9. Military Services and Veterans Affairs

GENERAL NOTE

This section includes data on the Army, the Navy, other branches of the military service and on the various aspects of government programs for veterans.

Military Services.—Data are compiled from the various branches as indicated in the source notes. A summary table prepared by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, similar to their tables on employment in the section on Labor Force, is also included.

Veterans Administration.—This agency was created by Executive Order 5398, dated July 21, 1930, under authorization of the act of Congress approved July 3, 1930 (46 Stat. 1016: 38 U. S. C. 11). This Act authorized the President to consolidate and coordinate under a single control all Federal agencies dealing with veterans' affairs. The order consolidated in the Veterans Administration, the Bureau of Pensions (formerly under the Secretary of the Interior), the United States Veterans Bureau, and the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers (now known as the National Homes Service).

The Veterans Administration administers laws relating to the relief of, and other benefits provided by law for, former members of the military and naval forces. It is responsible for extending relief to veterans and to dependents of deceased veterans of all wars, and to veterans and to dependents of deceased veterans who served in the Government military and naval establishments during time of peace, as provided for by various acts of Congress. These laws include, in addition to compensation, pensions, vocational rehabilitation, and education, the guarantee of loans for purchase or construction of homes, farms, and business property, readjustment allowance for veterans who are unemployed, Government life insurance, death benefits, adjusted compensation, emergency and other officers' retirement pay, and physical examinations, hospital and outpatient treatment, or domiciliary care. The Veterans Administration also administers the insurance section of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act for persons in the active military service.

NO. 238.—PERSONNEL AND PAY OF THE MILITARY BRANCH OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT: 1934 TO 1945

[In thousands]

YEAR	PERSONNEL (AVERAGE FOR YEAR)					PAY (TOTAL FOR YEAR)					
	Total	Branch		Sex		Total	Branch		Type of pay		
		Army[1]	Navy[2]	Men	Women		Army[3]	Navy[4]	Pay roll[5]	Mustering-out pay	Family allowances[6]
1934	258	140	119	------	------	$233,468	$103,776	$129,691	$233,468	------	------
1935	267	145	122	------	------	256,175	113,708	142,468	256,175	------	------
1936	299	168	131	------	------	278,273	125,772	152,501	278,273	------	------
1937	320	181	140	------	------	297,792	137,489	160,303	297,792	------	------
1938	334	188	146	------	------	313,095	144,567	168,529	313,095	------	------
1939	367	213	154	------	------	344,423	166,282	178,141	344,423	------	------
1940	533	325	208	------	------	466,130	244,725	221,405	466,130	------	------
1941	1,644	1,291	353	1,639	5	1,325,530	913,800	411,730	1,325,530	------	------
1942	3,968	3,071	897	3,952	16	4,710,527	3,410,056	1,300,471	4,574,662	------	$135,865
1943	8,944	6,733	2,211	8,833	111	11,519,597	8,473,948	3,045,650	10,499,459	------	1,020,138
1944	11,372	7,889	3,483	11,162	211	17,108,693	11,366,514	5,742,179	14,328,309	$232,089	2,548,304
1945	11,608	7,734	3,874	11,350	258	19,973,112	12,913,274	7,059,838	15,571,511	1,471,621	2,929,980

[1] Prior to Mar. 1944, data include persons on induction furlough. Prior to June 1942 and after Apr. 1945, Philippine Scouts are included.

[2] Covers Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard. Includes missing personnel and personnel in hands of enemy.

[3] For war period, data represent obligations for pay of Army personnel.

[4] Covers Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard. For Navy proper, data include cash payments for clothing allowances. For Navy proper and Marine Corps, data include pay rolls for retired and inactive personnel.

[5] Data include men's share of family allowances but exclude Government's contribution.

[6] Represents Government's contribution. Excludes men's share.

Source: Dept. Labor, Bur. Labor Statistics. Current data published in Monthly Labor Review.

No. 239.—Army of the United States—Strength By Identity, As of June 30: 1942 to 1945

IDENTITY	1942	1943	1944	1945
Total	3,074,184	6,993,102	7,992,868	8,266,373
Officers	190,662	521,435	692,351	772,583
Enlisted men	2,867,762	6,358,200	7,144,601	7,283,930
Warrant officers	3,285	16,219	[1] 23,288	[1] 25,143
Flight officers	(2)	5,700	13,615	31,117
Nurses	12,475	30,316	40,018	54,291
Hospital dietitians	(2)	666	1,210	1,623
Physical therapy aids	(2)	323	643	1,173
Women's Army Corps:				
Officers	(2)	4,917	5,855	5,733
Enlisted women	(2)	55,326	71,287	90,780

[1] Includes 10 WAC Warrant officers in 1944, and 44 in 1945.
[2] Not available.

Source: War Department; records.

No. 240.—Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard—Active Duty Strength as of June 30: 1941 to 1945

CLASS	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Grand total	358,021	843,096	2,207,720	3,623,205	4,031,097
Navy	284,427	640,570	1,741,750	2,981,365	3,383,196
Officers	28,421	67,786	174,245	267,754	317,316
Men	28,421	67,786	170,418	260,143	308,931
Women			3,827	7,611	8,385
Officer candidates	7,918	14,529	54,295	105,059	61,231
Men	7,918	14,529	53,661	104,578	61,206
Women			634	481	25
Enlisted personnel	247,417	556,477	1,507,779	2,600,153	2,993,563
Men	247,417	556,477	1,486,696	2,542,653	2,919,775
Women			21,083	57,500	73,788
Nurses	671	1,778	5,431	8,399	11,086
Marine Corps	54,359	143,528	310,994	472,582	476,709
Officers	3,339	7,138	21,384	32,788	37,067
Men	3,339	7,138	21,140	31,991	36,236
Women			244	797	831
Officer candidates	394	702	1,816	7,526	4,203
Men	394	702	1,730	7,515	4,175
Women			86	11	28
Enlisted personnel	50,626	135,688	287,794	432,268	435,439
Men	50,626	135,688	284,481	415,599	417,861
Women			3,313	16,669	17,578
Coast Guard	19,235	58,998	154,976	169,258	171,192
Officers	1,490	3,507	8,339	11,979	12,683
Men	1,490	3,507	8,104	11,275	11,816
Women			235	704	867
Officer candidates	199	349	1,050	298	511
Men	199	349	1,050	234	511
Women				64	
Enlisted personnel	17,546	55,142	145,587	156,981	157,998
Men	17,546	55,142	142,631	149,589	149,121
Women			2,956	7,392	8,877

Source: Navy Department, Bureau of Naval Personnel, U. S. Marine Corps and U. S. Coast Guard, Annual Report of Secretary and records.

No. 241.—Army of the United States—Strength of Component Parts: 1890 to 1941

NOTE.—For period prior to 1914, table covers quinquennial years and years in which considerable changes occurred in Regular Army. Figures for Reserve officers include data for Regular Army enlisted men, and also, for years prior to 1924, for National Guard officers holding commissions in the Reserve. There is, therefore, some duplication in the grand totals, but the amount of this duplication is relatively small.

JUNE 30—	Grand total	REGULAR ARMY [1]			NATIONAL GUARD [2]			RESERVE FORCES		
		Total	Officers	Enlisted men	Total	Officers	Enlisted men	Total	Officers	Enlisted men
1890	136, 624	27, 089	2, 168	24, 921	109, 535	8, 555	100, 980			
1895	140, 051	27, 172	2, 154	25, 018	112, 879	9, 227	103, 652			
1900	223, 366	68, 155	2, 486	65, 669	122, 213	8, 246	113, 967	[3] 32, 998	[3] 1, 531	[3] 31, 467
1901	200, 696	81, 586	2, 940	78, 646	115, 749	8, 751	106, 998	[3] 3, 361	[3] 350	[3] 3, 011
1902	185, 805	75, 584	3, 731	71, 853	110, 221	(4)	(4)			
1905	178, 269	66, 956	3, 934	63, 022	111, 313	8, 680	102, 633			
1908	187, 369	76, 428	3, 966	72, 462	110, 941	8, 583	102, 358			
1909	203, 385	84, 459	4, 208	80, 251	118, 926	8, 975	109, 951			
1910	200, 378	80, 718	4, 439	76, 279	119, 660	9, 155	110, 505			
1912	213, 313	91, 461	4, 650	86, 811	121, 852	9, 142	112, 710			
1914	225, 819	97, 760	4, 883	92, 877	128, 043	8, 792	119, 251	[3] 16		[3] 16
1915	236, 410	105, 993	4, 798	101, 195	129, 398	8, 705	120, 693	[3] 19		[3] 19
1916	244, 483	107, 641	5, 025	102, 616	132, 194	8, 589	123, 605	[3] 4, 648		[3] 4, 648
1917	629, 863	250, 357	6, 332	244, 025	[5] 314, 581	[7] 11, 000	303, 581	64, 925	[3] 21, 543	[3] 43, 382
1918	2, 246, 103	741, 084	10, 518	730, 566	[6] 445, 678	[7] 12, 000	[7] 433, 678	1, 059, 341	[10] 135, 380	[11] 923, 961
1918 (Nov. 11)	3, 673, 888	[12] 3, 673, 888	[12] 188, 434	[12] 3, 485, 454						
1919	931, 422	836, 882	78, 003	758, 879	37, 210	1, 198	36, 012	57, 330	[3] 45, 573	[3] 11, 757
1920	363, 540	200, 367	15, 519	184, 848	56, 090	2, 073	54, 017	107, 083	[3] 68, 232	[3] 38, 851
1921	407. 920	227, 374	14, 124	213, 250	113, 640	5, 843	107, 797	66, 906	[3] 66, 905	[13] 1
1922	373. 597	146, 069	14, 075	131, 994	159, 658	8, 744	150, 914	67, 870	[3] 67, 390	[13] 480
1923	370. 042	130, 964	12, 682	118, 282	160, 598	9, 675	150, 923	78, 480	[3] 76, 923	[13] 1, 557
1924	397. 794	140, 644	12, 501	128, 143	177, 428	10, 996	166, 432	79, 722	[3] 76, 322	[13] 3, 400
1925	406, 162	134, 624	12, 909	121, 715	177, 525	11, 595	165, 930	94, 013	[3] 88, 898	[13] 5, 115
1926	410. 902	133, 033	13, 105	119, 928	174, 969	11, 435	163, 534	102, 900	[3] 97, 125	[13] 5, 775
1927	421, 519	133, 079	13, 175	119, 904	181, 142	12, 192	168, 950	107, 298	[3] 101, 563	[13] 5, 735
1928	426. 075	134, 331	13, 174	121, 157	181, 221	12, 428	168, 793	110, 523	[3] 105, 059	[13] 5, 464
1929	421, 466	137, 360	13, 168	124, 192	176, 988	12, 535	164, 453	107, 118	[3] 101, 926	[13] 5, 192
1930	426, 825	137, 472	13, 195	124, 277	182, 715	12, 930	169, 785	106, 638	[3] 101, 917	[13] 4, 721
1931	439, 081	138, 648	13, 205	125, 443	187, 386	13, 249	174, 137	113, 047	[3] 108, 210	[13] 4, 837
1932	440, 162	133, 042	13, 153	119, 889	187, 412	13, 549	173, 863	119, 708	[3] 114, 836	[13] 4, 872
1933	445, 449	135, 011	13, 223	121, 788	185, 925	13, 569	172, 356	124, 513	[3] 119, 485	[13] 5, 028
1934	440, 764	136, 970	13, 147	123, 823	184, 791	13, 507	171, 284	119, 003	[3] 114, 357	[13] 4, 646
1935	440, 788	137, 960	12, 862	125, 098	185, 915	13, 571	172, 344	116, 913	[3] 112, 590	[13] 4, 323
1936	474, 353	166, 114	12, 902	153, 212	189, 173	13, 721	175, 452	119, 066	[3] 115, 169	[13] 3, 897
1937	484, 620	178, 101	13, 108	164, 993	192, 161	14, 110	178, 051	114, 358	[3] 111, 169	[13] 3, 189
1938	496, 810	183, 447	13, 296	170, 151	197, 188	14, 443	182, 745	116, 175	[3] 113, 177	[13] 2, 998
1939	526, 451	187, 886	13, 807	174, 079	199, 491	14, 666	184, 825	139, 074	[3] 116, 719	[14] 22, 355
1940	653, 536	264, 035	14, 594	249, 441	241, 612	14, 775	226, 837	147, 889	[3] 116, 636	[14] 31, 253
1941	[15] 1, 521, 882	870, 261	15, 025	[16] 855, 236	452, 860	21, 274	[17] 431, 576	124, 169	[3] 122, 020	[18] 2, 149

[1] Includes Philippine Scouts beginning with 1902. Figures for 1919 to 1926, inclusive, include in most cases World War emergency personnel still in service. All emergency enlisted men still in service were discharged on July 2, 1921. On Nov. 11, 1926, the last emergency officer was discharged, thereby completing the demobilization of the World War Army. Retired personnel on active duty are not included. (On June 30, 1941, 495 retired officers and 13 retired enlisted men had returned to active duty.) Beginning with 1919, data for warrant officers are included; these numbered 731 on June 30, 1941.

[2] State militia prior to act of June 3, 1916. Beginning with 1924, data for warrant officers are included; these numbered 200 on June 30, 1941. [3] U. S. Volunteers. [4] Not available. [5] Regular Army Reserve.

[6] Includes data for National Guard personnel in Federal service. [7] Estimated.

