79
August, 1924						11,799.15	213,616.98		3,713,414.73					[1] 1,950.02	[1] 397.58	384.88			[1] 3,651.46	[1] 662.05	531,356.64	5,501,430.74
September, 1924						4,240.15	65,066.20	[1] 1,211.77	4,686,142.49					975.27	1,877.58	[1] 7.17				185.70	300,659.11	5,616,571.33
October, 1924						549.16	48,926.36		4,036,413.91	3,450.00				[1] 549.31	[1] 1,310.62	23.31				1,765.93	137,468.52	5,614,384.61
November, 1924						[1] 4,729.45	38,504.81		3,574,498.28					6,146.33	[1] 609.40	[1] 88.34				[1] 2,290.37	93,031.09	4,577,045.06
December, 1924						[1] 117.92	18,454.18		4,603,455.68	3,200.00				[1] 2,012.91	698.69	[1] .66				309,092.08	53,491.74	5,829,482.91
January, 1925						[1] 637.68	[1] 17,236.77		3,662,035.45		$44,762.33	$164,321.00		[1] 822.68	[1] 327.18	[1] 61.20				24,796.42	10,993.15	4,753,238.89
February, 1925		[1] 50.66	[1] 6.00	[1] 209.24		[1] 99.11	3,871.49		3,609,073.09		110,743.12	336,689.00		[1] 585.46	185.73	14.11	[1] 4,227.90			12,290.07	9,612.03	4,482,059.36
March, 1925						72,041.64	2,711.22		3,778,629.76		129,308.42	807,280.00	$2,587,257.58	572.63	694.10	229.88				5,349.39	48,766.87	4,317,402.32
April, 1925						62.20	[1] 6,697.48		3,745,408.22	4,500.00	57,403.96	1,051,686.00	245,343.34	1,451.82	463.20	[1] 325.58				4,543.53	33,346.48	4,117,155.91
May, 1925						1,910.40	[1] 144,019.44		1,843,214.53		372,853.79	974,033.00	96,415.17	1,895.80	3,335.98	[1] 310.00				5,696.85	13,838.03	3,684,385.25
June, 1925						[1] 302.31	13.31		3,819,800.07		93,929.60	1,273,392.00	109,440.56	1,285.14	3,732.16	[1] .30				19,878.45	7,772.45	3,792,406.30
Fiscal year ended June 30, 1925		[1] 50.66	[1] 6.00	[1] 209.24	[1] 7.25	85,487.57	634,645.55	[1] 1,211.77	44,422,196.26	18,580.00	809,001.22	4,607,401.00	3,038,456.65	3,152.40	6,892.86	[1] 124.40	[1] 4,227.90		[1] 5,861.07	379,835.21	2,355,882.51	57,856,974.49
Grand total	3,316,993.93	15,842,404.71	15,343,442.29	9,241,543.24	6,181,867.41	33,801,293.06	[4] 40,074,347.67	2,960,238.23	[5] 44,422,196.26	18,580.00	809,001.22	4,607,401.00	3,038,456.65	300,994,577.09	282,202,740.29	7,998,794.27	30,940,554.89	102,410,212.54	165,814,055.34	147,740,136.58	103,977,069.76	57,856,974.49

[1] Credits.

[2] $615,000 refunded to bureau by soldiers' homes out of medical and hospital services, 1921; $330,000 refunded to bureau by soldiers' homes out of medical and hospital services, 1922; $265,587.33 refunded to bureau by War Department out of medical and hospital services, 1922; $2,208,330.08 refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of medical and hospital services, 1923; $100

hospital services, 1921; $136,913.33 refunded to bureau by War Department out of medical and hospital services, 1921; $25,264.45 refunded to bureau by War Department out of medical and hospital services, 1923; $700,000 refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of medical and hospital services, 1922; $309,765.02 refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of m

[3] Does not include the following disbursements: Increase of compensation, $6,093.68; soldiers' and sailors' relief claims, $24.11 (credit); claims for damages, $1,559.21; payments to E. W. Peacock, $12,000; vocational rehabilitation special fund, $3,806.09.

[4] Includes printing and binding $140,406.48.

[5] Includes printing and binding $124,963.17.

[6] Does not include the following disbursements: $78,131.61, gift fund; $35,215.17, revolving fund loans outstanding; $1,286,697.81 increase of compensation, 1920; $726,780.22, increase of compensation, 1921; $2,047,991.34, increase of compensation, 1922; $2,730,494.56, increase of compensation, 1923; $1,909,767.54, increase of compensation, 1924; $19,494.29, soldiers' and sailors' civil relief claims 1923; $1

Table No. 109.—*Disbursements by appropriations from June 30, 1918, to June 30, 1925*

[...]llowances	Vocational rehabilitation							Medical and hospital services, 1921		Medical and hospital services, 1922		Medical and hospital services, 1923		Medical and hospital services, 1924		Medical and hospital services, 1925		Hospital facilities and services		Military and naval compensation	Military and naval (term) insurance	United States Government life insurance	Marine and seamen's insurance	Total
	No date	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments	Expended direct	Allotments					
[illegible],028,096.58																				$341,365.27	$840,338.53		$26,565,511.38	$138,316,589.86
[illegible],126,912.00																				11,301,342.65	43,793,357.03		7,706,896.37	471,959,348.66
[illegible],819,927.94	90,549,549.15	$28,102,424.[illegible]																		108,122,714.92	85,926,099.99	$47,868.32	514,881.79	283,173,300.94
[illegible],449,062.74	220,372.68	2,381,391.[illegible]	[illegible]					$82,939,195.62	$42,347,688.00											121,305,053.43	94,994,353.38	2,056,695.47	56,911.56	395,845,373.59
[illegible],902,194.22	434,021.19	[1] 20,431.[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]				5,947,944.65	2,536,497.11	$239,706,989.87	$36,780,[illegible]							$371,500.00	$45,000.00	123,350,542.45	102,983,870.13	6,084,931.08	249,075.78	479,607,458.67
[1] 203,789.56	978.58	[1] 511.74	[illegible]	[illegible]	$11,752,639.57			41,352.21		2,653,802.57	29,547.82	[illegible]	[illegible]					11,616.00	69,964.00	10,067,026.76	8,230,489.17	563,136.60	[1] 1,004.88	40,014,181.88
[1] 6,742.20	4,197.99		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,074,031.22			37,699.87	309,377.11	2,504,340.01		[illegible]	[illegible]					173,000.00		10,511,589.40	7,906,402.75	436,314.37	5,283.12	39,382,323.57
[1] 7,614.54	826.07		[illegible]	[illegible]	11,602,349.54			38,927.97		934,033.06	[1] [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]					83,989.10		10,497,510.87	8,434,264.24	542,106.49	1,500.00	38,377,731.66
16,533.73	1,321.63		[illegible]	[illegible]	11,581,199.14			38,111.62		950,744.97		[illegible]	[illegible]					66,606.46		10,731,210.66	8,136,080.23	522,388.94	198.24	39,707,067.57
21,787.81	512.09		[illegible]	[illegible]	10,100,783.91			24,190.78		1,149,803.98		[illegible]	[illegible]					206,165.61		10,619,266.85	8,074,383.15	555,568.99		36,984,806.62
9,549.76	1,004.38		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,134,773.06			23,813.16		855,125.61		[illegible]	[illegible]					116,271.59		10,347,768.38	8,385,971.66	543,827.35		38,334,858.60
7,160.36	1,695.29		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,913,396.96			25,543.28		294,717.25		[illegible]	[illegible]					121,863.00		10,291,414.81	8,350,684.66	388,370.08	1,278.69	40,165,799.02
10,388.62	853.15		[illegible]	[illegible]	13,096,336.98			27,797.57		204,390.44		[illegible]	[illegible]					281,972.04		10,208,151.10	7,986,101.53	570,054.20	701.30	38,828,753.31
7,654.37	16,539.00		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,814,726.53			27,767.66		172,532.63		[illegible]	[illegible]					110,401.08		10,674,774.22	8,483,528.00	737,316.40		39,722,352.65
2,432.27	2,038.15		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,109,593.51			25,304.49		169,481.93		[illegible]	[illegible]					130,775.15		11,034,458.00	8,063,963.08	554,338.94	67.91	39,274,449.16
2,793.04	257.88		[illegible]	[illegible]	12,472,377.58			22,581.63		127,722.86		[illegible]	[illegible]					517,134.11		10,547,127.47	8,136,302.38	660,558.51	1.12	39,006,916.75
[1] 1,781.77	614.60		[illegible]	[illegible]	11,680,982.53			29,241.97		210,070.39		[illegible]	[illegible]					763,385.48	[1] 8,543.13	10,063,961.10	8,940,828.44	581,003.32	1,500.00	38,133,358.51
[1] 141,228.89	30,837.78	[1] 511.74	[illegible]	[illegible]	148,034,218.53			360,631.51	309,377.11	9,526,765.35	[1] 74,272.[illegible]	30,296,[illegible]	11,[illegible]					2,582,959.60	61,420.87	125,594,269.62	99,418,389.29	6,700,194.79	9,525.50	467,977,594.64
1,793.34	4,191.43		[illegible]	[illegible]	2,147,212.09	$8,611,241.74		5,151.63		86,519.07		[illegible]		$19,599.05	$1,401,300.00			908,900.89		9,830,916.90	8,415,768.17	606,592.08		38,399,690.08
3,759.58	7,561.09		[illegible]	[illegible]	721,675.77	9,208,571.83		412.50		78,178.06		[illegible]	[1, 2] 450,000.00	167,691.54	373,000.00			981,397.66		9,630,301.11	8,916,102.29	487,636.17		34,779,124.71
179.75	341,635.48		[illegible]	[illegible]	419,396.45	8,080,213.44		[1] 11.15		90,645.24		[illegible]		829,538.85	590,000.00			1,333,903.85		9,828,853.83	8,291,676.09	506,239.69	800.00	33,708,262.63
2,529.33	386,060.91		[1] [illegible]	[illegible]	51,428.06	10,651,964.45				74,135.92		[illegible]		1,775,509.50	1,233,295.00			1,335,798.47		10,021,179.05	8,436,351.50	742,717.69		40,113,684.24
2,093.87	21,639.92		[illegible]	[illegible]	8,258.48	9,127,536.27				58,451.67		[illegible]		1,299,714.37	30,000.00			1,017,999.09		9,337,931.07	8,591,705.28	671,082.59		34,539,141.01
[1] 2,351.00	4,570.54		[illegible]	[illegible]	6,186.69	8,896,725.83		[1] 8,161.92	[1, 2] 153,682.10	24,387.13		[illegible]	[1, 2] 25,264.45	1,707,293.49	531,000.00			718,595.20		9,561,930.31	8,350,500.86	495,013.84		33,924,594.21
[1] 694.91	4,176.18		[illegible]	[illegible]	36,221.32	8,701,257.92		[1] 1,698.19		25,594.96		[illegible]		2,304,676.98	334,800.00			733,299.23		9,471,388.00	8,174,621.07	517,273.65	1,500.00	34,778,470.92
1,239.31	2,306.24		[illegible]	[illegible]	24,870.19	8,871,928.86		[1] 582.50		15,403.62		[illegible]		1,822,250.58	292,425.00			518,378.17		9,415,135.33	8,434,548.35	800,421.60		33,009,970.04
4,014.07	626.98		[illegible]	[illegible]	[1] 17,281.70	8,138,626.86		[1] 262.08		17,844.30		[illegible]		2,018,674.24	614,250.00			459,906.06		9,404,558.96	8,199,799.86	673,081.46		33,085,689.92
[1] 4,725.93	518.03		[illegible]	[illegible]	922,037.21	7,790,541.68		[1] 206.04		48,119.43		[illegible]		1,912,770.38	563,684.92			369,879.25	[1] 1,724.89	9,585,829.74	8,543,576.31	663,605.71	1,500.00	34,318,130.05
[1] 7,512.24	177.92		[illegible]	[illegible]	1,305.48	7,282,124.08		[1] 953.62		13,434.51		[illegible]		1,931,713.73	250,000.00			460,110.48		9,796,523.44	8,304,204.68	673,960.04		31,906,172.75
[1] 2,092.33	433.18		[illegible]	[illegible]	4,697.78	6,751,452.30		[1] 118.96		20,069.00	[1, 2] 700,000.00	[illegible]		1,974,085.63				283,483.51		9,614,913.67	8,580,793.73	642,927.85	300.00	30,638,623.88
[1] 1,117.16	774,137.90		[1] 12,[illegible]	[illegible]	4,328,687.84	101,621,187.25		[1] 7,638.54	[1] 153,632.10	537,778.25	[1] 700,000.00	6,[illegible]	[1] 472,264.45	17,549,042.56	6,733,454.92			9,216,649.86	[1] 1,724.89	115,494,991.41	101,239,648.19	7,481,512.37	4,100.00	413,201,574.47
[1] 1,649.80	[1] 8.33			[1] 3,202.61	[1] 810.79	1,015,546.40	$5,371,411.79			803.25		[illegible]		1,619,272.42	29,000.00	$108,188.70	$1,725,350.00	857,460.27		9,328,420.08	8,330,029.08	746,537.67		33,162,456.24
[1] 397.58	384.88			[1] 3,031.46	[1] 662.05	631,356.64	5,201,479.74			[1] 1,041.53	[1, 2] 200,768.02	[illegible]		963,934.13		744,381.93		415,585.53		9,499,209.14	8,285,920.88	741,236.27	1,500.00	30,364,542.11
1,877.58	[1] 7.17				185.70	300,659.11	5,618,571.33					[illegible]		1,009,303.79		1,295,449.02	700,000.00	280,349.75		9,828,619.16	8,954,389.22	763,380.71		33,535,801.05
[1] 1,310.62	23.31				1,785.93	137,468.62	5,914,784.61					[illegible]		558,568.78		1,599,923.98	101,100.00	287,351.17		10,033,784.23	8,458,231.95	791,709.16		31,737,260.31
[1] 609.40	[1] 68.34				[1] 2,290.37	93,031.09	4,577,045.05					[illegible]		230,461.48		1,818,856.74	317,800.00	212,030.73	[1] 9,250.00	10,224,743.42	8,478,427.03	722,742.84		30,363,937.77
698.69	[1] .66				309,002.08	53,491.74	4,829,482.97					[illegible]		138,173.09		2,046,592.61	18,000.00	361,204.52		10,538,791.23	8,711,550.62	747,570.06		33,402,898.84
[1] 327.18	[1] 61.20				24,796.42	10,993.15	4,753,238.89					[illegible]		181,418.20		2,288,994.22	1,566,219.90	221,091.22		10,603,020.23	8,828,240.99	490,223.48		32,847,738.21
186.78	14.11	[1] 4,227.90			12,290.07	9,612.03	4,462,059.36					[illegible]		110,624.48		2,026,909.28	10,000.00	132,567.82		11,102,987.75	8,842,517.66	912,217.91		31,731,285.86
694.10	229.88				5,349.39	48,756.87	4,317,402.32					[illegible]		133,273.02		2,393,638.95		185,224.09		11,855,879.84	8,833,749.12	706,120.84		36,065,620.38
483.20	[1] 326.58				4,543.53	32,348.48	4,117,155.91					[illegible]		76,886.47		2,405,858.27	1,655,372.65	253,098.34		11,499,634.31	8,436,902.51	843,046.10		34,456,062.28
3,535.98	[1] 310.00				5,696.85	13,838.03	3,684,355.25					[illegible]		37,940.58		2,250,051.42	541,767.52	370,786.27		12,118,873.88	8,714,683.06	846,323.76		31,537,575.02
3,732.16	[1] .30				19,878.45	7,772.45	3,792,408.90					[illegible]		[1] 295,510.00		2,291,504.70		328,978.15		12,963,544.32	9,211,843.40	848,657.54		34,513,444.29
6,892.86	[1] 124.40	[1] 4,227.90		[1] [illegible]	379,535.21	2,355,882.51	57,836,974.49			[1] 238.28	[1] 200,768.02	497,205.40		4,911,209.45	29,000.00	21,270,349.82	6,635,610.07	3,903,925.86	[1] 9,250.00	129,597,457.54	104,136,493.50	8,962,316.34	1,500.00	[1] 393,732,622.31
[illegible],202,740.29	7,963,794.27	30,940,564.89	[illegible]	[illegible],654.34	147,740,136.58	103,877,069.76	57,836,974.49	[illegible]	45,098,960.12	39,771,265.86	29,026,629.06	36,979,210.30	10,547,266.47	22,460,252.01	6,762,454.92	21,270,349.82	6,635,610.07	16,575,035.32	95,445.98	730,107,737.29	633,252,601.29	31,333,518.37	35,108,402.38	[4] 3,054,313,978.14

[1] services, 1922; $2,208,330.06 refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of medical and hospital services, 1922; $[illegible] refunded to bureau by War Department out of medical and hospital services, 1922; $450,000 refunded to bureau by soldiers' homes out of medical and hospital services, 1923; $16,763.77 refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of medical and Health Service out of medical and hospital services, [illegible] refunded to bureau by United States Public Health Service out of medical and hospital services, 1922.

, increase of compensation, 1923; $1,909,787.84, [illegible], 1924; $19,494.29, soldiers' and sailors' civil relief claims 1923; $[illegible], claims for damages, act Dec. 28, 1922; $12,000, payments to treasurer, Peacock Military College.

TABLE No. 110.—*United States Veterans' Bureau—Analysis of disbursements from all appropriations and trust funds fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Items	Total net disbursements
DIRECT—continued	
Rentals—Continued	
Buildings for rehabilitation purposes	$145, 397. 73
Land for rehabilitation purposes	21, 073. 59
Equipment	2, 968. 17
Dispensaries	402, 560. 90
Dental clinics	373. 43
Garages	777. 34
31. Maintenance and repairs:	
Hospitals, etc	717, 362. 95
Buildings for rehabilitation purposes	14, 927. 57
Dispensaries	2, 308. 91
Dental clinics	194. 14
32. Operating costs not otherwise classified:	
Hospitals, etc	45, 649. 36
Farms	116. 00
Dispensaries	3, 473. 34
Dental clinics	84. 97
Schools	1, 851. 71
33. Alterations, installations, and restorations:	
Dispensaries	10, 418. 10
Dental clinics	1, 508. 73
Hospitals	948, 417. 68
Schools	14, 728. 21
34. Purchase of buildings and land:	
Land	101, 000. 00
35. Furniture and equipment:	
Medical	151, 720. 81
Farm (includes tractors, etc.)	14, 702. 37
Livestock	12, 557. 19
Schools (dining hall, kitchen, dormitory, etc.)	1, 183. 13
Repairs to furniture and equipment)	77, 064. 54
Other hospital and dispensary	873, 647. 19
Fire preventing and fire fighting equipment	17, 744. 68
36. Nonstructural improvements	307, 767. 91
37. Burial expenses	947, 105. 14
38. Training allowance	53, 599, 446. 21
39. Tuition	4, 438, 827. 44
40. Individual supplies and equipment:	
Equipment	994, 083. 94
Books and supplies	620, 625. 64
Repairs to equipment	722. 88
Rental of equipment	8, 949. 57
41. Instructor's fees	78, 932. 15
42. Supplies and equipment for group instruction:	
Machinery (except farm machinery)	4, 622. 97
Motor vehicles	300. 00
Furniture	34. 95
Tools	17, 610. 68
Rental of equipment	2, 026. 43
Repairs to equipment	23, 785. 36
Farm machinery and implements (includes tractors, etc.)	1, 750. 03
Major parts and accessories for motor vehicles (except tools)	2, 243. 86
Other equipment	5, 334. 59
Gasoline	11, 221. 93
Lubricants for machinery, etc	1, 638. 66
Books and other supplies	115, 299. 21
43. Compensation awards:	
Death	25, 467, 242. 42
Disability	[1] 4, 007, 374. 39

Items	Total net disbursements
DIRECT—continued	
44. Insurance awards, etc.:	
Military and naval insurance—	
Automatic	$2, 483, 885. 99
Contract	101, 652, 607. 51
United States Government life insurance—	
Contract death	4, 763, 965. 99
Contract disability	438, 622. 15
Dividends	2, 745, 357. 44
Interest on dividend deposits	46. 83
Payment on matured endowment	474. 96
Cash surrender	1, 000, 259. 91
Loans	4, 970, 190. 85
Investments—	
Bonds	31, 689, 225. 63
Accrued interest purchased (not yet due)	153, 022. 00
45. Military and naval family allowances	6, 892. 86
46. Allotments, trust funds:	
Army	7, 836. 01
Navy	[1] 4, 573. 78
Marine Corps	[1] 130. 83
Coast Guard	21. 00
47. Losses on war risk insurance on American vessels, their cargoes, etc	1, 500. 00
48. Construction of hospital facilities:	
By contract	5, 527, 631. 20
By purchase and hire	68, 616. 86
Technical services, etc	37, 046. 40
Technical services (contract)	2, 350. 00
Railroad fares and Pullman	957. 68
Telegrams	97. 98
49. Soldiers' and sailors' civil relief claims	[1] 24. 11
50. Motor vehicles and operating costs (not for instructional purposes):	
Purchase of motor vehicles	5, 185. 77
Maintenance and repairs	26, 055. 29
Other operating costs—	
Lubricants	10, 882. 85
Gasoline	54, 581. 82
Tires and tubes	42, 385. 40
Tools and tire chains	2, 062. 10
51. Revolving fund	[1] 20, 032. 58
52. Adjusted service and dependent pay	3, 038, 456. 65
53. Adjusted-service certificate fund	4, 607, 401. 00
54. Miscellaneous:	
Electricity (except power for schools)	343, 660. 42
Water	142, 973. 99
Ice	51, 098. 11
Coal	581, 995. 32
Other fuel and heat	208, 686. 91
Shipment of bodies	52, 278. 99
Laundry service	363, 930. 51
Ambulance service	4, 566. 55
Taxi	10. 20
Forage and other supplies for animals	79, 945. 36
Sundry supplies	23, 912. 85
Other items	19, 980. 73
Towel service	387. 24
Freight	638, 365. 33
Express	24, 798. 07
Parcel post	2, 547. 32
Drayage	68, 321. 50

[1] Credits.

TABLE No. 110—*United States Veterans' Bureau—Analysis of disbursements from all appropriations and trust fund fiscal year 1925*—Continued

Items	Total net disbursements	Items	Total net disbursements
DIRECT—continued		DIRECT—continued	
54. Miscellaneous—Continued.		55. Appropriation credits—Con.	
Cleaning and toilet supplies	$878.59	Collections from foreign governments covering services rendered by U. S. Veterans' Bureau hospitals—	
Electricity (power for schools)	5,747.46	Hospitalization	[1] $13,989.41
Electrical supplies (bulbs, etc.)	81,204.38	Other items	[1] 31.25
55. Appropriation credits:		Total direct	377,789,443.65
Deduction from training allowance pay—		Grand total	[2] 424,181,010.97
Subsistence	[1] 15,042.34		
Dormitory service	[1] 2,261.87		
Rent	[1] 4,812.35		
Light	[1] 1,262.95		

[1] Credits.
[2] This figure represents the total direct disbursements made by this bureau and does not correspond to the total shown in Table 109 because of allotments made to and disbursed by U. S. Public Health Service, War and Navy Departments, and soldiers homes and certain adjustments on account of refunds which are not included above, but the above statement does include certain disbursements on account of investments and loans of United States Government life insurance funds, which are not shown in Table 109.

SUPPLY SERVICE

THE SUPPLY DIVISION

The supply division, central office, is responsible for the purchasing, storing, and distributing of all material, supplies, and equipment, and the procurement of services other than personal required by the activities of the United States Veterans' Bureau, both in central office and in the field; for the leasing, purchase, or other acquisition of property necessary to bureau activities; for the sale, leasing, transfer, and other disposition of all Government property under the jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau; for all matters pertaining to traffic and allocation of motor equipment; for the examination and acceptance of contracts for services (such as laundry, telephone, light, heat, transfer, etc.); for hospital and sanitarium care and treatment, and for institutional training; for the maintenance of property records, covering accountability and responsibility; for the proper use, preservation, and maintenance of all property under jurisdiction of the bureau; and for the operation of the various United States Veterans' Bureau supply depots, and the maintenance of a proper and adequate stock of supplies therein.

The organization of the supply division consists of three subdivisions, viz: the purchase and issue subdivision, the property and contract subdivision, and the traffic subdivision. Directly under the supervision of the supply division are three depots and one warehouse located as follows: United States Veterans' Bureau supply depot, Perry Point, Md.; United States Veterans' Bureau supply depot, Chicago, Ill.; United States Veterans' Bureau supply depot, Long Island City, N. Y.; and a supply division warehouse at Chillicothe, Ohio. Incident to the supply depot at Long Island City and the supply division warehouse at Chillicothe, Ohio, action has been taken toward the closing out of these two activities, and will be finally completed by the close of the calendar year 1925.

The material, supplies, and equipment purchased and issued are classified as follows:

Class No.	Class
10	Stationery, paper and paper articles, office appliances and supplies, drafting instruments and supplies.
11	Household supplies, cleaning material and compounds, china, crockery, and glassware.
12	Dry goods, clothing, textiles, and cordage.
13	Furniture, furnishings, and floor coverings.
14	Hardware, metals, small tools, agricultural implements, shop machinery, paints, and painters' supplies.
15	Arts and crafts material and supplies.
16	Gasoline and lubricants.
17	Motor vehicles and parts, tires, tubes, and accessories.
18	Electrical, engineering, and plumbing equipment and supplies.
19	Lumber, millwork, packing boxes, and building and structural materials.
20	Drugs, medicines, chemicals, and stains.
21	Surgical instruments and supplies, prosthetic and orthopedic equipment and supplies.
22	Hospital and laboratory apparatus, appliances and supplies.
23	Dental instruments, equipment and supplies.
24	Photographic and X-ray equipment and supplies, physiotherapy equipment and supplies.
25	Subsistence, fuel, and forage.
26	Books, publications, maps, charts, etc.
27	Livestock and laboratory specimens.
28	Seeds, plants, shrubs, and trees.
29	Printed forms.
30	Recreational supplies and equipment.

All purchases of supplies and procurement of services are made either by contract after advertisement and proper award or in open market without advertisement. The field officials have been delegated authority to purchase certain supplies locally, such as subsistence stores, janitor and laundry supplies, gasoline, oils, etc., without reference to central office. The supply division has standardized most of its equipment and has taken action toward carrying in stock standard supplies, and has permitted field officials to requisition directly from stock those standard items required for use of their particular activities. All purchases for stock, and contracts covering most all services, etc., are accomplished by the supply division, central office. Incident thereto, during the fiscal year 1925, 25,349 requisitions were received in central office for action, involving obligations in the amount of $7,770,312.07. There were also received 10,624 contracts, involving expenditures of $18,528,414. The handling of the requisitions above referred to necessitated the issuance of 13,560 advertisements for proposals, 19,856 purchase orders, 14,306 letters delegating field officials authority to purchase locally, 12,752 shipping orders on supply depots, and the letting of 4,408 contracts. The total number of contracts awarded consists of 543 hospital contracts; 2,271 educational contracts; 3,402 contracts covering miscellaneous service, such as heat, light, water, fuel, etc.; and 4,408 standing contracts under which supplies are furnished.

It must be understood that in connection with the handling of requisitions since January 1, 1925, the field activities have been permitted to submit their requisitions for standard stock directly to the depots for action without reference to central office. Of consequence, the number of requisitions herein indicated as handled by the supply division does not actually reflect the number of requisitions submitted by the various field activities.

In connection with the shipment of supplies, there were routed by the supply division 4,588 carload and 772 less-than-carload shipments.

The total tonnage of supplies and equipment shipped to field activities from the supply depots was 4,497 tons, and the value thereof was approximately $5,000,000. There was transferred to other Government activities property, surplus to the future requirements of the bureau, having a book value of $455,528.02, most all of which was transferred without funds, the monetary recovery totaling only $4,612.15. Surplus supplies and equipment not transferred to other Government agencies were sold either by sealed proposal or auction, representing a book value of $312,555.20, with a resultant recovery of about 11 per cent.

Incident to the sale of vocational school equipment, Congress by Public Act 214 permitted the bureau to sell directly to educational institutions such vocational school equipment as may be surplus to future bureau needs at 90 per cent of its appraised value. Several institutions have taken advantage of this law. Moreover, Congress has permitted the bureau to sell to rehabilitated trainees such vocational equipment as may be required and necessary to continue the objectives for which they were trained at 90 per cent of the appraised value of the equipment, and several sales have been accomplished in this manner.

The value of supplies and equipment stores in the various depots is approximately $18,000,000.

The supply division has directed its efforts toward the economical readjustment of lease space in connection with the carrying out of the decentralization program of district and subdistrict offices to regional and suboffices. The following figures show the result:

		Area	Rental
Gross decrease	square feet	446, 699	$539, 119. 77
Gross increase	do	383, 899	396, 606. 57
Net decrease	do	62, 800	142, 513. 20

In addition to this saving, further rental reductions were accomplished through closing of the vocational schools with rentals aggregating $145,533, and in the rentals of hospital facilities where an annual reduction of $30,178 was made.

The functions of the supply section of the service division of regional offices were outlined in General Order No. 295, dated December 1, 1924, which authorized the supply section to handle for the regional manager the purchase or requisition and storage and issue of supplies for the regional office and for any suboffice under the jurisdiction of the regional office and for the beneficiaries served thereby within the limitations of such authorities as were conferred upon district managers.

By way of administration, the supply division, through consolidation of similar activities and simplified procedure, has handled more activities during this fiscal year than heretofore, at the same time accomplishing an annual salary reduction of personnel in the amount of $87,220.

