

O Commercio do Porto


A GUERRA ÚLTIMAS NOTÍCIAS

20 de fevereiro de 1918

- Foi publicada na Inglaterra a avaliação das despesas a fazer com o exército no ano de 1918-19, as quais foram computadas para cinco milhões de homens.

- Serão hoje submetidas, por Garcia Prieto, à aprovação do governo espanhol, as notas que vão ser dirigidas à Alemanha por causa dos últimos torpedeamentos.

- Não se confirma a desmobilização russa, que parece não ter sequer começado.



CITIZENS, ATTENTION!

WHY WE SHOULD BUY W.S.S.

Here is an idea of the Army's clothing bill from April 1, 1917 to August 1, 1918

ARTICLE	QUANTITY	VALUE
SHIRTS:		
Marching	11,882,000	\$28,408,480
Tuck	18,382,000	71,881,810
COATS:		
Cotton	6,678,000	15,889,580
Wool	18,886,000	97,817,880
OVERCOATS:		
Cotton	14,381,000	\$4,370,880
Wool	18,886,000	74,318,880
HATS:		
Cotton	4,388,000	4,388,000
Fur	21,388,000	74,881,000
UNDERSHIRTS:		
Cotton	55,886,000	55,886,000
Wool	88,882,000	46,456,000
DRAWERS:		
Cotton	41,388,000	84,811,800
Wool	41,886,000	85,386,000
STOCKINGS:		
Cotton	20,886,000	3,024,000
Wool, light-weight	75,888,000	84,712,800
Wool, heavy-weight	45,428,000	84,884,000
HATS:		
Burlap	7,778,000	13,886,000
BLANKETS:		
3 pound	14,184,000	81,871,000
6 pound	6,871,000	24,886,000

The same and before bought for the Army since we entered the war reached \$181,728,000. There are 24,978 rolling kitchens, which cost \$47,480,000; 88,487 field ranges, costing \$1,638,894; 398,308 carpenter's shovels, costing \$8,738,880; and 6,880 blacksmith's shovels, costing \$284,000. The Army is using 8,574,088 shovels, costing \$1,108,000; 1,208,000 bayonets, costing 80 cents each; 305,737 socks, costing \$1,877,800; and 47,841 portable stoves, costing \$888,800. There are 879,774 lamps and 16,817 scales, costing \$88,807,880 and the straps for them, consisting of 1,094,882 tons of hay and 388,749 tons of oats, costing \$61,884,880.

Here is one reason, which we can all understand, why we at home must BUY and KEEP ON BUYING, WAR SAVINGS STAMPS. The Government needs our money to pay for these supplies which our boys must have. Most of these expenses will keep on for at least a year after peace is declared.

NEW HAMPSHIRE WAR SAVINGS COMMITTEE
ALLEN THOMAS, Sec. Director

Cartaz informativo americano utilizado para persuadir os cidadãos a utilizar os W.S.S. (War Savings Stamps), para apoiar o governo no esforço de guerra.