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MILLIONS IN ARMS

We have more than 800,000 men in France. We shall have more than 1 .-000,000 there by July 1. These estimates are from official sources and if they err at all they err on the side of underestimate rather than exagger-

That is a small part of the story. Marshal General Crowder announce that we shall have 3,000,000 men under arms, here and overseas, by the first of July. They will include 1,000,000 volunteers and 2,000,000 selective serv-

By next January, according to sim flarly modest estimates, we shall have no less than 1,500,000 men in France. That minimum, be it noted, allows for the shipment of only 500,000 in the last six months of the year. We have been shipping troops lately at the rate of 200,000 or more a month. Perhaps we can do better than the promised 1,500,000.

By next January, too, it is now statsd, we shall have a total of 4,000,000 under arms at home and abroad. By this time next year it is fair to as sume, at least three-fourths of that number will have completed their essential training. If so, we shall probably have, making due allowance for wastage, an army of somewhere near 3,000,000 in France next June.

Maybe the army will be larger than that. The present shipping outlook and the smooth working of our soldier factory give good grounds for optimism. Who, in the light of recent triumphs, can set a limit to the next 12 months' achievements?

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