TABLE No. 111.—*Comparative statement of rentals in effect at regional offices, suboffices, medical units, etc., of the United States Veterans' Bureau as of July 1, 1924, and July 1, 1925*

Coordination area	Regional office	Building	State	Floor space (square feet)				Annual rental			
				July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease
A	1. Boston	Washington Essex	Massachusetts	50,053	40,481		9,572	$108,615.00	$87,843.76		$20,771.24
		Army base (storage) [1]	do	15,775	15,775						
	Suboffice, Springfield	Birnie Olmstead	do	2,330	2,330			1,920.00	1,920.00		
	Medical unit, Lawrence	Merchants' Trust	do	878	445		433	1,250.00	840.00		410.00
	Medical unit, Worcester	Bancroft Trust	do	2,200	600		1,600	1,800.00	900.00		900.00
	2. Portland	Benoit	Maine	1,643	2,982	1,339		2,280.00	3,741.00	$1,461.00	
	Medical unit, Bangor	Smith	do	860	860			1,020.00	1,020.00		
	3. Manchester	Bell	New Hampshire	1,225	2,800	1,575		1,980.00	4,620.00	2,640.00	
	4. Providence	42 Westminster Street	Rhode Island	2,600			2,600	2,500.00			2,500.00
		Slade	do		7,744	7,744			8,550.00	8,550.00	
		Daniels	do	800	800			720.00	840.00	120.00	
	Suboffice, New Bedford	888 Purchase Street	Massachusetts	828			828	1,250.00			1,250.00
	5. Burlington	Passenger station	Vermont	1,244			1,244	1,350.00			1,350.00
		Daily News	do		1,800	1,800			2,400.00	2,400.00	
	8. Hartford	American Industrial	Connecticut	4,172	6,621	2,449		7,500.00	11,861.88	4,361.88	
	Medical unit, Bridgeport	County courthouse [2]	do	768	768						
	Medical unit, New Haven.	Liberty	do	1,723			1,723	3,240.00			3,240.00
		Federal [1]	do		1,263	1,263					
	Total			87,099	85,269	16,170	18,000	135,425.00	124,536.64	19,532.88	30,421.24

Coordination area	Regional office	Building	State	Floor space (square feet) July 1, 1924	Floor space (square feet) July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease	Annual rental July 1, 1924	Annual rental July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease
B	6. New York	Grand Central Palace	New York	94,364	55,595		38,769	133,219.76	84,569.41		48,650.35
		Intermediate depot (storage).[1]	do	100,000	100,000						
					2,850	2,850			5,800.00	5,800.00	
	Area headquarters	Pennsylvania	do					10,500.00	10,500.00		
	Suboffice, Albany	McNamee	do	10,560	10,560			1.00			1.00
		County courthouse [2]	do	3,000			3,000				
	Medical unit, Poughkeepsie.	Bardovan	do	1,044			1,044	1,104.00			1,104.00
		Post office [1]	do								
	Medical unit, Troy	Federal [1]	do	2,163	660		1,503				
	Occupational therapy, Liberty.	Green	do	2,161	2,695	534		1,500.00	1,800.00	300.00	
	7. Buffalo	Federal [1]	do	5,000	10,740	5,740					
	Suboffice, Syracuse	Presbyterian	do	3,951	3,951			7,300.00	7,300.00		
	Medical unit, Rochester	68 West Main Street	do	5,544	881		4,663	8,400.00	1,674.85		6,725.15
	Medical unit, Utica	Foster	do	808			808	1,200.00			1,200.00
		7 Hopper Street	do						1.00	1.00	
	Suboffice, Binghamton	Smith	do	602	525	525					
	9. Newark	14 Bleeker Street	New Jersey	18,400	18,400		602	780.00			780.00
	Suboffice, Camden	312 Cooper Street	do	4,517				12,000.00	12,000.00		
	Suboffice, Jersey City	Lincoln Trust	do	1,076			4,517	3,500.00			3,500.00
	10. Philadelphia	Kahn	Pennsylvania	72,190	51,590		1,076	1,500.00			1,500.00
	Suboffice, Harrisburg	Yoffee	do	3,455	2,155		20,600	70,001.00	55,001.00		15,000.00
	Suboffice, Scranton	Lackawanna station	do	3,350	1,924		1,300	6,550.00	4,085.88		2,464.12
	11. Pittsburgh	Allegheny	do	14,272			1,426	3,350.00	1,924.00		1,426.00
		Republic	do		21,372	21,372	14,272	12,000.00			12,000.00
	12. Washington	Arlington [1]	District of Columbia.	36,045	26,047		9,998		18,000.00	18,000.00	
	13. Baltimore	Fort McHenry [1]	Maryland								
	14. Richmond	Grace Street Building	Virginia	3,390	11,195	7,805		5,932.50	19,470.00	13,537.50	
	Medical unit, Norfolk	Flatiron	do	762	773	11		1,240.00	1,240.08	.08	
	Medical unit, Roanoke	11 West Church Street	do	2,800			2,800	1,800.00			1,800.00
		Anchor	do		980	980			2,040.00	2,040.00	
	15. Charleston	Peoples Bank	West Virginia		10,053	10,053			13,800.00	13,800.00	
	Total			389,454	332,946	49,870	106,378	281,878.26	239,206.22	53,478.58	96,150.62

[1] Government owned.

[2] County owned.

TABLE No. 111.—*Comparative statement of rentals in effect at regional offices, suboffices, medical units, etc., of the United States Veterans' Bureau as of July 1, 1924, and July 1, 1925*—Continued

Coordination area	Regional office	Building	State	Floor space (square feet)				Annual rental			
				July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease
C	16. Atlanta	433 Peachtree Street	Georgia	33,464			33,464	$22,500.00			$22,500.00
		441–445 Peachtree Street (storage).	do		700	700			$300.00	$300.00	
		Pine and Courtland	do	22,000	22,000			17,985.00	17,985.00		
	Medical unit, Macon	Grand Building	do	2,100	475		1,625	2,100.00	600.00		1,500.00
	17. Jacksonville	St. James	Florida	4,230			4,230	5,837.40			5,837.40
		Florida Baptist	do		8,577	8,577			10,483.20	10,483.20	
	18. Charlotte	United States Assay [1]	North Carolina	5,448			5,448				
		Wade Loft	do		18,200	18,200			8,400.00	8,400.00	
	19. Columbia	Koon	South Carolina	3,107			3,107	3,479.84			3,479.84
		1246–1250 Main Street	do		10,382	10,382			12,000.00	12,000.00	
	20. Nashville	147 Seventh Avenue North.	Tennessee	4,050	11,050	7,000		4,500.00	15,699.96	11,199.96	
	Medical unit, Knoxville	Mercantile	do	3,937	575		3,362	5,905.50	862.50		5,043.00
	Medical unit, Memphis	McCall	do	1,583			1,583	2,215.20			2,215.20
	21. New Orleans	Soule	Louisiana		17,629	17,629			17,000.00	17,000.00	
		United States Mint (storage). [1]	do	13,190	13,190						
	Medical unit, Lafayette	Bank of Lafayette	do	209	430	221		240.00	210.00		30.00
	Medical unit, Shreveport.	Kettrell	do	615	615			600.00	588.00		12.00
	22. Birmingham	Old post office [1]	Alabama	7,715	9,290	1,575					
	Medical unit, Montgomery.	Bell	do	2,729	887		1,842	4,896.00	1,740.00		3,156.00
	Medical unit, Gadsden	Federal [1]	do	736	736						
	Medical unit, Mobile	Customhouse [1]	do	768	768						
	23. Jackson	Edwards House	Mississippi	3,213	7,856	4,643		4,819.50	11,152.82	6,333.32	
	Medical unit, Meridian	Cochran	do	2,827	2,827			2,220.00	2,220.00		
	49. Dallas	United Motors	Texas	38,406	39,000	594		57,119.90	36,000.00		21,119.90
		1503 Pacific Avenue	do	19,891			19,891	23,869.20			23,869.20
	50. Little Rock	Donaghey	Arkansas	5,900			5,900	8,850.00			8,850.00
		Broadway Central	do		12,577	12,577			16,727.41	16,727.41	
	51. Oklahoma City	Harn	Oklahoma	6,553			6,553	9,892.45			9,892.45
		Elks' Club	do		16,417	16,417			12,762.49	12,762.49	
	53. San Antonio	Grayburg	Texas	4,000			4,000	5,100.00			5,100.00
		Ogilvie	do		14,650	14,650			10,255.00	10,255.00	
	Medical unit, Houston	Chamber of Commerce.	do	6,796			6,796	10,000.00			10,000.00
		Griffith	do		650	650			741.00	741.00	
	Total			193,467	209,481	113,815	97,801	192,129.99	175,727.38	106,202.38	122,604.99

Coordination area	Regional office	Building	State	Floor space (square feet)				Annual rental			
				July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease
D	24. Cincinnati	1015 Vine Street	Ohio	45,280	27,872		17,408	40,752.00	27,872.00		12,880.00
		1015 Vine Street (storage). [2]	do	3,700	3,700						
	Suboffice, Columbus	Stoneman	do	6,190	6,190			7,737.50	7,737.50		
	Medical unit, Dayton	Federal [1]	do	920	920						
	25. Cleveland	Advance	do	6,730			6,730	10,050.00			10,050.00
		Hanna	do		16,920	16,920			26,107.50	26,107.50	
	Medical unit, Toledo	Nasby	do	4,331	625		3,706	6,496.00	937.50		5,558.50
	26. Indianapolis	Meridian Life	Indiana	6,340			6,340	11,158.32			11,158.32
		Test	do		17,886	17,886			22,357.50	22,357.50	
	Medical unit, Evansville	Cleveland Life	do	3,233			3,233	4,687.85			4,687.85
		Federal [1]	do	{Room 307.							
	Medical unit, South Bend.	Chamber of Commerce	do	3,687	532		3,155	4,977.45	611.80		4,365.65
	27. Louisville	Prestonia	Kentucky	7,602			7,602	9,266.00			9,266.00
		Union Labor Temple	do		17,689	17,689			22,111.25	22,111.25	
	Suboffice, Lexington	210 Broadway	do	6,000	6,000			5,400.00	5,400.00		
	28. Chicago	Butter	Illinois	108,547	84,546		24,001	108,547.00	84,546.00		24,001.00
		Intermediate supply depot (storage). [1]	do	350,000	350,000						
		Building C (storage) [1]	do		3,240	3,240					
	Suboffice, Peoria	529 Fulton Street	do	4,147			4,147	3,600.00			3,600.00
	Suboffice, East St. Louis	Metropolitan	do	3,185	5,335	2,150		2,292.00	5,185.20	2,893.20	
	Medical unit, Danville	Post office [1]	do	882	882						
	29. Detroit	Krolik	Michigan	21,000	21,000			15,750.00	15,750.00		
	Medical unit, Marquette	Marquette Savings Bank	do	1,253			1,253	1,200.00			1,200.00
	Medical unit, Grand Rapids.	McMullen	do	4,000	273		3,727	1,200.00	600.00		600.00
	Suboffice, Ann Arbor	Lane Hall	do	400			400	180.00			180.00
	30. Milwaukee	Milwaukee Terminal	Wisconsin	13,800			13,800	5,520.00			5,520.00
		Old Line Life	do		17,850	17,850			17,275.00	17,275.00	
	Suboffice, Madison	Steinle	do	8,200			8,200	5,400.00			5,400.00
	Medical unit, Eau Claire	Laycock	do	2,514			2,514	2,080.00			2,080.00
		Post office [1]	do		{Room 34–35.						
	31. St. Louis	Magazine Press	Missouri	44,607			44,607	62,452.00			62,452.00
		Chouteau Trust	do	16,500	25,095	8,595		18,535.00	30,310.15	11,775.15	
		4011 Forest Park Boulevard (storage)	do		1,500	1,500			780.00	780.00	
		1236 South Vandeventer Avenue (storage).	do		600	600			180.00	180.00	
	32. Kansas City	Coco Cola	do	11,380	18,707	7,327		12,072.00	21,738.90	9,666.90	
	33. Des Moines	Flynn	Iowa	6,320			6,320	9,479.63			9,479.63
		Peoples Bank	do		12,630	12,630			18,944.63	18,944.63	
		McCune (storage)	do		1,000	1,000			780.00	780.00	
	Medical unit, Cedar Rapids.	Railway conductor	do	2,050	800		1,250	1,500.00	584.00		916.00
	Medical unit, Davenport	Federal [1]	do	192	192						

[1] Government owned.

[2] No charge.

TABLE 111.—*Comparative statement of rentals in effect at regional offices, suboffices, medical units, etc., of the United States Veterans' Bureau as of July 1, 1924, and July 1, 1925*—Continued

Coordination area	Regional office	Building	State	Floor space (square feet)				Annual rental			
				July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase	Decrease
D	34. Omaha	Mickel	Nebraska	9,341			9,341	$12,610.35			$12,610.35
		Finance	do		12,908	12,908			$18,836.00	$18,836.00	
		Kennedy (storage)	do		1,200	1,200			600.00	600.00	
	Medical unit, Lincoln	Federal [1]	do	1,534	1,534						
	35. Minneapolis	Keith-Plaza	Minnesota	55,621	42,679		12,942	56,654.80	43,157.17		13,497.63
		334 North First Street (storage).	do		5,000	5,000			1,320.00	1,320.00	
		Federal (storage) [1]	do		425	425					
	Medical unit, St. Paul	Boston	do	6,220	6,220			4,612.00	4,612.00		
	37. Fargo	Rieley Block	North Dakota	3,230	7,000	3,770		3,587.50	6,000.00	2,412.50	
	38. Sioux Falls	Peck	South Dakota	6,500			6,500	4,500.00			4,500.00
		Randolph	do		9,240	9,240			8,000.00	8,000.00	
		Randolph (storage) [2]	do		4,840	4,840					
	52. Wichita	Sedgwick	Kansas	2,328			2,328	2,790.00			2,790.00
		Orpheum	do		11,113	11,113			17,226.00	17,226.00	
		Butts (storage)	do		700	700			350.00	350.00	
	Total			777,764	744,843	156,583	189,504	435,087.40	409,910.10	181,615.63	206,792.93
E	36. Helena	T. C. Power	Montana	9,292	23,230	13,938		4,646.00	8,130.50	3,484.50	
	39. Denver	United States National Bank.	Colorado	33,215	31,908		1,307	58,800.00	50,638.00		8,162.00
		1841 Market Street (storage).	do		10,500	10,500		3,000.00	3,000.00		
	Medical unit, Pueblo	Federal [1]	do	3,000	3,000						
	Medical unit, Boulder	University of Colorado	do	870	870			1.00	1.00		
	Suboffice Colorado Springs.	Stratton	do	1,300			1,300	1,733.33			1,733.33
	40. Albuquerque	Korber	New Mexico	6,250	9,020	2,770		5,040.00	7,124.00	2,084.00	
	Medical unit, El Paso	Mills	Texas	2,473	1,289		1,184	3,264.37	1,774.92		1,489.45
	41. Salt Lake City	Boston	Utah	5,308	4,850		458	9,289.00	6,620.00		2,669.00
	42. Casper	Becklinger	Wyoming	3,540	3,738	198		6,903.97	8,870.52	1,966.55	
	43. San Francisco	Lincoln Realty	California	39,158	30,939		8,219	56,039.00	44,726.48		11,312.52
		135 Hayes Street (storage)	do	637	231		406	672.00	243.60		428.40
	Area headquarters	Chronicle	do		3,700	3,700			4,410.00	4,410.00	
E	44. Los Angeles	Westinghouse	do	33,067	33,067			68,209.80	33,067.00		35,142.80
	Medical unit, San Diego	Spreckels	do	1,139	602		537	1,140.00	540.00		600.00
	Suboffice, Sacramento	Mercantile National Bank.	do	2,380			2,380	3,600.00			3,600.00
	Suboffice, Fresno	Brix	do	453			453	960.00			960.00
	Suboffice, Brawley	Belvedere Theater	do	515			515	600.00			600.00
		Main and Tenth Street	do	1,280			1,280	420.00			420.00
	Suboffice, Oakland	Medical	do	339			339	847.50			847.50
	45. Phoenix	134 South Central Street.	Arizona	4,414	7,200	2,786		4,502.28	9,000.00	4,497.72	
	Medical unit, Tucson	Century	do	599	599			720.00	720.00		
	46. Seattle	Fourth and Spring Streets.	Washington	31,980	20,235		11,745	30,490.00	21,665.00		8,825.00
	Suboffice, Spokane	Realty	do	720			720	840.00			840.00
	47. Boise	McCarthy	Idaho		3,801	3,801			3,554.14	3,554.14	
	48. Portland	Myler	Oregon	3,793			3,793	4,859.99			4,859.99
		Wood-Lark	do		9,454	9,454			12,480.24	12,480.24	
	Reno	Baroni	Nevada	880	1,194	314		1,795.25	2,095.20	299.95	
	Total			186,602	199,427	47,461	34,636	265,373.49	218,660.00	35,777.10	82,489.99
	Insular offices:										
	Manila	Customhouse [1]	Philippine Islands	2,300	2,300						
	Honolulu	Post office [1]	Hawaii	372	372						
	San Juan	Telephone	Porto Rico	380			380	660.00			660.00
	Total			3,052	2,672		380	660.00			660.00
	Grand total			1,637,438	1,574,638	383,899	446,699	1,310,554.14	1,168,040.94	396,606.57	539,119.77

[1] Government owned.

[2] No charge.

TABLE No. 112.—*Comparative statement of location, beds available, and annual rental of United States Veterans' Bureau hospitals, as of July 1, 1924, and July 1, 1925*

Area	Hospital No.	Location	State	Type	Hospital beds available		Annual rental		Name of lessor
					July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	
A	41	New Haven	Connecticut	Tuberculosis	500	470	$80,700.00	$80,700.00	General Hospital Society of Connecticut.
		Land					365.00	365.00	William Nagel.
	44	West Roxbury	Massachusetts	Neuropsychiatric	255	270	35,175.00	35,175.00	City of Boston.
		Outpatient office					1,800.00	1,800.00	Boston Psycopathic Hospital.
	89	Rutland	Massachusetts	Tuberculosis	124	206			Government owned.
		Nurses' quarters						1,020.00	Louis Jaffe.
	95	Northampton	Massachusetts	Neuropsychiatric	304	431			Government owned.
		Total			1,183	1,377	118,040.00	119,060.00	
B	32	Washington	District of Columbia	General	206	209			Do.
	42	Perry Point	Maryland	Neuropsychiatric	600	940			Do.
	49	Philadelphia	Pennsylvania	do	176	252			Do.
		Nurses' quarters					2,400.00	2,400.00	Mrs. Mary A. White.
	81	Bronx	New York	Neuropsychiatric	723	788			Government owned.
	96	Tupper Lake	do	Tuberculosis		415			Do.
	98	Castle Point	do	do		400			Do.
		Total			1,705	3,004	2,400.00	2,400.00	
C	27	Alexandria	Louisiana	Tuberculosis	250	400			Free grant.
	48	Atlanta	Georgia	General	135	135			Government owned.
	60	Oteen	North Carolina	Tuberculosis	1,228	1,196			Do.
		Right of way					237.08	75.08	Individual owners.
	62	Augusta	Georgia	Neuropsychiatric	330	472			Government owned.
	63	Lake City	Florida	General	250	325			Do.
	74	Gulfport	Mississippi	Neuropsychiatric	288	425			Do.
	78	North Little Rock	Arkansas	do	279	531			Do.
	84	Algiers	Louisiana	General	239	354			Do.
	88	Memphis	Tennessee	do	165	325			Do.
	90	Muskogee [1]	Oklahoma	do	330	375	22,500.00		State of Oklahoma.
	91	Tuskegee [2]	Alabama	do	600	600			Government owned.
	93	Legion	Texas	Tuberculosis	400	480	67,500.00	67,500.00	State of Texas.
		Total			4,494	5,618	90,237.08	67,575.08	
D	37	Waukesha	Wisconsin	Neuropsychiatric	276	321			Government owned.
		Nurses' quarters					2,700.00	2,700.00	Mrs. Cambier.
		Storage space					240.00	240.00	Giesselbrecht.
	53	Dwight	Illinois	General	225	225			Government owned.
	57	Knoxville	Iowa	Neuropsychiatric	355	460			Do.
	65	St. Paul	Minnesota	General	361	361	56,000.00	56,000.00	C. J. Minor.
		Nurses' quarters					7,200.00		Miss Sarah Gaugham.
	67	Kansas City	Missouri	General	125	125	23,000.00	23,000.00	Robertson Land Co.
		Nurses' quarters					3,000.00	3,000.00	B. Steel.
	68	Minneapolis	Minnesota	Tuberculosis	288	295	93,609.84	93,609.84	Asbury Hospital.
	69	Fort Thomas	Kentucky	General	149	147	40,000.00	40,000.00	Altamont Hotel.
		Nurses' quarters					6,000.00	4,000.00	Aveneo Hotel.
		Edw. Hines, Jr., Hospital	Illinois	General	925	950			Government owned.
	79	Dawson Springs	Kentucky	Tuberculosis	418	374			Do.
	92	Jefferson Barracks	Missouri	General	343	383			Do.
	97	Chillicothe	Ohio	Neuropsychiatric	150	502			Do.
	99	Excelsior Springs	Missouri	General		125			Do.
		Nurses' quarters						1,800.00	Mrs. Utie S. Bogart.
	100	Camp Custer	Michigan	Neuropsychiatric		532			Government owned.
	101	St. Cloud	Minnesota	do		327			Do.
		Total			3,615	5,127	231,749.84	224,349.84	
E	24	Palo Alto	California	Neuropsychiatric	829	677			Do.
	50	Whipple	Arizona	Tuberculosis	600	600			Do.
	51	Tucson	do	do	290	290			Do.
		Land					2,400.00	2,400.00	Miss Marianna Loebs.
		Do					540.00	540.00	Pusch Land & Cattle Co.
		Do					1,200.00		Starkweather.
	52	Boise	Idaho	General	252	252			Government owned.
		Watershed						64.00	State of Idaho.
	55	Fort Bayard	New Mexico	Tuberculosis	450	550			Government owned.
	59	Tacoma	Washington	General	313	296	17,000.00	17,000.00	Cushman Indian School (Interior Department).
	64	Camp Kearney	California	Tuberculosis	350	566			Government owned.
		Land					20,000.00	20,000.00	Mack Cooper Co.
		Right of way					520.00	520.00	Individual owners.
	72	Helena	Montana	Tuberculosis	300	301			Government owned.
	77	Portland	Oregon	General	130	145	2,400.00	2,400.00	Hahneman Hospital.
		Nurses' quarters					1,000.00	1,000.00	Do.
	80	Fort Lyon	Colorado	Tuberculosis	500	509			Government owned.
	85	Walla Walla	Washington	do	212	250			Do.
	86	Sheridan	Wyoming	Neuropsychiatric	315	431			Do.
	94	American Lake	Washington	do	323	360			Do.
	102	Livermore	California	Tuberculosis		302			Do.
		Total			4,864	5,529	45,060.00	43,924.00	
		Grand total			15,861	20,655	487,486.92	457,308.92	

[1] Purchased.

[2] Hospital No. 91, Tuskegee, Ala., changed from tuberculosis to general hospital in August, 1924.

CONSTRUCTION DIVISION

The construction division is composed of the administrative staff, maintenance and operation subdivision, design subdivision, and engineering subdivision and is charged with the preparation of plans, specifications, and estimates covering construction, alteration, and repair of hospitals and equipment, and with the supervision of execution of such work. This division also supervises the maintenance of buildings and grounds under the control of the Veterans' Bureau and the maintenance and operation of utilities, including heating, lighting, electric power, plumbing, sewage and refuse disposal, water supply, radio, laundries, fire protection, telephone service, and refrigerating plants.

MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF UTILITIES

The maintenance and operation subdivision is responsible for the administration of maintenance and operation activities at all stations of the bureau and for general supervision of station personnel employed on activities under the jurisdiction of the construction division.

During this year particular attention was directed to the standardization of equipment, reduction in stock, and systematic operation of mechanical utilities. An indication of the volume of work handled is evidenced by the receipt of 5,033 separate maintenance and repair requests from field stations. The estimated cost placed on these requests by field agencies was $2,900,708, while the amount actually approved for expenditure was but $1,719,787, a difference of $1,180,921. This reduction was effected by (*a*) canceling all unnecessary projects; (*b*) deferring projects which, although in some instances desirable, were not absolutely essential at that time; (*c*) carefully reestimating requests and substituting less expensive material which would answer the same purposes as that requested; (*d*) reducing to a minimum all requests for material with a view toward maintaining at stations the smallest stocks of supplies possible without hindering operation.

One of the primary functions of this subdivision is that of maintaining strict supervision over the operation of station utilities. This control is accomplished in nunferous ways, principal of which are the following:

Each hospital is required to submit a monthly report of its power-plant operations, which is carefully reviewed and studied by the bureau for the purpose of detecting waste, effecting economies, and devising means of curtailing unnecessary expenditures.

General instructions for fire prevention and protection have been prepared and issued to field stations. In addition, the responsible officers at each hospital and supply depot have been repeatedly impressed with the necessity of removing all fire hazards. To adequately handle one phase of this problem demands suitable facilities

for the segregation of storage of inflammable oils, paints, etc. To meet this requirement, a standard metal building with concrete floor is constructed.

Considerable attention was given to effecting economies in the operation of station laundries, while contracts with commercial firms were closely scrutinized to ascertain their reasonableness. Greater competition among commercial laundries is now being demanded, and hospitals operating laundry plants are required to keep a record of the cost of labor, materials, supplies, and quantity of work accomplished. These data are forwarded monthly to the bureau and prove invaluable in determining the advisability of establishing a laundry at other hospitals now having such service performed commercially. Of the 50 hospitals operated by this bureau, all but 16 have their own laundries, and present plans contemplate the installation of the necessary equipment in practically all of the latter, as soon as funds become available. Experience indicates that the average cost per piece for work accomplished by commercial establishments ranges from 1.4 to 6.8 cents, or a mean average of 4.1 cents per piece, while that performed by station labor ranges from 1.4 to 4.7 cents or a mean averge of 2.4 cents per piece.

A careful study was also made of existing telephone installations and standard equipment substituted wherever indicated. The latter has unquestionably resulted in considerable economy for, notwithstanding increased field activities, the amount expended for this service during 1925 was but little in excess of that for the previous year.

A systematic inspection of boilers was inaugurated during this year to insure safety to personnel and beneficiaries, as well as to adopt such corrective measures as would result in a minimum cost of plant operation.

Under existing regulations occupational therapy activities are prescribed as a part of the rehabilitation program for neuropsychiatric patients, including poultry raising, agricultural and allied subjects. The successful initiation and maintenance and operation of such work for the benefit of the patients requires simple but substantial construction, and with that end in view all poultry and brooder houses, hog houses, granaries, root cellars, etc., are standardized as to respective types.

DESIGN SUBDIVISION

The design subdivision is responsible for architectural and structural work, specification writing, checking, and estimating in connection with the designing of new hospitals and the remodeling of existing facilities, including structures, landscape work, roads and walks.

During this year intensive study was directed toward designing buildings, particularly applicable to the needs of this bureau. This study resulted in the development of buildings better suited to the needs of the various classes of patients at a material reduction in space, as well as in the cost per bed. The present arrangement of these buildings likewise provides for efficient operation with considerably fewer personnel. This advance in design is apparent upon comparison of the standard building formerly used for acutely disturbed mental cases, costing about $4,000 a bed, with the one developed in this division costing about $2,250 a bed.

The same progress was even more evident in tuberculosis buildings, for in the past it was customary to design each building for one class of patients only, which made it impossible to use, for instance, an ambulant building for semiambulant or infirmary cases, etc. Thus many buildings were not utilized to their fullest extent. All buildings are now designed to care for practically every class of patient and to be more independent of the central main building. It would appear that the providing of facilities as flexible as these, could only be accomplished at an increased cost, but on the contrary where the semiambulant buildings formerly used cost $2,200 per bed those now constructed cost but $1,800.

Plans and specifications have been completed during the past year for 81 projects at a total cost of $4,399,281. Work is progressing on 13 additional projects, totaling $9,052,000, which are an average of 8 per cent complete, or equivalent to additional construction in the amount of $743,500, making a total of $5,142,718 for which plans and specifications have been prepared during this fiscal year.

ENGINEERING SUBDIVISION

The engineering subdivision is charged with all matters pertaining to the designing of water supply systems, sewage and refuse disposal, heating, plumbing, electrical work, refrigerating plants, nurses' call signal systems, radio equipment, telephone equipment, and mechanical equipment generally, and for the coordination of the design with architectual and structural design and bureau requirements.

During this year every effort was made to simplify heating systems, and all new equipment standardized to the greatest possible extent. Boilers were installed from surplus wherever possible, as were plumbing fixtures for all laundry buildings. Experience has taught that it is poor economy to use salvaged plumbing fixtures in new construction work, as oftentimes missing or broken parts delay private contractors. Such equipment can, and is being used, however, where the work is done by purchase and hire under control of the bureau. Practically all telephone equipment has been standardized. The plan now generally used consists of the installation of a private automatic exchange system of intercommunication with only sufficient outside lines to take care of necessary official business. Nurses' call systems of the silent type have been generally installed in new hospitals, thereby eliminating confusion and annoyance peculiar to the old style bedside bells. Practically all hospitals now have fire-alarm systems with boxes of standard city type. Radio equipment is now a part of the equipment of all hospitals and the morale of the patients considerably bettered thereby.

While no appreciable saving has been accomplished in salvaging kitchen equipment, at least 15 per cent of the equipment for new hospitals has been obtained from surplus. Considerable economy has also been effected in the reconditioning of sterilizers, although none of this equipment is reissued without first having been rebuilt at the factory.

The effective control exercised over surplus equipment is evidenced by the present practice of communicating with the medical officer in charge of a hospital where it is proposed to erect a new building to replace an existing one and ascertaining the nature of equipment suitable for transfer from the old to the new building. A clause is then inserted in the specification requiring the contractor to remove this equipment.

Several stations were furnished coal-handling cranes and similar equipment during this year, all of which were obtained from other Government departments free of charge, resulting in a saving to the bureau estimated at $82,800.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS IN HOSPITAL CONSTRUCTION

In the matter of accomplishments from the standpoint of additional hospital facilities it appears that at the close of this period there were 4,794 more available beds in all veterans' hospitals than at the beginning thereof. This material increase in available beds was due to (*a*) the opening of the hospital at Castle Point, N. Y., constructed from funds provided by the first Langley Act, (*b*) the completing and opening of four hospitals acquired under the second Langley Act, (*c*) the opening of the hospital at Tupper Lake, N. Y., the construction of which was completed toward the close of the last fiscal year, (*d*) the making available of the entire number of beds constructed at Chillicothe, Ohio, and Northampton, Mass., both of which hospitals at the start of this period were not reporting as available their full complement of beds, (*e*) the construction of additional facilities at existing hospitals, and (*f*) the obtaining of certain others through alterations, remodeling, and reconditioning existing structures.