[8] Officers' Reserve Corps. Beginning with 1924, figures do not include data for persons holding commissions also in National Guard. Figure for 1941 includes 57,309 officers on extended active duty.

[9] Regular Army Reserve, 8,382; Enlisted Reserve Corps, 35,000 (estimated).

[10] Officers' Reserve Corps, 86,262; National Army, 49,118 (estimated).

[11] Estimated enlisted strength of the National Army. Practically all members of the Regular Army Reserve and the Enlisted Reserve Corps had, by this date, been assigned to duty with Regular Army, National Guard, and National Army organizations.

[12] Estimates only. Under orders of the Secretary of War all components had been merged into one army known as "The United States Army." [13] Enlisted Reserve Corps.

[14] Enlisted Reserve Corps, 1939, 3,054; 1940, 3,233; Regular Army Reserve, 1939, 19,301; 1940, 28,020. All enlistments in Regular Army Reserve suspended as of Dec. 31, 1940, and members called to active duty on or before Feb. 15, 1941, except those who were deferred until July 1, 1941, in order to complete college or university courses. [15] Includes 74,602 unassigned selectees.

[16] Enlisted men, 491,777 (including 10,919 Regular Army Reserve and 1,470 Army of United States with the Regular Army); selectees, 363,459.

[17] Enlisted men, 262,722 (including 20,590 Army of United States with the National Guard); selectees, 168,854. [18] Enlisted Reserve Corps. Includes 35 enlisted Reserve Corps men on active duty.

Source: War Department, Annual Report of Secretary and records.

No. 242.—Navy, Marine Corps, Naval Reserve, and Marine Corps Reserve—Organized Strength: 1905 to 1941

JUNE 30 (EXCEPT AS INDICATED)	NAVY		NAVAL RESERVE [1]		MARINE CORPS		MARINE CORPS RESERVE	
	Officers	Enlisted men	Officers	Enlisted men	Officers	Enlisted men	Officers	Enlisted men
1905	2,252	30,804	465	4,475	273	6,932	----------	----------
1910	2,921	45,076	540	5,961	334	9,152	----------	----------
1915	3,780	52,561	606	7,706	344	9,968	----------	----------
1920	9,171	107,601	[2] 28,482	1,349	1,106	16,061	564	4,750
1924	8,126	87,327	3,975	21,015	1,157	19,176	137	501
1925	8,389	84,289	3,818	24,457	1,168	18,310	150	483
1926	8,574	82,161	3,736	25,654	1,178	17,956	250	2,647
1927	8,904	83,566	3,771	26,293	1,200	18,000	378	5,685
1928	8,856	84,276	4,091	27,072	1,198	17,822	413	8,366
1929	8,905	85,284	6,078	28,821	1,182	17,615	445	9,119
1930	8,985	84,872	7,002	31,777	1,212	18,172	488	10,265
1931	9,260	80,863	7,549	34,586	1,194	17,586	536	9,425
1932	9,423	81,093	7,869	34,802	1,196	15,355	557	8,437
1933	9,449	79,206	7,978	32,889	1,192	14,876	642	8,742
1934	9,582	80,312	8,557	32,309	1,187	15,174	645	7,576
1935	9,721	82,818	9,571	32,649	1,163	16,097	689	8,378
1936	9,735	93,054	[3] 11,187	33,629	1,208	16,040	[4] 715	9,737
1937	9,826	100,161	[3] 12,287	37,138	1,312	16,911	[4] 848	11,796
1938	10,172	104,848	[3] 13,395	40,012	1,358	16,997	[4] 923	13,944
1939	10,597	110,187	[3] 14,018	41,985	1,331	18,013	[4] 1,061	14,964
1940	10,817	139,554	[3] 15,782	34,778	1,461	26,369	[4] 1,186	14,976
1941 (Nov. 1) [5]	13,322	225,001	[3] 18,141	55,397	2,038	48,237	[4] 1,618	12,150

[1] Naval Militia prior to 1917. [2] Enrolled.
[3] Includes Aviation Cadets: 1936, 359; 1937, 554; 1938, 812; 1939, 1,032; 1940, 545; 1941 data not available. Also includes 591 Merchant Marine Cadets in 1940; 1941 data not available.
[4] Includes Aviation Cadets: 1936, 25; 1937, 50; 1938, 63; 1939, 83; 1940, 46; 1941 data not available.
[5] For later available data, see table 240.

Source: Navy Department, records.

No. 243.—American National Red Cross—Expenditures and Adult Membership: Years Ended June 30, 1937 to 1945

[Expenditures in thousands of dollars]

ITEM	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Adult membership (thousands):									
Total, including insular and foreign	4,904	5,524	5,669	7,139	9,190	15,130	28,963	36,544	(1)
Continental U. S. and Alaska	4,774	5,380	5,505	6,955	8,980	14,940	28,847	36,371	(1)
Percent of total population [2]	3.7	4.2	4.2	5.3	6.8	11.2	21.1	26.3	(1)
Expenditures, total [3]	25,985	10,359	5,640	6,896	13,038	25,310	56,876	108,904	130,671
Disaster relief	23,462	7,440	2,623	841	1,002	1,252	1,922	2,047	3,234
Domestic	23,358	6,717	2,276	749	947	1,233	1,920	2,020	3,214
Insular and foreign	105	723	347	92	55	19	2	27	20
Foreign war relief	----------	----------	----------	2,662	6,848	6,229	2,821	5,161	3,834
Services to the armed forces	540	596	619	659	2,383	10,712	42,391	89,997	112,345
Nursing services	168	192	221	226	296	679	1,393	1,561	1,428
First aid, water safety, accident prevention etc.	301	370	378	382	429	901	1,120	966	834
Civilian war aid	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------	1,195	1,016	1,103	229
Volunteer special services	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------	136	481	413	374
American Junior Red Cross	137	145	149	152	181	277	447	713	988
General service, etc., to chapters [4]	488	658	598	728	804	1,910	3,559	4,252	4,379
Other services	564	563	625	909	727	448	382	486	590
General executive and finance	325	395	428	337	369	590	1,343	2,204	2,436
Capital expenditures for additional office space	----------	----------	----------	----------	----------	983	----------	----------	----------

[1] Not available.
[2] Based on population estimates of Bureau of the Census.
[3] Activities common to all services, such as those of the central stenographic section, files, etc., have been prorated to the several services. Data for chapter budgets not included. Additional expenditures by the 3,754 chapters were estimated at approximately $61,000,000 for the 12 months ending Mar. 31, 1945.
[4] Includes expenditures for supervision, field service, correspondence, public relations, roll call, and fund-raising campaigns, etc.

Source: The American National Red Cross; annual report, except as noted:

No. 244.—Ships and Aircraft of the U. S. Navy: 1941 to 1946

CLASS	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946
Ships, total number, Jan. 1	1,200	2,673	11,300	29,058	61,045	70,579
Combatants	322	347	436	876	1,167	1,090
Patrol and mine craft	103	246	859	1,617	1,853	1,351
Auxiliaries	158	239	399	658	1,348	1,690
Landing craft	123	1,106	8,174	23,842	54,206	63,615
District craft	494	735	1,432	2,065	2,471	2,833
Ships, total tonnage (1,000 tons)	1,984	2,694	3,877	8,731	11,707	13,828
Combatants	1,252	1,359	1,707	2,921	3,893	4,605
Patrol and mine craft	73	120	251	392	566	474
Auxiliaries	591	1,093	1,548	2,253	4,597	5,623
Landing craft	1	8	163	740	2,058	2,399
District craft	67	114	208	425	593	727
Aircraft, total number, Dec. 31	5,260	11,813	25,892	36,721	(1)	(1)
Tactical combat	2,471	5,434	15,164	25,780	(1)	(1)
Utility and transport	303	624	1,367	2,437	(1)	(1)
Training	2,459	5,714	9,057	7,883	(1)	(1)
Miscellaneous	27	41	304	621	(1)	(1)

[1] Not yet available.

Source: Navy Department. Bureau of Ships and Bureau of Aeronautics; Annual Report of the Secretary and records.

No. 245.—Ships and Aircraft of the U. S. Navy: Production, 1941 to 1945

[Figures for 1941–43 represent ship completions; 1944 and 1945, ship commissionings]

CLASS	NUMBER					TONNAGE (1,000 TONS)				
	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Ships, total	1,579	11,342	24,179	39,971	[1] 19,471	785	1,598	3,557	5,457	2,964
Combatants, total	33	141	568	420	152	150	525	1,582	1,313	802
Battleships	2	4	2	2		70	140	90	90	
Aircraft carriers	1	1	15	8	5	20	27	262	217	135
Aircraft carriers, large					2					90
Aircraft carriers, escort	2	13	50	37	13	13	94	380	262	174
Battle cruisers				2					55	
Heavy cruisers			4	2	8			54	27	109
Light cruisers	1	8	7	11	7	6	68	62	106	66
Destroyers	16	81	128	84	74	26	144	256	180	162
Destroyer escorts			306	197	6			393	259	8
Submarines	11	34	56	77	37	15	52	85	118	57
Patrol and mine craft	167	743	1,106	640	[1] 238	49	160	254	234	51
Auxiliaries	83	184	303	630	[1] 462	528	579	715	2,214	1,397
Landing craft	1,035	9,488	21,525	37,724	[1] 17,958	8	230	794	1,520	514
District craft	261	786	677	557	[1] 661	50	103	213	176	201
Aircraft, total	3,638	9,708	23,144	30,070	17,050					
Tactical combat	1,593	5,584	16,371	26,401	15,332					
Transport and utility (tactical non-combat)	146	389	833	1,278	722					
Training	1,898	3,718	5,627	1,782	435					
Miscellaneous	1	17	313	609	561					

[1] Includes vessels converted and acquired as follows: Total ships, 457; patrol and mine craft, 5; auxiliaries, 240; landing craft, 127; and district craft, 85.

Source: Navy Department, Bureau of Ships and Bureau of Aeronautics; Annual Report of Secretary and records.

. 246.—Veterans Administration and Predecessor Organizations—Disbursements for Relief of Veterans

[In thousands of dollars. The Veterans Administration is responsible for extending to veterans and dependents of deceased veterans certain benefits provided by law: namely, pensions and compensation, insurance, adjusted compensation, emergency officers' retirement pay for veterans of World War I; reserve officers' retirement pay, pensions and insurance for World War II; and pensions and hospital and domiciliary care for veterans of all wars.]

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30—	Total for relief of veterans	PENSIONS AND COMPENSATION						
		Total	Spanish-American War	Civil War	World War I	World War II	Other Wars	Regular establishment
To June 30, 1927	11,789,749	8,559,521	239,228	6,951,414	1,068,242	----------	222,256	78,382
1928	659,871	410,765	70,674	149,669	181,816	----------	4,510	4,096
1929	673,289	418,821	76,846	143,594	188,947	----------	4,931	4,503
1930	684,023	418,433	83,751	125,785	199,245	----------	4,956	4,697
1931	759,367	488,389	102,256	121,994	253,984	----------	4,885	5,270
1932	841,437	[1] 545,800	113,758	107,866	313,280	----------	4,906	5,967
1933	833,499	[1] 550,585	125,306	98,273	315,576	----------	5,005	6,400
1934	545,838	[1] 321,395	55,614	69,815	184,198	----------	3,918	7,833
1935	609,916	[1] 374,426	77,753	63,530	219,851	----------	4,036	9,238
1936	3,839,120	[1] 399,010	108,584	55,637	221,156	----------	3,905	9,710
1937	893,994	[1] 396,046	114,924	46,596	219,469	----------	3,627	11,414
1938	629,830	[1] 402,784	118,183	39,233	230,203	----------	3,635	11,515
1939	600,222	[1] 416,719	125,298	33,179	242,866	----------	3,522	11,840
1940	639,127	[1] 429,153	127,427	27,790	254,846	----------	3,263	15,812
1941	614,357	[1] 433,129	127,357	23,173	261,940	----------	2,974	17,669
1942	647,334	[1] 431,208	125,674	19,525	263,871	201	2,719	19,294
1943	643,406	[1] 442,374	122,989	16,553	270,957	6,591	2,458	22,812
1944	828,391	[1] 494,942	125,056	13,895	268,269	62,235	2,268	23,207
1945	2,271,318	[1] 739,591	142,797	11,873	312,244	245,474	2,293	24,900
Grand total	29,004,091	[1] 16,673,180	2,183,476	[2] 8,119,394	5,470,959	314,501	[2] 290,067	294,556

YEARS ENDED JUNE 30—	Military and naval insurance	U. S. Govt. life insurance	NATIONAL SERVICE LIFE INSURANCE		Adjusted service certificates [3]	Adjusted service and dependent pay	Hospital and domiciliary facilities and services—construction	Administration, etc.[4]	Allotments and allowances	All other
			Appropriated fund	Trust fund						
To June 30, 1927	891,192	53,080	----------	----------	34,370	18,624	25,781	944,289	582,988	679,904
1928	120,771	17,664	----------	----------	17,098	10,153	5,222	78,020	[5] 61	238
1929	121,349	22,302	----------	----------	19,745	6,453	4,044	80,524	[5] 9	60
1930	122,769	24,677	----------	----------	20,131	3,130	8,241	86,593	2	45
1931	117,924	25,952	----------	----------	19,392	2,463	9,040	96,120	5	82
1932	123,741	28,737	----------	----------	23,216	2,480	12,876	104,360	9	219
1933	123,039	28,062	----------	----------	24,621	2,252	13,517	90,812	8	603
1934	103,268	26,073	----------	----------	23,413	1,895	[6] 3,171	66,484	3	136
1935	100,355	27,172	----------	----------	25,562	1,361	[6] 2,903	77,807	[5] 1	331
1936	94,025	28,296	----------	----------	3,228,422	1,090	[6] 2,938	83,181	[5] 1	2,160
1937	88,052	29,396	----------	----------	282,656	1,546	[6] 8,964	84,741	[5] 1	2,594
1938	82,522	31,636	----------	----------	13,838	1,352	[6] 9,347	85,881	[5] 1	2,473
1939	38,394	35,331	----------	----------	7,414	1,185	[6] 10,958	87,900	(7)	2,321
1940	19,602	69,813	----------	----------	9,235	681	[6] 13,638	94,454	[5] 1	2,552
1941	15,391	55,827	----------	7	2,657	400	[6] 4,541	99,541	[5] 1	2,867
1942	15,491	44,481	----------	961	43,227	253	[6] 4,045	104,694	[5] 2	2,885
1943	14,489	39,815	18,296	6,549	997	168	[6] 2,720	114,662	[5] 3	3,338
1944	10,293	44,719	102,429	33,898	1,648	89	4,851	130,980	[5] 4	4,547
1945	19,756	32,273	1,117,548	136,847	11,223	64	15,801	159,379	[5] 2	38,839
Grand total	2,222,421	665,306	1,238,273	178,262	3,808,865	55,642	[6] 162,597	2,670,422	582,929	[8] 746,194

[1] Includes disbursements to participants in yellow-fever experiments: 1932, $24,000; 1933, $26,000; 1934, $18,000; 1935, $18,000; 1936, $17,000; 1937, $16,000; 1938–42, $15,000 yearly; 1943, $14,000; 1944, $11,000; 1945, $9,000; total to June 30, 1945, $227,000.

