

STATEMENT OF THE PUBLIC DEBT OF THE UNITED STATES.

For the Month of December, 1879.

Interest-Bearing Debt.										
TITLE OF LOAN.	AUTHORIZING ACT.	RATE.	WHEN RE-DEEMABLE.	WHEN PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE.	AMOUNT OUTSTANDING.			INTEREST DUE AND UNPAID.	ACCRUED INTEREST.
						Registered.	Coupon.	Total.		
Loan of February, 1861.	February 8, 1861.	6 %		Dec. 31, 1880	Jan. and July	\$14,730,000 00	\$3,685,000 00	\$18,415,000 00	\$27,252 19	\$552,450 00
Oregon War Debt	March 2, 1861.	6 %		July 1, 1881	Jan. and July		821,300 00	821,300 00	23,810 73	24,639 00
Loan of July and Aug., 1861.	July 17 and Aug. 5, 1861.	6 %	June 30, 1881		Jan. and July	130,554,500 00	51,970,850 00	182,525,350 00	262,435 41	5,475,760 50
Loan of 1863, ('81's).	March 3, 1863.	6 %	June 30, 1881		Jan. and July	54,835,050 00	16,803,850 00	71,638,900 00	82,701 87	2,149,167 00
Funded Loan of 1881.	July 14, '70, and Jan. 20, '71.	5 %	May 1, 1881		F. M. A. and N.	286,987,750 00	221,452,600 00	508,440,350 00	1,560,745 13	4,237,002 92
Funded Loan of 1891.	July 14, '70, and Jan. 20, '71.	4 1/2 %	Sept. 1, 1891		M. J. S. and D.	167,981,900 00	82,018,100 00	250,000,000 00	446,913 44	937,500 00
Funded Loan of 1907.	July 14, '70, and Jan. 20, '71.	4 %	July 1, 1907		J. A. J. and O.	492,645,450 00	245,845,100 00	738,490,550 00	214,423 27	7,384,905 50
Refunding Certificates.	February 26, 1879.	4 %						2,355,400 00	73,436 93	23,554 00
Navy-Pension Fund.	July 23, 1868.	3 %						14,000,000 00		210,000 00
Aggregate of Interest-bearing Debt.						1,147,734,650 00	622,596,800 00	1,786,686,850 00	2,691,718 97	20,994,978 92
Debt on which Interest has Ceased since Maturity.										
Old Debt	Various, prior to 1837	4 to 6 %	Matured at various dates prior to January 1, 1837					\$57,665 00	\$64,174 81	
Mexican Indemnity Stock	August 10, 1846	5 %	Matured at various dates in 1851 and 1852					1,104 91	85 74	
Loan of 1847	January 28, 1847	6 %	Matured December 31, 1867					1,250 00	22 00	
Bounty-Land Scrip.	February 11, 1847	6 %	Matured July 1, 1849					3,275 00	213 06	
Texan Indemnity Stock	September 9, 1850	5 %	Matured December 31, 1864					21,000 00	3,045 00	
Loan of 1858	June 14, 1858	5 %	Matured after January 1, 1874					8,000 00		
Loan of 1860	June 22, 1860	5 %	Matured January 1, 1871					10,000 00	600 00	
5-20's of 1862, (called).	February 25, 1862	6 %	Matured December 1, 1871, and at subsequent dates					399,350 00	46 17	
5-20's of June, 1864, (called).	June 30, 1864	6 %	Matured November 13, 1875, and at subsequent dates					71,050 00	75 83	
5-20's of 1865, (called).	March 3, 1865	6 %	Matured February 15, 1876, and at subsequent dates					124,150 00	59,108 20	
Ten-forties of 1864, (called).	March 3, 1864	5 %	Matured July 9, 1879, and subsequent dates					6,446,050 00	340,766 02	
Consols of 1865, (called).	March 3, 1865	6 %	Matured August 21, 1877, and at subsequent dates					790,100 00	4,903 43	
Consols of 1867, (called).	March 3, 1865	6 %	Matured April 1, 1879, and at subsequent dates					4,541,150 00	343,216 36	
Consols of 1868, (called).	March 3, 1865	6 %	Matured July 4, 1879.					1,614,800 00	114,657 16	
Treas'y Notes prior to 1846.	Various, prior to 1846.	1-10 to 6 %	Matured at various dates from 1838 to 1844					82,525 35	2,668 06	
Treasury Notes of 1846.	July 22, 1846.	1-10 to 6 %	Matured at various dates in 1847 and 1848					6,000 00	206 00	
Treasury Notes of 1847.	January 28, 1847	6 %	Matured at various dates in 1848 and 1849					950 00	57 00	
Treasury Notes of 1857.	December 23, 1857	3 to 6 %	Matured at various dates in 1858 and 1859					1,700 00	99 00	
Treasury Notes of 1861.	March 2, 1861	6 %	Matured March 1, 1863					3,000 00	364 50	
Seven-thirties of 1861.	July 17, 1861	7 3-10 %	Matured August 19 and October 1, 1864					16,600 00	1,137 65	
One-year Notes of 1863.	March 3, 1863	5 %	Matured at various dates in 1865					47,375 00	2,380 85	
Two-year Notes of 1863.	March 3, 1863	5 %	Matured at various dates in 1866					37,000 00	1,962 99	
Compound-interest Notes.	Mar. 3, '63; June 30, '64.	6 %	Matured June 10, 1867, and May 15, 1868.					249,520 00	50,674 63	