The end of this fiscal year witnessed the completion of all construction under the second Langley Act (Public 194, 67th Cong., April 20, 1922), with the exception of the hospital at Aspinwall, Pa., which will be completed July 29, 1925. The total number of beds acquired under this authorization was 4,134, distributed by type of disease as follows: Tuberculous, 844; neuropsychiatric, 2,965; and general medical and surgical, 325. It will be noted that approximately three-fourths of the foregoing total were of the neuropsychiatric type, all of which, with the exception of the facilities at Gulfport, Miss., were for the treatment of mental as distinguished from nervous conditions. Certain projects under this act were handled by both the War and Navy Departments, which together with this bureau were instrumental in the successful completion of so tremendous a construction program.

The hospital construction program of this bureau did not close with the completion of the projects under the second Langley Act, for its efforts are now being directed toward accomplishing certain additional construction, the funds for which were provided by Public 197, Sixty-eighth Congress, June 5, 1924 ($6,850,000). Before the close of this fiscal year new hospitals were under construction at San Fernando, Calif., and Great Lakes, Ill., both of which are scheduled for completion in January, 1926. It is expected that the construction of additional facilities at the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Hot Springs, S. Dak., will commence in September, 1925, while plans for the new 1,000-bed neuropsychiatric hospital at Northport, Long Island, will be ready for advertising within approximately three months thereafter. The previously leased hospital at Muskogee, Okla., was purchased under this authorization.

In addition to the foregoing, preliminary steps are under way to complete the necessary plans and specifications, in the order of their importance from the standpoint of present and potential needs, for the new construction authorized under Public 587, Sixty-eighth Congress, March 3, 1925 ($10,000,000), and for which it is expected the Sixty-ninth Congress will provide the necessary funds. The completion of this program approximately two years hence will result in the acquisition of 5,024 permanent beds. An appreciable number of the total beds to be acquired under this authorization, however, are scheduled to replace existing leased facilities, as well as temporary Government-owned ones.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS ON CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Totals listed below, shows the status of all major construction and maintenance projects which have been (*a*) completed during the past fiscal year, (*b*) placed under contract, or in connection with which work has been started by purchase of material and hire of temporary labor, (*c*) approved and on which work has been started on preparation of plans and specifications:

(*a*) Completed projects	$4,666,410.67
(*b*) Projects under construction	4,722,903.00
(*c*) Approved projects	2,738,139.53

Of the $4,722,903 valuation of work under construction, item (*b*), same has been completed to the value of $2,780,970, or 61 per cent, making a grand total for work accomplished in the past fiscal year of $7,447,380.

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 24, PALO ALTO, CALIF.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Additional well	$6,000.00	100			
Roads and sidewalks					$4,998.00
Refrigeration plant					11,230.00
Laundry building					24,400.00
Laundry equipment					8,726.00
Linoleum					5,885.00
Bakery and storeroom	25,000.00				
Painting (interior)			$20,000.00		
Additional land	8,000.00				
General repairs	15,000.00				
Recreation building	85,000.00				
Addition to dining room	38,000.00				
Window grilles	8,400.00	15			
Settling tank					2,400.00
Repairs to Red Cross building					2,220.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 27, ALEXANDRIA, LA.

Water supply			$6,800.00	15	

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 32, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Recreation building and quarters					$97,865.00
Painting (interior)					4,900.00
Nurses' call system					3,875.00
Porch inclosures					3,733.00
Garbage vault					6,181.00
Warehouse and nurses' quarters					145,558.00
Painting (exterior)					2,800.00
Walks and gutters					4,728.00
Greenhouse					1,475.00
Elevator changes			$2,895.00	5	
Administration and clinical buildings	$135,000.00	85			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 37, WAUKESHA, WIS.

Driveway					$13,202.00
Radio equipment					2,500.00
Additional land	$30,000.00				
Miscellaneous repairs					1,935.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 41, NEW HAVEN, CONN.

Radio equipment					$4,200.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 42, PERRY POINT, MD.

346 additional beds					$816,161.29
Improvements to grounds					5,487.00
Repairs to roads					4,444.00
Building for fire alarm, panel telephone equipment, and electrical repair shop					2,500.00
Addition to basement of diagnostic building			$3,400.00	50	
Kitchen and mess hall	$150,000.00	95			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 48, ATLANTA, GA.

Addition to nurses' quarters					$12,342.00
Sewerage disposal plant, water-storage tank, and additional boiler facilities					24,939.00
Kitchen alterations	$15,000.00	90			
Administration building and storage basement	35,000.00	90			
Recreation building	50,000.00	20			
6-inch sewage line	5,000.00				

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 49, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Reconditioning					$2,500.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 50, WHIPPLE, ARIZ.

Electric lighting system			$10,000.00	20	
Connecting 8 buildings to heating plant					$17,000.00
Telephone system			15,384.00		
Mess and kitchen					32,323.00
Alterations to Red Cross building					8,664.00
Road repair					35,502.00
Screens and curtains					4,150.00
Exterior painting, new flooring, and miscellaneous repairs			70,000.00	99	
Replacing sidewalks			10,250.00	95	
Radio wiring			3,500.00	98	
Consolidation of diet kitchens			9,000.00		
Floors painted, building No. 44			3,000.00	95	
Addition of kitchen to officers' quarters			2,000.00	95	
Telephone and fire alarm system			7,294.00	5	

TABLE. No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 51, TUCSON, ARIZ.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Occupational-therapy building and alterations to mess, etc					$24,965.00
Red Cross building					8,548.00
General repairs and installing heating boilers			$11,000.00	90	
Refrigeration plant	$13,000.00	100			
Exterior painting of all old buildings					2,250.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 52, BOISE, IDAHO

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Painting					$4,400.00
Radio equipment					2,200.00
Reconditioning mountain springs water system					3,700.00
Heating plant					1,650.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 53, DWIGHT, ILL.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Three boilers			$14,350.00	5	

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 55, FORT BAYARD, N. MEX.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Reservoir			$22,600.00	83	
Alterations to X-ray department					$3,129.00
Painting (exterior)					7,500.00
Animal house					1,600.00
Repairs to roads and grounds			10,000.00	40	
Miscellaneous repairs			17,500.00	50	
Salvaging buildings			5,000.00	75	
Alterations to infirmary ward			8,650.00	45	
Pipe line			9,000.00	90	
Radio equipment					3,960.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 57, KNOXVILLE, IOWA

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Telephone system					$11,337.00
Ground lighting					3,300.00
Window grilles					6,000.00
Roads and walks	$35,600.00	100			
Boiler connections					2,980.00
Miscellaneous repairs					5,250.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 59, TACOMA, WASH.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Fire escapes	$4,800.00				

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 60, OTEEN, N. C.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Repairs to roads					$8,000.00
Painting					15,000.00
Underpinning buildings					6,600.00
Sewerage system			$19,406.00	95	
Radio equipment					4,800.00
Kitchen equipment			4,500.00	90	
Telephone system	$12,000.00	20			
Electric ranges			3,850.00	90	
Installing electric ranges			3,000.00	90	
New mess hall	76,000.00	100			
Installing kitchen equipment			2,763.00	90	
Replacing water pipe					6,500.00
Fence	15,000.00	10			

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 62, AUGUSTA, GA.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
200 additional beds					$655,913.00
Remodeling main building					95,000.00
Fence					12,337.00
Cables and wiring for telephone system					3,187.00
Telephone system					5,205.88
Fire-alarm system			$4,987.00	92	
Repairs to roads and walks					4,800.00
Interior plaster repairs					3,000.00
Roads and walks	$12,000.00	80			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 63, LAKE CITY, FLA.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Sidewalks and roads			$20,470.00		
Fence	$13,500.00				
Mess hall and kitchen, storehouse and garage			103,495.00		
Painting 5 buildings, changing sewerage system, porches on isolation ward, porches for wards No. 15 and No. 16, quarters for negro personnel, and general reconditioning	43,575.00	100			
Purchase of poles, transformers, etc., also rebuilding service lines and extending general lighting	8,964.53	100			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 67, KANSAS CITY, MO.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Painting (exterior)					$1,313.50

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 69, FORT THOMAS, KY.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Painting (interior)					$11,400.00
Painting (exterior)					3,854.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 72, FORT HARRISON, MONT.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Laundry building and equipment					$24,000.00
Refrigeration plant					4,448.00
Porches on buildings Nos. 2 and 28					16,000.00
Alterations to dining room					1,775.00
Renovating officers' quarters and resetting boilers					2,800.00
Addition to Red Cross building					16,200.00
Converting north and south wards of building No. 2 into individual rooms					32,000.00
Remodeling officers' quarters					4,800.00
Addition to building No. 9, nurses' mess hall; porches, building No. 9; connecting corridors and converting building No. 10 into occupational-therapy shop			$26,975.00	85	

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 74, GULFPORT, MISS.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Steam heat in five buildings			$48,450.00	90	
Alterations to mess hall			4,026.00	98	
Fire-alarm system					$8,947.00
Storehouse					15,581.00
Roads and walks					21,500.00
X-ray equipment					3,359.00
Miscellaneous repairs					6,647.00
Sand filling	$12,600.00	10			
Porches on acute building					2,500.00
Porches on building No. 5			2,500.00	00	

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL, EDWARD HINES, JR., MAYWOOD, ILL.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Railroad siding					$4,530.00
Elevator changes					5,145.00
Repairs to roofs					10,400.00
Grilles					2,665.00
Duplex pumps					5,975.00
Extending fire risers					1,765.00
Garage doors					3,500.00
Coal cars					2,400.00
Shop building and animal house	$26,000.00	90			
Installing radio equipment					2,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 78, NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARK.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Repairs to officers' quarters					$5,750.00
Laundry alterations					5,500.00
Fly screens			$9,000.00	20	
Fence			5,051.00	98	
Grilles (window)					15,897.00
Road work					35,977.00
General repairs and remodeling of old buildings			60,000.00	30	
Laundry machinery					3,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL, NO. 79, DAWSON SPRINGS, KY.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Painting (interior)					$7,340.00
Resurfacing roads					5,000.00
New service roads					2,000.00
Alterations to buildings					60,700.00
Service line to new officers' quarters and recreation building					27,262.00
Concrete road and curb work					12,750.00
Repair of road to Dawson Springs					12,000.00
Additional radiation buildings Nos. 16, 17, 20, and 23, and remodeling windows					4,900.00
Screening porches, buildings Nos. 10, 11, and 12					2,000.00
Automatic telephone switchboard	$6,500.00	100			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 80, FORT LYON, COLO

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Remodeling heating system					$5,000.00
Fire-alarm system and miscellaneous repairs					2,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 81, BRONX, N. Y.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Reconditioning stone tower and cupola, Building No. 1					$2,025.00
Wall, southeast corner of reservation					2,471.00
Fire partitions					4,100.00
Groundlighting					3,720.00
Boiler repairs					3,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 84, ALGIERS, LA.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Cold-storage facilities	$15,000.00				
General repairs					$3,000.00

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 85, WALLA WALLA, WASH

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Elevator, Building No. 69					$5,893.00
Nurses' call system					3,600.00
Additional quarters for personnel					7,500.00
Roads and walks					5,160.00
Miscellaneous extensions and alterations					9,338.00
Administration building					32,268.00
Repairs and additions to sewer system					10,000.00
Remodeling recreation building					6,000.00
Replacing sewer line between hospital and septic tank					2,500.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 86, FORT McKENZIE, WYO.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Construction, alterations and repairs (general reconditioning)					$69,530.00
Protection of work partially completed and funds obligated					4,300.00
To complete alterations and repairs					30,000.00
Acceptance of proposals for steel work and wall paint					4,133.00
Electric distribution lines			$5,000.00	90	

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 88, MEMPHIS, TENN.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Service building			$32,975.00	65	
Quarters for medical officer in charge			11,500.00	15	
Coal vault					$2,325.00
Removing curtain wall partition					6,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 89, RUTLAND, MASS.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Alterations to main building					$26,200.00
Alterations to attendants' quarters			$10,000.00	30	
Brick wall and gate					4,156.00
Officers' quarters, medical officer in charge's quarters, storehouse, addition to infirmary building, semiambulant building, addition to attendants' quarters, addition to nurses' quarters, recreation building, and central heating plant			602,217.00	92	
Sand filter					24,500.00
Telephone system, fire alarm, electric service supply and ground lighting			9,490.00	77	
Linoleum					2,700.00
Remodeling basement of nurses' quarters					3,000.00
Window screens					2,400.00
Oil-burning equipment			25,995.00	10	

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 90, MUSKOGEE, OKLA.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Kitchen equipment					$4,000.00
Repairs to roads					3,790.00
Replacing high-pressure boilers and construction of additional space	$5,250.00				
Installing refrigeration plant			$3,600.00	15	

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 91, TUSKEGEE, ALA.

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Repairs and alterations to neuropsychiatric section of infirmary building, ambulant tuberculosis buildings A and B, and garage			$6,975.00	50	
Alterations to continued treatment and R. E. building			12,500.00	50	
Water supply					$20,000.00
Fence					2,850.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 92, JEFFERSON BARRACKS, MO.

Awnings					$2,246.00
Concrete curbing					3,825.00
Road construction			$9,500.00	90	
Grading			3,500.00	90	
Remodeling basement, old building, for attendants' quarters	$5,000.00	95			
Stable and animal house	20,000.00	95			
Storehouse			26,394.00	25	
Personnel quarters	15,000.00	95			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 93, LEGION, TEX.

Radio equipment					$3,000.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 94, AMERICAN LAKE, WASH.

Fence					$11,967.00
Grilles			$10,800.00	85	
Refrigeration plant			3,240.00	40	
Laundry building					17,000.00
Greenhouse			2,385.00	50	
Occupational-therapy farm project			3,400.00		

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 95, NORTHAMPTON, MASS.

Grilles					$8,500.00
Shelving in building No. 16 and pharmacy					3,368.00
Fence					13,466.00
Recreation building			$107,428.00	11	
Covered walkways					88,235.00
Approach work			11,500.00	95	
Garbage-can bin					2,000.00
Draining manholes					3,600.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 96, TUPPER LAKE, N. Y.

Moving building					$3,300.00
Laundry building					35,000.00
Roads			$8,500.00	25	
Covered walks					43,900.00
Fire escapes, Buildings 6, 7, and 2					2,500.00
Fire-alarm system					5,490.00
Radio equipment					2,900.00
Transom lifts					3,235.00
Foundation for medical officer in charge's quarters					2,600.00
Painting (interior)			25,000.00		
Moving Mosely House					2,550.00
Transformer house					1,550.00
Coal bin					2,200.00
Radio installation					2,500.00
Completion of frame houses					2,265.00
Approach work	$5,000.00	50			

TABLE No. 113.—*Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau*—Continued

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 97, CHILLICOTHE, OHIO

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
Grilles					$7,900.00
Electric sterilizers					2,132.00
Water-softening plant					40,000.00
Approach work			$11,581.00	10	
Transformers					2,350.00
Additional grilles					10,120.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 98, CASTLE POINT, N. Y.

Radio equipment					$4,200.00
Wiring for bed lamps and nurses' call system					3,000.00
Complete nurses' call system					1,827.00
Repairs to boiler settings					2,500.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 99, EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, MO.

Storehouse and garage					$15,480.00

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 100, CAMP CUSTER, MICH.

Window grilles			$11,867.00	20	
Approach work			8,000.00	90	
Miscellaneous repairs					$2,400.00
Laundry machinery			10,000.00	90	
Grading					2,000.00
Completing X ray			2,000.00	95	
Roof repairs			3,980.00	80	

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 101, ST. CLOUD, MINN.

Window grilles					$7,230.00
Installing telephone equipment			$26,000.00		
Dairy project	$32,000.00				3,600.00
Fire alarm system					
Approach work			7,000.00		
Water supply	25,650.00	10			

UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 102, LIVERMORE, CALIF.

Kitchen equipment					$7,000.00
Main construction					1,200,000.00
Preliminary work					50,000.00
Laundry equipment					9,000.00
Telephone system					4,755.00
Fire alarm system					5,116.00
Wiring for telephone system					7,980.00
Concrete walk					3,780.00
Well, grading, etc					10,000.00
New well					5,500.00
Pumping equipment			$23,600.00	5	
Screens			22,100.00	70	
Window shades					3,730.00
Pipe and fittings					22,698.00
Preliminary landscape work			3,000.00	20	

Accomplishments on construction projects during fiscal year 1924–25—Plans, specifications, and field superintendence by Veterans' Bureau—Continued

Project	Estimated costs of approved projects	Plans and specifications, percentage complete	Under construction at estimated cost	Construction work, percentage complete	Completed at total cost
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 103, ASPINWALL, PA.					
220-bed tuberculosis hospital			$1,140,847.00	95	
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 104, SAN FERNANDO, CALIF.					
232-bed tuberculosis hospital			$1,037,008.00	54	
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL NO. 105, GREAT LAKES, ILL.					
General construction and utilities			$903,925.00	30	
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL, HOT SPRINGS, S. DAK.					
300-bed tuberculosis hospital	$530,300.00	100			
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITAL, FORT SNELLING, MINN.					
400-bed hospital	$1,200,000.00	15			
Total	2,738,139.53		$4,722,903.00		$4,666,410.67

TABLE 114.—*Completed hospital program under second Langley Act, as of July 29, 1925*

(Public 194, 67th Cong., Apr. 20, 1922, $17,000,000)

Station	Beds provided: Total	Beds provided: Tuberculosis	Beds provided: Neuropsychiatric	Beds provided: General	Cost of entire project [1]	Cost per bed [2]	Date of completion	Remarks
AREA A								
Northampton, Mass.	462		462		$2,450,865.44	$5,305.00	May 14, 1925	Constructed from ground up.
AREA B								
Tupper Lake, N. Y.	358	358			1,814,699.96	5,069.00	Aug. 1, 1924	Do.
Aspinwall, Pa.	218	218			1,233,982.66	5,660.00	July 29, 1925	Do.
AREA C								
Memphis, Tenn.	200			200	872,875.63	4,364.00	Aug. 14, 1922	Purchase of existing civil hospital.
Gulfport, Miss.	255		255		861,113.89	3,377.00	May 31, 1924	Purchase of property, remodeling and new construction.
AREA D								
Chillicothe, Ohio	452		452		1,521,477.41	3,366.00	July 19, 1924	Constructed from ground up.
Camp Custer, Mich.	527		527		1,929,366.50	3,661.00	Sept. 20, 1924	Do.
Dwight, Ill.	232		232		291,492.06	1,256.00	Jan. 9, 1924	Purchase of existing hospital and reconditioning.
Knoxville, Iowa	456		456		1,124,940.88	2,467.00	July 1, 1924	Purchase of property, new construction and alterations.
Excelsior Springs, Mo.	125			125	297,518.47	2,380.00	Sept. 3, 1924	Do.
St. Cloud, Minn.	276		276		900,501.95	3,262.00	Aug. 15, 1924	Constructed from ground up.
AREA E								
American Lake, Wash.	305		305		1,382,985.07	4,534.00	Dec. 31, 1923	Do.
Livermore, Calif.	268	268			1,357,289.99	5,065.00	Mar. 21, 1925	Do.
Purchase of site at San Fernando, Calif., and other land.					118,581.71			
Technical services					509,162.26			
Total	4,134	844	2,965	325	16,666,853.88			
Unobligated balance					333,146.12			

[1] Represents total amount obligated.

[2] Includes cost of fixed equipment, plus cost of sites when purchased out of second Langley Act.

TABLE No. 115.—*United States Veterans' hospitals—Statement of existing facilities and estimated development of facilities under present appropriations or authorizations only*

The construction program as outlined by this table is tentative, and is subject to such changes as may be indicated by future development in the hospital load.

Number and location	Present type	Total beds available June 30, 1924	Fiscal year 1925		Total beds available June 30, 1925	Fiscal year 1926		Total beds available June 30, 1926	Fiscal year 1927		Total beds available June 30, 1927	Estimated facilities ultimately to be abandoned [1]		Estimated ultimate permanent Government owned beds
			Additions	Reductions		Estimated additions	Estimated reductions		Estimated additions	Estimated reductions		Leased properties	Government properties [2]	
24. Palo Alto, Calif.	Neuropsychiatric	829		152	677			677	[3] 200		877		162	715
27. Alexandria, La.	Tuberculosis	250	150		400			400	[4] 400	400	400			400
32. Washington, D. C.	General	206	3		209	[5] 76		285			285			285
37. Waukesha, Wis.	Neuropsychiatric	276	45		321		71	250			250			250
41. New Haven, Conn.	Tuberculosis	500		30	470			470		470				
42. Perry Point, Md.	Neuropsychiatric	600	340		940			940			940			940
44. West Roxbury, Mass.	do	255	15		270			270		270				
48. Atlanta, Ga.	General	135			135	[5] 15		150			150			150
49. Philadelphia, Pa.	Neuropsychiatric	176	76		252			252			252			252
50. Whipple, Ariz.	Tuberculosis	600			600			600			600			600
51. Tucson, Ariz.	do	290			290			290	[4] 250	290	250			250
52. Boise, Idaho	General	252			252			252			252			252
53. Dwight, Ill.	do	225			225			225			225			225
55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex.	Tuberculosis	450	100		550			550			550			550
57. Knoxville, Iowa	Neuropsychiatric	355	105		460			460	[3] 100		560			560
59. Tacoma, Wash.	General	313		17	296			296		296				
60. Otteen, N. C.	Tuberculosis	1,228		32	1,196			1,196	[4] 600	600	1,196		396	800
62. Augusta, Ga.	Neuropsychiatric	330	142		472			472			472			472
63. Lake City, Fla.	General	250	75		325			325			325			325
64. Camp Kearney, Calif.	Tuberculosis	350	216		566			566		566				
65. St. Paul, Minn.	General	361			361			361		361				
67 Kansas City, Mo.	do	125			125			125			125	125		
68. Minneapolis, Minn.	Tuberculosis	288	7		295			295			295	295		
69. Fort Thomas, Ky.	General	149		2	147			147			147	147		
72. Helena, Mont.	Tuberculosis	300	1		301			301			301			301
74. Gulfport, Miss.	Neuropsychiatric	288	137		425			425			425			425
Edw. Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill.	General	925	25		950			950			950			950
77. Portland, Oreg.	do	130	15		145			145		145				
78. North Little Rock, Ark.	Neuropsychiatric	279	252		531	[5] 68		599			599			599
79. Dawson Springs, Ky.	Tuberculosis	418		44	374			374			374			374
80. Fort Lyons, Colo.	do	500	9		509			509			509			509
81. Bronx, N. Y.	Neuropsychiatric	723	65		788			788			788			788
84. Algiers, La.	General	239	115		354			354			354			354
85. Walla Walla, Wash.	Tuberculosis	212	38		250			250			250			250
86. Sheridan, Wyo.	Neuropsychiatric	315	116		431	[5] 118		549			549			549
88. Memphis, Tenn.	General	165	160		325			325			325			325
89. Rutland, Mass.	Tuberculosis	124	82		206	[5] 250		456			456			456
90. Muskogee, Okla.	General	330	45		375			375			375			375
91. Tuskegee, Ala.	do	600			600			600			600			600
92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo.	do	343	40		383			383			383			383
93. Legion, Tex.[6]	Tuberculosis	400	80		480			480			480			480
94. American Lake, Wash.	Neuropsychiatric	323	37		360			360	[3] 100		460			460
95. Northampton, Mass.	do	304	127		431			431	[5] 23		454			454
96. Tupper Lake, N. Y.	Tuberculosis		415		415			415	[5] 144		559			559
97. Chillicothe, Ohio	Neuropsychiatric	150	352		502			502			502			502
98. Castle Point, N. Y.	Tuberculosis		400		400			400	[3] 300		700			700
99. Excelsior Springs, Mo.	General		125		125			125			125			125
100. Camp Custer, Mich.	Neuropsychiatric		532		532			532			532			532
101. St. Cloud, Minn.	do		327		327			327	[3] 60		387			387
102. Livermore, Calif.	Tuberculosis		302		302			302	[3] 150		452			452
103. Aspinwall, Pa.	do					[7] 218		218			218			218
104. San Fernando, Calif.	do					[8] 234		234	[3] 250		484			484
105. Great Lakes, Ill.	Neuropsychiatric					[8] 325		325			325			325
Fort Snelling, Minn.	General								[3] 400		400			400
Northport, L. I.	Neuropsychiatric								[8] 1,000		1,000			1,000
Portland, Oreg.[9]	General								[3] 300		300			300
Boston, Mass.	Neuropsychiatric								[3] 300		300			300
Hot Springs, S. Dak.	Tuberculosis								[8] 159		159			159
Total		15,861	5,071	277	20,655	1,304	71	21,888	4,736	3,398	23,226	567	558	22,101

[1] Necessity for replacement dependent upon future demand.
[2] Facilities are of temporary frame construction.
[3] Public 587, 68th Cong., Mar. 3, 1925.
[4] Permanent facilities to replace existing temporary ones (Pub. 587, 68th Cong., Mar. 3, 1925)
[5] Current fiscal appropriations.
[6] Project now leased, but purchase expected.
[7] Public 194, 67th Cong., Apr. 20, 1922.
[8] Public 197, 68th Cong., June 5, 1924.
[9] New hospital to replace existing leased hospitals at Tacoma, Wash., and Portland, Oreg.

PERSONNEL DIVISION

In personnel activities during the fiscal year emphasis was continued on the development of efficient service through elimination of duplicate work and the introduction of time-saving procedure. Of necessity a considerable amount of paper work must be handled by the personnel division. The extent of this work during the past fiscal year is indicated by the fact that 24,793 appointments were issued, 24,206 discontinuances were effected, and there were more than 29,000 other changes in status. A letter is necessary to cover each of these personnel changes, and in addition there is a great deal of correspondence necessary with the field and with the operating services of central office to bring about final action, which involved some 92,000 letters and some 10,000 pieces of miscellaneous and general correspondence. With this great volume of work, it is evident that there must be a thorough coordination of activities, and the distribution and flow of work must be arranged in the most effective manner possible.

In the instance of forms it was apparent that through the combination in one sheet of several separate forms much time might be saved in execution, and during the year it was possible to combine in one form the three forms that are essential in bringing about an appointment—namely, the nomination form, the personal-history form, and the oath-of-office form.

In an effort to have the activities of this division confined to personnel matters only, there was transferred from under its jurisdiction the principal activities of the industrial-hygiene section, established for the emergency medical relief of employees of the bureau. This section was properly transferred to the medical service.

Through the entire process of more effective administration it was possible to reduce the personnel of this division during the fiscal year from 202 to 175, with a net reduction in annual salaries in excess of $29,000.

Section 4 of the World War veterans' act of 1924, as amended, provided that, with such exceptions as the President may deem advisable, all employees of the United States Veterans' Bureau shall be subject to the civil service law and regulations made thereunder. The application of this section of the act made necessary the inception into the classified service of many special experts whose positions were formerly excepted and who were appointed under the act of October 6, 1917. This placed all employees of the United States Veterans' Bureau under civil service, excluding medical experts and the excepted positions covered in the Executive order of October 29, 1924. The excepted positions cover 6 assistant directors, 1 medical director, 1 general counsel, 1 assistant to the director, the chairman

of the central board of appeals, 14 area coordinators, and certain local physicians employed on a fee basis, where, in the opinion of the Civil Service Commission, the establishment of registers is impracticable, and certain professional or technical specialists who from time to time may be employed temporarily for consultation purposes. However, attendant personnel in the hospitals are still unclassified and excepted from civil service examination, as was the case when these hospitals were under the jurisdiction of the Public Health Service. During the year there was completed the issuance of appointments as medical experts to former reserve officers of the Public Health Service, in accordance with the Executive order of June 7, 1924.

Careful adherence to the policy of extending preference to ex-service employees has been continued. Ex-service employees have been extended preference for key positions and no nonservice person has been assigned to such a position unless it has been established that there is no qualified ex-service man available for the position. Furthermore, in making selections for new appointments preference is extended to the ex-service man. At the close of business on June 30, 1925, there were 51.7 per cent of a total of 15,212 men ex-service, and 10.05 per cent of a total of 12,410 women were ex-service; or, for the entire personnel of the bureau, 32.98 per cent were ex-service. Excluding the floating personnel in hospitals, such as attendants, orderlies, etc., consisting of approximately 6,000 employees, there were 62.28 per cent of the men ex-service, and 35.14 per cent of total permanent employees were ex-service. With the exception of 87.5 per cent of men ex-service in the central board of appeals and 83.6 per cent of men ex-service in area offices, the highest percentage of ex-service men is experienced in the regional offices, where 70.42 per cent of a total of 4,459 men are ex-service, while central office ranks second with 54.1 per cent of a total of 1,403 men ex-service.

The provisions of the classification act of 1923 have been applied in their entirety to central office, and in principle to the several field offices. The application of this act in principal to the field organization units of the bureau has gone far in standardizing salaries for positions, and has made possible greater equalization of salaries among the several divisions of the country.

Serious consideration has been given to the question of morale of Veterans' Bureau employees, and many suggestions have been made for its improvement and maintenance. With an organization as extensive and complex as the Veterans' Bureau, the problem of morale becomes most difficult, particularly because of the constantly changing conditions and because of the general reduction in personnel, which has caused uncertainty in the minds of employees as to the permanency of their positions. Efforts have been made to maintain the morale in the face of such factors through the assurance of reduction on the basis of efficiency, length of service, etc. Moreover, morale has been stimulated through the policy of assigning employees to higher grades of work and better positions on the basis of their efficiency and service.

PERSONNEL STATISTICS

At the close of business on June 30, 1924, there were on the rolls of the bureau 27,035 employees whose aggregate annual salaries amounted to $42,476,378, while at the close of business on June 30, 1925, there were 27,622 employees with aggregate annual salaries amounting to $44,127,386, showing a net increase of 587 employees and $1,651,008 in aggregate annual salaries over the fiscal period.