[2] War of the Revolution, $70,000,000; War of 1812, $46,218,000; Indian Wars, $95,701,000; War with Mexico, $61,635,000; unclassified, $16,513,000.

[3] Represents payments made on adjusted-service certificates and amounts reimbursed to U. S. Government life-insurance fund on account of loans made from that fund on certificates under provisions of World War Adjusted Compensation Act as amended, and of Adjusted Compensation Payment Act, 1936.

[4] Disbursements for medical aid and hospital services, maintenance, and expenses for pensions, Veterans Administration homes, State and Territorial homes, salaries, printing and binding, and all other administrative expenses, except disbursements for civil-service and Canal Zone retirement funds. [5] Credit.

[6] Includes disbursements from funds allotted under National Recovery Act of 1933, 1934 through 1939; after 1938, includes also funds allotted under P. W. A. Act of 1938. [7] Less than $500, credit.

[8] Includes $644,980,000 expenditures for vocational rehabilitation; $35,078,000 for marine and seamen's insurance; $32,205,000 for readjustment benefits paid from Army and Navy pension appropriation in fiscal year 1945; and $28,532,000 for personal funds of patients, Veterans Administration.

Source: Veterans Administration, Annual Report of Administrator.

No. 247.—Pensions, Compensation, Disability Allowance, and Emergency and Reserve Officers' Retirement Pay—Living Veterans Receiving Benefits, Deceased Veterans Whose Dependents Were Receiving Benefits, and Disbursements for Benefits: 1866 to 1945

JUNE 30 OR YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—	NUMBER ON ROLLS			Disbursements (thous. of dollars)	JUNE 30 OR YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—	NUMBER ON ROLLS			Disbursements (thous. of dollars)
	Total	Living	Deceased			Total	Living	Deceased	
1866	126,722	55,652	71,070	15,450	1920	769,543	419,627	349,916	316,418
1870	198,686	87,521	111,165	29,351	1921	768,572	422,691	345,881	380,026
1875	234,821	122,989	111,832	29,270	1922	772,379	430,942	341,437	377,158
1880	250,802	145,410	105,392	56,689	1923	778,180	436,776	341,404	388,607
1885	345,125	247,146	97,979	65,172	1924	762,547	427,153	335,394	345,490
1890	537,944	415,654	122,290	106,094	1925	790,139	456,530	333,609	346,748
1895	970,524	751,456	219,068	139,812	1926	807,088	472,623	334,465	372,281
1900	993,529	752,510	241,019	138,462	1927	816,380	489,805	326,575	403,630
1901	997,735	748,649	249,086	138,531	1928	834,364	516,566	317,798	410,765
1902	999,446	739,443	260,003	137,504	1929	831,964	525,961	306,003	418,821
1903	996,545	729,356	267,189	137,760	1930	840,833	542,610	298,223	418,433
1904	994,762	720,921	273,841	141,094	1931	1,079,987	790,782	289,205	488,389
1905	998,441	717,761	280,680	141,143	1932	1,278,046	994,351	283,695	545,777
1906	985,971	701,483	284,488	139,000	1933	1,270,667	997,918	272,749	550,559
1907	967,371	680,479	286,892	138,155	1934	838,855	[1] 581,225	257,630	321,377
1908	951,687	658,581	293,106	153,093	1935	838,937	585,955	252,982	374,407
1909	946,194	633,035	313,159	161,974	1936	852,062	600,562	251,470	398,992
1910	921,083	602,622	318,461	159,974	1937	841,937	598,510	243,427	396,030
1911	892,098	570,456	321,642	157,325	1938	836,953	600,848	236,105	402,769
1912	860,294	538,362	321,932	152,986	1939	842,431	602,757	239,674	416,704
1913	820,200	503,633	316,567	174,172	1940	849,298	610,122	239,176	429,138
1914	785,239	470,623	314,616	172,418	1941	856,441	618,926	237,515	433,114
1915	748,147	437,723	310,424	165,518	1942	859,694	623,659	236,035	431,284
1916	709,572	403,372	306,200	159,155	1943	860,080	621,572	238,508	442,360
1917	673,111	370,147	302,964	160,895	1944	1,066,920	813,469	253,451	494,931
1918	649,497	341,632	307,865	180,177	1945	1,513,586	1,144,088	369,498	739,582
1919	673,832	338,216	335,616	233,461					

DESCRIPTION	NUMBER ON ROLLS, BY WARS, JUNE 30—[2]							
	1920	1925	1930	1935	1940	1943	1944	1945
Total	769,543	790,139	840,833	838,937	849,298	860,080	1,066,920	1,513,586
War of 1812:								
Deceased	71	21	10	4	1	1	1	1
War with Mexico:								
Living	148	17						
Deceased	2,423	1,257	630	294	130	82	66	55
Indian Wars:								
Living	3,745	3,924	5,454	3,899	2,216	1,475	1,278	1,115
Deceased	2,483	3,034	4,191	4,745	4,055	3,319	2,885	2,673
Civil War:								
Living	243,629	126,626	49,018	13,273	2,381	625	383	229
Deceased	290,100	241,193	167,674	100,290	50,141	32,552	27,650	24,521
Spanish-American War:								
Living	23,144	101,871	186,811	164,502	159,230	140,093	133,408	128,104
Deceased	7,288	18,363	30,919	39,045	57,720	64,391	67,059	71,955
Regular Establishment:								
Living	14,477	12,399	15,661	32,124	36,051	43,197	42,895	42,925
Deceased	4,554	3,762	3,830	7,240	10,126	13,661	13,692	13,666
World War I:								
Living	134,484	211,693	285,666	372,157	410,244	428,964	425,543	425,589
Deceased	42,997	65,979	90,969	101,364	117,003	116,366	114,263	162,000
World War II:								
Living						7,218	209,962	546,126
Deceased						8,136	27,835	94,627

[1] The reduction in this item from the prior fiscal year was due essentially to discontinuance of disability allowance (nonservice) except for veterans permanently and totally disabled.
[2] For disbursements by wars, see table 246.

Source: Veterans Administration, Annual Report of Administrator.

No. 248.—Pensions, Compensation, Disability Allowance, and Emergency and Reserve Officers' Retirement Pay—Annual Average Payments, per Veteran, to Living Veterans and to Dependents of Deceased Veterans, by Wars: 1910 to 1945

[Averages calculated by dividing total annual value of benefits, as of June 30, by number on rolls]

DESCRIPTION	1910	1915	1920	1925	1930	1935	1940	1942	1943	1944	1945
AVERAGE PAYMENT											
All wars	$172	$215	$358	$408	$475	$428	$498	$504	$506	$535	$548
Living	184	263	422	454	514	448	510	521	521	543	546
Deceased	149	148	280	344	404	383	467	460	467	508	553
War of 1812 (deceased)	151	149	233	360	540	510	240	240	240	240	240
War with Mexico	167	175	240	363	586	579	580	576	578	573	576
Living	238	356	414	709	------	------	------	------	------	------	------
Deceased	144	146	230	359	586	579	580	576	578	573	576
Indian Wars	132	168	203	202	446	435	492	482	479	560	570
Living	110	230	240	243	513	529	736	748	752	805	843
Deceased	144	145	149	149	359	358	358	358	359	452	456
Civil War	174	220	359	477	542	533	489	472	466	462	459
Living	187	275	452	699	852	1,060	1,162	1,176	1,179	1,184	1,188
Deceased	148	147	281	360	452	463	457	454	452	452	452
Spanish-American War	128	134	142	206	389	368	582	591	592	696	707
Living	121	129	132	193	389	388	660	687	695	845	861
Deceased	159	160	175	278	389	286	367	367	367	400	433
Regular Establishment	173	176	181	198	232	234	362	367	393	401	437
Living	166	169	173	192	235	224	378	384	384	383	430
Deceased	197	200	204	219	219	280	304	308	418	456	457
World War I	------	------	417	421	499	445	477	487	487	546	545
Living	------	------	449	453	553	472	459	475	476	543	545
Deceased	------	------	316	317	331	348	538	530	528	554	546
World War II	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	402	551	413	514
Living	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	528	517	379	482
Deceased	------	------	------	------	------	------	------	392	581	669	698

No. 249.—Government Insurance Claims Awarded, by Type of Award, to June 30, 1945, and for Years Ended June 30, 1941 to 1945

TYPE OF AWARD	Total to June 30, 1945	YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—				
		1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Number of awards made during period or year:						
Term and automatic insurance—						
Total original awards	196,521	312	223	137	73	49
Original death	155,440	24	43	28	13	16
Original disability	41,081	288	180	109	60	33
Disability changed to death	25,152	264	1,594	93	75	49
Converted insurance—						
Total original awards	81,346	4,017	5,233	4,776	5,830	4,940
Original death	57,850	3,044	4,090	3,889	5,139	4,228
Original disability	23,496	973	1,143	887	691	712
Disability changed to death	9,524	644	607	660	596	560
National Service life-insurance awards, original death	223,626	43	3,002	13,127	47,635	159,819
Number of awards active at end of year:						
Term and automatic insurance	11,569	19,076	16,649	14,643	13,051	11,569
Death	2,053	8,631	6,432	4,702	3,312	2,053
Disability	9,516	10,445	10,217	9,941	9,739	9,516
Converted insurance	23,876	18,571	20,116	21,289	22,745	23,876
Death	13,035	7,945	9,280	10,481	11,971	13,035
Disability	10,841	10,626	10,836	10,808	10,774	10,841

Source of tables 248 and 249: Veterans Administration; Annual Report of Administrator, monthly report and records.

No. 250.—Life Insurance (Government) in Force and Premiums Paid: 1930 to 1945

[Amounts in thousands of dollars]

June 30 or year ended June 30—	Insurance policies in force June 30						Premiums paid during year	
	Total		Yearly renewable term insurance (wartime)		U. S. Government life insurance excl. yearly renewable		Term insurance [1]	U. S. Government life
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount		
1930	648,248	3,042,743	204	1,142	648,044	3,041,601	1,032	67,168
1931	646,055	3,024,445	91	506	645,964	3,023,938	208	69,201
1932	641,247	2,977,330	29	246	641,218	2,977,083	258	67,663
1933	616,069	2,782,709	----	----	616,069	2,782,709	245	67,962
1934	598,226	2,666,733	----	----	598,226	2,666,733	104	68,241
1935	590,865	2,605,400	121	389	590,744	2,605,011	176	64,950
1936	593,213	2,590,922	149	439	593,064	2,590,482	79	63,047
1937	596,982	2,578,339	150	357	596,832	2,577,982	66	63,401
1938	602,963	2,569,893	349	653	602,614	2,569,240	67	62,821
1939	606,071	2,562,354	355	642	605,716	2,561,712	60	62,325
1940	609,094	2,555,327	171	343	608,923	2,564,984	59	59,196
1941	613,408	2,567,392	88	238	613,320	2,567,154	41	56,967
1942	594,806	2,507,187	71	105	594,735	2,507,082	35	52,757
1943	586,631	2,499,656	41	52	586,590	2,499,604	30	52,805
1944	578,641	2,494,900	20	24	578,621	2,494,876	36	53,820
1945	567,941	2,454,864	7	8	567,934	2,454,856	39	50,693

[1] Net premiums.