Seven-thirties of 1864-'65.	June 30, '64; Mar. 3, '65.	7 3-10 %	Matured August 15, 1867, and June 15 and July 15, 1868.					146,250 00	5,590 52	
Certific's of Indebtedness.	Mar. 1, 17, '62; Mar. 3, '63.	6 %	Matured at various dates in 1866					4,000 00	253 48	
Temporary Loan	June 30, 1864	4 to 6 %	Matured October 15, 1866					3,060 00	256 06	
3 per cent. Cert's, (called).	Mar. 2, '67; July 25, '68.	3 %	Matured February 28, 1873					5,000 00	394 31	
Aggregate of Debt on which Interest has ceased since Maturity.								14,691,925 26	997,658 83	
Debt bearing no Interest.										
Old Demand Notes	July 17, 1861; February 12, 1862.							\$61,350 00		
Legal-tender Notes	February 25, 1862; July 11, 1862; March 3, 1863.							346,681,016 00		
Certificates of Deposit.	June 8, 1872							10,245,000 00		
Fractional Currency	July 17, 1862; March 3, 1863; June 30, 1864.							15,674,303 78		
Gold Certificates.	March 3, 1863							12,337,100 00		
Silver Certificates	February 28, 1878							8,712,910 00		
Unclaimed Pac. R. R. Int.									\$7,597 03	
Aggregate of Debt bearing no Interest								393,711,679 78	7,597 03	
RECAPITULATION.										
								PRINCIPAL.	INTEREST.	TOTALS.
INTEREST-BEARING DEBT						\$273,400,550 00				
Bonds at 6 per cent.						508,440,350 00				
Bonds at 5 per cent.						250,000,000 00				
Bonds at 4 1/2 per cent.						738,490,550 00				
Bonds at 4 per cent.						2,355,400 00				
Refunding Certificates.						14,000,000 00				
Navy-Pension Fund								\$1,786,686,850 00	\$23,686,697 89	
DEBT ON WHICH INTEREST HAS CEASED SINCE MATURITY								14,691,925 26	997,658 83	
DEBT BEARING NO INTEREST						346,742,366 00				
Old Demand and Legal-tender Notes.						10,245,000 00				
Certificates of Deposit.						15,674,303 78				
Fractional Currency						21,050,010 00				
Gold and Silver Certificates								393,711,679 78		
Unclaimed Pacific Railroad Interest									7,597 03	
TOTAL DEBT								2,195,090,455 04	24,691,953 75	\$2,219,782,408 79
CURRENT LIABILITIES.						AVAILABLE ASSETS.				
Interest due and unpaid	\$2,691,718 97		Cash in the Treasury	\$207,983,903 92	Total Cash in the Treasury					207,983,903 92
Debt on which interest has ceased	14,691,925 26				Debt, less Cash in the Treasury, January 1, 1880					2,011,798,504 87
Interest thereon	997,658 83				Debt, less Cash in the Treasury, December 1, 1879					2,016,049,722 83
Gold and Silver Certificates	21,050,010 00				Decrease of Debt during the month					4,251,217 96
United States Notes held for Redemption of Certificates of Deposit	10,245,000 00				Decrease of Debt since June 30, 1879					\$15,408,751 50
Cash balance available January 1, 1880	158,307,590 86									
	207,983,903 92			207,983,903 92						
Bonds issued to the Pacific Railway Companies, Interest payable by the United States.										
NAME OF RAILWAY.	AUTHORIZING ACTS.	RATE.	WHEN PAYABLE.	INTEREST PAYABLE.	PRINCIPAL OUTSTANDING.	INTEREST ACCRUED AND NOT YET PAID.	INTEREST PAID BY THE UNITED STATES.	INTEREST RE-PAID BY TRANSPORTATION OF MAILS, ETC.	BALANCE OF INTEREST PAID BY THE UNITED STATES.	
Central Pacific	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	\$25,885,120 00	\$776,553 60	\$17,240,126 47	\$3,552,135 70	\$13,687,990 77	
Kansas Pacific	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	6,303,000 00	189,090 00	4,616,613 09	2,370,109 88	2,246,503 21	
Union Pacific	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	27,236,512 00	817,095 36	18,421,087 53	7,421,734 97	10,999,352 56	
Central Branch, U. Pacific.	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	1,600,000 00	48,000 00	1,165,808 26	73,142 73	1,092,665 53	
Western Pacific	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	1,970,560 00	59,116 80	1,195,314 54	9,367 00	1,185,947 54	
Sioux City and Pacific.	July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864	6 %	30 years from date.	January and July	1,628,320 00	48,849 60	1,073,500 69	93,983 91	979,516 78	
Totals					64,623,512 00	1,938,705 36	43,712,450 58	13,520,474 19	30,191,976 39	

The foregoing is a correct statement of the Public Debt, as appears from the Books and Treasurer's Returns in the Treasury Department at the close of business, December 31, 1879.

JOHN SHERMAN,
Secretary of the Treasury.