This net increase in employees was the result of the increased personnel requirements of United States veterans' hospitals, which more than offset the reductions effected in district and regional office personnel. With the reorganization of the field into 54 regional offices, there was effected a large reduction in personnel. On June 30, 1924, there were 11,522 employees with aggregate annual salaries amounting to $19,518,127 in the districts, as compared with 9,878 employees with aggregate annual salaries amounting to $17,524,916 in regional offices as of June 30, 1925, showing a net reduction of 1,644 employees for these activities and a savings of $1,993,211 in aggregate annual salaries. The decentralization program made possible the closing of approximately 25 suboffices, with a loss of 651 employees and of $1,098,510 in aggregate annual salaries, which, together with the closing of all vocational schools, involving a reduction of 363 employees and $601,965 in aggregate annual salaries, accounts for approximately 60 per cent of the total reduction of personnel in field offices. The balance of the reduction is accounted for by improved methods and procedure, the establishment of a more compact and effective organization and the diminution in the volume of rehabilitation activities.

To offset this reduction, however, there were assigned 1,157 employees, with aggregate annual salaries totaling $1,704,662, to new hospitals opened during the year at Tupper Lake, N. Y., Beacon, N. Y., Excelsior Springs, Mo., Camp Custer, Mich., St. Cloud, Minn., and Livermore, Calif. Due to the opening of these hospitals and the enlargement of facilities at existing hospitals, necessary to meet the increased patient load, there resulted a net increase in hospital employees of 2,640 with aggregate annual salaries totaling $3,664,862. Employees at all veterans' hospitals as of June 30, 1925, totaled 12,818, with aggregate annual salaries amounting to $18,248,549. It is significant that, if the employees assigned to new hospitals were excluded from consideration, there would have been effected during the fiscal year a net decrease among all employees of the bureau of 570, with a saving of $53,654 in aggregate annual salaries, despite the assignment of such additional personnel as may have been necessary to already existing hospitals.

One of the major problems in the administration of the Veterans' Bureau is the considerable turnover in personnel experienced. During the fiscal year there were 24,793 additions to and 24,206 separations from the bureau's rolls. Of the total additions 5.67 per cent occurred in central office, 81.61 per cent in hospitals, and 12.72 per cent in the field. Of the total separations 6.01 per cent were in central office, 72.68 per cent in hospitals, and 21.31 per cent in the field offices. It will be noted that the largest turnover in personnel occurred in hospitals, where there was experienced a turnover of

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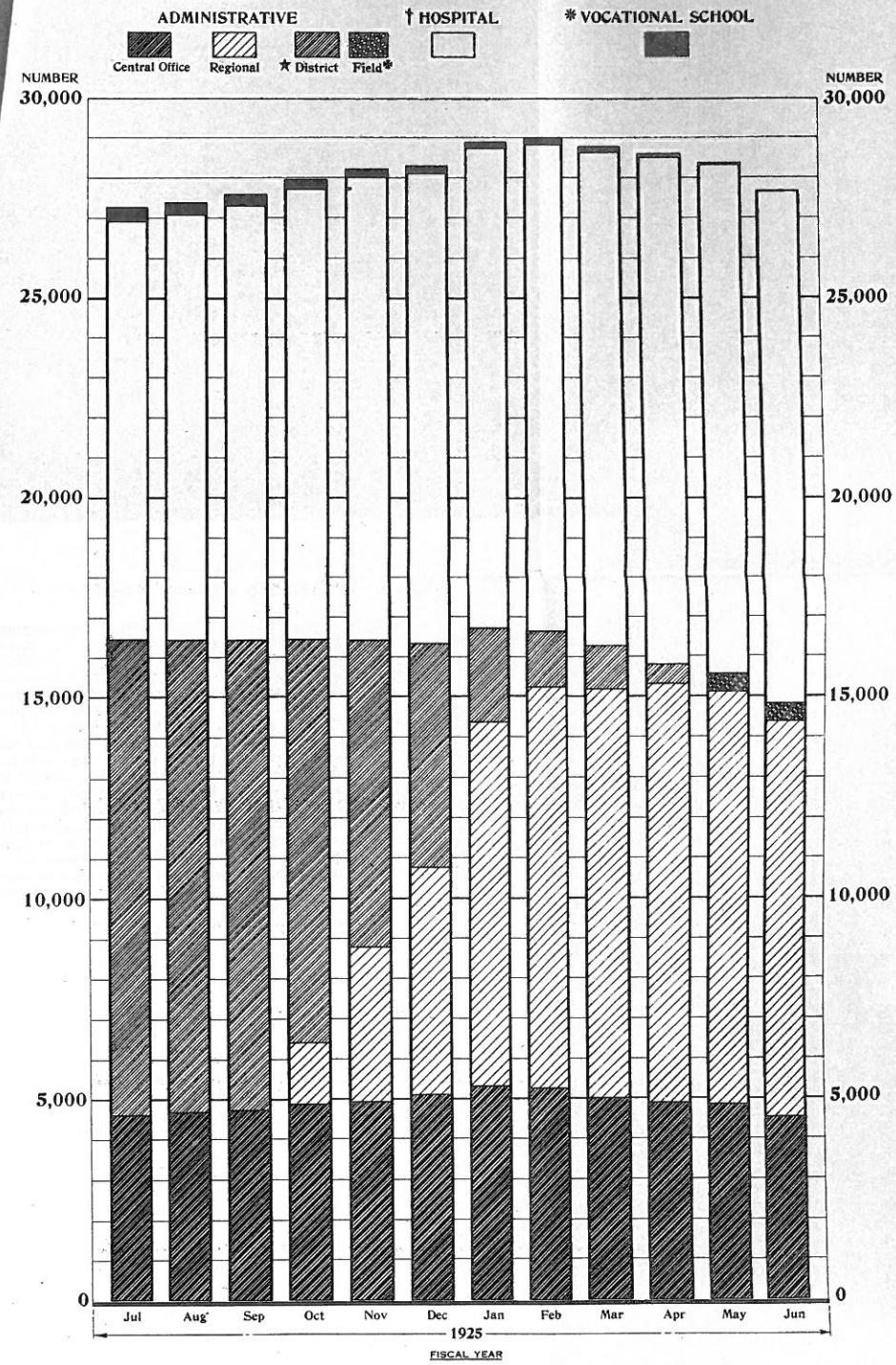

★ DISTRICT PERSONNEL:
Supply Depots
Perry Point { Community Manager, Utilities, Supply Department
District Personnel (Exclusive of Vocational Schools)
Chief Control Offices & Board of Appeals (Field)

† HOSPITAL PERSONNEL:
All Hospitals, including Perry Point

* Field, other than Regional

* VOCATIONAL SCHOOL:
District Vocational Schools
Evergreen School for the Blind
Rehabilitation Department, Perry Point
Regional Vocational School

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approximately 150 per cent, excluding consideration of the assignment of new positions during the year as the result of increased facilities. As might be expected, the greatest turnover in hospital personnel was among the unskilled help, such as, attendants, maids, waiters, kitchen helpers, orderlies, etc., where a turnover of 246 per cent was reported.

It is significant that the bureau employs in the regional offices and the hospitals 2,060 physicians and dentists, whose aggregate annual salaries approximate $6,993,000, with an average annual salary of $3,395. Of this number 1,513 are full-time physicians, with an average salary of $4,023, and 547 are part-time physicians, receiving salaries averaging $1,656. Included in the above are 158 full-time dentists and 7 part-time dentists. In addition to these, there are on duty in central office 59 full-time physicians and 6 full-time dentists.

Detailed statements on personnel, showing employees by location, number and salary for the fiscal year 1925 appear in the following pages.

TABLE No. 116.—*Comparative statement showing, by location, the total personnel and aggregate annual salaries in the United States Veterans' Bureau, together with the net increase or decrease for the fiscal year 1924–25*

Location	June 30, 1924				June 30, 1925				Net increase or decrease of employees		Net amount of increase or decrease of aggregate annual salaries	
	Total number of employees	Total annual salaries			Total number of employees	Total annual salaries						
		Annual salaries (including bonus)	Total allowances	Total aggregate annual salaries		Annual salaries	Total allowances	Total aggregate annual salaries	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Central office	4,549	$7,854,349		$7,854,349	4,501	$7,618,325		$7,618,325		48		$236,024
FIELD												
Districts or regional offices	11,522	19,510,327	$7,800	19,518,127	9,878	17,524,916		17,524,916		1,644		1,993,211
Area offices					97	310,292		310,292	97		$310,292	
Central board of appeals (field)					49	119,390		119,390	49		119,390	
Hospitals	10,178	12,010,430	2,573,257	14,583,687	12,818	15,310,355	$2,938,194	18,248,549	2,640		3,664,862	
Supply depots	165	152,094		152,094	264	284,244		284,244	99		132,150	
Evergreen School for Blind	42	65,470		65,470	15	21,670		21,670		27		43,800
Rehabilitation center	561	263,131	7,620	270,751						561		270,751
United States Vocational School No. 1	18	31,900		31,900						18		31,900
Grand total for bureau	27,035	39,887,701	2,588,677	42,476,378	27,622	41,189,192	2,938,194	44,127,386	587		1,651,008	

NOTE.—The above annual salaries do not include the pay for per diem and per hour employees which on June 30, 1924, was estimated at $1,253,160 per annum, and $1,443,705 or June 30, 1925. The estimated figure for June 30, 1925, was paid from the following appropriations:

Appropriation	Estimated amount
Salaries and expenses	$843,183
Medical and hospital	337,017
Hospital, facilities and services	263,505
Total	1,443,705

TABLE No. 117.—*Comparative statement showing, by months and location, the total personnel of the United States Veterans' Bureau, together with the net increase or decrease for the fiscal year 1924–25*

Location	1924							1925						Net increase or decrease	
	June 30	July 31	Aug. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 28	Mar. 31	Apr. 30	May 31	June 30	Increase	Decrease
Central office	4,549	4,624	4,670	4,748	4,847	4,916	5,097	5,267	5,247	5,000	4,895	4,779	4,501		48
United States rehabilitation center (excluding Hospital No. 42)	561	580	565	530	483	440	426	422	385	369					561
United States Vocational School No. 1	18														18
Evergreen School for Blind	42	42	42	41	40	40	40	36	34	33	32	30	15		27
Supply depots	165	182	180	179	176	190	169	184	170	163	268	274	264	99	
Area offices							54	89	92	94	95	100	97	97	
Central board of appeals—Field									35	39	53	55	49	49	
DISTRICTS AND REGIONAL OFFICES															
No. 1, Boston, Mass	416	415	415	414	391	377	97	93	92	87	9				416
Vocational school, East Norfolk, Mass	17	4													17
Local office, Boston, Mass	344	346	348	339	341	344	571	575	568	557	605	595	591	247	
Springfield, Mass	24	24	24	23	23	23	22	22	21	21	18	18	17		7
Vocational school, Boston, Mass	65	69	67	68	69	70	70	70	59	57	42	32			65
Manchester, N. H	17	18	18	19	29	29	29	29	30	37	40	40	40	23	
Burlington, Vt	14	14	14	14	14	13	17	21	23	28	26	27	27	13	
Providence, R. I	46	45	47	47	48	55	57	61	66	69	71	72	75	29	
Portland, Me	35	35	34	34	33	39	41	40	41	47	51	52	51	16	
Vocational school, Portland, Me	19	18	15	12	7										19
Total	997	988	982	970	955	950	904	911	900	903	862	836	801		196
No. 2, New York, N. Y	637	622	601	577	555	499	433	375							637
Saranac Lake Hospital Center		21	23	26	26	27	27	33	35	35					
Local office, New York, N. Y	419	409	407	408	417	426	434	465	701	669	643	634	617	198	
Albany, N. Y	87	71	66	67	66	65	63	63	63	63	62	63	59		28
Vocational school, Goshen, N. Y	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			5
Hartford, Conn	85	85	88	89	89	102	100	100	119	120	125	120	119	34	
Buffalo, N. Y	49	49	49	47	50	54	80	88	111	118	125	125	154	105	
Rochester, N. Y	39	40	38	38	38	37	36	37	37	36	36	36			39
Syracuse, N. Y	58	57	57	58	57	53	52	52	51	48	51	50	50		8
Newark, N. J	129	128	127	127	127	147	153	152	185	181	176	166	163	34	
Total	1,508	1,483	1,457	1,438	1,426	1,411	1,379	1,366	1,303	1,271	1,219	1,195	1,162		346

TABLE NO. 117.—*Comparative statement showing, by months and location, the total personnel of the United States Veterans' Bureau, together with the net increase or decrease for the fiscal year 1924–25*—Continued

Location	1924							1925						Net increase or decrease	
	June 30	July 31	Aug. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 28	Mar. 31	Apr. 30	May 31	June 30	Increase	Decrease
DISTRICTS AND REGIONAL OFFICES—continued															
No. 3, Philadelphia, Pa	417	406	422	260	229	223	81	14	12						417
Local office, Philadelphia, Pa	298	299	274	426	413	402	517	581	568	569	557	524	491	193	
Harrisburg, Pa	61	60	56	57	52	51	47	46	45	42	42	41	40		21
Scranton, Pa	42	41	42	43	37	35	35	36	36	35	33	33	32		10
Vocational school, Pocono Pines, Pa	1														1
Pittsburgh, Pa	141	136	133	134	173	184	196	223	233	239	235	228	221	80	
Total	960	942	927	920	904	895	876	900	894	885	867	826	784		176
No. 4, Washington, D. C	412	406	406	366	240	222	50								412
Local office, Washington, D. C	79	78	73	64	172	173	256	273	278	273	265	257	244	165	
Photographic school, Washington, D. C	4	4	4	3	3	2	1								4
Baltimore, Md	131	131	142	149	150	157	166	179	180	177	174	155	153	22	
Richmond, Va	38	37	39	53	79	85	97	123	130	132	126	124	125	87	
Roanoke, Va	27	31	31	31											27
Charleston, W. Va		47	51	68	81	84	97	120	125	126	123	125	114	114	
Huntington, W. Va	48														48
Total	739	734	746	734	725	723	667	695	713	708	688	661	636		103
No. 5, Atlanta, Ga	374	368	355	362	349	339	324	127	69	52					374
Vocational school, Waynesville, N. C	42	40	33	33	22	17	18	14	12	7					42
Vocational school, Chick Springs, S. C	17	7													17
Local office, Atlanta, Ga	68	86	98	100	103	110	113	249	242	242	278	279	257	189	
Macon, Ga	31	33	36	37	38	37	36	36	36	25	25				31
Knoxville, Tenn	47	48	44	47	48	48	49	47	45	46	45				47
Jacksonville, Fla	31	32	31	33	43	46	48	53	87	94	92	92	85	54	
Charlotte, N. C	48	49	48	48	52	55	58	116	129	130	133	129	127	79	
Columbia, S. C	40	40	43	42	42	43	45	49	88	97	97	95	93	53	
Nashville, Tenn	26	41	40	42	41	43	40	41	42	56	88	133	143	117	
Memphis, Tenn	20														20
Total	744	744	728	744	738	738	731	732	750	749	758	728	705		39
No. 6, New Orleans, La	256	260	257	248	73	72	55	54	14						256
Vocational school, Pascagoula, Miss	15	4	3												15
Local office, New Orleans, La	62	74	81	83	183	181	177	164	192	196	195	190	181	119	
Shreveport, La	7														7
Lafayette, La	11														11
Birmingham, Ala	61	62	62	62	101	110	113	113	127	141	140	139	147	86	
Montgomery, Ala	53	53	53	52	45	42	37	37	32	31	32	31			53
Jackson, Miss	38	38	38	37	83	87	92	92	105	117	115	117	131	93	
Meridian, Miss	42	44	45	43	36	35	35	33	33	30	29	25			42
Total	545	535	539	525	521	527	509	493	503	515	511	502	459		86
No. 7, Cincinnati, Ohio	482	482	475	462	449	440	419	350	280	158	6				482
Local office, Cincinnati, Ohio	82	87	89	90	92	97	94	152	145	188	302	291	288	206	
Columbus, Ohio	53	52	53	53	53	52	52	51	47	40	38	35	36		17
Cleveland, Ohio	61	60	61	61	65	64	95	119	134	159	160	171	182	121	
Toledo, Ohio	39	43	43	43	42	42	42	37	32	9	7	7			39
Indianapolis, Ind	74	74	76	75	75	78	81	93	113	164	189	196	192	118	
Evansville, Ind	35	34	35	35	33	32	33	31	6	4	2				35
South Bend, Ind	38	35	28	25	22	19	5								38
Louisville, Ky	61	61	60	64	66	66	67	67	123	142	164	177	176	115	
Lexington, Ky	60	57	56	55	54	54	53	53	52	49	44	41	41		19
Total	985	985	974	961	951	944	941	953	932	913	912	918	915		70
No. 8, Chicago, Ill	496	501	503	503											496
Local office, Chicago, Ill	223	223	218	212	724	652	594	590	552	548	536	520	525	302	
Danville, Ill	27	28	27	26	26	24	25	25	16						27
East St. Louis, Ill	25	27	25	27	28	27	28	28	28	39	36	37	38	13	
Peoria, Ill	55	53	53	53	51	49	47	48	39						55
Trade school, Chicago, Ill	27	26	26	23	23	23	22	22	22	20	15	14			27
Music school, Chicago, Ill	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3				3
Detroit, Mich	106	107	104	104	105	125	129	150	174	175	182	184	191	85	
Grand Rapids, Mich	40	38	35	33	31	31	24	23	18						40
Marquette, Mich	15	15	15	16	16	16	16	16	16	16	15	13			15
Milwaukee, Wis	78	75	77	78	78	95	115	136	143	203	209	211	203	125	
Eau Claire, Wis	29	29	29	27	27	27	26	25	24						29
Madison, Wis	30	30	28	28	30	30	30	27	25						30
Total	1,154	1,155	1,143	1,133	1,142	1,102	1,059	1,093	1,060	1,004	996	979	957		197
No. 9, St. Louis, Mo	321	320	263	278	257	174	135	118	23	5	3				321
Vocational school, Bellevue, Nebr	45	33	33	13	12	10	11	5	3	1					45
Local office, St. Louis, Mo	147	147	196	194	194	210	205	216	275	270	265	255	244	97	
Kansas City, Mo	82	79	82	83	85	131	146	176	193	172	169	161	155	73	
Springfield, Mo	29	29	29	29	29	21	20								29
Wichita, Kans	26	26	26	26	25	23	21	22	27	93	106	105	103	77	
Des Moines, Iowa	57	57	55	59	79	102	117	124	131	130	129	130	123	66	
Cedar Rapids, Iowa	35	35	35	33	33	17									35
Omaha, Nebr	71	70	74	77	77	96	98	102	111	111	107	106	104	33	
Total	813	796	793	792	791	784	753	763	763	782	779	757	729		84

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Location	1924							1925						Net increase or decrease	
	June 30	July 31	Aug. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 28	Mar. 31	Apr. 30	May 31	June 30	Increase	Decrease
DISTRICTS AND REGIONAL OFFICES—continued															
No. 10, Minneapolis, Minn	295	296	265	260	242	115	41	41							295
Local office, Minneapolis, Minn	118	112	137	144	139	300	377	377	419	412	410	395	369	251	
St. Paul, Minn	107	107	107	107	100	53	53	50	47	47	45	44	40		67
Fargo, N. Dak	34	33	34	34	34	43	46	48	52	51	51	52	50	16	
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	40	43	44	45	60	60	61	62	66	69	68	69	67	27	
Helena, Mont	64	66	64	66	81	81	77	90	92	86	78	77	75	11	
Total	658	657	651	656	656	652	655	668	676	665	652	637	601		57
No. 11, Denver, Colo	276	269	256	120	107	87	75	18	8						276
Local office, Denver, Colo	178	188	186	289	297	298	299	340	341	336	330	314	305	127	
Vocational school, Colorado Springs, Colo	2	2	2	2	2	2									2
Vocational school, Denver, Colo	18	18	18	17	16	16	15	14	14	12	11	8			18
Casper, Wyo	18	18	18	23	26	29	30	39	40	39	38	35	38	20	
Albuquerque, N. Mex	42	45	45	60	60	59	63	73	73	75	75	77	86	44	
El Paso, Tex									11	11	10	10			
Vocational school, Albuquerque, N. Mex	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					5
Salt Lake City, Utah	42	42	50	52	55	67	68	70	69	68	64	60	58	16	
Vocational school, Salt Lake City, Utah	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1						3
Total	584	585	578	566	566	560	552	556	558	542	528	504	487		97
No. 12, San Francisco, Calif	308	306	273	196	147	93	83	69	70	58					308
Vocational school, Stockton, Calif	14	1													14
Local office, San Francisco, Calif	149	149	175	194	231	282	294	296	300	298	328	314	302	153	
Sacramento, Calif	37	37	40	39	30	28									37
Reno, Nev	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7		
Los Angeles, Calif	220	218	216	248	255	252	265	264	265	270	279	269	258	38	
Vocational school, Los Angeles, Calif	1														1
Phoenix, Ariz	38	36	37	50	56	67	67	69	67	69	79	81	77	39	
Vocational school, Phoenix, Ariz	1														1
Total	775	754	748	734	726	729	716	705	709	702	693	671	644		131
No. 13, Seattle, Wash	181	178	178	173	178	73	12								181
Local office, Seattle, Wash	58	56	55	48	46	128	154	160	160	160	156	152	142	84	
Spokane, Wash	9	10	9	8	6	4									9
Portland, Oreg	33	33	33	32	33	35	75	86	88	90	91	94	93	60	
Boise, Idaho	7	7	8	9	8	28	30	34	35	35	35	33	35	28	
Total	288	284	283	270	271	268	271	280	283	285	282	279	270		18
No. 14, Dallas, Tex	375	385	390	391	385	386	381	119	81	14					375
Vocational school, San Antonio, Tex	59	53	37	13	11	11	12	12							59
Local office, Dallas, Tex	110	111	114	113	119	121	122	270	261	225	236	238	205	95	
El Paso, Tex	16	17	16	17	16	17	16	15							16
Houston, Tex	45	45	45	45	45	47	43	43	43	41	33	17			45
San Antonio, Tex	35	37	37	38	40	38	39	39	84	155	159	168	189	154	
Little Rock, Ark	63	63	63	67	65	65	70	119	128	144	148	149	143	80	
Oklahoma City, Okla	69	73	77	79	88	87	86	156	157	184	192	193	191	122	
Total	772	784	779	763	769	772	769	773	754	763	768	765	728		44
Total, districts and regional offices	11,522	11,426	11,328	11,206	11,141	11,055	10,782	10,888	10,798	10,687	10,515	10,258	9,878		1,644
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITALS															
General hospitals															
No. 32. Diagnostic center, Washington, D. C	190	192	187	187	184	186	188	187	186	191	190	213	236	46	
No. 48. Atlanta, Ga	72	75	72	71	68	69	72	72	76	76	76	76	79	7	
No. 52. Boise, Idaho	84	83	84	82	85	90	95	99	104	104	106	106	107	23	
No. 53. Dwight, Ill	90	91	89	87	90	91	91	96	102	105	99	96	93	3	
No. 54. Arrowhead Springs, Calif	46	36	26	12											46
No. 59. Tacoma, Wash		158	163	157	156	148	154	162	170	171	169	159	163	163	
No. 63. Lake City, Fla	130	128	129	139	153	158	161	167	174	177	171	169	175	45	
No. 65. St. Paul, Minn	206	204	205	201	205	206	206	204	207	208	201	197	200		6
No. 67. Kansas City, Mo	100	99	100	100	99	100	103	94	102	106	103	100	103	3	
No. 69. Fort Thomas, Ky	94	95	95	95	96	96	95	97	98	95	96	91	91		3
No. 77. Portland, Oreg	97	96	95	96	98	97	92	89	88	99	96	95	94		3
No. 84. Algiers, La	172	182	184	192	192	209	207	215	218	213	218	210	207	35	
No. 88. Memphis, Tenn	135	124	126	130	131	135	185	242	191	202	207	209	206	71	
No. 90. Muskogee, Okla	159	159	171	173	179	185	188	196	194	189	186	188	189	30	
No. 91. Tuskegee, Ala			338	357	374	374	371	385	391	393	393	404	417	417	
No. 92. Jefferson Barracks, Mo	239	237	244	249	249	252	251	264	262	287	283	286	260	21	
No. 99. Excelsior Springs, Mo	19	27	14	26	73	87	76	87	87	75	81	72	71	52	
Edward Hines, jr., Maywood, Ill	653	656	641	646	640	643	639	630	630	620	629	648	641		12
Diagnostic center, Cincinnati, Ohio										16	17	17	17	17	
Total	2,486	2,642	2,953	3,000	3,072	3,126	3,174	3,286	3,280	3,327	3,321	3,336	3,349	863	
Average number of patients	2,807	2,889	3,523	3,762	4,003	4,169	4,317	4,568	4,615	4,466	4,193	3,996	3,755		

TABLE No. 117.—*Comparative statement showing, by months and location, the total personnel of the United States Veterans' Bureau, together with the net increase or decrease for the fiscal year 1924–25*—Continued

Location	1924							1925						Net increase or decrease	
	June 30	July 31	Aug. 31	Sept. 30	Oct. 31	Nov. 30	Dec. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 28	Mar. 31	Apr. 30	May 31	June 30	Increase	Decrease
UNITED STATES VETERANS' HOSPITALS—continued															
Neuropsychiatric hospitals															
No. 24. Palo Alto, Calif	454	454	448	453	460	457	448	459	462	460	418	401	389		65
No. 37. Waukesha, Wis	138	144	141	149	158	150	150	149	151	156	158	161	152	14	
No. 42. Perry Point, Md	194	202	201	213	215	214	215	232	241	237	499	501	468	274	
No. 44. West Roxbury, Mass	156	160	160	163	161	163	162	160	166	167	166	164	166	10	
No. 49. Philadelphia, Pa	133	134	132	133	135	138	139	148	145	149	148	155	159	26	
No. 57. Knoxville, Iowa	137	145	152	158	158	162	164	167	167	169	162	164	165	28	
No. 62. Augusta, Ga	150	161	158	156	147	153	154	188	180	231	224	215	199	49	
No. 74. Gulfport, Miss	161	163	179	179	174	180	182	184	189	192	201	213	211	50	
No. 78. North Little Rock, Ark	187	187	195	193	191	211	212	242	281	287	293	295	296	109	
No. 81. Bronx, N. Y	470	468	466	463	468	476	476	466	465	460	459	468	457		13
No. 86. Sheridan, Wyo	169	231	220	222	214	197	195	192	202	216	217	176	189	20	
No. 94. American Lake, Wash	220	232	238	240	248	255	257	270	268	270	272	270	266	46	
No. 95. Northampton, Mass	168	197	206	227	259	267	281	263	255	257	252	247	248	80	
No. 97. Chillicothe, Ohio	111	140	161	179	203	223	235	237	244	248	248	261	293	182	
No. 100. Camp Custer, Mich			2	15	109	145	169	186	204	206	221	218	215	215	
No. 101. St. Cloud, Minn	8	9	13	64	117	126	130	129	132	132	144	142	141	133	
No. 105. Great Lakes, Ill												55	81	81	
Total	2,856	3,027	3,072	3,207	3,417	3,517	3,569	3,672	3,752	3,837	4,082	4,106	4,095	1,239	
Average number of patients	4,565	4,822	5,114	5,325	5,702	5,981	6,381	6,778	7,046	7,166	7,045	6,796	6,720		
Tuberculosis hospitals															
No. 26. Greenville, S. C	56	29	19	4											56
No. 27. Alexandria, La	227	228	228	237	252	252	250	253	259	260	266	262	259	32	
No. 41. New Haven, Conn	346	346	347	333	339	342	346	348	351	343	341	333	341		5
No. 50. Whipple, Ariz	457	459	456	447	456	454	453	457	459	477	476	465	458	1	
No. 51. Tucson, Ariz	136	137	138	138	145	145	152	164	162	161	163	148	153	17	
No. 55. Fort Bayard, N. Mex	506	509	499	492	505	535	545	538	555	550	545	533	516	10	
No. 59. Tacoma, Wash	169														169
No. 60. Oteen, N. C	674	649	646	638	619	674	666	653	654	689	683	686	670		4
No. 64. Camp Kearney, Calif	248	252	253	256	253	253	259	261	270	283	285	287	281	33	
No. 68. Minneapolis, Minn	192	189	188	187	183	183	189	192	193	189	188	189	186		6
No. 72. Helena, Mont	160	158	159	178	202	206	218	225	242	241	237	238	267	107	
No. 79. Dawson Springs, Ky	261	272	297	305	310	334	352	367	380	311	298	281	273	12	
No. 80. Fort Lyon, Colo	309	311	312	325	325	331	331	329	335	332	341	344	339	30	
No. 85. Walla Walla, Wash	188	186	211	222	214	203	196	202	211	210	201	200	188		
No. 89. Rutland, Mass	166	172	193	184	194	191	189	187	179	187	191	191	190	24	
No. 91. Tuskegee, Ala	309	327													309
No. 93. Legion, Tex	309	310	313	319	319	322	322	318	327	325	318	317	319	10	
No. 96. Tupper Lake, N. Y	79	110	172	202	226	245	248	274	280	279	277	278	308	229	
Saranac Lake Hospital Center											35	40	40	40	
No. 98. Castle Point, N. Y	44	100	130	197	235	279	281	298	297	300	290	298	305	261	
No. 102. Livermore, Calif				21	33	40	27	28	41	112	225	261	267	267	
No. 103. Aspinwall, Pa												3	4	4	
No. 104. San Fernando, Calif									3	5	7	8	10	10	
Total	4,836	4,744	4,561	4,685	4,810	4,989	5,024	5,094	5,198	5,254	5,367	5,362	5,374	538	
Average number of patients	4,731	4,916	4,761	5,082	5,442	5,654	5,836	6,203	6,412	6,485	6,470	6,062	5,733		
Total hospitals	10,178	10,413	10,586	10,892	11,299	11,632	11,767	12,052	12,230	12,418	12,770	12,804	12,818	2,640	
Average number of patients	12,103	12,627	13,398	14,169	15,147	15,804	16,534	17,549	18,073	18,117	17,708	16,854	16,208		
Grand total	27,035	27,267	27,371	27,596	27,986	28,273	28,335	28,938	28,991	28,803	28,628	28,300	27,622	587	