No. 251.—Life Insurance (Government)—Converted Insurance Issued and in Force, by Plan

Plan	Issued to June 30, 1945					In force June 30, 1945	
	Number	Amount (1,000 dollars)	Average policy	Percent of total		Number	Amount (1,000 dollars)
				Number	Amount		
Total	1,139,362	4,789,219	4,203	100.00	100.00	567,934	2,454,856
Ordinary life	223,426	1,072,695	4,801	19.61	22.40	139,948	701,222
20-payment life	322,751	1,151,431	3,568	28.33	24.04	211,548	750,351
30-payment life	38,460	188,870	4,911	3.37	3.94	28,305	147,365
20-year endowment	257,111	643,999	2,505	22.57	13.45	53,497	143,304
30-year endowment	46,409	190,740	4,110	4.07	3.98	27,921	119,640
Endowment at age 62	46,387	216,429	4,666	4.07	4.52	28,856	136,274
5-year convertible term	145,497	960,350	6,600	12.77	20.05	37,284	228,607
Duration more than 5 years	----	----	----	----	----	20,699	119,895
Renewed, second period	----	----	----	----	----	3	16
Renewed, third period	----	----	----	----	----	4,374	28,819
Renewed, fourth period	----	----	----	----	----	12,208	79,877
5-year level premium term	59,321	364,706	6,148	5.21	7.62	26,637	184,336
First period	----	----	----	----	----	17,620	133,023
Renewed, second period	----	----	----	----	----	6,735	39,314
Renewed, third period	----	----	----	----	----	2,282	11,999
Extended insurance	----	----	----	----	----	10,373	28,962
Paid-up life	----	----	----	----	----	2,809	5,039
Paid-up endowment	----	----	----	----	----	666	756

No. 252.—Life-Insurance Fund (Government)—Financial Statement, From Origin, May 31, 1919, to Dec. 31, 1944

[All figures in thousands of dollars]

Item	Total to Dec. 31, 1944	Year ended Dec. 31, 1944	Item	Total to Dec. 31, 1944	Year ended Dec. 31, 1944
Income, total	2,357,632	128,268	Disbursements—Continued.		
Premiums	1,361,712	51,488	Dividends paid policyholders	137,836	8,330
Interest	610,681	44,566	Paid on supplementary installment contracts under claims	182,909	17,695
Received from U. S. on account of extra hazards of military and naval service	114,989	11,031	Other disbursements	27,412	1,035
Consideration for supplementary installment contracts under claims	251,595	18,503	Ledger assets, Dec. 31, 1943, as per "balance" under income and disbursements, total	1,229,242	----
Other income	18,656	2,679	Book value of bonds, amortized	1,099,427	----
Disbursements, total	1,128,390	70,197	Policy loans	123,102	----
Claims (death and total permanent disability)	437,718	28,110	Loans on security of adjusted-service certificates	3,778	----
Surrender values	198,179	3,368	Cash on hand	2,935	----
Matured endowments	144,336	11,658			

Source of tables 250, 251, and 252: Veterans Administration, Annual Report of Administrator and records.

No. 253.—United States Veterans Receiving Hospital or Domiciliary Care Authorized by Veterans Administration: 1931 to 1945

[During the fiscal year 1945, a total of 828,620 out-patient treatments were given and 1,771,760 out-patient examinations were made. On June 30, 1945, there were 4,159 veterans domiciled in State and Territorial homes who were eligible for care in facilities controlled by the Veterans Administration. The Federal Government reimbursed these homes at the rate of $120 per year for each person through August 1939, $240 per year for each person through Dec. 17, 1943, and $300 per year thereafter.]

YEAR ENDED JUNE 30—	Total receiving hospital or domiciliary care at end of year [1]	VETERANS RECEIVING HOSPITAL TREATMENT, ALL FACILITIES AND HOSPITALS [2]					Veterans receiving domiciliary care at end of year [1]	VETERANS' ADMINISTRATION FACILITIES				
		Average daily patients	Patients remaining at end of year					Hospital [3]			Domiciliary	
			Total	Tuberculosis	Neuropsychiatric	General		Average daily patients	Operating expenses (1,000 dollars)	Per diem cost (dollars) [4]	Average daily domiciliary care	Operating expenses (1,000 dolls.)
1931	51,980	32,713	34,948	6,193	17,001	11,754	[5] 17,032	22,297	30,414	3.72	------	------
1932	62,255	42,448	43,567	6,499	20,160	16,908	18,688	25,046	31,996	3.44	------	------
1933	44,644	42,526	33,457	5,425	20,109	7,923	11,187	32,666	33,391	2.74	------	------
1934	48,849	36,192	39,445	5,032	22,226	12,187	9,404	35,220	32,620	2.51	10,190	3,649
1935	51,922	41,172	42,599	5,134	23,358	14,107	9,323	39,030	39,856	2.78	10,406	4,024
1936	51,128	43,516	41,542	4,539	24,447	12,556	9,586	40,972	42,386	2.82	12,008	4,474
1937	57,180	44,942	46,142	4,789	26,394	14,959	11,038	41,939	43,252	2.81	10,364	4,299
1938	64,924	49,004	50,670	4,857	29,267	16,546	14,254	45,639	44,204	2.65	13,514	4,872
1939	69,287	52,805	53,861	4,913	31,190	17,758	15,426	49,147	47,988	2.68	15,709	5,218
1940	73,114	56,304	56,596	4,644	33,016	18,936	16,518	52,409	49,921	2.60	16,708	5,546
1941	72,138	58,475	58,160	4,637	34,508	19,015	13,978	54,582	55,444	2.78	16,696	5,670
1942	67,646	57,880	56,073	4,900	34,659	16,514	11,573	54,636	59,055	2.96	14,371	5,836
1943	65,638	56,072	56,641	4,974	36,369	15,298	8,997	53,470	65,684	3.37	10,430	5,589
1944	72,376	61,305	63,800	6,190	40,382	17,228	8,576	58,338	72,111	3.38	9,447	5,427
1945	80,008	68,276	71,229	6,732	44,636	19,861	8,779	64,317	80,324	3.42	9,002	5,175

TYPE OF CARE AND YEAR (JUNE 30)	VETERANS UNDER HOSPITAL OR DOMICILIARY CARE, BY CLASS OF BENEFICIARY									
	All wars and regular establishment			World War II		World War I		Spanish-American	All other wars	Regular establishment
	Total	Service connected	Non-service	Service connected	Non-service	Service connected	Non-service [6]			
Hospital treatment:										
1935	42,599	12,046	30,553	------	------	10,746	27,287	2,369	187	2,010
1940	56,596	12,328	44,268	------	------	10,552	40,360	2,900	105	2,679
1943	56,641	14,172	42,469	2,332	2,800	9,892	35,761	2,871	65	2,920
1944	63,800	17,860	45,940	6,162	7,545	9,713	34,591	2,865	71	2,853
1945	71,229	23,337	47,892	11,655	9,119	9,696	35,092	2,793	49	2,825
Domiciliary care: [1]										
1935	9,323	919	8,404	------	------	727	6,739	1,286	77	494
1940	16,518	1,146	15,372	------	------	949	14,293	752	19	505
1943	8,997	548	8,449	6	40	448	7,642	596	11	254
1944	8,576	559	8,017	26	171	448	7,123	558	15	237
1945	8,779	560	8,219	67	293	414	7,174	589	17	225

[1] Veterans homes were not under the jurisdiction of the Veterans Administration prior to July 1930.
[2] Includes Veterans Admin. beneficiaries cared for in Army, Navy, Marine, and State and civil (contract) hospitals, St. Elizabeths, and hospitals operated in connection with National Veterans' homes.
[3] Beginning 1933, figures include hospitals operated in connection with Veterans' Admin. homes.
[4] Excludes hospitals which operated for only part of the year under unnatural conditions.
[5] Includes domiciliary members receiving hospital treatment.
[6] Includes emergency, observation, and unclassified cases.

Source: Veterans Administration, Annual Report of Administrator and records.

No. 254.—United States Veterans Receiving Vocational Training and Education: Dec. 1944 to Jan. 1946

[From inception of program]

MONTH	Entered training to date	In training end of month	Completed training to date	MONTH	Entered training to date	In training end of month	Completed training to date
1944—Dec	25,571	22,223	315	1945—July	63,301	38,352	2,176
1945—Jan	30,192	25,678	417	Aug	68,703	38,109	2,592
Feb	35,355	29,534	544	Sept	79,770	47,192	2,993
Mar	42,299	34,478	772	Oct	107,438	75,027	3,492
Apr	47,888	38,030	1,016	Nov	139,520	103,526	3,918
May	52,465	39,242	1,327	Dec	172,613	131,398	4,356
June	57,276	37,321	1,754	1946—Jan	229,185	181,959	4,844

Source: Veterans Administration, Annual Report of Administrator and records.

10. Social Security and Related Programs

(Data in this section relate to continental United States, Alaska, and Hawaii, except as noted)

GENERAL NOTE

Broadly considered, the term "social security" may encompass all public provisions for payments to individuals on an insurance or similar basis to compensate for part of the loss in earnings resulting from old age, sickness, disability, unemployment, or death; assistance, or payments on a needs basis, to persons with inadequate income; public aid through employment on work projects; and insurance against the costs of medical and hospital care and services rendered to individuals to improve their health, earning power, and welfare. The aggregate expenditures for these purposes from Federal and State and local funds are shown in table 255; these expenditures may be compared with total receipts and expenditures of Federal, State, and local governments by reference to tables 340, 341 and 377–381.

***Social Insurance and Related Programs* (tables 255-258, 260).**—This category comprises a group of programs under which recurring or other payments are made on the basis of past earnings or service, including the two insurance programs established by the Social Security Act for industrial and commercial workers—Federal old-age and survivors insurance and Federal-State unemployment insurance; the two similar programs administered by the Railroad Retirement Board for employees of railroads and certain of their affiliates; retirement, disability and survivor programs for veterans, other military personnel, and employees of Federal, State, and local governments; and workmen's compensation. Information on benefits and beneficiaries under these programs, by risk met, is shown in table 260. The Social Security Bulletin carries current data on all these programs for which monthly figures are available, and its supplement, the Social Security Yearbook, summarizes annual data for all. More detailed information for programs appears in this section in tables on old-age and survivors insurance, State unemployment insurance, railroad retirement, railroad unemployment insurance, and Federal, State, and local government employee retirement systems.

The extent to which wages and salaries in the United States are earned in employments covered under selected social insurance and related programs is shown in table 256. Coverage, eligibility, disqualifications, and levels of benefits differ for the various programs. Notes to the detailed tables indicate the major limitations to be considered in interpreting the data; source notes indicate the publications which should be consulted for more detailed data and analyses of the figures, and of administrative factors which may affect the data.

Public Aid.—Since 1936 the Social Security Board has collected or compiled data from States on payments to needy persons from public funds and has issued this information in summary tables for the continental United States, including data furnished by other Federal agencies on subsistence payments to farmers, and on persons employed on Federal work programs and their earnings from such employment (table 259). The amounts shown as assistance exclude administrative costs and represent total payments to recipients from Federal, State, and local funds, including sums made available to the States as Federal grants under the Social Security Act for old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to the blind. The Social Security Bulletin and Yearbook give these data also in terms of source of funds and operations under State public assistance plans approved by the Social Security Board as distinct from other similar programs in the United States.

Health and Welfare Services.—The Social Security Act of 1935 included grants to States for maternal and child health services, services for crippled children, child welfare

services, vocational rehabilitation, and public health. The Children's Bureau administers the first three of the programs listed, with funds appropriated under that act. Subsequent legislation has set up separate authorizations of funds for vocational rehabilitation (table 165) to be administered by the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (Public Law No. 113, 78th Cong., approved July 6, 1943). The Public Health Service also now makes grants to States through a separate law (Public Law No. 410, 78th Cong., approved July 1, 1944). In tables 257 and 258 are shown the Federal funds granted for these health and welfare programs and for other purposes under the Social Security Act and other Federal laws.

SOCIAL INSURANCE FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL WORKERS

The social insurance programs established under the Social Security Act cover employment in industry and commerce, specifically excluding such types of service as agricultural labor, domestic service in private homes, employment by governmental agencies and certain types of nonprofit organizations, and by railroads and certain of their affiliates, casual employment not in the course of the employer's business, employment by certain close relatives, and self-employment. Workers are insured against wage loss resulting from old age and death under the federally administered old-age and survivors insurance program, and against unemployment under State unemployment insurance programs. In addition, the Rhode Island Unemployment Compensation Board administers cash benefits for workers who suffer a wage loss because of temporary sickness, covering workers included under the State unemployment compensation law.

***Old-age and Survivors Insurance* (tables 261–269).**—As amended in 1939, this program provides monthly retirement benefits to fully insured workers at age 65 or over, supplemented by payments to their wives aged 65 or over and children under age 16, or 18 if still at school. Survivor benefits comprise monthly payments to certain dependents of fully or currently insured workers—children under age 16, or school children under 18, and widows if they have in their care a child beneficiary of the deceased insured worker. If the deceased worker was fully insured, survivor benefits are payable to his widow aged 65 or over, or if he leaves no widow or unmarried child under 18, to wholly dependent parents aged 65 or over. If no monthly benefits are payable for the month in which the insured worker dies, a lump sum is paid to the widow, child, or parent, or as reimbursement for funeral expenses to a person or persons equitably entitled to such payment.

A worker is fully insured if, when he files his claim for retirement benefits, he has received at least $50 in wages from covered employment in a minimum of 6 quarters and in 1 quarter of every 2 which have elapsed since the end of 1936—or since attainment of age 21 if later—and his attainment of age 65 or death, or if he has had at least 40 quarters of coverage. A worker is currently insured if he has had wages of $50 or more from covered employment in at least 6 of the 12 quarters immediately preceding the current quarter.

