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Chinese National Government Loan Payments.

Under date of December 2 the Kuo Min News Agency at Hanking, gave out the following item in connection with the above subject:

"Over \$24. millions will be paid by the National Government during this month for debt retirement to domestic bonds and treasury noteholders, it was reliably learned at the Ministry of Finance today.

"Drawings for redemption of six issues of domestic loans of the Chinese National Government took place yesterday at the Shanghai Bankers Association, involving a total payment on drawn bonds of \$8,370,000. The amounts to be paid on each of the issues concerned are as follows:

7th Year Long-Term Loan	\$2,250,000
2.4 Million Dollar Loan secured on Austrian Indemnity	120,000
17th Year Military Loan	500,000
18th Year Rehabilitation Short-Term Loan	4,000,000
18th Year Famine Relief Loan	500,000
19th Year Customs Revenue Loan	1,000,000

"A drawing for redemption of the 6% Gold Loan of 1928 of the Chinese Government also took place yesterday at the Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger, Shanghai. A sum of gold \$209,000 will be paid on drawn bonds of this loan.

"In addition to redemption of principal of the above bonds payment of half-yearly interest will be made as usual.

"Large payments will also be made on Treasury Notes for principal and interest due. The total payments which the Government will make this month amount to over twenty-four million dollars.--Zuo Min."

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Origin	Per- cent	Amount	Per- cent	Amount	Per- cent	Amount	Per- cent	Amount
U. S. A.	112	182,792	47	82,792	329	27,879	87	27,879
Japan	2	2,234	17	17,100	850	17,770	54	17,770
British	14	12,540	5	5,511	242	11,533	12	11,533
France	26	14,114			1223	26,232	142	26,232
Germany	3	11,502						
Italy								
Total	156	247,607	67	105,403	2450	95,134	245	95,134