TABLE No. 118.—*Statement showing, by locations, the total employees and aggregate annual salaries in suboffices closed since June 30, 1924*

Location	Suboffices June 30, 1924		Date of closing or consolidation of suboffices	Field locations June 30, 1925		Net decrease	
	Number of employees	Aggregate annual salaries		Number of employees	Aggregate annual salaries	Number of employees	Aggregate annual salaries
Rochester, N. Y.	39	$73,820	July 1, 1925	26	$50,880	13	$22,940
Roanoke, Va.	27	49,658	Oct. 23, 1924	8	17,260	19	32,398
Huntington, W. Va.	48	74,610	June 30, 1924	3	4,200	45	70,410
Macon, Ga.	31	55,240	May 1, 1925	10	21,900	21	33,340
Knoxville, Tenn.	47	88,440	July 1, 1925	19	34,430	28	54,010
Memphis, Tenn.	20	40,495	June 30, 1925	1	2,400	19	38,095
Shreveport, La.	7	13,580	June 30, 1924	3	6,600	4	6,980
Lafayette, La.	11	23,611	do	3	6,800	8	16,811
Montgomery, Ala.	53	102,230	June 30, 1925	11	23,150	42	79,080
Meridian, Miss.	42	73,132	July 15, 1925	8	18,730	34	54,402
Toledo, Ohio	39	72,020	Apr. 28, 1925	6	12,080	33	59,940
Evansville, Ind.	35	61,820	June 30, 1925	2	4,800	33	57,020
South Bend, Ind.	38	65,598	July 10, 1924	4	7,500	34	58,098
Danville, Ill.	27	43,668	Jan. 21, 1925	3	5,080	24	38,588
Peoria, Ill.	55	90,188	do	3	5,660	52	84,528
Grand Rapids, Mich.	40	69,478	Mar. 15, 1925	4	7,760	36	61,718
Marquette, Mich.	15	20,100	June 30, 1925	8	14,480	7	5,620
Eau Claire, Wis.	29	49,260	Mar. 15, 1925	3	4,320	26	44,940
Madison, Wis.	30	52,480	do	2	5,000	28	47,480
Springfield, Mo.	29	43,830	June 1, 1924			29	43,830
Cedar Rapids, Iowa	35	47,710	Nov. 15, 1924	1	1,650	34	46,060
Sacramento, Calif.	37	72,718	Dec. —, 1924	2	4,800	35	67,918
Spokane, Wash.	9	16,800	do	2	4,920	7	11,880
El Paso, Tex.	16	27,698	Feb. 1, 1925	10	18,710	6	8,988
Houston, Tex.	45	75,736	July 15, 1925	11	22,300	34	53,436
Total	804	1,403,920		153	305,410	651	1,098,510

TABLE No. 119.—*Comparative statement of full and part-time doctors and dentists in the districts, regional offices, and United States veterans' hospitals as of June 30, 1924, and June 30, 1925*

Designation	Close of business June 30, 1924			Close of business June 30, 1925			Net increase or decrease of employees		Net amount of increase or decrease of aggregate annual salaries	
	Number of employees	Total aggregate annual salaries	Average salary	Number of employees	Total aggregate annual salaries	Average salary	Increase	Decrease	Increase	Decrease
Full-time doctors	1,337	$5,105,620	$3,819	1,355	$5,522,787	$4,076	18		$417,167	
Full-time dentists	194	647,065	3,335	158	564,717	3,574		36		$82,348
Total full-time doctors and dentists	1,531	5,752,685	3,757	1,513	6,087,504	4,023		18	334,819	
Part-time doctors	715	1,161,342	1,624	540	897,351	1,662		175		263,991
Part-time dentists	6	7,600	1,267	7	8,350	1,193	1		750	
Total part-time doctors and dentists	721	1,168,942	1,621	547	905,701	1,656		174		263,241
Grand total	2,252	6,921,627	3,074	2,060	6,993,205	3,395		192	71,578	

CHIEF CLERK'S DIVISION

The chief clerk's division is comprised of the building and equipment subdivision; printing and duplicating subdivision; central office stock subdivision; machine repair section; photostat section and the watch force. The chief clerk is responsible also to the director for the assignment of space in the Arlington Building; the operation, maintenance, and guarding of the building and the property and records housed therein; the preparation of reports to the Bureau of the Budget and the Public Buildings Commission; the custody of all furniture and other property in the Arlington Building and elsewhere in the District of Columbia belonging to central office; the storage and destruction of obsolete records; the issuance of passes to personnel and for property to be taken from the building; the conducting of the lost and found department; approval of all requisitions for the purchase of supplies and equipment for central office; approval of every requisition for photostating of documents, letters, etc., of routine or confidential nature; providing every service required by the divisions of central office employing 4,500 persons, except personnel, and to perform such other duties as the director may order from time to time.

With the exception of the transfer of the mails subdivision to the newly created mail and records division on May 11, 1925, no change in organization took place during the year. The transfer of this subdivision together with the discontinuance of 12 other employees reduced the total personnel of the division from 452 employees as of July 1, 1924, to 265 employees as of June 30, 1925. A saving of $16,620 is represented by the discontinuance of the 12 employees mentioned.

In the administration of the duties of the chief clerk's division during the past fiscal year there have been continued concerted efforts toward the reduction of expenditures in all activities. Many economies were effected which in the aggregate represent substantial savings. The cost of printing and binding for the year for the use of both central office and the field offices, hospitals, etc., of the bureau amounted to $177,584.82. Careful checkage of printing requisitions, the elimination of duplicate forms and economy in distribution resulted in the expenditure of $29,431.63 less than was expended for the same service during the previous year.

Central office and the field offices, hospitals, etc., continue to utilize the facilities of the Army and Navy radio services for the transmission of official business messages and it is estimated that the savings effected in this case averaged $1,000 per month during the year.

Every requisition for photostating is personally approved by the chief clerk or the assistant chief clerk in order to prevent improper use of this equipment. During the year careful checking of photostat requisitions resulted in reduction of the number of photostat prints under the preceding fiscal year by 21,311 copies with a saving of $1,172.11. This substantial reduction in expenditures for photostat work speaks well for the economies and the efficient method of operation in practice.

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The central office stock subdivision successfully utilized by-products and obsolete and used stock to the extent of $5,588.93 during the year.

Central office operates eight motor vehicles, most of which are assigned to particular duties, but passenger cars are operated for official emergency needs. Six motor vehicles were discontinued during the past year, resulting in a saving in gasoline, oil, tires, etc., in the amount of approximately $50 per car per month.

In accordance with instructions received from the director, a constant check is made on the necessity for all long-distance telephone calls in central office and to restrict the use of telephones to official business. As the result of such activities by the chief clerk, the cost of long-distance tolls in Washington, D. C., has been reduced to less than $5 per month. In addition to this, 32 telephone branches and extensions were discontinued, with a resultant saving of $337.80.

The annual inventory of all property in central office, valued at $1,500,000, was arranged and conducted by the property custodian, and property records are maintained whereby a perpetual inventory is available at all times.

Under the supervision of the chief clerk the watch force has safeguarded Government property without loss, has maintained order, and courteously directed visitors in the building.

Numerous duties are performed in the chief clerk's office relating not only to the supervision of the various subdivisions and sections but also with respect to every possible question which may arise in connection with such a large body of employees as are housed in the Arlington Building, and also the very numerous visitors who come to this building for purposes other than those relating to the official relief granted to ex-service men.

PRINTING AND DUPLICATING SUBDIVISION

PRINTING AND BINDING

The total expenditures for printing and binding for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925, were $177,584.82, which amount is a decrease over the preceding year of $29,431.63. Following is a detailed statement showing the pro rata expenditures for the various organizations of the bureau:

Adjusted compensation division	$9,963.40
Chief clerk's division	723.20
Claims division	11,053.55
Construction division	448.38
Coordination service	1,785.26
Director's office	8,473.26
District offices	3,386.18
Finance service	27,298.89
Hospitals in the field	2,131.66
Information and cooperation division	29.86
Inspection division	783.65
Insurance division	18,074.71
Office of the general counsel	3,245.36
Mail and records division	2,307.59
Medical service	30,438.35
Personnel division	1,353.43
Planning service	$2,339.96
Rehabilitation center, Perry Point, Md	268.64
Rehabilitation division	6,815.66
Regional offices	6,086.31
Statistics and costs division	1,051.46
Stock, miscellaneous	24,638.28
Suboffices	187.34
Supply division	8,499.64
Adjusted compensation printing for other departments paid from Veterans' Bureau appropriation for printing and binding	6,200.80
Total	177,584.82

BLANK FORMS SECTION

There were 10,354 requisitions for blank forms filled during the year, an increase of 1,966 over the preceding year. The total number of blank forms distributed was 80,157,800, an increase of 15,892,800, which was due to the increased number of distribution points. Of the forms distributed, 56 per cent was sent to the field and the balance issued in central office. Requisitions for blank forms are carefully examined with a view to keeping the quantities issued down to actual requirements.

DUPLICATING SECTION

In the duplicating section 18,956,362 impressions were made on mimeograph and multigraph machines. Of this amount 8,043,079 were for general orders, regulations, and other bureau issues. The remainder consisted of specifications for construction work, circular proposals, form letters and small quantities of miscellaneous blank forms. The use of mimeograph and multigraph machines as labor-saving devices has proved to be of valuable service in this bureau.

New multigraph ribbons have not been purchased for some time but are reinked at a cost of approximately 5 cents each, by a messenger in his spare time. The cost of new ribbons is approximately $1.25 each, expenditures for which have been eliminated and the amount saved on this one item totals $567 for the year. The repairing of the duplicating machines formerly done by the company is now done by one of the operators at a saving of $20 per machine. Six machines were repaired during the year with a total saving of $120.

BUILDING AND EQUIPMENT SUBDIVISION

The building and equipment subdivision maintains and operates the Arlington Building which contains over 575,000 square feet of floor space, and which is used to house the central office and the Washington regional office of the United States Veterans' Bureau; the offices of the Alien Property Custodian and the offices of the chief coordinator. In addition the motor transport assigned to central office is maintained and operated. The latter service during the fiscal year 1925 handled 96 tons of outgoing freight, 92 tons of incoming freight, 8 tons of outgoing express, and 14,417 sacks of outgoing mail. Passenger service cars are operated for the use of officials in making short trips in and about the city.

The carpenters completed 3,468 requests for the repair, construction, and the crating of office furniture and equipment. Alterations, improvements, and repairs to the building and all repairs to furniture and equipment are made by the bureau carpenters at a cost considerably less than that which would be charged by commercial contractors. Seven rooms formerly used as rest rooms were converted for the purpose of providing 2,590 additional square feet of office space. Requisitions numbering 616 were completed by the engineer, electrical, painting, and janitor forces. The laborers completed 930 miscellaneous moves involving the rearrangement of furniture and equipment. The condition of the building necessitated extensive repairs and improvements for proper care and maintenance.

CENTRAL OFFICE STOCK SUBDIVISION

This subdivision is charged with the responsibility of procuring and maintaining stocks of minor office supplies and furniture and issuing same on requisitions to central office and the Washington regional office; the receipt of all incoming shipments and the preparation of all outgoing shipments. Field requisitions are filled only with certain articles of which there is a surplus in central office. All scratch pads used in central office are manufactured from salvaged paper, and this, together with the utilization of by-products, obsolete and used articles has resulted in an annual saving of $5,588.93. A new contract was obtained for one particular style of envelope resulting in a saving of $475.60 for the year. Requisitions for furniture, equipment, and supplies are investigated to determine actual requirements, and by having requisitions canceled and making substitutions, the amount of approximately $7,351.12 was saved. Paper, substance No. 20, formerly used regularly, was replaced wherever possible with paper, substance No. 16, which is considerably cheaper, and the Government Printing Office was requested to deliver paper wrapped in two-ream packages instead of one-ream packages, thereby reducing the wrapping charge. All waste which occurs from this cutting of paper ordered by this bureau is delivered with the order and is manufactured into scratch pads.

MACHINE REPAIR SECTION

During the fiscal year 1925 there were completed 7,792 requests for repairs to labor-saving machines, such as typewriters, adding machines, dictating machines, etc. Central office was furnished 441 machines and the field offices 2 machines on requisitions. Purchases of new machines have been exceedingly few as the majority of the machines in the bureau are kept in repair by a force of skilled mechanics and it is estimated that they perform the work for 50 per cent less than what would be charged by commercial repairmen. Typewriter cylinders are recovered at a cost of 35 cents each and installed in typewriters by the bureau repairmen. The typewriter companies would charge $2 each for the cylinders and $1 each to install. The savings effected in this case was approximately $3,180 for the year. In addition to the repairing of machines, this section completed 1,997 requisitions for the cleaning and oiling of machines and the shaving of 16,388 dictating machine cylinders.

PHOTOSTAT SECTION

The reproduction of official papers, documents and tables and charts of a statistical nature, totaled 439,463, quarter sheets, at a cost of $24,170.46 for the year. The expenditures for the preceding year for this one service amounted to $25,342.57. Through economies in operation, reducing the size of prints, ordering chemicals in bulk, and by rigid supervision the substantial saving of $1,172.11 during the past year was made possible.

MAILS AND RECORDS DIVISION

For the purpose of facilitating and expediting the action on, and care of, correspondence and records of the ex-service men and their beneficiaries and dependents, there was established on May 11, 1925, in the United States Veterans' Bureau a mails and records division, to be responsible for the receipt and dispatch of all incoming and outgoing mail; for the custody, preservation, maintenance, and operation of all file records of the bureau in central office; and for the storage and disposition of inactive and "dead storage" records throughout all of the bureau's activities.

At the close of the fiscal year the organization consisted of the mail and index subdivisions and the decentralization and transfer section, this latter section becoming a part of the records subdivision when established. A mail distributing and collecting agency, known as the "service mail and record desk," functioning directly under the chief of the mails and records division, is to be maintained and operated in each service, independent division, and independent office in central office.

With the establishment of this new division the action on all incoming and outgoing mail of the bureau in Washington, including all routing, classifying, filing, etc., together with actual custody after action has been taken, will be under the jurisdiction of one administrative agency. It is believed that this consolidation of mail, record, and index functions of the bureau will immediately result in expedited action on bureau mail and the handling of claimants' cases, and also that there will develop a material financial saving to the Government in salaries, space, and equipment.

While the mails and records division has only been in existence since May 11, 1925, the mail and index subdivisions and the decentralization and transfer section have been in operation continuously under other jurisdictions of the bureau, and the following data show the extent of their activities during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1925:

	1925	1924
MAIL SUBDIVISION		
Incoming mail, total received	8,448,276	9,789,699
Outgoing mail, total sent out	12,800,572	13,319,282
Correspondence acted upon by mail subdivision	51,544	104,669
Congressional mail:		
Incoming	33,612	34,134
Outgoing	36,313	43,567
Registered mail:		
Incoming	87,180	85,618
Outgoing	83,582	83,557
Special deliveries:		
Incoming	17,481	17,612
Outgoing	168	1,007
Telegrams:		
Incoming	14,896	16,919
Outgoing	2,297	5,647
Radiograms:		
Incoming	7,280	4,225
Outgoing	15,125	8,717
Unclaimed mail returned	427,343	424,664
Personal mail, incoming	27,899	30,998

	1925	1924
WORK REPORT OF SPECIAL UNITS		
Term remittances received, read through, numericalized [1]	1,686,841	1,911,995
Government life remittances received, read through, and dispatched [1]	1,683,441	1,556,701
Term and converted premium notices and receipts inclosed and mailed [1]	7,076,227	7,812,173
Assembling field orders, general orders, etc. (pages) [2]	6,093,498	4,855,213
Stitching general orders, etc. (stitches) [2]	1,550,108	1,154,635
General orders, etc., distributed and delivered [2]	3,356,939	2,249,542
Folding, inclosing, and mailing of insurance division propaganda and special correspondence [1]	1,192,739	1,529,034
Translations, foreign and English	19,598	18,588
Foreign applications and addresses verified	54,751	30,568

[1] This work was transferred to the cashier's section, insurance division, effective May 2, 1925.
[2] This work was transferred to the printing and duplicating subdivision, chief clerk's division, effective May 19, 1925.

INDEX SUBDIVISION

The index subdivision of the mails and records division was established May 11, 1925, by the consolidation of the index and record section of the claims and insurance service, the index section of the rehabilitation division, and the index section of the adjusted compensation subdivision. This reorganization was effected in accordance with the bureau policy to coordinate similar activities and to more economically perform the duties assigned.

The subdivision has six major functions, namely, establishment of a master index; identification of mail; assignment of claims and insurance numbers; information and investigation; correspondence and adjustment work; securing Army, Navy, and Marine Corps reports for all the branches of the central office and all regional offices.

The establishment of a master index is one of the most progressive steps taken during the past fiscal year in that it combines all of the active numbers (T. K. C. A. I. and X, i. e. T, term insurance application number; K, converted insurance application number; C compensation claim number; A, allottment and allowance number; I, term and automatic insurance claim number; X, converted insurance claim number) for each veteran on one index card. When completed the master index card will show all identifying information, and the entire card file will occupy only half of the floor space which was formerly used.

During the fiscal year 1925, this subdivision assigned claims numbers to 36,457 new regional office claims and 7,336 central office cases, making a total of 43,783 new claims numbers assigned. This is a daily average of 122 regional office claims and 24 for central office. There were 15,816 insurance claims filed, approximately 6,800 of which were entirely new claims. The total number of claims on file to date is 1,001,931. This work represents an increase over that of 1924 of 1,137 field cases, 1,900 central office cases, and 2,700 insurance claims.

During the fiscal year there were 405 applications for term insurance, as opposed to 3,470 in 1924. This decrease was the result of the World War veterans' act of 1924. Approximately 4,500 pieces of correspondence are searched in the index daily.

The record verification unit received a total of 84,732 requests for information; 72,848 for Army information; 9.934 for Navy information; and 1,950 for Marine Corps information. In addition to this, there were 11,800 special requests and 9,572 requests for checkage and transcrpits of payments.

DECENTRALIZATION AND TRANSFER SECTION

The chief function of the decentralization and transfer section is to keep records of the decentralization and transference of claims folders to and between central office and the various field offices and similar offices. This major function of the section has resulted in the building up of an active master file containing over 60,000 cards, reference to which is constantly made. There is a card file for every case at present held in a regional office, and the volume of work in the master file is constantly increasing, not only on account of the decentralization to the regional offices, now in progress, but also because of new cases daily being built up in the regional offices and subsequently transferred to other regions.

A major phase of the decentralization and transfer section's activities during the past fiscal year was that involving the complete change of records concerning the decentralization of case folders from the original 14 districts to the 54 regional offices established during the year.

The following is a summary statement showing the work performed in the decentralization and transfer section from July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925:

Cases decentralized	24,318
Cases transferred to the field	20,907
Cases received from the field	24,612
Cases requested by the field	11,643
Interregional transfers	67,620
Cases recalled from the field	14,070
Correspondence, letters disposed of	23,626
Requests for information	53,762

INFORMATION AND COOPERATION DIVISION

The information and cooperation division was organized to meet the need for centralization and coordination of information and cooperation activities at central office and to exercise a general supervision of the same activities in the field offices. Until May 1, 1925, this division was a part of the control service, but with the abolishment of that service became an independent division functioning under the deputy director.

Through this service there is provided a point of contact where persons unfamiliar with the bureau's operations may be guided to the correct places, appropriate introductions made, and in this manner their business expedited so that the least possible interruption may occur in the business incident to the call, as well as a means for obtaining from all divisions of the bureau information regarding any of its activities, regardless of whether the information is requested by personal contact, correspondence, or telephonic communication.

This division assists and enables ex-service men to present their cases in an intelligent and cooperative manner, which reacts not only to the benefit of the ex-service man but to the bureau. In other words, it acts as a sympathetic intermediary between the service men, philanthropic organizations, and the bureau. It serves as a point of contact between Members of Congress, the heads of ex-service organizations, and the bureau, by cooperating with them to the fullest in the handling of ex-service men and their claims, and by giving expedited service on all matters presented, and provides a control or censorship over the giving of information by personal contact or otherwise, to persons who are neither beneficiaries nor accredited representatives of beneficiaries.

This cooperation is carried on by a staff of experienced employees, known as cooperators, who are well versed on all phases of the bureau's activities and are able to receive and advise claimants, Members of Congress, and officials of ex-service organizations, concerning a claimant's case and his rights under existing laws, as well as on the activities of the United States Veterans' Bureau. They make a thorough study of each case presented and follow up in every instance until a definite decision is rendered. When it is necessary to take a case before the central board of appeals, the cooperator prepares the case in brief form, emphasizing the salient facts, and if the claimant desires, appears as his attorney before the board. The following table shows the volume of work carried by this division through these cooperators:

Personal contacts	52, 061
Number of cases briefed	3, 732
Number of cases personally appealed to board of appeals	780
Requests for information received by phone	103, 298
Information furnished by telephone	54, 012
Letters and telegrams received	42, 965
Answered by letter	36, 903
Answered by telegram and radiogram	1, 320
To file requiring no reply	3, 830
Referred to other divisions	912
Letters originating in division	13, 873
Memoranda written	13, 755

All contacts on insurance matters are handled exclusively by three cooperators who have had extensive training and considerable experience in this line of work. The following figures show the amount of insurance handled by these cooperators during the past fiscal year:

Date	Applied for reinstatement of term insurance		Applied for reinstatement of Government life insurance	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1924				
July	47	$355, 131. 26	37	$151, 000. 00
August	34	262, 000. 00	31	106, 500. 00
September	74	568, 961. 00	61	251, 500. 00
October	43	330, 000. 00	38	168, 500. 00
November	40	307, 000. 00	43	201, 000. 00
December	43	335, 500. 00	35	152, 148. 00
1925				
January	45	336, 631. 00	75	332, 000. 00
February	42	325, 072. 00	55	225, 500. 00
March	34	256, 631. 00	31	128, 500. 00
April	28	206, 500. 00	39	171, 500. 00
May	31	222, 500. 00	30	115, 000. 00
June	51	375, 131. 00	58	266, 000. 00
Total	512	3, 881, 057. 26	533	2, 269, 148. 00

Date	Applied for reinstatement and conversion of term insurance		Applied for conversion of term insurance	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1924				
July	15	$63, 000. 00	28	$127, 500. 00
August	25	112, 000. 00	10	32, 000. 00
September	18	67, 500. 00	22	104, 000. 00
October	21	98, 000. 00	24	129, 000. 00
November	23	88, 500. 00	7	36, 000. 00
December	32	134, 500. 00	11	88, 000. 00
1925				
January	31	153, 500. 00	34	163, 000. 00
February	17	88, 500. 00	25	115, 500. 00
March	25	118, 000. 00	18	104, 500. 00
April	33	172, 000. 00	16	98, 000. 00
May	37	196, 000. 00	19	99, 500. 00
June	41	196, 500. 00	18	108, 500. 00
Total	318	1, 488, 000. 00	232	1, 205, 500. 00

The above figures represent only the insurance handled by this group, which is only a small portion of the work, as the handling of insurance death claims entails considerable time, study, and painstaking efforts.

Two cooperators are stationed, one in the Senate Office Building and one in the House Office Building, for the purpose of expediting the handling of all inquiries received through congressional channels.

Close contact is maintained with all recognized organizations and the Red Cross, whose agents bring matters in which they are interested to the attention of this division.

In addition, a systematic follow up is made by this division on all services and divisions of the bureau in central office to eliminate undue delay in the handling of telegrams, radiograms, cablegrams, and special mail matter. This follow up has greatly reduced the average time for replying to telegrams and special correspondence received. The record of such correspondence for the past year totals 56,748.

The cooperators in the regional offices, under the general supervision of the information and cooperation division, maintain close contact throughout the field service, with all agencies and individuals concerned. This service has brought about a better understanding and a more harmonious relationship between the bureau and those for whose benefit it was created. They function along practically the same lines as the cooperators in central office, in that they make personal contact with the claimants and their representatives, represent them before the claims and rating board and expedite adjudication in every possible way.

REGIONAL OFFICES

The purpose of the United States Veterans' Bureau, briefly stated, is to provide industrial and physical rehabilitation and relief to the disabled and vocationally handicapped veteran discharged from the armed forces of the United States. Through experience and continued study of administrative problems, it was apparent that the most expeditious, efficient and economical method of dispensing the various benefits provided by Congress was to take the service to the man. While the act of August 9, 1921, permitted decentralization to a limited extent, it was not until the enactment of the World War veterans' act of June 7, 1924, that effective decentralization was possible.

The act of June 7, 1924, section 7, provides as follows:

> The director shall establish a central office in the District of Columbia, and such regional offices and suboffices, not exceeding one hundred in number, within the territory of the United States and its outlying possessions as may be deemed necessary by him and in the best interests of the work committed to the Veterans' Bureau and to carry out the purpose of this Act. Such regional offices and suboffices may, subject to final action by the director in case of an appeal, and under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the director, exercise such powers for hearing complaints and for examining, rating, and awarding compensation claims, granting medical, surgical, dental, and hospital care, convalescent care, and necessary and reasonable after care, granting vocational training and all other matters delegated to them, or some of them, by the director as could be performed lawfully under this Act by the central office.

In compliance with this authority, General Order 284 authorized the establishment of 51, later extended to 54, regional offices and the decentralization of district office activities to a regional basis. Prior to the issuance of General Order 284, the case files in the fourth district, located in the District of Columbia, had been arranged geographically according to the proposed regional office territory and a study was made to determine the most efficient plan to follow in the decentralization program. The offices set up in the fourth district functioned as regional offices and when decentralization in the district was effected, it meant only a change in the physical location of the offices.

The regional office located at Baltimore, Md., was the first office to function under the new organization. This office, with the exception of finance matters, was approved as functioning by the director of the bureau August 15, 1924. On August 28, 1924, the general order authorizing decentralization of all district offices and outlining the regional office territory was issued and the work was carried forward as expeditiously as possible in view of the fact that the interest of and service to the disabled veteran could not be allowed to suffer during the period of transition. On April 1, 1925, all the activities of the bureau originally affected were completely decentralized and all regional offices were functioning directly under central office.

ORGANIZATION

The organization of the Veterans' Bureau at the time of the passage of the World War veterans' act of June 7, 1924, consisted of 87 field offices, including 14 district offices and their local offices. However, through reorganization and consolidation at the time of decentralization, it was possible to materially decrease this number and on June 30, 1925, there were 65 field offices in operation, including 54 regional offices and 11 suboffices.

The dates of discontinuance of the district offices were as follows:

District No.	Location	Date of discontinuance	District No.	Location	Date of discontinuance
		1925			1925
4	Washington, D. C.	Jan. 21	2	New York, N. Y.	Mar. 31
10	Minneapolis, Minn.	Feb. 1	5	Atlanta, Ga.	Apr. 1
13	Seattle, Wash.	Feb. 12	1	Boston, Mass.	Do.
11	Denver, Colo.	Mar. 1	9	St. Louis, Mo.	Do.
6	New Orleans,	Mar. 20	14	Dallas, Tex.	Apr. 5
3	Philadelphia, Pa.	Do.	12	San Francisco, Calif.	Apr. 15
8	Chicago, Ill.	Mar. 31	7	Cincinnati, Ohio	Apr. 21

Regional offices were recognized as organized and functioning on the following dates:

Regional office	Date approved as functioning	Date fully decentralized	Regional office	Date approved as functioning	Date fully decentralized
	1924	1925		1924	1925
Baltimore, Md.	Aug. 15	Jan. 1	Chicago, Ill.	Dec. 4	Feb. 2
Charleston, W. Va.	Sept. 4	Jan. 16	Detroit, Mich.	do	Do.
Salt Lake City, Utah	Sept. 5	Jan. 1	Milwaukee, Wis.	do	Mar. 2
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	do	Feb. 1	Buffalo, N. Y.	Dec. 5	Mar. 1
Denver, Colo.	do	Do.	Hartford, Conn.	do	Do.
Casper, Wyo.	Sept. 11	Feb. 16	Newark, N. J.	do	Do.
Richmond, Va.	Sept. 22	Jan. 16	Fargo, N. Dak.	Dec. 8	Feb. 1
		1924	Minneapolis, Minn.	do	Do.
Washington, D. C.	Sept. 26	Dec. 16	Portland, Greg.	Dec. 15	Jan. 1
		1925	Boston, Mass.	do	Apr. 1
Los Angeles, Calif.	Oct. 31	Apr. 1	Providence, R. I.	Dec. 29	Do.
Phoenix, Ariz.	do	Do.	Atlanta, Ga.	Jan. 1	Feb. 1
San Francisco, Calif.	do	Do.	Oklahoma City, Okla.	do	Apr. 1
Helena, Mont.	Nov. 1	Jan. 1	Cincinnati, Ohio	Jan. 2	Do.
Birmingham, Ala.	Nov. 15	Mar. 1	Charlotte, N. C.	Jan. 5	Feb. 1
Jackson, Miss.	do	Do.	Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	do	Do.
New Orleans, La.	do	Do.	New York, N. Y.	Jan. 30	Mar. 1
Boise, Idaho	Nov. 25	Jan. 1	Burlington, Vt.	do	Apr. 1
Seattle, Wash.	do	Do.	Little Rock, Ark.	do	Do.
Des Moines, Iowa	do	Feb. 2	Columbia, S. C.	Feb. 1	Mar. 1
Philadelphia, Pa.	do	Mar. 14	Jacksonville, Fla.	Feb. 2	Do.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	do	Do.	Dallas, Tex.	Feb. 16	Apr. 1
St. Louis, Mo.	do	Feb. 18	Cleveland, Ohio	Feb. 25	Mar. 1
Manchester, N. H.	Nov. 28	Apr. 1	Louisville, Ky.	Mar. 1	Do.
Portland, Me.	do	Do.	Wichita, Kans.	do	Apr. 1
Omaha, Nebr.	Dec. 1	Jan. 31	Reno, Nev.	Mar. 16	
Kansas City, Mo.	do	Feb. 18	Indianapolis, Ind.	Mar. 17	Do.
			Nashville, Tenn.	Mar. 30	Do.
			San Antonio, Tex.	Apr. 1	Do.
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The organization of the regional offices was authorized under General Order 285 which reads, in part, as follows:

> There shall be in each regional office a medical division; a claims division; a rehabilitation division; and a service division. There shall also be in each regional office, when necessary, a legal adviser, a statistician and such cooperators as may be necessary based upon the local requirements.