Monthly benefits and lump-sum payments are based on the worker's average wage as legally defined. The minimum payable on the basis of an insured worker's wage record is $10 a month, and the maximum is the least of the following three amounts: $85 a month, 80 percent of the legally defined average monthly wage of the insured worker, or twice the amount he would receive as a monthly retirement benefit on the basis of his wage credits. Benefits—which have been payable since January 1940—are suspended for any month in which the beneficiary, or the person on whose wage record benefits are based, earned more than $14.99 in covered employment.

Workers in employments covered by the program and their employers each pay contributions on the worker's wages, not counting amounts above the first $3,000 in a year. The rate has been 1 percent for workers and 1 percent for employers since 1937, as a result of laws successively postponing scheduled increases. An amount equal to

the contributions collected is appropriated for deposit in the old-age and survivors insurance trust fund from which benefits and administrative costs are paid. The wage credits of a worker—i. e., the amounts of his wages subject to contribution—are recorded in individual employee accounts maintained by the Social Security Board.

***Unemployment Insurance* (tables 270–274).**—State unemployment insurance laws, in general, cover the same types of employment as old-age and survivors insurance, but some States limit their coverage to workers in firms with 8, 6, 4, or 3 or more workers in a specified number of weeks in a year.

State reports on employment and wages under their unemployment insurance systems (tables 270 and 271) include total pay rolls of subject employers. In all States but one the standard rate of contributions payable by employers is 2.7 percent of wages paid, not counting amounts above the first $3,000 a year paid to an employee; in Michigan the standard rate is 3.0 percent. In a very few States employees also contribute. In all but six States employer contribution rates in 1945 were adjusted in accordance with "experience rating" based, in general, on the extent to which their workers have drawn benefits. The Federal Government imposes a Federal unemployment tax on substantially all employers of 8 or more in industry or commerce; against this Federal tax employers credit, up to 90 percent of their Federal liability, contributions they have paid under State unemployment insurance laws or would have paid if they had been assessed at the standard rate.

Contributions collected by States are deposited to State accounts in the Federal employment trust fund from which States withdraw amounts needed for benefit payments. The Federal Government, through grants to States certified by the Social Security Board, meets the necessary administrative costs of State unemployment insurance systems which the Social Security Board finds in conformity, in law and administration, with statutory Federal requirements.

Benefits are paid only to unemployed covered workers who meet qualifying conditions of the State laws. In general a waiting period of 1 or 2 weeks must be served. Benefits are payable for a maximum number of weeks, 20 in 22 States but ranging from 14 to 26 among others. Weekly benefit amounts represent about 50 percent of wages but may not exceed maximums ranging from $15 to $28 depending on the State law. Four States take account of the unemployed worker's dependents in determining the amount of benefits payable to him.

Data on operations of the United States Employment Service appear in tables 275–279; that Service was transferred on September 19, 1945, to the U. S. Department of Labor.

SOCIAL INSURANCE FOR RAILROAD WORKERS

The programs established under the Railroad Retirement Act and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act cover social insurance for employees of railroads (including the Railway Express Agency and the Pullman Company) subject to part I of the Interstate Commerce Act, affiliated companies such as refrigerator-car loan companies which perform services in connection with railroad transportation, organizations such as railroad and traffic associations maintained by two or more covered employers, and standard railway-labor organizations which are national in scope. Both programs are administered by the Railroad Retirement Board, which publishes detailed data on operations in its Monthly Review and Annual Report.

***Railroad Retirement Insurance* (tables 280–285).**—The Railroad Retirement Act, as passed in 1935 and amended in 1937, provides for five classes of retirement and survivor benefits: (1) Employee annuities, based on years of service (up to a maximum of 30 if service before 1937 is included) and on the average monthly compensation (exclusive of earnings over $300 a month). Age annuities are payable at age 65 or, on a reduced basis, at age 60 after 30 years of service. Annuities for total and permanent disability are payable after 30 years of service or, if after less than 30 years, on a reduced basis at age 60. At present, the maximum annuity is $120 a month. (2) Survivor annuities,

paid to the spouse of a deceased annuitant who had elected to take a reduction in his own benefit. (3) Death-benefit annuities, paid under the 1935 Act, and for a 12-month period only, to the spouse or dependent next of kin of a deceased annuitant. (4) Lump-sum death benefits, paid under the 1937 Act to the designated beneficiary or to surviving relatives in a prescribed order of precedence. The benefit is roughly equal to a return of contributions less retirement benefits received. (5) Pensions, paid under the 1937 Act to individuals who were on the carrier pension rolls on July 1, 1937, and who were not eligible for annuities on that date.

The funds of the retirement system come from a tax on compensation (exclusive of earnings over $300 a month). The total tax rate, divided equally between employer and employee, started at 5½ percent in 1937, and is scheduled to rise by ½ percent at 3-year intervals until 7½ percent is reached in 1949. Appropriations for benefit payments and administration and for establishing a reserve under the Railroad Retirement Act are made by Congress annually on the basis of anticipated tax collections.

***Railroad Unemployment Insurance* (tables 286 and 287).**—The Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act was passed in 1938 and amended in 1939 and 1940. It became effective on July 1, 1939. Benefits are payable during a benefit year to unemployed workers who earned at least $150 in compensation with a covered employer in the base year, which is the calendar year preceding the beginning of the benefit year. A benefit year begins on July 1 and ends on June 30 of the following year. Benefits are payable for each day of unemployment in excess of 7 in the first 14-day registration period and for each day in excess of 4 in subsequent registration periods, up to a maximum of 100 days in the benefit year.

The Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act also provides that the Board may operate an employment service for the railroad industry. In 1944, the Board's employment service performed the functions of manpower recruitment and employment stabilization for the railroad industry as a coordinated agency of the War Manpower Commission.

The railroad unemployment insurance program is financed entirely by contributions paid directly to the Railroad Retirement Board by covered employers, amounting to 3 percent of pay rolls (exclusive of individual earnings in excess of $300 a month).

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE
(*Tables 289 and 290*)

Under the Social Security Act, the Federal Government shares with the States the costs of administration and money payments for special types of public assistance (aid to needy persons aged 65 and over, needy blind, and dependent children under age 16—or 18 if regularly attending school—who have been deprived of parental support for specified reasons). To receive a Federal grant under any one of these programs, a State must have a plan approved by the Social Security Board as meeting the requirements of the act.

The basis for Federal matching is one-half the amount (up to $40 a month) determined by the State as the total assistance payment to a needy aged or blind person, and, for aid to dependent children, one-half the amount given by the State up to $18 a month for the first child and $12 for each additional child aided in the same home. In addition, the Federal Government pays half the administrative costs of approved State programs for aid to the blind and aid to dependent children and increases its grants to States for old-age assistance by 5 percent as a contribution toward such costs.

Payments to recipients under all these programs do not necessarily represent the sole resources of the persons receiving payments; in making payments, States take account of the resources as well as the requirements of recipients and may use general assistance to supplement inadequate payments under the three special types of assistance.

Some States administer plans for aid to dependent children and aid to the blind without Federal funds, and in all States general assistance is administered without Federal financial participation.

RETIREMENT SYSTEMS FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Three contributory retirement systems for Federal civilian employees and one noncontributory are administered by the Civil Service Commission. In addition, there are other systems for Federal employees not otherwise covered.

The Civil Service Retirement Act, as passed in 1920 and amended subsequently, provides old-age and disability annuities for employees in the executive, judicial, and legislative branch of the United States Government and in the municipal government of the District of Columbia not subject to other Federal retirement systems. Approximately 2,853,291 employees or 89.7 percent of Federal civilian personnel were subject to this Act as of June 30, 1945. Under the 1942 amendments, retirement is compulsory at age 70 for employees with at least 15 years of service; optional retirement at age 60–61 for employees with at least 30 years of service and at age 62–69 for employees with at least 15 years of service may be exercised by either the employee or the head of the department. The benefit formulas are weighted in favor of employees with greater length of service and lower salaries. For a description of other types of payments see the footnotes to table 291. The employee contribution rate, computed on base pay, was raised to 5 percent beginning July 1942. Previously the rate had been 3½ percent for July 1926—June 1942 and 2½ percent for August 1920—June 1926.

The two other contributory systems administered by the Civil Service Commission make special provision for certain Federal employees, most of whom had been covered formerly by the Civil Service Retirement Act. The Panama Canal Zone Retirement Act, passed in 1931, pertains to employees of the Panama Canal and the Panama Railroad Company who work in the Isthmus of Panama and are citizens of the United States. About 6,200 employees were covered by this Act at the end of 1945. Employee contributions have been 5 percent, beginning July 1931. Employees of the Alaska Railroad in Alaska who are citizens of the United States come under the Alaska Railroad Retirement Act, enacted in 1936. The coverage under this system was about 1,750 persons at the end of 1945. The contribution rate has been 5 percent, beginning July 1935. These acts contain more liberal retirement provisions than the Civil Service Retirement Act by setting lower age and length of service requirements but differ only slightly with regard to the other types of payments.

No one of the 3 acts requires specific payments from the Government as employer but each implies the Government will furnish the necessary amounts to finance its retirement and disability fund and to continue the act in full force and effect. Appropriations have been made annually by the Congress to each fund but not until after it had been in operation for a while.

A special act was passed in 1944 to provide noncontributory annuities for citizens of the United States employed during the Panama Canal construction period and not receiving benefits under other Federal retirement acts. In the fiscal year 1945, the Civil Service Commission awarded annuities to 1,910 former employees or their widows with an annual value of $1,811,379.

Separate retirement systems for the military services and special classes of Federal employees are presented in table 294. These data on Federal contributory and noncontributory retirement systems were assembled by the Social Security Board in connection with their social insurance series. Data on retirement of Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, and a few other special classes of employees making no direct contribution to their retirement pay have been presented in the Statistical Abstract beginning with the 1936 edition. Table 294 presents more comprehensive data than that shown in the 1944–45 edition, table 189, p. 181.

Statistics on retirement systems for State and local government employees were prepared by the Bureau of the Census with the cooperation of the Social Security Board. Both agencies issued special reports on the subject. Tables 295–298 are from this source.

No. 255.—Public Expenditures [1] for Social Security and Related Purposes, by Source of Funds: Fiscal Years 1943 and 1944 [2]

[In millions]

Program	1943			1944		
	Total	Federal	State and local	Total	Federal	State and local
Total	$4,317.2	$2,016.7	$2,300.5	$4,110.4	$1,992.2	$2,118.2
Social insurance and related programs	1,885.2	1,046.5	838.7	1,950.2	1,178.9	771.3
Old-age and survivors insurance	176.8	176.8	----	217.2	217.2	----
Railroad retirement	135.9	135.9	----	136.9	136.9	----
Public employee retirement, disability, and survivor programs	472.6	[3] [4] 155.6	[5] 317.0	510.2	[3] 175.2	[5] 335.0
Employment security [6]	252.6	76.5	176.1	151.5	90.4	61.1
Railroad unemployment insurance [7]	4.0	4.0	----	3.8	3.8	----
Veterans' program [8]	484.6	484.6	----	541.1	541.1	----
Workmen's compensation	357.7	12.9	[4] [5] 344.8	384.6	14.1	[5] 370.5
Rhode Island sickness compensation	[9] .8	----	.8	4.7	----	4.7
Civilian war benefits	.2	.2	----	.2	.2	----
Public aid	1,501.6	770.1	731.5	1,092.3	487.4	604.9
Special types of public assistance	844.6	396.3	448.3	917.3	430.3	487.0
General assistance	168.0	----	168.0	117.9	----	117.9
Subsistence payments to farmers	1.7	1.7	----	.3	.3	----
Work relief [10]	421.4	306.3	115.2	16.0	16.0	----
Agricultural commodity distribution and stamp programs [5]	65.4	65.4	----	40.6	40.6	----
Civilian war assistance	.2	.2	----	.1	.1	----
Assistance to enemy aliens and others	.2	.2	----	.1	.1	----
Health and medical services [11]	777.0	180.8	596.2	906.0	297.6	608.5
Public health services	170.8	41.2	129.6	198.3	46.5	151.8
Hospital care and construction	548.3	[4] 88.3	460.0	555.6	105.6	450.0
Maternal and child health services	9.7	5.9	[12] 3.8	10.0	6.2	[12] 3.9
Services for crippled children	6.8	4.0	[12] 2.9	6.7	3.9	[12] 2.8
Emergency wartime health and medical services	33.3	[4] 33.3	----	126.6	126.6	----
Other health and medical services [13]	8.1	8.1	----	8.8	8.8	----
Other welfare services	153.5	19.3	134.2	161.9	28.3	133.6
Vocational rehabilitation	5.8	2.9	2.9	7.1	4.8	2.3
Child welfare services	1.6	1.6	(14)	1.5	1.5	(14)
Institutional and other care	135.3	[15] 4.0	[16] 131.3	134.1	[15] 2.8	[16] 131.3
Day care	10.8	[4] [17] 10.8	(14)	19.2	[17] 19.2	(14)

[1] Includes administrative expenditures unless otherwise indicated; represents expenditures from general, special, and trust accounts; excludes transfers to such accounts and loans.

[2] Fiscal years of Federal Government, most States, and some localities ended June 30; fiscal years of other States and localities cover various 12-month periods ended within year.

[3] Includes noncontributory programs.

[4] Revised data.

[5] Excludes administrative expenses.

[6] State unemployment compensation and U. S. Employment Service.

[7] Includes administration of employment services by Railroad Retirement Board.

[8] Excludes expenditures from Government life insurance fund.

[9] Benefits first payable Apr. 1, 1943.

