

*Contracts for, deliveries, and cost of web belts, enlisted men, Medical Department*

Date	Contractor	Contract price	Contract quantity	Delivery price	Quantity delivered	Gross
<b>CONTRACTS PLACED BY THE ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT</b>						
Dec. 8, 1916	Mills Woven Cartridge Belt Co.....	\$5. 48	10, 000	\$5. 48	10, 000	\$54, 800. 00
Mar. 22, 1917*	-----do-----	5. 48	6, 000	5. 48	1, 099	6, 022. 52
Aug. 28, 1917	-----do-----	4. 96	20, 000	4. 96	16, 080	79, 756. 80
		b 4. 75		b 4. 75	3, 920	18, 620. 80
Sept. 14, 1917	-----do-----	4. 96	113, 400	4. 96	840	4, 166. 40
		b 4. 75		b 4. 75	360	1, 710. 00
Mar. 2, 1918	-----do-----	4. 70	100, 000	c 4. 945	31, 640	156, 459. 80
				b c 4. 735	80, 560	381, 451. 60
			d 4. 70	100, 000	470, 000. 00	
Total ordered by the Ordnance Department.....			250, 000		244, 499	1, 172, 987. 12
<b>CONTRACTS PLACED BY THE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT</b>						
Apr. 18, 1918	Hewes & Potter.....	b 1. 03	50, 000	b c 2. 69	50, 000	134, 500. 00
Do.....	R. H. Long Co.....	b 3. 95	50, 000	b 3. 95	50, 000	197, 500. 00
July 1, 1918	-----do-----	b 3. 70	50, 000	b 3. 70	50, 000	185, 000. 00
Total ordered by Medical Department.....			150, 000		150, 000	517, 000. 00
Aggregate, web belts, enlisted men, Medical Department.....			400, 000		394, 499	1, 689, 987. 12
Average cost per belt.....				4. 284		

\* Order placed at the request of the Militia Bureau to equip the National Guard but paid for by the Medical Department.

b Stitched or sewed belts.

c Supplemental contract prior to completion of original contract.

d No record of the proportion of stitched and woven belts obtainable.

\* Includes cost of supplies furnished by the Medical Department, viz, duck, binding, webbing, washers, eyelets, end fasteners, belt fasteners, and Carr (lift-the-dot) fasteners.