The following is a brief resumé of the activities of the several divisions and special employees in the regional offices.

Regional manager.—In accordance with General Order 285 "A regional manager shall be in charge of each regional office, who shall be responsible to the director for the progress and conduct of the bureau's business in the territory assigned to that office."

Legal adviser.—The legal adviser passes on the legality of various questions arising in the administration of the various acts regulating the activities of the bureau.

Guardianship officer.—The functions of the guardianship officer consist primarily of inquiring into the bureau's actions in behalf of the incompetent beneficiaries and of checking the fiduciaries of such beneficiaries. The position and duties of the guardianship officer were authorized by General Order 259 effective May 8, 1924. General Order 259B issued August 1, 1925, further defined the duties of this officer and provided that he should function directly under and be responsible to the regional manager.

This supervision of the wards of the bureau and the checking of the accounts of the guardians has been done by a guardianship officer attached to each regional office, with the assistance of the American Red Cross and the American Legion. They have selected the guardians and, after their appointment by the court, taken steps to have them adequately bonded. The most gratifying feature of this work has been the opportunity for personal interviews with parties concerned in the various cases, and the establishment of a clear understanding of the views and wishes of the guardians to cooperate with the bureau.

Of major importance in the effective control of guardianship matters was the amendment of March 4, 1925, to the World War veterans' act, which provided, through section 505, that:

> Every guardian, curator, conservator, committee or person legally vested with the responsibility or care of the claimant or his estate, having charge or custody in a fiduciary capacity of money paid, under the War Risk Act as amended, or under the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, for the benefit of any minor or incompetent claimant, who shall embezzle the same in violation of his trust or fraudulently convert the same to his own use, shall be punished by fine not exceeding $2,000 or imprisonment at hard labor for a term not exceeding five years, or both.

The report of activities of the guardianship officers for the period ending September 30, 1925 shows the following status:

Number of guardians	29, 114
Number of minor wards	18, 832
Number of incompetent wards	17, 466

CLAIMS DIVISION

The decentralization of the district offices and reorganization on a regional office basis effected more radical changes in the claims than in any other division. At the time the plans for decentralization of all the districts were being effected and by virtue of authority contained in section 7 of the World War veterans' act approved June 7, 1924, Regulation 74 was issued, which provided for the establishment of the claims and rating board. Regulation 74 was issued August 12, 1924 and authorized the establishment of claims and rating boards in each regional office.

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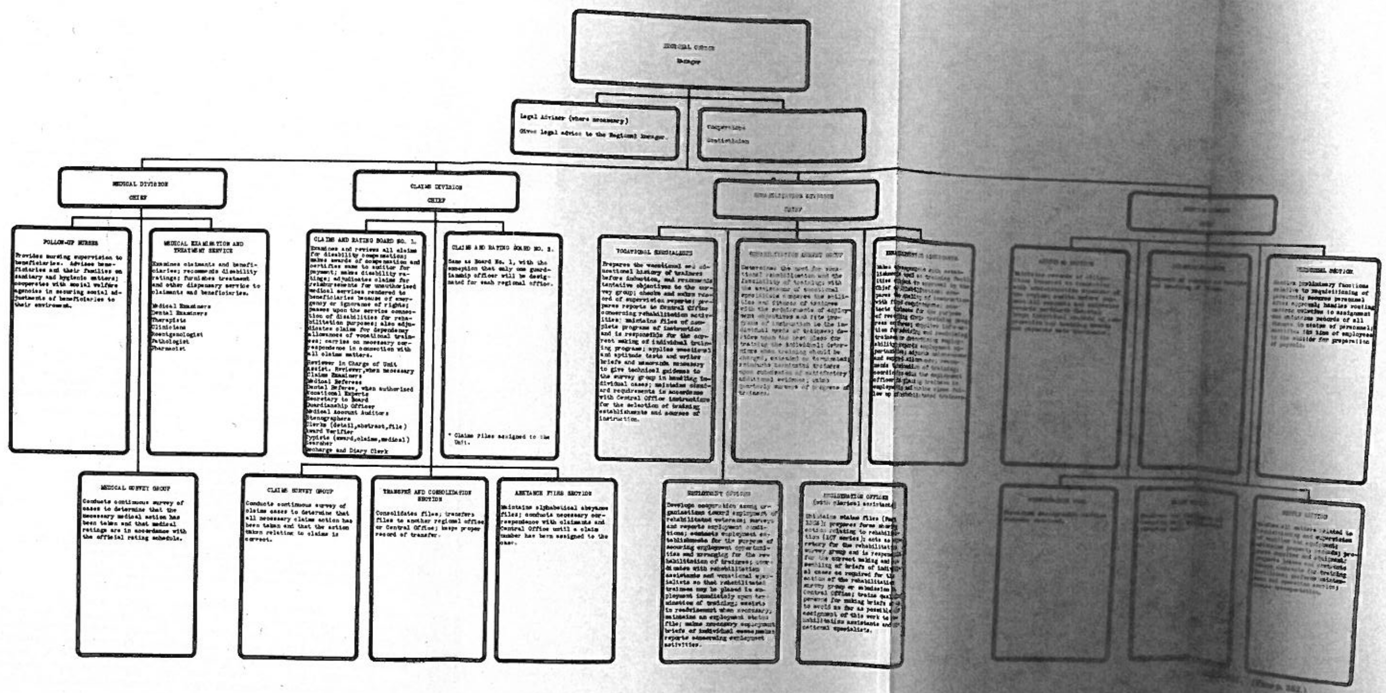
PLAN OF REGIONAL OFFICE ORGANIZATION



The functions of the claims division, including the claims and rating board, consist of examining and reviewing all claims for disability compensation, making awards and certifying the same to the auditor for payment; making disability ratings; adjudicating claims for reimbursement for unauthorized medical service rendered to beneficiaries because of emergency or ignorance of rights; adjudicating claims for dependency allowance of vocational trainees; passing upon the service connection of disabilities for the purpose of establishing eligibility for vocational training; and carrying on all correspondence relative to claims matters. The details of organization are shown by chart of "Plan of Regional Office Organization."

The number of boards to be established in each office is regulated by the actual claims load. Ninety-nine boards in all regional offices were in operation at the close of the year. The regulation referred to above provided that each board should consist of five members—namely, one claims examiner, one claims reviewer, one vocational specialist and two general medical referees (one of whom shall be a general medical examiner) to be designated by the regional manager and approved by the director. In addition, there shall be such special medical and dental members as are necessary to determine the medical facts in each case. The jurisdiction of the claims and rating boards to include the following types of cases:

(*a*) Disability compensation.
(*b*) Legal eligibility for vocational training.
(*c*) Hospitalization and medical treatment.
(*d*) Reimbursement for loss of wages incident to examination, which may include hospital observation, if necessary.
(*e*) Reimbursement for unauthorized medical treatment rendered as a result of emergency.
(*f*) Claims of Bureau employees.

It is the further duty of the claims and rating boards to complete the preliminary steps essential to the adjudication of the following cases, including any necessary examinations (*a*–2 and *a*–4) or examinations and ratings (*b*–1):

(*a*) Claims folders to be referred to rating section, claims division, central office.

1. Death claims.
2. Claims involving section 23 in which it is alleged that the claimant was insane at the time of the commission of the offense resulting in court martial trial and discharge.
3. Claims of residents of foreign countries, and of the insular and territorial possessions of the United States.
4. Claims where specific procedure is otherwise provided by regulations, such as the procedure established by Regulation 50 for handling cases defined by section 313 of the war risk insurance act as amended.

(*b*) To be forwarded without the claims folder.

1. Claims involving sections 304 and 306 of the World War veterans' act, 1924, as amended. The insurance features of all such claims will be adjudicated by central office in accordance with existing instructions.

There has been a uniform reduction in the number of complaints received, through the expeditious handling of claims by claims and rating boards operating in the regional offices. With the claimant now appearing in person at an office in his home State for examination and rating of his case, the formerly heard criticism that the bureau was making "paper ratings" has been silenced. With previous ratings no longer subject to change because of contrary opinions held by those

reviewing them, both the beneficiaries and the welfare organizations interested have been brought to realize that the determination of each claim is being based upon sound and fair procedure. While under the old system it generally required several weeks to adjudicate a claim, the service is now carried to the beneficiary, who is given his day in court and the examination and rating often is concluded in one day. By thus giving the claimant an opportunity to discuss his case with the members of the board, personal misunderstandings have been cleared up and a feeling of good will created, it being brought home to the veterans that the bureau is anxious to perform its full duty toward them in a human and sympathetic manner. When, on account of hospitalization or for other reasons, the claimant is unable to report for examination before the board, the board goes to him, traveling claims and rating boards functioning in the regional offices, whose duty it is to visit the hospital or institution for the purpose of examining and rating the beneficiary. That the service in this respect is giving satisfaction is evident from the steadily decreasing number of appeals taken. The decentralization of responsibility for permanent and total cases has also shown beneficial effects.

The following comparison of the number of appeals made to appellate boards during the last five months of the fiscal years 1924 and 1925 indicates to some degree the success with which the claims and rating board is functioning:

Month	Appeals		Month	Appeals	
	1924	1925		1924	1925
February	6,959	1,284	May	8,522	1,169
March	8,771	1,109	June	7,371	1,105
April	9,544	1,049			

The total number of cases assigned to the various regional offices June 30 was 657,004. This number was subdivided as follows: active awards, 193,565; terminated awards 161,912; disallowed claims 293,650; pending cases 7,877. This number will be substantially increased by the decentralization of 15,600 permanent total cases, on file in central office.

The following table illustrates the activities of the fields claims divisions by months, during the fiscal year 1925:

Monthly adjudications

Date	Original Awards	Supplemental awards	Amended awards	Stop payments	Previous rating confirmed	Disallowed	Total adjudications
1924							
July	2,147		13,168	2,959	20,618	2,312	41,204
August	1,945		13,497	2,909	18,004	1,818	38,173
September	1,828		11,335	2,471	16,777	1,687	34,098
October	1,756		12,732	3,453	20,601	1,628	40,170
November	1,849		11,208	2,489	16,206	1,606	33,358
December	2,017		11,623	2,286	15,046	1,701	32,673
1925							
January	1,171		14,285	1,683	15,645	2,293	35,077
February	1,482		12,643	1,959	17,164	2,554	35,802
March	1,599	312	15,945	2,399	22,062	3,302	45,619
April	1,881	642	15,340	2,520	21,470	2,835	44,688
May	1,638	679	14,355	2,412	18,899	2,654	40,637
June	1,526	839	14,775	2,496	21,871	2,270	43,777

The policy of the bureau during the fiscal year has been to place active awards on a permanent basis whenever possible. The following table illustrates by comparison of number and per cent the progress being made in this direction:

Year	Temporary	Per cent	Permanent	Per cent	Total active awards
June 30, 1922	151,327	86.96	22,697	13.04	174,024
June 30, 1923	148,744	81.24	34,346	18.76	183,090
June 30, 1924	105,620	58.99	73,417	41.01	179,037
June 30, 1925	108,227	51.14	103,417	48.86	211,644

MEDICAL DIVISION

The duties of the division are to perform medical examinations for claimants and beneficiaries, to make disability ratings, to furnish medical, dental, surgical, and convalescent care and necessary and reasonable aftercare, and to authorize hospitalization for beneficiaries of the bureau. Medical referees are detailed to the claims and rating board for duty. The division, according to the "Plan of regional office organization," is divided into three subdivisions: follow-up nurses, medical examinations and treatments, and medical survey group. The duties of each subdivision are outlined on the organization chart.

Out-patient service—Examinations and treatments.—The act of June 7, 1924, section 200, provides—

> That an ex-service man who is shown to have or, if deceased, to have had, prior to January 1, 1925, neuropsychiatric disease, an active tuberculosis disease, paralysis agitans, encephalitis lethargica, or amoebic dysentery developing a ten per centum of disability or more * * * shall be presumed to have acquired his disability in such service between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921 * * *.

A reflection of the provisions of the act noted above is shown in the increase in examinations during the months of December and January of the present fiscal year. The total number of examinations made during the months of November, December, January, and February were 89,897, 123,395, 104,333 and 87,230, respectively. However, regardless of the increase in the number of examinations resulting primarily from the presumptive clause of the act, the medical examinations in the fiscal year 1925 showed a decided decrease in comparison with those for the previous fiscal years. During the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925, 1,438,682, 1,327,591, and 1,120,256 examinations were made, respectively.

The primary cause for the decrease noted above is the carrying out of the policy outlined in Regulation 98 of rating disabilities, which have apparently reached a stationary level on a permanent basis. When such a rating has been made it is provided that examination will be ordered for rating purposes, only by the regional office, upon the claimant's own request accompanied by evidence showing changed conditions, except in the instance of claimant's carrying a permanent total disability award for active tuberculosis, where examinations at intervals of 18 months are made.

It is further noted by a comparison of the medical examinations made during the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925 that a material reduction has been made in the number of examinations made by medical examiners employed on a fee basis. During the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925, 5.48, 4.1, and 3.2 per cent of the total medical examinations were made on a fee basis, which indicates a general policy to utilize only medical examiners regularly employed by the bureau whenever possible, thereby fixing responsibility for ratings made and services rendered and at the same time reducing the cost of such examinations.

Dental examinations.—The number of dental examinations made during the fiscal year 1925 shows a reduction in comparison with the number performed during the fiscal years 1923 and 1924 of 63,960 and 11,630. This decrease is largely due to the fact that the examinations in connection with service-connected dental disabilities have been practically completed.

Medical treatment.—During the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925, 1,823,520, 1,515,433, and 1,141,152 medical treatments were given respectively, by examining physicians. It will be noted from the figures given above that a material reduction in treatments has been effected during the fiscal year. The greatest reduction is noted under general medical treatments. This no doubt is due to the gradual elimination of the types of disability requiring general medical treatment and also may be credited to a large extent to the work of the follow-up nurses' service, whereby the home conditions of the veterans are studied and regulated as far as possible to alleviate the special disability.

Dental treatment.—Dental treatments to the number of 116,815 were given during the fiscal year 1925, in comparison with 275,804 and 187,884 given during the fiscal years 1923 and 1924, respectively. The per cent of treatments given on a fee basis had decreased from 25.11 per cent during the fiscal year 1923 to 4.2 per cent during the fiscal year 1925.

Operations in clinics.—During the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925, the number of operations credited to the out-patient service of the bureau were 41,970, 15,312, and 5,863, respectively. This decrease is due primarily to the decrease in need for operations for conditions traceable to service.

The following table shows a comparison of the out-patient service for the fiscal years 1923, 1924, and 1925:

Classification	Fiscal years		
	1923	1924	1925
Average cases treated monthly	81,221	63,649	47,341
Treatments	2,099,424	1,703,317	1,257,967
Examinations	1,526,766	1,363,295	1,144,330
Operations	41,970	15,312	5,863
Anesthetics	6,523	3,758	3,085
Sent to hospitals	49,812	47,965	59,916
Hospital visits	222,552	95,992	81,680
Home visits	64,535	45,152	38,091

In cooperation with the claims divisions, the medical divisions have concentrated their efforts on reducing the time requirements in completing examinations, in order to provide for the claimant's appearance before the claims and rating boards with complete medical examination reports immediately after examination. With authority for hospitalization, prosthetic service, etc., vested in the regional offices, these services have been handled with greater dispatch and, since all clinical reports and records of patients are being received direct, arrangements for aftercare and supervision are now effected more promptly and efficiently. The established clinics are being kept on a par with those of accredited hospitals and the best obtainable consultants and specialists engaged. In not a few of the regions there have been organized regional medical societies having contact with physicians in private practice, which societies are holding regular meetings where professional papers are read and interesting cases discussed.

REHABILITATION DIVISION

The act of June 7, 1924, provided:

> That until June 30, 1926, the courses of vocational training provided for under this Act shall, as far as practicable, and under such conditions as the director may prescribe, be made available without cost for instruction for the benefit of any person who is disabled under circumstances entitling him, after discharge from the military or naval forces of the United States, to compensation under Title II hereof and who is not included in Section 400 hereof. That no person who has been declared eligible for training under the provisions of this title, for whom training has been prescribed, and who has been notified by the bureau to begin training, shall be eligible to the benefits of this title in the event of his failure to commence training within a reasonable time after notice has been sent such person by the bureau: *Provided further*, That, except when such failure is due, in the opinion of the director, to physical incapacity, such time shall not be longer than twelve months after notice shall have been given for persons declared eligible and notified to begin training: *And provided further*, That no training shall be furnished to any person under any of the provisions of this title unless such person shall actually commence such training on or before June 30, 1925.

The establishment of definite dates for termination of the receipt of applications and training necessitated a detailed review of all applicants for training to determine if eligibility had been established and to see that all eligible and feasible applicants were advised of the law as amended, relative to the date after which no applications could be received or entrances into training effected. A review was also made of each individual training program to determine if training into employment in the objective assigned would be possible before the date fixed subsequent to which all training would be discontinued. In those cases where training into employment would not be possible before the closing date of the activities of the rehabilitation division, a lower objective was chosen.

In order that each trainee, including those entering prior and subsequent to the passage of the act, should receive the maximum benefits during the period of time available, a definite training program was established whereby advancement of the trainee is checked quarterly, and when progress toward employment is not satisfactory the trainee is advised at once by the rehabilitation survey group.

The activities of the rehabilitation division are under the direct supervision of the chief of the division, who is responsible to the regional manager. The principal activities of the division are assigned to registration officer, vocational specialist, rehabilitation survey group, rehabilitation assistants, employment officer.

The rehabilitation survey group.—The establishment of the rehabilitation survey group has been to the rehabilitation division what the establishment of the claims and rating board has been to the claims division. The functions of this group are to determine the need for vocational rehabilitation and the feasibility for training; to appraise the education, training, experience, interest, abilities, and aptitude of the trainee; to compare the ability and fitness of the trainee with the requirements of the proposed objective, and, with the advice and assistance of the vocational specialist, to prepare a training program that will lead to employment by the most direct route. Periodic surveys are made of the trainees to ascertain the advance being made and to suggest such changes as may be indicated. The trainee may appear before the survey group and discuss the training program and other matters relative to training. This eliminates all misunderstanding on the part of the trainee or the survey group.

The following table illustrates the activities of the rehabilitation survey group during the last three months of the fiscal year 1925:

	April		May		June		Total	
	Considered	Granted	Considered	Granted	Considered	Granted	Considered	Granted
Original registration	1,263	1,014	1,553	1,240	2,924	2,027	5,740	4,281
Need for further training	633	272	546	252	523	266	1,702	790
Original advisement	394	336	397	359	1,304	1,241	2,095	1,936
Readvisement	350	324	303	276	375	356	1,028	956
Extension of rehabilitation date	1,277	1,164	959	853	878	792	3,114	2,809
Other adjustments	1,505	1,487	1,109	1,384	891	870	3,805	3,741
Rehabilitated and completed	3,233	3,142	2,124	2,080	1,961	1,923	7,318	7,145
Discontinued	604	584	491	470	409	390	1,504	1,444
Total	9,259	8,323	7,782	6,914	9,265	7,865	26,306	23,102

The results of the establishment of the rehabilitation survey group may be judged by the reduction in the number of appeals as noted by a comparison of six months of the fiscal years 1924 and 1925:

	1924		1925	
	Granted	Disallowed	Granted	Disallowed
January	228	1,149	25	299
February	224	793	34	307
March	288	1,040	33	236
April	354	1,081	48	265
May	371	1,015	46	284
June	285	659	57	253
Total	1,750	5,737	243	1,644

Active training.—A review of the active training load for the fiscal years 1924 and 1925 shows that the per cent of trainees in placement and project training has been increased from month to month while the per cent of those in institutional training has been decreasing. This would indicate the following out of the general policy to train on the job, under the actual conditions that will be experienced by the rehabilitated trainee on entering employment. The reports submitted by the various regional offices indicate that an effort is being put forth to utilize only those establishments for training facilities that will agree to employ the trainees upon the completion of their course.

The following table shows a comparison by per cent of the number in training during the last four months of the fiscal year and the same period in 1925:

	March		April		May		June	
	1924	1925	1924	1925	1924	1925	1924	1925
Institutional	41.02	34.35	40.63	34.62	40.12	33.72	34.16	24.32
Placement	42.67	47.64	43.41	47.30	44.11	48.13	48.68	55.55
Project	7.41	12.82	7.90	13.29	8.00	13.81	8.89	15.00
Vocational schools	4.58	1.02	3.74	.63	3.37	.22	3.53	------
Correspondence	4.17	3.97	4.18	3.96	4.24	3.90	4.58	4.72
Tutorial	.15	.20	.14	.20	.16	.20	.16	.30

SERVICE DIVISION

The service division is made up of six subdivisions, known as auditing, disbursing, personnel, stenographic, mails, and supply sections. Each section functions under a chief, who is responsible to the chief of the division. The service division of the several regional offices has primarily to do with the business activities of the office; that is, all bills are received, and vouchers and payments of all classes are made by this division. It has been the aim of the division to have the activities of the bureau function in a manner comparable only to the best commercial organizations performing similar work. At the time decentralization of the activities of this division was effected, an effort was made to place only employees in supervisory positions who had actual experience in connection with the work assigned in the district office prior to decentralization.

Auditing and disbursing sections.—The activities of the auditing and disbursing sections were not decentralized in most instances from district offices to the regional offices until some time after these offices were functioning with reference to the activities of the claims, medical and rehabilitation divisions. However, since the decentralization of the activities of the auditing and disbursing sections, a material reduction in the time required for the payment of bills has been effected. The work is practically on a current basis and very few discounts are lost. These sections work in close cooperation with the claims and rating board and in many instances payments are made within 48 hours after an award is made.

The following table illustrates the activities of the auditing, disbursing, and mails sections during the fiscal year 1925:

	Bills not vouchered	Vouchers not disposed of	Mail disposed of	Bills vouchered	Vouchers disposed of	Checks drawn
1924						
July	6,091	9,881	500,659	18,159	74,491	321,101
August	5,654	12,281	478,356	15,667	68,376	313,767
September	4,764	8,745	432,263	15,620	64,990	316,118
October	4,738	8,172	472,091	17,078	74,948	317,930
November	5,100	7,857	520,999	15,120	61,653	291,011
December	6,772	8,504	540,142	14,657	61,113	312,160
1925						
January	4,678	8,560	905,725	21,758	68,327	286,958
February	5,944	9,844	870,492	22,020	68,760	299,027
March	6,251	9,330	937,099	24,381	85,027	321,914
April	5,323	8,574	872,058	26,442	84,519	297,806
May	4,111	7,183	786,875	28,665	82,581	292,574
June	3,847	5,761	767,583	26,622	77,103	313,067
Total			8,084,342	246,189	871,888	3,683,433

COMMITTEE ON RECOVERIES

Under date of October 7, 1924, General Order 290 authorized the establishment of the committee on recoveries in each regional office. The committee consists of three members, who will function directly and be responsible to the regional manager. General Order 290B authorized the regional committee to adjudicate cases and make recoveries where the amount of overpayment does not exceed $300, also to waive recovery when justified by law and fact. The following action is reported by the committee on recoveries for the last three months of the fiscal year 1925:

	Received for action	Disposed of during month				Cases on hand	Outstanding overpayments	
		Refunds requested		Overpayments waived				
		Number	Value	Number	Value		Number	Amount
April	765	428	$36,750.10	168	$23,742.56	1,298	3,030	$348,995.26
May	998	686	73,009.25	195	27,444.48	2,063	3,991	430,176.82
June	785	628	68,216.62	138	22,622.58	1,858	3,859	424,123.73
Total	2,548	1,742	177,975.97	501	73,809.62			

TABLE No. 120.—*Status of disability and death compensation claims on file in regional offices and central office as of June 30, 1925*

Regional office	Claims cases on file				
	Active awards	Terminated awards	Disallowed cases	Pending cases	Total cases on file
Boston, Mass.	7,934	9,048	14,860	344	32,186
Portland, Me.	942	1,571	1,803	56	4,372
Manchester, N. H.	762	535	1,165	24	2,486
Providence, R. I.	1,242	1,425	2,102	150	4,919
Burlington, Vt.	540	818	658	22	2,038
New York, N. Y.	15,607	8,794	15,821	631	40,853
Buffalo, N. Y.	5,039	2,254	5,530	172	12,995
Hartford, Conn.	3,024	1,471	2,542	59	7,096
Newark, N. J.	4,979	3,937	7,642	174	16,732
Philadelphia, Pa.	9,878	7,644	14,671	313	32,506
Pittsburgh, Pa.	5,477	3,055	6,660	195	15,387
Washington, D. C.	2,435	4,177	6,499	123	13,234
Baltimore, Md.	2,315	1,781	4,226	60	8,382
Richmond, Va.	2,294	1,701	3,614	171	7,780
Charleston, W. Va.	2,072	1,431	4,207	222	7,932
Atlanta, Ga.	4,549	5,658	9,907	128	20,242
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,654	3,283	23	85	5,045
Charlotte, N. C.	3,324	2,734	5,941	160	12,159
Columbia, S. C.	1,855	1,161	4,218	29	7,263
Nashville, Tenn.	4,048	2,970	12,733	116	19,867
New Orleans, La.	3,106	2,559	14,717	117	20,499
Birmingham, Ala.	4,092	2,456	4,050	88	10,686
Jackson, Miss.	2,544	1,480	3,809	60	7,893
Cincinnati, Ohio	6,199	6,112	7,305	211	19,827
Cleveland, Ohio	5,388	3,227	5,028	198	13,841
Indianapolis, Ind.	5,544	3,826	6,287	220	15,877
Louisville, Ky.	5,872	5,237	10,066	223	21,398
Chicago, Ill.	11,118	10,671	16,728	584	39,101
Detroit, Mich.	4,908	5,155	6,935	298	17,296
Milwaukee, Wis.	4,587	4,946	6,064	108	15,705
St. Louis, Mo.	4,336	4,211	5,979	95	14,621
Kansas City, Mo.	2,987	3,711	5,765	131	12,594
Des Moines, Iowa	3,008	2,795	4,046	77	9,926
Omaha, Nebr.	1,914	1,908	3,254	62	7,138
Minneapolis, Minn.	6,903	5,930	8,919	258	22,010
Helena, Mont.	1,427	1,020	1,869	29	4,345
Fargo, N. Dak.	950	645	1,441	22	3,058
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	1,251	854	1,935	23	4,063
Denver, Colo.	4,047	4,339	4,488	227	13,101
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	1,605	794	1,962	33	4,394
Salt Lake City, Utah	819	790	1,655	7	3,271
Casper, Wyo.	593	316	2,827	44	3,780
San Francisco, Calif.	4,341	3,995	5,813	195	14,344
Los Angeles, Calif.	5,746	2,749	4,388	310	13,193
Phoenix, Ariz.	1,215	2,025	979	43	4,262
Seattle, Wash.	2,564	2,632	4,732	77	10,005
Boise, Idaho	422	393	1,365	19	2,199
Portland, Oreg.	1,484	1,742	2,866	43	6,135
Dallas, Tex.	3,494	2,064	5,885	107	11,550
Little Rock, Ark.	2,739	1,863	5,673	152	10,427
Oklahoma City, Okla.	3,755	2,330	5,753	373	12,211
Wichita, Kans.	1,836	1,887	2,654	79	6,456
San Antonio, Tex.	2,687	1,715	3,392	122	7,916
Reno, Nev.	114	87	199	8	408
Total, regional offices	193,565	161,912	293,650	7,877	657,004
Central office	18,079	43,241	92,984	790	155,094
Total disability claims	211,644	205,153	386,634	8,667	812,098
Death claims	65,958	12,149	109,792	1,934	189,833
Grand total	277,602	217,302	496,426	10,601	1,001,931

TABLE No. 121.—*New claims filed, claims referred to central board of appeals and monthly adjudications, by regional offices*

Regional office	New claims filed [1]	Referred to central board of appeals [1]	Average monthly adjudications—April, May, and June, 1925						
			Original awards	Supplemental	Amended awards	Stop-payments	Previous rating confirmed	Disallowed	Total adjudications [2]
Boston, Mass	87	35	99	46	791	149	1,119	199	2,403
Portland, Me	23	2	18	4	95	12	32	23	184
Manchester, N. H	12	4	8	6	73	10	75	11	183
Providence, R. I	31	5	21	-------	120	20	189	20	370
Burlington, Vt	10	1	14	-------	55	6	56	11	142
New York, N. Y	192	49	196	30	1,032	95	1,022	97	2,472
Buffalo, N. Y	60	22	23	1	288	60	284	51	708
Hartford, Conn	22	2	27	5	221	26	224	18	521
Newark, N. J	44	10	25	11	261	62	1,150	35	1,543
Philadelphia, Pa	94	34	105	12	687	120	958	132	2,014
Pittsburgh, Pa	57	40	41	2	356	59	674	61	1,194
Washington, D. C	67	64	66	8	232	41	233	63	643
Baltimore, Md	19	10	14	7	205	30	204	11	472
Richmond, Va	39	12	24	5	156	20	209	24	439
Charleston, W. Va	41	12	53	7	174	17	303	74	629
Atlanta, Ga	60	40	51	9	454	68	821	73	1,476
Jacksonville, Fla	33	3	18	2	158	40	227	21	466
Charlotte, N. C	55	13	30	30	335	38	405	47	885
Columbia, S. C	30	9	21	8	186	17	107	42	381
Nashville, Tenn	26	14	8	3	117	28	412	25	593
New Orleans, La	60	30	23	12	294	51	343	67	790
Birmingham, Ala	52	20	14	10	290	37	352	42	745
Jackson, Miss	30	10	8	12	176	32	323	34	584
Cincinnati, Ohio	88	20	15	9	471	91	387	79	1,052
Cleveland, Ohio	52	30	35	3	269	41	190	64	603
Indianapolis, Ind	63	6	27	6	442	69	493	58	1,079
Louisville, Ky	51	41	11	8	451	58	564	41	1,133
Chicago, Ill	132	78	50	13	870	162	1,776	130	3,000
Detroit, Mich	52	39	50	4	387	96	586	79	1,205
Milwaukee, Wis	36	36	32	5	305	66	555	76	1,039
St. Louis, Mo	74	27	55	1	459	95	618	36	1,264
Kansas City, Mo	34	5	23	7	200	29	429	37	725
Des Moines, Iowa	17	11	18	5	181	41	234	23	502
Omaha, Nebr	25	4	22	8	117	31	190	31	398
Minneapolis, Minn	109	36	92	159	475	92	656	95	1,570
Helena, Mont	11	10	9	21	114	11	202	15	371
Fargo, N. Dak	20	3	9	2	70	4	90	17	192
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	18	6	26	11	69	39	187	20	352
Denver, Colo	59	56	18	29	385	90	509	39	1,070
Albuquerque, N. Mex	17	11	8	14	146	22	212	25	428
Salt Lake City, Utah	6	6	7	2	80	11	77	11	188
Casper, Wyo	9	11	9	2	47	5	25	12	100
San Francisco, Calif	82	20	48	36	412	81	490	57	1,125
Los Angeles, Calif	77	5	29	43	518	68	305	144	1,108
Phoenix, Ariz	25	28	17	8	137	30	323	27	542
Seattle, Wash	36	32	29	28	250	31	243	38	619
Boise, Idaho	9	5	5	1	44	7	31	5	92
Portland, Oreg	23	20	12	7	125	26	215	25	410
Dallas, Tex	36	26	23	8	287	35	390	42	784
Little Rock, Ark	54	31	50	10	181	23	263	67	594
Oklahoma City, Okla	108	11	27	9	275	40	404	68	823
Wichita, Kans	16	8	10	14	77	14	109	14	239
San Antonio, Tex	46	43	9	12	221	29	284	38	594
Reno, Nev	2	-------	1	-------	5	1	7	2	14
Total [2]	2,531	1,108	1,682	720	14,823	2,476	20,763	2,586	43,035

[1] Average April, May, and June, 1925.
[2] The figures shown above are monthly averages and the total, being an average, will not represent the sum of the regional offices, nor of the figures in the classification.