[10] For 1943, total Civilian Conservation Corps and Work Projects Administration expenditures and National Youth Administration expenditures exclusive of national defense training program and of administrative expenses and State and local expenditures, data for which are not available. For 1944, liquidation expenses of WPA and NYA and expenditures for work relief in Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands.

[11] Excludes expenditures for medical services included under public aid programs above, and expenditures for health primarily incidental to performance of other functions, such as those in connection with Army, Navy, and education.

[12] Only amounts expended for programs under Social Security Act.

[13] Expenditures by Food and Drug Administration and medical service to Indians and to natives of Alaska.

[14] Not available.

[15] Includes expenditures for migratory labor camps and American Printing House for the Blind.

[16] Data not available; 1940-41 figure used.

[17] Includes obligations of Federal Works Agency for child care programs.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 256.—Selected Social Insurance and Related Programs—Estimated Pay Rolls in Covered Employment in Relation to All Wages and Salaries: 1937 to 1944

[Amounts in millions of dollars. Data are for calendar years, corrected to Jan. 31, 1946]

PROGRAM	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
AMOUNT								
Total earnings [1]	56,972	51,369	55,464	60,760	76,723	101,367	126,399	137,114
All wages and salaries [1]	45,053	41,247	44,313	48,771	60,885	80,793	102,932	113,031
Pay rolls covered by retirement programs, total [2]	37,943	34,146	37,626	41,720	52,604	67,874	82,350	87,200
Old-age and survivors insurance [3]	32,770	29,026	32,222	35,668	45,417	58,147	70,152	73,914
Railroad retirement [4]	2,265	2,010	2,149	2,272	2,685	3,337	4,058	4,466
Federal civil-service retirement [5]	1,050	1,139	1,221	1,430	1,912	3,600	5,100	5,600
State and local government [6]	1,858	1,971	2,034	2,350	2,590	2,790	3,040	3,220
Pay rolls covered by unemployment insurance programs, total [2]	(7)	28,210	31,218	34,722	44,831	58,133	70,184	73,929
State unemployment insurance [8]	(7)	26,200	29,069	32,450	42,146	54,796	66,126	69,463
Railroad unemployment insur. [9]	2,265	2,010	2,149	2,272	2,685	3,337	4,058	4,466
PERCENT								
All wages and salaries [1]	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Pay rolls covered by retirement programs, total [2]	84.2	82.8	84.9	85.5	86.4	84.0	80.0	77.1
Old-age and survivors insurance [3]	72.8	70.3	72.7	73.1	74.6	71.9	68.1	65.3
Railroad retirement [4]	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	4.0
Federal civil-service retirement [5]	2.3	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.1	4.5	5.0	5.0
State and local government [6]	4.1	4.8	4.6	4.8	4.3	3.5	3.0	2.8
Pay rolls covered by unemployment insurance programs, total [2]	(7)	68.4	70.4	71.2	73.6	71.9	68.2	65.4
State unemploymet insurance [8]	(7)	63.5	65.6	66.5	69.2	67.8	64.3	61.4
Railroad unemployment insur. [9]	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.7	4.4	4.1	3.9	4.0

[1] Data from Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. Total earnings include earnings of self-employed; wages and salaries represent estimated payments in cash and in kind in continental U. S. and, in addition, Army and Navy pay rolls in all other areas. Includes employee contributions to social insurance and retirement programs.

[2] All programs except Federal civil-service retirement and State and local government include pay rolls in Alaska and Hawaii.

[3] Taxable wages plus estimated nontaxable wages in excess of $3,000 earned in employment covered by program. Data for 1944 estimated.

[4] Taxable wages plus nontaxable wages in excess of $300 per month in employment covered by program.

[5] Based on fiscal-year data. Includes wages and salaries of employees covered by Alaska Railroad and Panama Canal Zone Retirement Acts.

[6] Estimated.

[7] Not available.

[8] Taxable wages plus nontaxable wages earned in employment covered by programs; excludes earnings of railroad covered by State laws through June 1939. Data for 1944 estimated and adjusted.

[9] Estimated for 1937–June 1939, when railroad workers were covered by State unemployment insurance laws.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1944. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 257.—Federal Aid for Social Security and Other Purposes: Fiscal Years 1937 to 1944

[In thousands]

FISCAL YEAR	Total	Social security and related services				Education [4]	Public roads	Development and conservation of natural resources [5]
		Total	Assistance payments and administration [1]	Employment security administration [2]	Health and welfare services [3]			
1937	$550,387	$171,266	$143,934	$11,484	$15,848	$13,825	$340,718	$24,578
1938	578,456	280,997	216,074	45,939	18,984	24,174	247,024	26,261
1939	572,954	328,402	246,898	62,858	18,646	24,663	191,573	28,316
1940	577,414	359,242	271,131	61,680	26,431	24,583	164,517	29,072
1941	715,224	426,986	329,845	66,195	30,946	87,174	171,042	30,022
1942	779,073	464,710	374,568	55,544	34,598	125,390	157,911	31,062
1943	827,939	472,091	395,449	39,480	37,162	151,063	173,659	31,126
1944	[6] 824,968	533,822	429,458	35,294	69,070	112,610	[6] 144,120	34,416

[1] Old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to the blind under Social Security Act.

[2] Unemployment compensation administration and employment service under the Social Security Act and under Wagner-Peyser Act for 1937–Dec. 1941, and unemployment compensation administration for Jan. 1942–June 1944. Excludes expenditures for postage and for employment services administered by Social Security Board, Jan. to Nov. 1942.

[3] Maternal and child welfare services and public health under Social Security Act; vocational rehabilitation under Social Security Act and under Federal Vocational Rehabilitation Act of 1920, as amended; venereal disease control; State and Territorial homes for disabled soldiers and sailors; emergency maternal and infant care.

[4] Agricultural and mechanic arts colleges, vocational education, State marine schools, training defense workers, and improving supply and distribution of farm labor.

[5] Forestry, wildlife restoration, agricultural experiment stations, and agricultural extension work.

[6] Includes $559,000 for Canal Zone for public roads.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 258.—Federal Aid for Social Security and Other Purposes, by States, Territories and Possessions: Fiscal Year 1944

[In thousands. See footnotes, table 257]

State and other area	Total	Social security and related services				Education	Public roads	Development and conservation of natural resources
		Total	Assistance payments and administration	Employment security administration	Health and welfare services			
Total	[1] $824,968	$533,822	$429,458	$35,294	$69,070	$112,610	[1] $144,120	$34,416
Alabama	12,600	5,391	3,420	401	1,570	3,331	2,810	1,068
Alaska	704	548	320	55	173	50		106
Arizona	5,943	3,560	2,965	130	465	666	1,443	274
Arkansas	8,270	4,933	3,563	306	1,064	1,242	1,154	941
California	75,412	51,430	44,505	2,896	4,029	11,099	11,480	1,403
Colorado	14,866	11,883	11,008	171	614	1,264	1,312	407
Connecticut	7,062	4,942	3,448	588	906	1,131	696	293
Delaware	1,907	587	217	140	230	864	280	176
District of Columbia	[2] 2,937	1,646	750	332	564	428	863	
Florida	18,456	7,884	6,033	433	1,418	2,166	7,690	716
Georgia	15,863	8,286	5,835	600	1,851	2,058	4,422	1,097
Hawaii	3,841	760	431	106	223	262	2,592	227
Idaho	5,968	2,802	2,314	137	351	578	2,145	443
Illinois	52,932	40,501	33,976	2,811	3,714	4,824	6,789	818
Indiana	21,651	14,918	11,844	1,012	2,062	2,419	3,546	768
Iowa	14,252	11,366	10,029	238	1,099	1,076	985	825
Kansas	11,464	7,968	6,347	338	1,283	1,423	1,448	625
Kentucky	10,881	5,733	3,635	464	1,634	1,717	2,471	960
Louisiana	15,139	8,721	7,019	468	1,234	2,209	3,405	804
Maine	5,901	3,773	3,086	235	452	722	1,005	401
Maryland	12,313	4,220	2,827	515	878	1,678	5,980	435
Massachusetts	28,093	23,577	19,708	1,679	2,190	2,463	1,754	299
Michigan	40,045	24,820	20,804	1,645	2,371	3,538	10,611	1,076
Minnesota	17,559	13,594	11,510	684	1,400	2,147	926	892
Mississippi	8,503	4,068	2,229	252	1,587	1,504	1,875	1,056
Missouri	25,896	20,267	17,755	903	1,609	2,452	2,268	909
Montana	4,494	2,835	2,355	131	349	370	916	373
Nebraska	8,195	6,199	5,217	174	808	619	815	562
Nevada	2,443	759	482	110	167	267	1,242	175
New Hampshire	3,021	1,928	1,416	188	324	639	215	239
New Jersey	14,414	8,328	4,787	1,832	1,709	2,560	3,096	430
New Mexico	4,770	2,231	1,622	130	479	507	1,742	290
New York	51,305	36,403	26,809	3,962	5,632	10,563	3,445	894
North Carolina	12,440	6,537	3,791	620	2,126	2,279	2,322	1,302
North Dakota	4,007	2,334	1,925	79	330	346	907	420
Ohio	45,335	31,406	26,171	2,099	3,136	4,056	8,928	945
Oklahoma	22,944	17,862	16,107	290	1,465	1,932	2,344	806
Oregon	13,345	5,459	4,268	462	729	2,617	4,241	1,028
Pennsylvania	44,047	28,717	22,622	2,840	3,255	9,898	4,419	1,013
Puerto Rico	2,740	1,027			1,027	638	652	423
Rhode Island	3,290	2,256	1,547	326	383	662	210	162
South Carolina	7,303	4,315	2,516	296	1,503	1,071	1,021	896
South Dakota	4,422	2,804	2,288	82	434	353	862	403
Tennessee	14,237	8,588	6,669	588	1,331	2,121	2,539	989
Texas	42,875	29,952	25,843	1,006	3,103	6,069	5,163	1,691
Utah	9,139	4,545	3,826	173	546	1,385	2,933	276
Vermont	2,026	1,278	860	118	300	383	105	260
Virgin Islands	11	11			11			
Virginia	14,612	3,828	2,043	530	1,255	1,955	7,883	946
Washington	27,317	17,928	16,186	737	1,005	3,817	4,413	1,159
West Virginia	8,674	4,762	3,367	423	972	1,550	1,769	593
Wisconsin	16,368	12,204	10,203	475	1,526	2,204	1,075	885
Wyoming	2,180	1,150	870	84	196	441	355	234

[1] Includes $559,000 for Canal Zone for public roads.
[2] Excludes annual lump-sum payment by Federal Government to defray part of local expenses for use of District as seat of government.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 259.—Public Assistance and Federal Work Programs in Continental United States—Summary: 1936 to 1945 [1]

[In thousands. Data exclude cost of administration and of materials, equipment, and other items incident to operation of work programs; partly estimated and subject to revision]

Program	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
	Number of recipients and persons employed, December									
Recipients of assistance:										
Old-age assistance [2]	1,106	1,577	1,776	1,909	2,066	2,234	2,227	2,146	2,063	2,053
Aid to dependent children: [3]										
Families	162	228	280	315	370	390	348	273	253	274
Children	404	565	648	760	891	941	849	676	637	700
Aid to the blind [2]	45	56	67	70	73	77	79	76	72	71
Cases receiving general assistance [3]	1,510	1,626	1,631	1,558	1,239	798	460	292	258	255
Cases aided under special programs of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration [4]	11									
Cases for which subsistence payments were certified by Farm Security Administration [5]	135	109	115	96	45	26				
Persons employed under Federal work programs: [6]										
Civilian Conservation Corps [7]	328	284	275	266	246	126				
National Youth Administration: [8]										
Student work program	411	304	372	434	449	333	86			
Out-of-school work program	178	136	240	296	326	283				
Work Projects Administration [9]	2,243	1,594	3,156	2,109	1,826	1,023	300			
Other Federal agency projects financed from emergency funds [10]	506	235	167	141	22	2				
	Amount of assistance and earnings, calendar year									
Total assistance and earnings	$3,119,013	$2,653,918	$3,236,600	$3,185,447	$2,723,408	$2,227,527	$1,546,241	$979,045	$940,923	$987,948
Total assistance	690,950	840,306	1,007,566	1,067,889	1,053,266	1,002,503	965,089	928,514	940,923	987,948
Old-age assistance [2]	155,241	310,442	392,384	430,480	474,952	541,519	595,152	651,915	692,441	725,455
Aid to dependent children [3]	49,654	70,451	97,442	114,949	133,243	153,153	158,435	140,752	134,632	149,270
Aid to the blind [2]	12,813	16,171	18,958	20,752	21,826	22,901	24,660	25,124	25,323	26,574
General assistance [3]	439,004	406,881	476,203	482,653	404,963	272,649	180,571	110,723	88,527	86,649
Relief under special programs of Federal Emergency Relief Administration [4]	3,873	467								
Subsistence payments certified by Farm Security Administration [5]	20,365	35,894	22,579	19,055	18,282	12,281	6,271			

Total earnings of persons employed under Federal work programs [6]	2,438,063	1,813,612	2,229,034	2,117,558	1,670,142	1,225,024	581,152	50,531		
Civilian Conservation Corps [7]	292,397	245,756	230,318	230,513	215,846	155,604	34,030			
National Youth Administration: [8]										
Student work program	26,329	24,287	19,598	22,707	26,864	25,118	11,328	3,794		
Out-of-school work program	28,883	32,664	41,560	51,538	65,211	94,032	32,009			
Work Projects Administration [9]	1,592,039	1,186,266	1,751,053	1,565,515	1,269,617	937,366	503,055	46,737		
Other Federal agency projects financed from emergency funds [10]	498,415	324,639	186,505	247,285	92,604	12,904	730			

[1] For 1933–35 data see the Statistical Abstract, 1944–45, table 205, p. 196.