TABLE No. 122.—*Activities of claims and rating boards, claims division, by regional office*

Regional office	Received during month [1]	Disposed of during month [1]	Pending June 30, 1925	Claimants appearing personally [1]	Ordered in at Government expense [1]	Analysis of actions monthly [1]		
						Compensation	Training	Hospital and medicine
Boston, Mass	2,532	3,095	465	545	96	1,986	96	207
Portland, Me	434	461	172	143	5	217	159	17
Manchester, N. H	140	139	3	58	39	112	9	12
Providence, R. I	399	403	-------	141	98	372	41	43
Burlington, Vt	651	653	76	50	-------	99	9	5
New York, N. Y	3,026	2,971	600	1,159	233	1,240	32	9
Buffalo, N. Y	774	761	6	431	146	640	3	49
Hartford, Conn	610	588	106	294	127	453	-------	-------
Newark, N. J	2,155	2,106	97	338	68	1,521	-------	11
Philadelphia, Pa	1,423	1,580	76	697	8	1,750	39	2
Pittsburgh, Pa	1,980	1,962	333	487	516	1,932	-------	6
Washington, D. C	642	682	101	206	4	682	36	1
Baltimore, Md	593	606	25	221	205	329	93	88
Richmond, Va	819	852	103	113	29	425	33	127
Charleston, W. Va	679	938	44	72	66	666	35	5
Atlanta, Ga	4,787	5,114	444	245	148	4,815	73	199
Jacksonville, Fla	895	905	12	146	175	254	2	63
Charlotte, N. C	3,329	3,345	201	104	209	2,889	38	129
Columbia, S. C	1,494	1,519	26	92	195	1,307	10	40
Nashville, Tenn	1,179	1,144	105	85	176	113	39	35
New Orleans, La	849	841	76	239	143	854	-------	173
Birmingham, Ala	1,299	1,303	36	349	329	839	107	24
Jackson, Miss	739	758	115	180	191	105	10	9
Cincinnati, Ohio	2,014	2,005	309	567	303	1,218	52	-------
Cleveland, Ohio	1,796	1,862	160	319	350	419	5	8
Indianapolis, Ind	1,614	1,533	243	368	557	368	18	48
Louisville, Ky	1,329	1,295	349	274	-------	941	60	17
Chicago, Ill	3,700	3,673	154	1,309	-------	2,420	-------	-------
Detroit, Mich	1,253	1,305	39	263	10	1,289	-------	3
Milwaukee, Wis	1,709	1,693	110	609	502	1,586	133	4
St. Louis, Mo	1,391	1,457	80	634	245	1,457	188	-------
Kansas City, Mo	1,027	1,021	86	291	361	361	142	100
Des Moines, Iowa	2,184	2,291	155	252	353	2,071	233	2
Omaha, Nebr	505	525	30	166	161	312	1	1
Minneapolis, Minn	3,197	3,388	760	166	-------	1,375	86	154
Helena, Mont	1,117	1,094	233	74	136	333	28	21
Fargo, N. Dak	344	346	3	17	127	162	16	37
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	588	601	3	120	225	274	4	18
Denver, Colo	1,658	1,609	323	226	-------	1,252	57	242
Albuquerque, N. Mex	587	612	58	45	-------	355	8	91
Salt Lake City, Utah	161	161	-------	34	-------	164	19	3
Casper, Wyo	257	274	33	10	17	93	50	14
San Francisco, Calif	6,942	6,970	271	386	338	6,954	153	138
Los Angeles, Calif	1,648	1,617	114	874	304	888	35	84
Phoenix, Ariz	624	636	24	151	28	381	43	9
Seattle, Wash	929	959	143	193	244	648	138	39
Boise, Idaho	440	440	42	53	55	66	30	38
Portland, Oreg	354	361	27	158	-------	314	10	144
Dallas, Tex	2,074	2,097	148	176	-------	1,988	121	4
Little Rock, Ark	2,285	2,303	383	221	175	545	200	6
Oklahoma City, Okla	1,240	1,366	74	307	439	480	148	49
Wichita, Kans	411	411	-------	233	212	16	11	41
San Antonio, Tex	609	591	96	176	-------	591	57	2
Reno, Nev	59	59	1	-------	-------	59	-------	-------
Total [2]	75,444	77,280	7,673	15,066	8,349	52,983	2,911	2,570

[1] Average monthly for April, May, and June, 1925.
[2] The figures shown above are monthly averages and the total, being an average, will not represent the sum of the regional offices, nor of the figures in the classifications.

TABLE No. 122.—*Activities of claims and rating boards, claims division, by regional office*—Continued

Regional office	Analysis of actions monthly [1]—Continued						
	Reimbursements	Referred to board of appeals	Previous rating confirmed	Previous rating changed	Examinations requested for rating purposes	Handled but not rated pending additional evidence	Total actions [2]
Boston, Mass	35	29	1,119	697	1,748	613	6,529
Portland, Me		2	32	74	151	29	682
Manchester, N. H	7	5	75	47	140	18	424
Providence, R. I	6	5	189	108	241	15	1,021
Burlington, Vt	7	1	56	52	82	66	377
New York, N. Y	15	13	1,022	871	338	366	3,904
Buffalo, N. Y	5	15	284	239	427	67	1,728
Hartford, Conn	7	1	224	199	335	108	1,327
Newark, N. J	10	10	1,150	890	160	83	3,835
Philadelphia, Pa	10	1	958	514	1,002	59	4,337
Pittsburgh, Pa	42	6	674	483	790	34	3,968
Washington, D. C	6		233	169	174	105	1,408
Baltimore, Md	4	1	204	149	306	67	1,241
Richmond, Va	2	1	209	157	213	85	1,252
Charleston, W. Va	2	12	303	231	239	95	1,589
Atlanta, Ga	8	33	821	270	164	40	6,423
Jacksonville, Fla	1	5	227	171	221	41	985
Charlotte, N. C	4	22	405	175	214	161	4,037
Columbia, S. C	1	9	107	229	223	12	1,940
Nashville, Tenn	5	15	412	91	178	52	940
New Orleans, La	1	20	343	269	404	147	2,211
Birmingham, Ala		15	352	138	414	260	2,150
Jackson, Miss		6	323	69	169	79	771
Cincinnati, Ohio	28	19	387	831	669	483	3,687
Cleveland, Ohio	83	15	190	297	402	123	1,544
Indianapolis, Ind	1	5	493	305	774		2,012
Louisville, Ky	7	21	564	458	503	73	2,645
Chicago, Ill		2	1,776	753	1,732	355	7,039
Detroit, Mich	13	34	586	410	536	88	2,959
Milwaukee, Wis	47	11	555	484	660	245	3,725
St. Louis, Mo	35	7	618	324	746	301	3,676
Kansas City, Mo	18	9	429	155	467	214	1,895
Des Moines, Iowa	131	11	234	148	335	143	3,308
Omaha, Nebr		1	190	95	228	45	874
Minneapolis, Minn		36	656	472	580	48	3,407
Helena, Mont	57	10	202	116	149	33	950
Fargo, N. Dak	8	3	90	64	150	8	538
Sioux Falls, S. Dak	4	6	187	87	233	72	884
Denver, Colo	5	26	509	254	289	97	2,728
Albuquerque, N. Mex	3	11	212	125	189	18	1,012
Salt Lake City, Utah	2	5	77	59	37	10	376
Casper, Wyo	6	11	25	39	44	8	290
San Francisco, Calif	15	56	490	620	664	462	9,553
Los Angeles, Calif	5	7	305	294	960	245	2,821
Phoenix, Ariz	2	24	323	162	232	54	1,230
Seattle, Wash	19	33	243	139	104	43	1,406
Boise, Idaho		4	31	28	67	8	272
Portland, Oreg	20	20	215	87	143	53	1,005
Dallas, Tex	15	27	390	275	422	87	3,329
Little Rock, Ark	2	28	263	156	291	106	1,598
Oklahoma City, Okla	2	9	404	296	365	209	1,961
Wichita, Kans	5	9	109	136	190	17	533
San Antonio, Tex	6	35	284	231	371	71	1,648
Reno, Nev			7	3	9	1	76
Total [3]	714	723	20,763	14,195	20,872	6,328	[3] 122,059

[1] Average monthly for April, May, and June, 1925.
[2] The figures shown above are monthly averages and the total, being an average, will not represent the sum of the regional offices, nor of the figures in the classifications.
[3] Represents actions, not individual cases.

Statement showing by location the names of regional managers and chiefs of division in the regional offices as of October 1, 1925

Regional office	Regional manager	Staff	
Boston, Mass	William J. Blake	Thomas J. Minton	Service.
		Neil J. Cronin	Claims.
		Richard T. Leader	Medical.
Portland, Me	Malcolm L. Stoddard	Fred T. A. McLeod	Rehabilitation.
		Donald M. Hastings	Service.
		Edward Martin	Claims.
		George A. Tibbetts	Medical.
Manchester, N. H	Herbert H. Rouse	Earl A. Reed	Rehabilitation.
		James J. Doyle	Service.
		Walter P. McLaughlin	Claims.
		Russell Wilkins	Medical.
Providence, R. I	Ernest B. Rowbotham	Frederick A. Laubscher	Rehabilitation.
		Claude M. Wood	Service.
		Frank A. Hill	Claims.
		Thomas F. Maher	Medical.
		Joseph H. McCormick	Rehabilitation.
Burlington, Vt	Allen Fletcher	William F. Hayes	Service.
		Edward J. Daily	Claims (acting).
		George H. Hall	Medical.
New York, N. Y	Arthur P. James	James T. Kelley	Rehabilitation.
		William T. Fitzgerald	Service.
		William F. Green	Claims.
		William W. Verner	Medical.
Buffalo, N. Y	Joseph J. Kingsburg	Charles T. Lile	Rehabilitation.
		William L. Limburg	Service.
		William J. Brennan	Claims.
		Roy Woodward	Medical.
Hartford, Conn	T. J. Bannigan	Kenneth Haxtun	Rehabilitation.
		Charles H. Pearce	Service.
		Ernest M. Biron	Claims.
		Everett C. Brempand	Medical.
Newark, N. J	Thomas J. McEvoy	Joseph C. O'Kane	Rehabilitation.
		Lester J. Templeton	Service.
		William J. Guren	Claims.
		Earl L. Sharp	Medical.
Philadelphia, Pa	H. J. Crosson	Francis L. Kane	Rehabilitation.
		J. W. Nusbaum	Service.
		A. L. Johnson	Claims.
		T. Edwards	Medical.
Pittsburgh, Pa	M. J. Shortley	S. W. Candee	Rehabilitation.
		J. A. Walker	Service.
		J. N. Morris	Claims.
		W. A. Jolley	Medical.
Washington, D. C	M. B. MacMillan	J. H. Campbell	Rehabilitation
		E. T. Hitch	Service.
		N. E. Martindale	Claims.
		W. L. Kline	Medical.
Baltimore, Md	C. F. Sargent	E. W. Dimmick	Rehabilitation.
		John F. Williams	Service.
		C. S. Stevenson	Claims.
		Henry A. Smith	Medical.
Richmond, Va	D. E. Smith	Thomas M. Rives	Rehabilitation.
		Charles P. Medley	Service.
		Harry D. Whelan	Claims.
		C. T. Wilfong	Medical.
Charleston, W. Va	Hilary G. Hooks	Clarence E. Bottoms	Rehabilitation.
		R. G. Phelps	Service.
		Charles T. Peck, Jr	Claims.
		Claude N. Rucker	Medical.
Atlanta, Ga	John M. Slaton, jr	Alfred E. Dennett	Rehabilitation.
		Vaux Owen	Service.
		Robert E. L. Fields	Claims (acting).
		Harvey C. Hardegree	Medical.
		George R. Brown, jr	Rehabilitation.

Statement showing, by location, the names of regional managers and chiefs of divisions in the regional offices as of October 1, 1925

Regional office	Regional manager	Chiefs of divisions	
Jacksonville, Fla.	Mitzell Bryson	D. B. White	Service.
		Emmett A. Skelton	Claims.
		Graham E. Henson	Medical.
		August J. Silk	Rehabilitation.
Charlotte, N. C.	James S. Pittman	John R. Galbraith	Service.
		Cyril A. Liberty	Claims.
		C. S. Britt	Medical.
		J. D. De Ramus	Rehabilitation.
Columbia, S. C.	Sidney C. Groeschel	John L. Davis	Service.
		Thomas E. Carter	Claims.
		Robert B. Durham	Medical.
		James F. Davis	Rehabilitation.
Nashville, Tenn.	Lewis Tillman	Paul E. Hussey	Service.
		Luther L. Beeler	Claims.
		Louis F. Verdel	Medical.
		J. W. White	Rehabilitation.
New Orleans, La.	Bert C. Moore	Durrell A. Hiller	Service.
		Frank Martinez, jr.	Claims.
		L. V. Lopez	Medical.
		R. B. McElree	Rehabilitation.
Birmingham, Ala.	Thomas J. Calvert	Herbert B. May	Service.
		Bascom H. Godwin	Claims.
		Ross C. Speir	Medical.
		Robert L. Pollard	Rehabilitation.
Jackson, Miss.	William S. Shipman	Howell C. Baker	Service.
		Robert R. Dinsmore	Claims.
		Nolan Stewart	Medical.
		John W. Tyson	Rehabilitation.
Cincinnati, Ohio	William N. Coffin	Robert Hanbrick	Service.
		S. B. Dishman	Claims.
		Earl R. Bush	Medical.
		James A. Campbell	Rehabilitation.
Cleveland, Ohio	William L. Marlin	John Kane	Service.
		Lowell W. Raymond	Claims.
		C. D. Todd	Medical.
		O. W. Schaefer	Rehabilitation.
Indianapolis, Ind.	John H. Ale	H. Freal McIntosh	Service.
		Arthur C. Minning	Claims.
		Chester A. Stayton	Medical.
		Sanford S. Starks	Rehabilitation.
Louisville, Ky.	F. N. Roark	Owen H. Allen	Service.
		J. E. Loggins	Claims.
		Allen H. Walker	Medical.
		William P. Snethen	Rehabilitation.
Chicago, Ill.	Frank T. Duffy	E. R. Benke	Service.
		Charles B. Campbell	Claims.
		William E. Kendall	Medical.
		Albert O. Meier	Rehabilitation.
Detroit, Mich.	Luther E. Ellis	Guy F. Palmer	Service.
		James D. Hayes	Claims.
		E. O. Sage	Medical.
		Frank Campbell	Rehabilitation.
Milwaukee, Wis.	Robert L. Jarnagin	Earle G. Cromer	Service.
		John F. L. O'Leary	Claims.
		William C. Liefert	Medical.
		Harry A. Nelson	Rehabilitation.
St. Louis, Mo.	Charles G. Beck	Walter C. Guy	Service.
		E. R. Decker	Claims.
		S. D. Clayton	Medical.
		T. J. Martin	Rehabilitation.
Kansas City, Mo.	John A. Brody	O. W. Price	Service.
		F. R. Daley	Claims.
		George E. Tooley	Medical.
		George E. Farley	Rehabilitation.
Des Moines, Iowa	F. L. Williams[1]	G. C. Greenwalt	Service.
		Harvey J. Cooper	Claims.
		Malcolm N. Travis	Rehabilitation.
Omaha, Nebr.	Edward J. Wieland	Frank A. Darling	Service.
		Samuel S. Faires	Claims.
		F. W. Scott	Medical.
		Elmer A. Jones	Rehabilitation.
Minneapolis, Minn.	Carl D. Hibbard	Robert M. Uehren	Service.
		Don C. Anderson	Claims.
		Neil S. MacDonald	Medical.
		William C. Buell	Rehabilitation.
Helena, Mont.	C. T. Busha, jr.	L. H. Sinclair	Service.
		D. D. Evans	Claims
		A. N. J. Dolan	Medical.
		John McLaughlin	Rehabilitatior

[1] The regional manager acts as chief of the service.

Statement showing, by location, the names of regional managers and chiefs of divisions in the regional offices as of October 1, 1925—Continued

Regional office	Regional manager	Chiefs of divisions	
Fargo, N. Dak.	C. T. Hoverson	G. E. Beckstrom	Service.
		H. S. Finch	Claims.
		H. A. Myers	Medical.
		H. E. Maher	Rehabilitation.
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	Alfred S. Thomson	Roy E. Waters	Service.
		Joseph H. Collins	Claims.
		A. R. Pearce	Medical.
		Gregor D. Pirsch	Rehabilitation.
Denver, Colo.	John A. Carlton	Goddard Shackelford	Service.
		George A. Hurley	Claims.
		T. O. Morris	Medical.
		Glenn F. Harvison	Rehabilitation.
Albuquerque, N. Mex.	R. R. Gibson	Carl H. Kunsemuller	Service.
		W. T. Hanning	Claims.
		Alfred H. Vogt	Medical.
		F. C. Wardwell	Rehabilitation.
Salt Lake City, Utah.	L. J. Paul[1]	H. A. Park	Service.
		R. A. Kennedy	Claims.
		J. W. Palmer	Rehabilitation.
Casper, Wyo.	Chester L. Greedy	M. J. Nolan	Medical.
		James L. Laughlin	Rehabilitation.
San Francisco, Calif.	Stanley H. Conner	George E. Smith	Service.
		Allan Carter	Claims.
		William Reilly	Medical.
		James Muirhead	Rehabilitation.
Los Angeles, Calif.	K. J. Scudder	A. D. Borden	Service.
		Claude Shunk	Claims.
		James G. Donnelly	Medical.
		M. C. Mohen	Rehabilitation.
Phoenix, Ariz.	R. H. Walker	A. E. Williams	Service.
		Martin C. Frincke	Claims.
		Theodore E. Schwarz	Medical.
		Harold D. Smith	Rehabilitation.
Seattle, Wash.	O. G. Fairburn	Arthur C. Kinley	Service.
		R. L. Popwell	Claims.
		Henry D. Brown	Medical.
		Reed C. Mills	Rehabilitation.
Boise, Idaho	Charles H. Hudelson	Cecil M. Sides	Service.
		Paschal Sherman	Claims.
		E. H. Cooper	Medical.
		Joseph E. Harter	Rehabilitation.
Portland, Oreg.	Kenneth L. Cooper	Austin B. Richeson	Service.
		Nat H. Aaron	Claims.
		Lance E. Briscoe	Medical.
		Philip G. Haines	Rehabilitation.
Dallas, Tex.	Read Johnson	Ernest Bralley	Service.
		Samuel P. Kohen	Claims.
		Forsythe J. Rowe	Medical.
		William C. Murray	Rehabilitation.
Little Rock, Ark.	James A. Winn	Woodfin G. Harris	Service.
		Lyman L. Cronkite	Claims.
		Robert P. Harris	Medical.
		Arny H. Hammann	Rehabilitation.
Oklahoma City, Okla.	Harry B. Gilstrap	Menter G. Baker	Service.
		Powhatan Moncure	Claims.
		Elden H. H. Foster	Medical.
		William P. Lively	Rehabilitation.
Wichita, Kans.	D. F. Peppers	A. E. Julian	Service.
		Joseph McNamee	Claims.
		H. G. Shelly	Medical.
		J. S. Cannon	Rehabilitation.
San Antonio, Tex.	Sherman C. Kile	Charles F. Gordon	Service.
		J. H. Skinker	Claims.
		John B. Webb	Medical.
		David A. Turner	Rehabilitation.
Reno, Nev.	George M. Olmstead[1]	Delosa Turner	Medical.
		Scott B. Harrington	Rehabilitation.

[1] The regional manager acts as chief of the service.

APPENDIX

LAWS FOR THE RELIEF OF VETERANS OF THE WORLD WAR, ENACTED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1925

[EXTRACT FROM PUBLIC LAW NO. 292, 68TH CONGRESS]

[H. R. 9559]

An Act Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, and prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1925, and for other purposes

UNITED STATES VETERANS' BUREAU

Damage claims: To pay claims for damages to or losses of privately owned property adjusted and determined by the United States Veterans' Bureau under the provisions of the Act approved December 28, 1922 (Forty-second Statutes, page 1066), as fully set forth in House Document Numbered 319, reported to Congress at its present session, $374.30.

Vocational rehabilitation: For carrying out the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the vocational rehabilitation and return to civil employment of disabled persons discharged from the Military or Naval forces of the United States, and for other purposes," approved June 27, 1918, as amended, including the same objects specified under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1923, $900,000.

Administrative expenses, World War Adjusted Compensation Act: For administrative expenses in carrying out the provisions of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act of May 19, 1924, including salaries of personnel in the District of Columbia and elsewhere in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923; purchase, hire, exchange, and repair of typewriters, adding machines, and other mechanical devices, furniture, office equipment, printing and binding, telegrams, telephones, stationery, traveling expenses and per diem in lieu of subsistence at not exceeding $4 for officers, agents, and other employees, and for other necessary contingent and miscellaneous expenses to enable the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau to perform such duties as are required by said Act, $1,188,500, to remain available until June 30, 1925: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to issue to the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, without charge, for temporary use, such surplus office supplies and equipment as may be under the control of the General Supply Committee.

For additional hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities for patients of the United States Veterans' Bureau, and facilities for a permanent national training school for the blind at a cost not exceeding $350,000, who are beneficiaries of the United States Veterans' Bureau, by purchase and remodeling or extension of existing plants, and by construction on sites now owned by the Government or on sites to be acquired by purchase, condemnation, gift, or otherwise, such hospitals and out-patient dispensary facilities to include the necessary buildings and auxiliary structures, mechanical equipment, approach work, roads, and trackage facilities leading thereto; and also to provide accommodations for officers, nurses, and attending personnel; and also to provide proper and suitable recreational centers, $3,850,000, to remain available until June 30, 1925, and in addition to this amount obligations may be incurred for the purposes set forth in this paragraph not to exceed in the aggregate $3,000,000. That not to exceed 3 per centum of the total of $6,850,000 shall be available for the employment in the District of Columbia and in the field of necessary technical and clerical assistants at the customary rates of compensation, exclusively to aid in the preparation of the plans and specifications for the projects authorized herein and for the supervision of the execution thereof, and for traveling expenses and field-office equipment and supplies in connection therewith.

Adjusted service and dependent pay: For payment of adjusted service credits of not more than $50 each, as provided in sections 401 and 601 of the "World War Adjusted Compensation Act" of May 19, 1924, and for payment to dependents of deceased veterans the quarterly installments due on adjusted service credits in excess of $50 each, as provided in sections 601 and 603 of said Act, $26,629,398, to remain available until expended.

Adjusted service certificate fund: For the amount authorized in section 505 of the World War Adjusted Compensation Act of May 19, 1924, to provide for the payment of the face value of each adjusted service certificate in twenty years from its date or on the prior death of the veteran, $100,000,000, to remain available until expended.

Approved, December 5, 1924.

[EXTRACT FROM PUBLIC LAW NO. 586, 68TH CONGRESS]

[H. R. 11505]

An Act Making appropriations for the Executive Office and sundry independent executive bureaus, boards, commissions, and offices, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and for other purposes

UNITED STATES VETERANS' BUREAU

For carrying out the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to establish a Veterans' Bureau and to improve the facilities and service of such bureau and to further amend and modify the War Risk Insurance Act approved August 9, 1921," and to carry out the provisions of the Act entitled "World War Veterans' Act, 1924," approved June 7, 1924, and for administrative expenses in carrying out the provisions of the World War adjusted compensation Act of May 19, 1924, including salaries of personnel in the District of Columbia and elsewhere in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, and expenses of the central office at Washington, District of Columbia, and regional offices and suboffices, and including salaries, stationery and minor office supplies, furniture, equipment and supplies, rentals and alterations, heat, light, and water, miscellaneous expenses, including telephones, telegrams, freight, express, lawbooks, books of reference, periodicals, ambulance service, towel service, laundry service, repairs to equipment, storage, ice, taxi service, car fare, stamps and box rent, traveling and subsistence, salaries and expenses of employees engaged in field investigation, passenger-carrying and other motor vehicles, including purchase, maintenance, repairs, and operation of same, salaries and operating expenses of the Arlington Building and annex, including repairs and mechanical equipment, fuel, electric current, ice, ash removal, and miscellaneous items; and including the salaries and allowances, where applicable, wages, travel and subsistence of civil employees at the United States veterans' hospitals, supply depots, dispensaries, clinics, and vocational schools $45,500,000: *Provided*, That on the first day of each regular session of Congress the Director of the Veterans' Bureau shall transmit to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives a statement giving in detail (a) the total number of positions at a rate of $2,000 or more per annum, (b) the rate of salary attached to each position, (c) the number of positions at each rate in the central office and in each regional office or suboffice and hospital, and (d) a brief statement of the duties of each position.

Such portion of this appropriation as may be necessary shall be allotted from time to time by the United States Veterans' Bureau to the Public Health Service and shall be available for expenditure by the Public Health Service for necessary personnel, the pay and allowances, and travel of commissioned officers of the Public Health Service detailed to the United States Veterans' Bureau for duty.

For printing and binding for the United States Veterans' Bureau, including all of its bureaus, offices, institutions, and services located in Washington, District of Columbia, and elsewhere, $200,000.

Compensation: For the payment of military and naval compensation accruing during the fiscal year 1926 or in prior fiscal years for death or disability provided by the Act approved October 6, 1917, as amended, and the World War Veterans' Act 1924, approved June 7, 1924, $127,000,000.

Medical and hospital services: For medical, surgical, dental, dispensary, and hospital services and facilities, convalescent care, necessary and reasonable, aftercare, welfare of, nursing, prosthetic appliances, medical examinations, funeral and other incidental expenses (including transportation of remains), traveling expenses, and supplies, and not exceeding $100,000 for library books,

magazines, and papers for beneficiaries of the United States Veterans' Bureau, including court costs and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or hereafter taken for commitment of mentally incompetent persons to hospitals for the care and treatment of the insane, $35,000,000.

This appropriation shall be disbursed by the United States Veterans' Bureau, and such portion thereof as may be necessary shall be allotted from time to time to the Public Health Service, and the War, Navy, and Interior Departments, and transferred to their credit for disbursement by them for the purposes set forth in the foregoing paragraph; and allotted and transferred to the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers for the purposes set forth in the foregoing paragraph, and such sums as are allotted to the Board of Managers shall be covered into the surplus fund of the Treasury.

No part of this appropriation shall be expended for the purchase of any site for a new hospital, for or toward the construction of any new hospital, or for the purchase of any hospital; and not more than $3,837,750 of this appropriation may be used to alter, improve, or provide facilities in the several hospitals under the jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau so as to furnish adequate accommodations for its beneficiaries either by contract or by the hire of temporary employees and the purchase of materials.

The unexpended balance of the sum of $2,666,050, made available under the appropriation "Medical and Hospital Services, Veterans' Bureau, 1925," to alter, improve, or provide facilities in the several hospitals under the jurisdiction of the bureau, is continued and made available during the fiscal year 1926 for the same purposes, either by contract or by the hire of temporary employees and the purchase of materials, including the purchase of land contiguous to Government-owned hospital sites.

The allotments made to the Public Health Service, War, Navy, and Interior Departments shall be available for expenditure for care and treatment of beneficiaries of the United States Veterans' Bureau, and for necessary minor repairs and improvements of existing facilities, under the various headings of appropriations made to said departments as may be necessary.

Vocational rehabilitation: For carrying out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the vocational rehabilitation and return to civil employment of disabled persons discharged from the military or naval forces of the United States, and for other purposes," approved June 27, 1918, as amended, and the World War Veterans' Act 1924, approved June 7, 1924, $38,000,000: *Provided*, That no part of the foregoing sum shall be used for the establishment, maintenance, or operation of training schools at any Army camp or cantonment acquired for use as a training center: *Provided further*, That no part of the foregoing appropriation shall be expended for construction work except necessary extensions, additions, and repairs, which may be accomplished either by contract or by hire of temporary employees and the purchase of materials: *Provided further*, That this appropriation shall be available for the purchase and distribution of embossed literature in Revised Braille for the use of blinded ex-service men and for procurement of equipment and supplies for the production of such literature: *Provided further*, That under such regulations as the director may prescribe he is hereby authorized to sell at 90 per cent of the appraised valuation to rehabilitated trainees of the United States Veterans' Bureau, trade, technical, and public schools and universities, and other recognized educational institutions, upon application in writing, such surplus material, supplies, and equipment acquired for the purpose of vocational training as are suitable for their use which are now owned by the United States of America and under control of the United States Veterans' Bureau and are not needed for Government purposes.

Adjusted service and dependent pay: For payment of adjusted service credits of not more than $50 each, as provided in sections 401 and 601 of the "World War adjusted compensation Act" of May 19, 1924, and for payment to dependents of deceased veterans the quarterly installments due on adjusted service credits in excess of $50 each, as provided in sections 601 and 603 of said Act, $12,000,000, to remain available until expended.

Adjusted service certificate fund: For an amount necessary under section 505 of the "World War adjusted compensation Act" of May 19, 1924, to provide for the payment of the face value of each adjusted service certificate in twenty years from its date or on the prior death of the veteran, $50,000,000, to remain available until expended.

For military and naval insurance, $98,000,000.

SEC. 2. In expending appropriations or portions of appropriations, contained in this Act, for the payment of personal services in the District of Columbia in accordance with "The Classification Act of 1923," the average of the salaries of the total number of persons under any grade in any bureau, office, or other appropriation unit shall not at any time exceed the average of the compensation rates specified for the grade by such Act, and in grades in which only one position is allocated the salary of such position shall not exceed the average of the compensation rates for the grade: *Provided*, That this restriction shall not apply (1) to grades 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the clerical-mechanical service, or (2) to require the reduction in salary of any person whose compensation was fixed as of July 1, 1924, in accordance with the rules of section 6 of such Act, (3) to require the reduction in salary of any person who is transferred from one position to another position in the same or different grade in the same or a different bureau, office, or other appropriation unit, or (4) to prevent the payment of a salary under any grade at a rate hgher than the maximum rate of the grade when such higher rate is permitted by "The Classification Act of 1923," and is specifically authorized by other law.

Approved, March 3, 1925.

[PUBLIC—NO. 587—68TH CONGRESS]

[H. R. 11633]

An Act To authorize an appropriation to provide additional hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities for persons entitled to hospitalization under the World War Veterans' Act, 1924

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in order to provide sufficient hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities to enable the United States Veterans' Bureau to care for its beneficiaries in Veterans' Bureau hospitals rather than in contract temporary facilities and other institutions, the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, subject to the approval of the President, is hereby authorized to provide additional hospital and out-patient dispensary facilities for persons entitled to hospitlaization under the World War Veterans Act, 1924, by purchase, replacement, and remodeling or extension of existing plants, and by construction on sites now owned by the Government or on sites to be acquired by purchase, condemnation, gift, or otherwise, such hospitals and out-patient dispensary facilities, to include the necessary buildings and auxiliary structures, mechanical equipment, approach work, roads and trackage facilities leading thereto; vehicles, live stock, furniture, equipment, and accessories, and also to provide accommodations for officers, nurses, and attending personnel; and also to provide proper and suitable recreational centers, and the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau is authorized to accept gifts or donations for any of the purposes named herein. Such hospital plants to be constructed shall be of fireproof construction and existing plants purchased shall be remodeled to be fireproof, and the location and nature thereof, whether for the treatment of tuberculosis, neuropsychiatric, or general medical and surgical cases, shall be in the discretion of the Director of the United States Veterans' Bureau, subject to the approval of the President: *Provided, however*, That the director, with the approval of the President, may utilize such suitable buildings, structures, and grounds, now owned by the United States, as may be available for the purposes aforesaid, and the President is hereby authorized by Executive order to transfer any such buildings, structures, and grounds to the control and jurisdiction of the United States Veterans' Bureau upon the request of the director thereof.

SEC. 2. The construction of new hospitals or dispensaries, or the replacement, extension, alteration, remodeling, or repair of all hospitals or dispensaries heretofore or hereafter constructed shall be done in such manner as the President may determine, and he is authorized to require the architectural, engineering, constructing, or other forces of any of the departments of the Government to do or assist in such work, and to employ individuals and agencies not now connected with the Government, if in his opinion desirable, at such compensation as he may consider reasonable.

SEC. 3. For carrying into effect the preceding paragraphs relating to additional hospitals and out-patient dispensary facilities there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $10,000,000, to be immediately available and to remain available until expended. That not to exceed 3 per centum of this sum shall be available for the employment in the District of Columbia and in the field of necessary technical and clerical assistants at the customary rates of compensation, exclusively to aid in the preparation of the plans and specifications for the projects

authorized herein and for the supervision of the execution thereof, and for traveling expenses, field-office equipment and supplies in connection therewith.

SEC. 4. Upon completion of the hospital program provided for in this Act no contract or other hospital or institution other than those hospitals and institutions under the jurisdiction and control of the United States Veterans' Bureau or those governmental hospitals or institutions specified in section 10 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, shall be used, except where due to the nature of a claimant's disease or disability it would endanger his life to remove him from such hospital to a Veterans' Bureau hospital, or in the event of extreme emergency in the discretion of the director.

Approved, March 3, 1925.

[PUBLIC—No. 628—68TH CONGRESS]

[H. R. 12308]

An Act To amend the World War Veterans' Act, 1924

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That paragraph 3 of section 3 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(3) Except as used in section 300 the terms 'child' and 'grandchild' are limited to unmarried persons either (a) under eighteen years of age, or (b) of any age, if permanently incapable of self-support by reason of mental or physical defect."

SEC. 2. Section 19 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 19. In the event of disagreement as to claim under a contract of insurance between the Bureau and any person or persons claiming thereunder an action on the claim may be brought against the United States either in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia or in the District Court of the United States in and for the district in which such persons or any one of them resides, and jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon such courts to hear and determine all such controversies. The procedure in such suits shall be the same as that provided in sections 5 and 6 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the bringing of suits against the Government of the United States," approved March 3, 1887, and section 10 thereof insofar as applicable. All persons having or claiming to have an interest in such insurance may be made parties to such suit, and such as are not inhabitants of or found within the district in which suit is brought may be brought in by order of the court to be served personally or by publication or in such other reasonable manner as the court may direct. In all cases where the bureau acknowledges the indebtedness of the United States upon any such contract of insurance and there is a dispute as to the person or persons entitled to payment, a suit in the nature of a bill of interpleader may be brought by the bureau in the name of the United States against all persons having or claiming to have any interest in such insurance in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia or in the district court in and for the district in which any of such claimants reside: *Provided,* That not less than thirty days prior to instituting such suit the bureau shall mail a notice of such intention to each of the persons to be made parties to the suit. The circuit courts of appeal and the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia shall respectively exercise appellate jurisdiction and, except as provided in sections 239 and 240 of the Judicial Code, the decrees of the circuit courts of appeal and the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia shall be final. This section shall apply to all suits now pending against the United States under the provisions of the War Risk Insurance Act as amended, or of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, and amendments thereto."

SEC. 3. Section 23 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 23. The discharge or dismissal of any person from the military or naval forces on the ground that he was guilty of mutiny, treason, spying, or any offense involving moral turpitude, or willful and persistent misconduct, of which he was found guilty by a court-martial, or that he was an alien, conscientious objector who refused to perform military duty or refused to wear the uniform, or a deserter, shall bar all rights to any compensation under Title II, or any training or any maintenance and support allowance under Title IV: *Provided,* That this section shall not apply to an alien who volunteered or who was drafted into or

who served in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States during the World War, who was discharged subsequent to November 11, 1918, or who was not discharged from the service on or prior to November 11, 1918, on his own application or solicitation by reason of his being an alien, and whose service was honest and faithful: *Provided further,* That in case any person has been discharged or dismissed from the military or naval forces as a result of a court-martial trial, and it is thereafter established to the satisfaction of the director that at the time of the commission of the offense resulting in such court-martial trial and discharge such person was insane, such person shall be entitled to the compensation and vocational training benefits under Titles II and IV hereof: *Provided further,* That discharge or dismissal or finding of guilt for any of the offenses specified in this section shall not affect the payment of compensation or maintenance and support allowance for disabilities incurred in or aggravated by service in any prior or subsequent enlistment: *Provided further,* That no compensation or insurance shall be payable for death inflicted as a lawful punishment for crime or military offense, except when inflicted by the enemy: *Provided,* That as to converted insurance the cash surrender value hereof, if any, on the date of such death shall be paid to the designated beneficiary if living, or if there be no designated beneficiary alive at the death of the insured the said value shall be paid to the estate of the insured: *Provided further,* That the discharge of a person for having concealed the fact that he was a minor at the time of his enlistment shall not bar him from the benefits of this act if his service was otherwise honorable: *Provided further,* That this section shall be deemed to be in effect as of April 6, 1917, and the director is hereby authorized and directed to make provision by bureau regulation for payment of any insurance claim or adjustment in insurance premium account of any insurance contract which would not now be affected by this section as amended."

SEC. 4. Section 31 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby repealed.

SEC. 5. A new section is hereby added to Title I of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, to be known as section 32:

"SEC. 32. Payment may be made for official telephone service and rental in the field wherever incurred in case of official telephones for medical officers of the Bureau where such telephones are installed in private residences or private apartments or quarters when authorized under regulations established by the director."

SEC. 6. Section 200 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 200. For death or disability resulting from personal injury suffered or disease contracted in the military or naval service on or after April 6, 1917, and before July 2, 1921, or for an aggravation or recurrence of a disability existing prior to examination, acceptance, and enrollment for service, when such aggravation was suffered or contracted in, or such recurrence was caused by, the military or naval service on or after April 6, 1917, and before July 2, 1921, by any commissioned officer or enlisted man, or by any member of the Army Nurse Corps (female) or of the Navy Nurse Corps (female) when employed in the active service under the War Department or Navy Department, the United States shall pay to such commissioned officer or enlisted man, member of the Army Nurse Corps (female) or of the Navy Nurse Corps (female) or, in the discretion of the Director, separately to his or her dependents, compensation as hereinafter provided; but no compensation shall be paid if the injury, disease, aggravation, or recurrence has been caused by his own willful misconduct: *Provided,* That no person suffering from paralysis, paresis, or blindness shall be denied compensation by reason of willful misconduct, nor shall any person who is helpless or bedridden as a result of any disability be denied compensation by reason of willful misconduct. That for the purposes of this section every such officer, enlisted man, or other member employed in the active service under the War Department or Navy Department who was discharged or who resigned prior to July 2, 1921, and every such officer, enlisted man, or other member employed in the active service under the War Department or Navy Department on or before November 11, 1918, who on or after July 2, 1921, is discharged or resigns, shall be conclusively held and taken to have been in sound condition when examined, accepted, and enrolled for service, except as to defects, disorders, or infirmities made of record in any manner by proper authorities of the United States at the time of, or prior to, inception of active service, to the extent to which any such defect, disorder, or infirmity was so made of record: *Provided,* That an ex-service man who is shown to have or, if deceased, to have had, prior to January

1, 1925, neuropsychiatric disease, an active tuberculosis disease, paralysis agitans, encephalitis lethargica, or amebic dysentery developing a 10 per centum degree of disability or more in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (4) of section 202 of this Act shall be presumed to have acquired his disability in such service between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, or to have suffered an aggravation of a preexisting neuropsychiatric disease, tuberculosis, paralysis agitans, encephalitis lethargica, or amebic dysentery in such service between said dates, and said presumption shall be conclusive in cases of active tuberculous disease, but in all other cases said presumption shall be rebuttable by clear and convincing evidence; but nothing in this proviso shall be construed to prevent a claimant from receiving the benefits of compensation and medical care and treatment for a disability due to these diseases of more than 10 per centum degree (in accordance with the provisions of subdivision (4) section 202, of this Act) on or subsequent to January 1, 1925, if the facts in the case substantiate his claim."

SEC. 7. Section 201 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 201. That if death results from injury—

"If the deceased leaves a widow or child, or if he leaves a mother or father either or both dependent upon him for support, the monthly compensation shall be the following amounts:

"(a) If there is a widow but no child, $30.

"(b) If there is a widow and one child, $40, with $6 for each additional child.

"(c) If there is no widow, but one child, $20.

"(d) If there is no widow, but two children, $30.

"(e) If there is no widow, but three children, $40, with $5 for each additional child.

"(f) If there is a dependent mother (or dependent father), $20, or both, $30. The amount payable under this subdivision shall not exceed the difference between the total amount payable to the widow and children and the sum of $75. Such compensation shall be payable, whether the dependency of the father or mother or both arises before or after the death of the person, but no compensation shall be payable if the dependency arises more than five years after the death of the person.

"(1) If death occur or shall have occurred subsequent to April 6, 1917, and before discharge or resignation from the service, the United States Veterans' Bureau shall pay for burial and funeral expenses and the return of body to his home a sum not to exceed $100, as may be fixed by regulation. Where a veteran of any war, including those persons who served honorably as Army nurses under contracts for ninety days or more during the Spanish-American War, who was not dishonorably discharged dies after discharge or resignation from the service and does not in the judgment of the director leave sufficient assets to meet the expenses of burial and funeral and the transportation of the body, the United States Veterans' Bureau shall pay the following sums: For a flag to drape the casket, and after burial to be given to the next of kin of the deceased, a sum not exceeding $7; also, for burial and funeral expenses and the transportation of the body (including preparation of the body) to the place of burial, a sum not exceeding $100 to cover such items and to be paid to such person or persons as may be fixed by regulations: *Provided*, That when such person dies while receiving from the bureau compensation or vocational training, the above benefits shall be payable in all cases: *Provided further*, That where such person, while receiving from the bureau medical, surgical, or hospital treatment or vocational training, dies away from home and at the place to which he was ordered by the bureau, or while traveling under orders of the bureau, the above benefits shall be payable in all cases and in addition thereto the actual and necessary cost of the transportation of the body of the person (including preparation of the body) to the place of burial, within the continental limits of the United States, its Territories or possessions and including also, in the discretion of the director, the actual and necessary cost of transportation of an attendant: *And provided further*, That no accrued pension, compensation, or insurance due at the time of death shall be deducted from the sum allowed.

"(2) The payment of compensation to a widow shall continue until her death or remarriage, and the payment of compensation to a parent shall continue to the death of such parent.

"(3) The payment of compensation to or for a child shall continue until such child reaches the age of eighteen years or marries, or if such child be permanently incapable of self-support by reason of mental or physical defect, then during such incapacity.

"(4) Whenever the compensation payable to or for the benefit of any person under the provisions of this section is terminated by the happening of the contingency upon which it is limited, the compensation thereafter for the remaining beneficiary or beneficiaries, if any, shall be the amount which would have been payable to them if they had been the sole original beneficiaries.

"(5) As between the widow and the children not in her custody, and as between children, the amount of compensation shall be apportioned as may be prescribed by regulation.

"(6) The term 'widow,' as used in this section, shall not include one who shall have married the deceased later than ten years after July 2, 1921, and shall include widower whenever his condition is such that if the deceased person were living he would have been dependent upon her for support.

"(7) That this section shall be deemed to be in effect as of April 6, 1917: *Provided, however*, That the receipt of a gratuity, pension, or compensation, including adjusted compensation, by widow, child, or parent, on account of the death, disability, or service of any person shall not bar the payment of compensation on account of the death or disability of any other person: *Provided*, That before compensation under this section shall be paid the claimant shall first surrender all claim to any gratuity or pension payable under any other law on account of the death of the same person: *Provided further*, That no changes in rates or compensation made by this Act shall be retroactive in effect."

SEC. 8. Paragraphs 6, 7, and 9 of section 202 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, are hereby amended to read as follows:

"(6) In addition to the compensation above provided, the injured person shall be furnished by the United States Veterans' Bureau such reasonable governmental care or medical, surgical, dental, and hospital services, including payment of court costs and other expenses incident to proceedings heretofore or hereafter taken for the commitment of mentally incompetent persons to institutions for the care or treatment of the insane, and shall be furnished with such supplies including dental appliances, wheel chairs, artificial limbs, trusses, and similar appliances, including special clothing made necessary by the wearing of prosthetic appliances prescribed by the bureau, as the director may determine to be useful and reasonably necessary, which dental appliances, wheel chairs, artificial limbs, trusses, special clothing, and similar appliances may be procured by the bureau in such manner, either by purchase or manufacture, as the director may determine to be advantageous and reasonably necessary: *Provided*, That nothing in this Act shall be construed to affect the necessary military control over any member of the Military or Naval Establishments before he shall have been discharged from the military or naval service.

"(7) Where any disabled person having neither wife, child, nor dependent parent shall, after July 1, 1924, have been maintained by the bureau for a period or periods amounting to six months in an institution or institutions, and shall be deemed by the director to be insane, the compensation for such person shall thereafter be $20 per month so long as he shall thereafter be maintained by the bureau in an institution; and such compensation may, in the discretion of the director, be paid to the chief officer of said institution to be used for the benefit of such person: *Provided, however*, That if such person shall recover his reason and shall be discharged from such institution as competent, an additional amount of $60 per month shall be paid to him for each month the rate of compensation was $20 per month as provided by this subdivision.

"All or any part of the compensation, of any mentally incompetent inmate of an institution, may, in the discretion of the director, be paid to the chief officer of said institution to be properly accounted for and to be used for the benefit of such inmate, or may in the discretion of the director be apportioned to wife, child, or children, or dependent parents, in accordance with regulations.

"After June 30, 1927, the monthly rate of compensation for all veterans (other than those totally and permanently disabled), who are being maintained by the bureau in an institution of any description and who are without wife, child, or dependent parent, shall not exceed $40.

"(9) In addition to the care, treatment, and appliances now authorized by law, said bureau shall also provide, without charge therefor, hospital, dental, medical, surgical, and convalescent care and treatment and prosthetic appliances (including such dental appliances as may be found reasonably necessary by the director) for any member of the military or naval forces of the United States, not dishonorably discharged, disabled by reason of any wound or injury received or disease contracted, or by reason of any aggravation of a preexisting injury or disease, specifically noted at examination for entrance into or employment in the

active military or naval service while in the active military or naval service of the United States on or after April 6, 1917, and before July 2, 1921: *Provided*, That the wound or injury received or disease contracted or aggravation of a pre-existing injury or disease, for which such hospital, dental, medical, surgical, and convalescent care and treatment and prosthetic appliances (including such dental appliances as may be found reasonably necessary by the director) shall be furnished, was incurred in the military or naval service and not caused by his own willful misconduct: *Provided*, That where a beneficiary of the bureau suffers or has suffered an injury or contracted a disease in service entitling him to the benefits of this subdivision, and an emergency develops or has developed requiring immediate treatment or hospitalization on account of such injury or disease, and no bureau facilities are or were then feasibly available and in the judgment of the director delay would be or would have been hazardous, the director is authorized to reimburse such beneficiary the reasonable value of such service received from sources other than the bureau.

SEC. 9. Paragraph 10 of section 202 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof the following:

"In the insular possessions of the United States, the director is further authorized to furnish hospitalization in other than Government hospitals."

SEC. 10. That section 208 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"For the purpose of maintaining law and order and of protecting persons and property at the United States Veterans' Bureau Hospitals the Director is hereby authorized to designate at such hospitals persons who shall have authority to make arrests for any crime or offense against the United States committed on the hospital reservation. Any person so arrested shall be taken forthwith before the nearest United States Commissioner, within whose jurisdiction the hospital is located. Travel and transportation expenses incident to carrying out the provisions of this section shall be paid from the appropriation for administrative expenses."

SEC. 11. Section 213 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 213. Where any beneficiary suffers or has suffered an injury or an aggravation of an existing injury as the result of training, hospitalization, or medical or surgical treatment, awarded to him under the Vocational Rehabilitation Act as amended, the War Risk Insurance Act as amended, or this Act, or as a result of having submitted to examination under authority of section 303 of the War Risk Insurance Act or section 203 of this Act, and not the result of his misconduct, and such injury or aggravation of an existing injury results in additional disability to or the death of such beneficiary, the benefits of this title shall be awarded in the same manner as though such disability, aggravation, or death was the result of military service during the World War. The benefits of this section shall be in lieu of the benefits under the Act entitled 'An Act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes,' approved September 7, 1916: *Provided*, That application be made for such benefits within two years after such injury or aggravation was suffered or such death occurred or after the passage of this Act whichever is the later date: *Provided further*, That the provisions of section 313 of the War Risk Insurance Act as amended, relating to subrogation, shall be applicable to beneficiaries under this section."

SEC. 12. Section 300 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 300. In order to give to every commissioned officer and enlisted man and to every member of the Army Nurse Corps (female) and of the Navy Nurse Corps (female) when employed in active service under the War Department or Navy Department protection for themselves and their dependents, the United States, upon application to the bureau and without medical examination, shall grant United States Government life insurance (converted insurance) against the death or total permanent disability of any such person in any multiple of $500, and not less than $1,000 or more than $10,000, upon the payment of the premiums as hereinafter provided. Such insurance must be applied for within one hundred and twenty days after enlistment or after entrance into or employment in the active service and before discharge or resignation.

"The insurance shall be payable only to a spouse, child, grandchild, parent, brother, sister, uncle, aunt, nephew, niece, brother-in-law or sister-in-law, or to any or all of them, and also during total and permanent disability to the injured person.

"Where a beneficiary at the time of designation by the insured is within the permitted class of beneficiaries and is the designated beneficiary at the time of the maturity of the insurance because of the death of the insured, such beneficiary shall be deemed to be within the permitted class even though the status of such beneficiary shall have been changed.

"The United States shall bear the expenses of administration and the excess mortality and disability cost resulting from the hazards of war. The premium rates shall be the net rates based upon the American Experience Table of Mortality and interest at 3½ per centum per annum. This section shall be deemed to be in effect as of June 7, 1924."

SEC. 13. Section 301 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 301. Not later than July 2, 1926, all term insurance held by persons who were in the military service after April 6, 1917, shall be converted, without medical examination, into such form or forms of insurance as may be prescribed be regulations and as the insured may request. Regulations shall provide for the right to convert into ordinary life, twenty-payment life, endowment maturing at age sixty-two, and into other usual forms of insurance, and shall prescribe the time and method of payment of the premiums thereon, but payments of premiums in advance shall not be required for periods of more than one month each and may be deducted from the pay or deposit of the insured or be otherwise made at his election.

"All term insurance shall cease on July 2, 1926, except when death or total permanent disability shall have occurred before July 2, 1926.

"In case where an insured whose yearly renewable term insurance has matured by reason of total permanent disability is found and declared to be no longer permanently and totally disabled, and where the insured is required under regulations to renew payment of premiums on said term insurance, and where this contingency is extended beyond the period during which said yearly renewable term insurance otherwise must be converted, there shall be given such insured an additional period of two years from the date on which he is required to renew payment of premiums in which to convert said term insurance as herein before provided.

"The insurance except as provided herein shall be payable in two hundred and forty equal monthly installments. Provisions for maturity at certain ages, for continuous installments during the life of the insured or beneficiaries, or both, for cash, loan, paid up and extended values, dividends from gains and savings, and such other provisions for the protection and advantage of and for alternative benefits to the insured and the beneficiaries as may be found to be reasonable and practicable, may be provided for in the contract of insurance, or from time to time by regulations. All calculations shall be based upon the American Experience Table of Mortality and interest at 3½ per centum per annum, except that no deduction shall be made for continuous installments during the life of the insured in case his total and permanent disability continues more than two hundred and forty months. Subject to regulations, the insured shall at all times have the right to change the beneficiary or beneficiaries without the consent of such beneficiary or beneficiaries, but only within the classes herein provided.

"If no beneficiary within the permitted class be designated by the insured as beneficiary for converted insurance granted under the provisions of Article IV of the War Risk Insurance Act, or Title III of this Act, either in his lifetime or by his last will and testament, or if the designated beneficiary does not survive the insured, then there shall be paid to the estate of the insured the present value of the remaining unpaid monthly installments; or if the designated beneficiary survives the insured and dies before receiving all of the installments of converted insurance payable and applicable, then there shall be paid to the estate of such beneficiary the present value of the remaining unpaid monthly installments: *Provided*, That no payments shall be made to any estate which under the laws of the residence of the insured or the beneficiary, as the case may be, would escheat, but same shall escheat to the United States and be credited to the United States Government life-insurance fund.

"The bureau may make provision in the contract for converted insurance for optional settlements, to be selected by the insured, whereby such insurance may be made payable either in one sum or in installments for thirty-six months or more. The bureau may also include in said contract a provision authorizing the beneficiary to elect to receive payment of the insurance in installments for thirty-six months or more, but only if the insured has not exercised the right of election

as hereinbefore provided; and even though the insured may have exercised his right of election the said contract may authorize the beneficiary to elect to receive such insurance in installments spread over a greater period of time than that selected by the insured. This section shall be deemed to be in effect as of June 7, 1924."

SEC. 14. Section 303 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 303. If no person within the permitted class be designated as beneficiary for yearly renewable term insurance by the insured either in his lifetime or by his last will and testament or if the designated beneficiary does not survive the insured or survives the insured and dies prior to receiving all of the two hundred and forty installments or all such as are payable and applicable, there shall be paid to the estate of the insured the present value of the monthly installments thereafter payable, said value to be computed as of date of last payment made under any existing award: *Provided*, That all awards of yearly renewable term insurance which are in course of payment on the date of the approval of this Act shall continue until the death of the person receiving such payments, or until he forfeits same under the provisions of this Act. When any person to whom such insurance is now awarded dies or forfeits his rights to such insurance then there shall be paid to the estate of the insured the present value of the remaining unpaid monthly installments of the insurance so awarded to such person: *Provided further*, That no award of yearly renewable term insurance which has been made to the estate of a last surviving beneficiary shall be affected by this amendment: *Provided further*, That in cases when the estate of an insured would escheat under the laws of the place of his residence the insurance shall not be paid to the estate but shall escheat to the United States and be credited to the military and naval insurance appropriation. This section shall be deemed to be in effect as of October 6, 1917."

SEC. 15. Section 304 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 304. In the event that all provisions of the rules and regulations other than the requirements as to the physical condition of the applicant for insurance have been complied with an application for reinstatement, in whole or in part, of lapsed or canceled yearly renewable term insurance or United States Government life insurance (converted insurance) hereafter made may be approved if made within one year after the passage of this Act or within two years after the date of lapse or cancellation: *Provided*, That the applicant's disability is the result of an injury or disease, or of an aggravation thereof, suffered or contracted in the active military or naval service during the World War: *Provided further*, That the applicant during his lifetime submits proof satisfactory to the director showing that he is not totally and permanently disabled. As a condition, however, to the acceptance of an application for the reinstatement of lapsed or canceled yearly renewable term insurance, where the requirements as to the physical condition of the applicant have not been complied with, or, for the reinstatement of United States Government life insurance (converted insurance), the applicant shall be required to pay all the back monthly premiums which would have become payable if such insurance had not lapsed, together with interest at the rate of 5 per centum per annum, compounded annually, on each premium from the date said premium is due by the terms of the policy: *And provided further*, That no term insurance shall be reinstated after July 2, 1926."

SEC. 16. A new section be added to Title IV of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, to be known as section 407, and to read as follows:

"SEC. 407. The director is authorized to make provisions by regulation whereby trainees of the United States Veterans' Bureau who have successfully completed their courses or such part of their courses as enables them to enter employment or business in line with their training shall be allowed to retain such equipment, supplies, and books as the director may by regulation prescribe."

SEC. 17. Section 500 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 500. Except in the event of legal proceedings under section 19 of Title I of this Act, no claim agent or attorney except the recognized representatives of the American Red Cross, the American Legion, the Disabled American Veterans, and Veterans of Foreign Wars, and such other organizations as shall be approved by the director shall be recognized in the presentation or adjudication of claims under Titles II, III, and IV of this Act, and payment to any attorney or agent for such assistance as may be required in the preparation and execution of the necessary papers in any application to the bureau shall not exceed $10 in any one

case: *Provided, however*, That wherever a judgment or decree shall be rendered in an action brought pursuant to section 19 of Title I of this Act the court, as a part of its judgment or decree, shall determine and allow reasonable fees for the attorneys of the successful party or parties and apportion same if proper, said fees not to exceed 10 per centum of the amount recovered and to be paid by the bureau out of the payments to be made under the judgment or decree at a rate not exceeding one-tenth of each of such payments until paid. Any person who shall, directly or indirectly, solicit, contract for, charge, or receive, or who shall attempt to solicit, contract for, charge, or receive any fee or compensation, except as herein provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and for each and every offense shall be punishable by a fine of not more than $500 or by imprisonment at hard labor for not more than two years, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

SEC. 18. Section 503 of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 503. That whoever shall obtain or receive any money, check, compensation, insurance, or maintenance and support allowance under the War Risk Insurance Act as amended, the Vocational Rehabilitation Act as amended, or the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, and any amendments thereto without being entitled to the same, and with intent to defraud the United States or any beneficiary of the United States Veterans' Bureau shall be punished by a fine of not more than $2,000 or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment."

SEC. 19. Section 504, Title V, of the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 504. Any person who shall knowingly make or cause to be made, or conspire, combine, aid, or assist in, agree to, arrange for, or in any wise procure the making or presentation of a false or fraudulent affidavit, declaration, certificate, statement, voucher, or paper, or writing purporting to be such, concerning any claim or the approval of any claim for compensation or maintenance and support allowance, or the payment of any money, for himself or for any other person, under Titles II or IV hereof, shall forfeit all rights, claims, and benefits under said titles, and, in addition to any and all other penalties imposed by law, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not more than $1,000 or imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment, for each such offense."

SEC. 20. That a new section be added to the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, approved June 7, 1924, to be known as section 505, and to read as follows:

"SEC. 505. Every guardian, curator, conservator, committee, or person legally vested with the responsibility or care of the claimant or his estate, having charge and custody in a fiduciary capacity of money paid, under the War Risk Insurance Act as amended, or under the World War Veterans' Act, 1924, for the benefit of any minor or incompetent claimant, who shall embezzle the same in violation of his trust or fraudulently convert the same to his own use, shall be punished by fine not exceeding $2,000 or imprisonment at hard labor for a term not exceeding five years, or both."

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