[2] Represents recipients of payments from Federal, State, and local funds for programs administered under State plans approved by Social Security Board and from State and local funds for programs administered under State laws without Federal participation, and amount of such payments. Excludes cost of hospitalization and burial and, beginning Sept. 1940, recipients and cost of medical care.

[3] Excludes cost of hospitalization and burial and, beginning Sept. 1940, recipients and cost of medical care. Data for 1936–Mar. 1937 from WPA.

[4] Cases receiving relief under emergency education, student aid, rural rehabilitation, and transient programs of emergency relief administration, largely financed from FERA funds, and amount of such relief.

[5] Net number and net amount of emergency grant vouchers certified to cases and cases receiving only commodities purchased by FSA and distributed during period and value of such commodities. Dropped from series after June 1942 because appropriation was drastically reduced and payments limited to need occasioned by natural disasters. Data from FSA.

[6] Excludes administrative employees and their earnings.

[7] Enrolled persons only; represents averages computed from reports on number of persons enrolled on 10th, 20th, and last day of the month, except for Indian Division, for which averages were computed from daily reports. Earnings estimated by multiplying average monthly number enrolled by average of $70 through June 1939, $67 for July–Oct. 1939, $66.25 for Nov. 1939–June 1941, and $67.20 subsequently for enrollees other than Indians, and $60.50 for Indians. Average amount based on obligations incurred for cash allowances, clothing, shelter, subsistence, and medical care for persons enrolled, and for certain other items. Data from CCC.

[8] Persons employed during month, except for out-of-school program after June 1941, which represents average of weekly employment counts. Data until July 1939 from WPA; subsequently, from NYA.

[9] Average weekly number of persons employed on projects operated by WPA, and earnings covering all pay-roll periods ended during year. Beginning Sept. 1938, for persons employed, and July 1938 for earnings, represents employment on Federal agency projects financed by transfer of WPA funds. Data from WPA.

[10] Average weekly number of persons employed during monthly period ended on 15th on projects financed in whole or in part from emergency Federal funds other than those of CWA, CCC, NYA, and WPA; earnings covering all pay-roll periods ended during year. Beginning Oct. 1941, employment and earnings on projects financed from PWA funds only; figures not available for other Federal agency projects financed under Emergency Relief Appropriation acts. Data from Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Public Assistance; Social Security Yearbook.

No. 260.—Social Insurance and Related Programs—Beneficiaries and Payments: 1938 to 1944

[Number of beneficiaries in thousands; payments in thousands of dollars]

PROGRAM	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Number of beneficiaries, June:							
Federal retirement, disability, and survivor programs:							
Monthly retirement and disability benefits:[1]							
Social Security Act [2]			69.6	216.4	322.3	383.9	458.5
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	106.8	129.7	141.2	149.6	153.3	156.0	159.9
Veterans Administration [4]	600.8	602.8	610.1	618.9	623.0	623.0	814.4
Civil Service Commission [5]	66.7	69.0	62.7	66.9	70.0	74.8	79.2
Monthly survivor benefits:							
Social Security Act [6]			27.1	124.8	215.3	302.9	399.2
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	1.5	2.6	3.1	3.4	3.6	4.0	4.2
Veterans Administration [7]	307.0	316.6	318.6	316.5	316.8	314.8	336.5
Lump-sum death payments:[8]							
Social Security Act [9]	18.1	18.2	8.2	7.4	9.2	10.0	12.3
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	.2	1.3	1.2	1.0	1.4	1.4	1.3
Veterans Administration [10]	3.0	3.2	3.7	3.8	3.5	3.8	4.5
Civil Service Commission [5]	.4	.4	.5	.6	.6	.9	.5
State unemployment insurance [11]	870.0	802.2	1,268.6	683.9	552.7	100.3	77.9
Servicemen's Readjustment Allowance Act (effective Sept. 1944) [12]							(12)
R. R. Unemployment Insurance Act [13]		(13)	31.4	11.4	4.7	.7	.4
State and local retirement systems [14]	(15)	(15)	(15)	158.0	171.0	183.0	217.0
Workmen's compensation (Fed. & State)	(14)	(15)	(15)	(15)	(15)	(15)	(15)
R. I. Sickness compensation						6.0	8.3
Refunds under Civil Service Comm.[5]	•1.6	1.3	1.3	2.6	5.1	12.2	48.0
Payments (calendar year), total [16]	1,358,926	1,437,905	1,611,079	1,566,302	1,661,979	1,499,373	1,776,338
Federal retirement, disability and survivor programs, total	575,814	608,094	654,041	726,631	780,369	838,046	1,047,467
Monthly retirement and disability benefits:[1]							
Social Security Act [2]			21,074	55,141	80,305	97,257	119,009
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	96,706	107,282	114,166	119,913	122,806	125,795	129,707
Veterans Administration [4]	301,277	307,512	317,851	320,561	325,265	331,350	456,279
Civil Service Commission [5]	56,118	58,331	62,019	64,933	68,115	72,961	78,081
Monthly survivor benefits:							
Social Security Act [6]			7,784	25,454	41,702	57,763	76,942
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	1,383	1,451	1,448	1,559	1,603	1,704	1,765
Veterans Administration [7]	101,492	109,192	105,696	111,799	111,193	116,133	144,302
Lump-sum death payments:[8]							
Social Security Act [9]	10,478	13,896	11,736	13,328	15,038	17,830	22,146
Railroad Retirement Act [3]	291	1,926	2,497	3,421	4,114	5,560	6,591
Veterans Administration [10]	3,405	3,553	3,960	4,352	4,120	4,350	4,784
Civil Service Commission [5]	4,604	4,952	5,810	6,170	6,108	7,344	7,863
Federal and State unemployment insurance programs	393,786	435,065	534,661	358,858	350,352	80,560	67,080
State unemployment insurance [11]	393,786	429,298	518,700	344,321	344,084	79,643	62,385
Servicemen's Readjustment Allowance Act (effective Sept. 1944) [12]							4,113
R.R. Unemployment Insurance Act [13]		5,767	15,961	14,537	6,268	917	582
Other	389,326	394,746	422,377	470,815	531,257	580,766	661,791
State and local retirement systems [17]	151,000	157,000	163,000	175,000	194,000	210,000	225,000
Workmen's compensation [14]	235,000	234,900	256,100	291,200	330,900	357,100	389,600
R. I. sickness compensation						2,857	5,035
Refunds under Civil Service Comm.[5]	3,326	2,846	3,277	4,615	6,357	10,809	42,156

[1] Old-age retirement benefits under all acts, disability retirement benefits under Railroad Retirement and Civil Service Retirement Acts, and disability payments to veterans.

[2] Primary and wife's benefits and benefits to children of primary beneficiaries. Partly estimated.

[3] Age and disability annuitants and pensioners as of 20th of month. Payments represent amounts certified, minus cancellations.

[4] Veterans receiving pensions and compensation and amount of payments.

[5] Includes survivor benefits under joint and survivor elections; not adjusted for suspension of annuities of persons reemployed under National Defense Acts of June 28, 1940, and Jan. 24, 1942.

[6] Number and amount of widow's, widow's current, parent's, and child's benefits. Partly estimated.

[7] Widows, parents, and children of deceased veterans and amount of payments.

[8] Number of decedents on whose account lump-sum payments were made and amount of payments.

[9] Data through Aug. 1939 include payments of $9.3 million under the 1935 Act to workers at age 65.

[10] Payments for burial of deceased veterans. Number estimated for 1938 and 1939.

[11] Average weekly number. Amounts adjusted for voided benefit checks.

[12] Readjustment allowances to unemployed veterans only; excludes payments to self-employed veterans.

[13] Average number of persons receiving benefits for unemployment in a 14-day registration period. Amounts for 1941–44 adjusted for underpayments and recoveries of overpayments. Benefit payments began July 1939.

[14] Data estimated; for 1944, preliminary.

[15] Not available.

[16] Data represent payments to individuals and exclude cost of administration. Payments under Social Security and R. R. Retirement Acts (including retroactive payments) and payments under R. R. Unemployment Insurance Act are amounts certified; payments under Civil Service Comm. and Veterans Admin. are disbursements minus cancellations; R. I. sickness compensation and State unemployment insurance payments are adjusted for voided benefit checks.

[17] Includes lump-sum survivor benefits and refunds. Data estimated; for 1944, preliminary.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 261.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Amount of Payments Certified: 1937 to 1945

[In thousands. Data corrected to Jan. 11, 1946]

TYPE	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Total payments	$1,278	$10,478	$13,896	$40,595	$93,924	$137,045	$172,849	$218,097	$287,757
Payments under 1939 amendments:									
Monthly benefits, total [1]	------	------	------	28,859	80,595	122,007	155,019	195,951	261,622
Primary	------	------	------	18,140	46,908	68,320	82,779	101,285	133,768
Wife's	------	------	------	2,393	7,037	10,645	13,216	16,454	21,935
Child's	------	------	------	4,719	14,671	23,414	31,940	41,928	56,077
Widow's	------	------	------	541	2,747	5,784	9,721	14,516	20,883
Widow's current	------	------	------	2,981	8,865	13,399	16,759	21,017	28,005
Parent's	------	------	------	85	277	445	605	751	954
Lump-sum [2]	------	------	------	8,905	13,149	14,959	17,798	22,124	26,115
Lump-sum payments under 1935 act [3]	1,278	10,478	13,896	2,831	180	79	32	22	19

[1] Distribution by type estimated. Monthly benefits certified do not represent annual or monthly benefits in current-payment status. Data for 1941-45 include retroactive payments.
[2] Payable with respect to workers who died after Dec. 1939, if no survivor could be entitled to monthly benefits for month in which worker died.
[3] Payable with respect to workers who died prior to Jan. 1940; payable prior to Aug. 10, 1939, to workers upon attainment of age 65.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 262.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Employee Accounts Established, Workers With Wage Credits, and Amount of Taxable Wages: 1937 to 1944

[Data corrected to Feb. 1, 1946]

PERIOD	Employee accounts established (thousands) [1]	Workers with wage credits during period (thousands) [2]	TAXABLE WAGES [3]	
			Total (millions)	Average per worker
Calendar year:				
1937	[4] 37,139	32,004	$29,615	$900
1938	6,304	31,822	26,502	833
1939	5,555	33,751	29,745	881
1940	5,227	35,393	32,974	932
1941	6,678	40,976	41,763	1,019
1942	7,638	46,928	52,939	1,128
1943	[5] 7,426	48,579	62,839	1,294
1944	4,537	[6] 47,518	[6] 65,533	[6] 1,379
1943				
January-March	1,705	36,951	15,608	422
April-June	2,118	37,927	16,644	439
July-September	2,099	38,181	15,924	417
October-December	1,385	36,503	14,663	402
1944				
January-March	921	[6] 36,044	[6] 17,649	[6] 490
April-June	1,373	[6] 37,023	[6] 17,610	[6] 476
July-September	1,305	[6] 37,019	[6] 16,494	[6] 446
October-December	938	[6] 34,791	[6] 13,780	[6] 396

[1] Cumulative total for 1936-39 excludes 114,000 voided account numbers for which no accounts were established. Excludes numbers under railroad-retirement program.
[2] Partly estimated; adjusted for workers having more than 1 account. Quarterly data unadjusted for workers employed during quarter but not reported after quarter in which they received their first $3,000 in year.
[3] Not adjusted for nontaxable wages erroneously reported and wages excluded in benefit computations. Wages in excess of $3,000 a year paid to worker by any 1 employer are not taxable. Beginning 1940, all wages in excess of $3,000 a year received by a worker are excluded in benefit computations.
[4] Includes 17,202,000 accounts established in 1936.
[5] Annual figure includes 114,076 accounts established for civilian employees of the War Department and 4,571 additional accounts not included in quarterly data.
[6] Preliminary estimate.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 263.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Number and Amount of Monthly Benefits, by Type: 1940 to 1945

[Data corrected to Feb. 11, 1946]

YEAR	Total	Primary	Wife's	Child's	Widow's	Widow's current	Parent's
IN FORCE, END OF YEAR [1]							
Number:							
1940	245,242	128,119	32,918	56,701	4,549	22,122	833
1941	483,579	231,310	63,873	123,164	15,162	48,076	1,994
1942	691,617	313,484	88,828	185,720	28,966	71,574	3,045
1943	885,393	379,268	109,350	250,691	46,876	95,195	4,013
1944	1,116,572	460,408	135,436	323,934	69,043	122,725	5,026
1945	1,469,682	610,842	181,245	417,870	95,423	157,999	6,303
Monthly amount (thousands):							
1940	$4,535	$2,907	$400	$691	$93	$433	$11
1941	8,786	5,248	772	1,497	307	936	26
1942	12,574	7,199	1,086	2,266	584	1,399	40
1943	16,143	8,833	1,355	3,081	945	1,876	53
1944	20,445	10,855	1,696	4,005	1,392	2,431	66
1945	27,394	14,744	2,314	5,195	1,926	3,133	82
CURRENT-PAYMENT STATUS, END OF YEAR [2]							
Number:							
1940	222,488	112,331	29,749	54,648	4,437	20,499	824
1941	433,722	199,966	57,060	117,410	14,963	42,339	1,984
1942	598,342	260,129	76,634	172,505	28,631	57,435	3,008
1943	747,816	306,161	92,174	220,230	46,133	70,171	3,947
1944	954,881	378,471	115,636	298,108	67,806	89,927	4,933
1945	1,288,107	518,234	159,168	390,134	93,781	120,581	6,209
Monthly amount (thousands):							
1940	$4,070	$2,538	$361	$668	$90	$402	$11
1941	7,815	4,539	691	1,431	302	826	26
1942	10,782	5,989	941	2,112	577	1,124	39
1943	13,510	7,172	1,151	2,822	930	1,383	52
1944	17,344	8,980	1,460	3,691	1,367	1,781	65
1945	23,801	12,538	2,040	4,858	1,893	2,391	81
AWARDS DURING YEAR							
Number:							
1940	254,984	132,335	34,555	59,382	4,600	23,260	852
1941	269,286	114,660	36,213	75,619	11,020	30,502	1,272
1942	258,116	99,522	33,250	77,384	14,774	31,820	1,266
1943	262,865	89,070	31,916	85,619	19,576	35,420	1,264
1944	318,949	110,097	40,349	99,676	24,759	42,649	1,419
1945	462,463	185,173	63,069	127,514	29,844	55,108	1,755
Monthly amount (thousands):							
1940	$4,710	$3,005	$420	$724	$94	$456	$11
1941	4,790	2,605	436	919	223	591	16
1942	4,655	2,355	415	950	296	622	17
1943	4,778	2,183	409	1,070	394	705	17
1944	5,852	2,709	517	1,257	498	852	19
1945	8,805	4,650	822	1,614	602	1,094	23
ENTITLEMENTS TERMINATED DURING YEAR [3]							
Number:							
1940	9,742	4,216	1,637	2,681	51	1,138	19
1941	30,949	11,469	5,258	9,156	407	4,548	111
1942	50,078	17,448	8,295	14,828	970	8,322	215
1943	69,089	23,286	11,394	20,648	1,666	11,799	296
1944	87,770	28,957	14,263	26,433	2,592	15,119	406
1945	109,353	34,739	17,260	33,578	3,464	19,834	478
Monthly amount (thousands):							
1940	$175	$98	$20	$33	$1	$23	[4]
1941	539	264	64	113	9	88	$1
1942	867	404	101	181	19	159	3
1943	1,209	549	140	255	33	228	4
1944	1,550	687	176	333	51	297	6
1945	1,856	761	204	424	68	392	7

[1] Total benefits awarded after adjustment for terminations and subsequent changes in number and amount of benefits, cumulative beginning Jan. 1940. Not adjusted for deductions.

[2] Benefit is subject to no deduction or only to deduction of fixed amount which is less than current month's benefit.

[3] Including net adjustments. Benefits are terminated when a beneficiary dies or loses entitlement to benefits for the reasons specified in 1939 amendments, sec. 202. Adjustments result from operation of maximum and minimum provisions of 1939 amendments, sec. 203 (a) and (b), and from other administrative actions.

[4] Less than $500.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 264.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Number and Amount of Monthly Benefits in Force and Amount of Payments Certified, by State of Residence of Beneficiary: 1944

[In thousands. Data corrected to Mar. 13, 1945]

State and territory [1]	Monthly benefits in force, Dec. 31, 1944		Amount of monthly benefits and lump-sum payments certified, 1944		
	Number	Monthly amount	Total [2 3]	Monthly benefits [2]	Lump-sum payments [3]
Total	1,116.6	$20,445	$218,075	$195,951	$22,124
Alabama	17.5	250	2,670	2,440	230
Alaska	.3	6	70	59	11
Arizona	3.5	60	630	574	56
Arkansas	7.4	107	1,130	1,030	100
California	75.2	1,426	14,059	12,634	1,425
Colorado	8.2	154	1,578	1,443	135
Connecticut	20.8	414	4,492	3,960	532
Delaware	2.8	55	579	518	61
District of Columbia	5.4	100	1,076	957	119
Florida	18.2	328	3,209	2,967	242
Georgia	17.2	237	2,535	2,261	274
Hawaii	3.4	53	539	507	32
Idaho	2.4	41	408	385	23
Illinois	73.5	1,444	15,851	14,068	1,783
Indiana	29.7	538	5,874	5,271	603
Iowa	14.0	233	2,482	2,293	189
Kansas	9.1	156	1,674	1,521	153
Kentucky	20.5	324	3,311	3,060	251
Louisiana	13.1	200	2,123	1,908	215
Maine	9.8	168	1,725	1,568	157
Maryland	16.2	287	3,205	2,806	399
Massachusetts	54.1	1,060	11,376	10,201	1,175
Michigan	46.4	888	9,651	8,512	1,139
Minnesota	16.7	318	3,410	3,113	297
Mississippi	6.5	87	893	807	86
Missouri	26.7	493	5,243	4,699	544
Montana	3.6	65	685	631	54
Nebraska	5.6	96	1,026	926	100
Nevada	1.1	20	195	166	29
New Hampshire	6.4	113	1,160	1,052	108
New Jersey	48.1	967	10,620	9,430	1,190
New Mexico	2.0	31	304	284	20
New York	144.3	2,849	30,795	27,628	3,167
North Carolina	19.8	275	3,009	2,696	313
North Dakota	1.4	24	278	250	28
Ohio	71.5	1,380	14,709	13,190	1,519
Oklahoma	8.4	144	1,554	1,419	135
Oregon	12.4	232	2,147	1,918	229
Pennsylvania	111.5	2,093	23,041	20,769	2,272
Rhode Island	9.9	190	2,034	1,799	235
South Carolina	10.6	142	1,518	1,370	148
South Dakota	1.9	32	347	321	26
Tennessee	15.8	243	2,558	2,318	240
Texas	32.0	504	5,416	4,850	566
Utah	4.3	76	759	705	54
Vermont	3.8	68	679	619	60
Virginia	19.1	293	3,132	2,824	308
Washington	19.7	386	3,678	3,341	337
West Virginia	19.1	312	3,396	3,167	229
Wisconsin	24.4	462	5,011	4,506	505
Wyoming	1.3	21	231	210	21

[1] Distribution by State estimated; data for persons now in foreign countries attributed generally to States in which claims were filed.

[2] Includes retroactive payments.

[3] Excludes $22,000 certified in lump-sum payments under 1935 act; distribution by State not available.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 265.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Estimated Average Taxable Wage[1] and Percentage Distribution of Workers With Taxable Wages by Specified Characteristic: 1941, 1942, and 1943

[Data corrected to Feb. 1, 1945]

Characteristic	1941	1942	1943	Characteristic	1941	1942	1943
Average taxable wage				**Percentage distribution of workers—continued.**			
Total	$1,019	$1,128	$1,294				
White[2]	1,061	1,177	1,348	Age group[3]	100.0	100.0	100.0
Negro	505	592	766	Under 20	10.7	13.3	15.2
				20–24	18.0	16.1	13.3
Male	1,191	1,363	1,594	25–29	15.7	13.6	12.0
White[2]	1,255	1,434	1,666	30–34	13.1	12.8	12.0
Negro	547	681	938	35–39	11.1	11.1	11.3
				40–44	9.0	9.3	9.8
Female	578	609	786	45–49	7.7	7.8	8.3
White[2]	591	630	819	50–54	5.9	6.4	6.8
Negro	285	276	412	55–59	4.3	4.5	5.2
				60–64	2.6	2.9	3.4
Percentage distribution of workers				65 and over	1.9	2.2	2.7
				Amount of taxable wages	100.0	100.0	100.0
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	$1–$199	21.0	20.7	19.1
				$200–$399	10.6	10.5	9.9
White[2]	92.5	91.6	90.8	$400–$599	8.6	8.0	7.2
Negro	7.5	8.4	9.2	$600–$799	8.8	7.3	6.1
				$800–$999	8.2	7.2	5.8
Male	71.8	68.9	63.4	$1,000–$1,199	7.0	6.4	5.7
White[2]	65.5	62.3	57.2	$1,200–$1,399	6.2	5.5	5.2
Negro	6.3	6.6	6.2	$1,400–$1,599	5.6	4.8	4.7
				$1,600–$1,799	4.8	4.4	4.2
Female	28.2	31.1	36.6	$1,800–$1,999	4.2	4.1	4.0
White[2]	27.0	29.3	33.6	$2,000–$2,199	3.4	3.7	3.7
Negro	1.2	1.8	3.0	$2,200–$2,399	2.5	3.1	3.5
				$2,400–$2,599	2.0	2.7	3.2
				$2,600–$2,799	1.5	2.2	2.8
				$2,800–$2,999	1.1	1.9	2.7
				$3,000	4.5	7.5	12.2

[1] Not adjusted for nontaxable wages erroneously reported and wages excluded from benefit computations.
[2] Represents all races other than Negro. [3] Age at birthday in specified year.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 266.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Percentage Distribution of Workers With Wage Credits, by Amount of Such Credits and Number of Quarters With Wage Credits: 1943

Amount of wage credits	Workers with wage credits in 1943				
	Total	With wage credits in—			
		1 quarter only	2 quarters only	3 quarters only	4 quarters
Estimated number, total (thousands)	48,579	7,392	6,725	6,374	28,088
Percentage distribution, total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$1–$199	19.1	79.0	36.6	10.7	.8
$200–$399	9.9	14.3	27.6	17.6	2.3
$400–$599	7.2	4.4	15.4	16.3	3.5
$600–$799	6.1	1.3	8.7	13.5	4.9
$800–$999	5.8	.4	4.9	10.3	6.4
$1,000–$1,199	5.7	.2	2.7	7.8	7.3
$1,200–$1,399	5.2	.1	1.6	5.9	7.4
$1,400–$1,599	4.7	.1	.9	4.6	6.9
$1,600–$1,799	4.2	(1)	.5	3.5	6.4
$1,800–$1,999	4.0	(1)	.4	2.8	6.2
$2,000–$2,199	3.7	(1)	.2	2.3	6.0
$2,200–$2,399	3.5	(1)	.1	1.6	5.7
$2,400–$2,599	3.2	(1)	.1	1.0	5.3
$2,600–$2,799	2.8	(1)	.1	.7	4.8
$2,800–$2,999	2.7	(1)	.1	.9	4.5
$3,000	12.2	.1	.1	.5	21.6

[1] Less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 267.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Sample (1 Percent) of Workers With Wage Credits at Some Time in 1937–43, by Cumulative Wage Credits in 1937–43, Insurance Status Jan. 1, 1944, and Age Group

[1-percent sample of all workers with wage credits identified for posting by July 31, 1944; only partly adjusted for duplication of workers with more than 1 account. Includes workers who died during the period 1937–43 and workers who became entitled to primary insurance benefits before Jan. 1, 1944. Age represents age at birthday in 1943. Figures in italics represent data for less than 100 workers and may be unreliable because of the large probable sampling error]

Cumulative wage credits and insurance status [1]	Total [2]	Age group							
		Under 20	20–24	25–34	35–44	45–54	55–59	60–64	65 and over
Total, 1-percent sample	674,736	78,692	106,070	184,671	131,338	91,112	32,412	21,961	21,863
$1–$99	80,715	19,571	12,840	16,966	10,743	7,952	2,961	2,250	2,582
$100–$199	38,369	10,612	6,725	8,087	5,226	3,764	1,401	991	1,124
$200–$399	51,211	13,973	9,367	11,086	7,025	4,870	1,783	1,288	1,523
$400–$899	78,767	17,517	16,208	18,109	11,567	7,837	2,783	2,098	2,382
$900–$1,499	60,368	9,307	13,990	15,492	9,192	6,212	2,289	*1,711*	2,010
$1,500–$2,099	44,773	4,420	11,662	12,149	7,048	4,808	1,792	1,292	1,484
$2,100–$2,999	50,668	2,473	13,158	15,496	8,560	5,681	2,070	1,429	1,662
$3,000–$4,199	49,657	668	10,686	17,079	9,415	6,194	2,207	1,570	1,710
$4,200–$6,299	61,336	140	7,726	23,598	13,802	8,702	3,087	2,019	2,147
$6,300–$8,399	42,921	*5*	2,651	16,720	10,883	6,825	2,511	1,728	1,546
$8,400–$12,599	60,707	*4*	1,013	20,547	18,147	12,053	4,334	2,637	1,938
$12,600–$16,799	34,759	*1*	*42*	7,831	12,342	8,957	2,890	1,637	1,052
$16,800–$20,999	15,073	*1*	*1*	1,404	5,906	4,972	1,529	820	435
$21,000 and over	5,412	*0*	*1*	107	1,482	2,285	775	491	268
Fully insured	305,916	11,352	55,144	89,708	65,937	45,482	15,864	10,042	12,075
$1–$899	3,773	1,260	2,064	*62*	*8*	*12*	*7*	*4*	356
$900–$1,499	14,653	3,843	8,500	1,105	126	*96*	*52*	*56*	868
$1,500–$2,099	18,507	3,297	9,989	2,815	655	489	174	145	922
$2,100–$2,999	28,220	2,171	12,575	7,374	2,409	1,521	525	373	1,229
$3,000–$4,199	34,423	630	10,590	12,167	4,800	2,897	*1,031*	*776*	*1,471*
$4,200–$6,299	50,932	140	7,720	20,420	10,369	6,283	2,315	1,568	2,030
$6,300–$8,399	40,131	*5*	2,649	15,962	9,903	6,152	2,294	1,599	1,523
$8,400–$12,599	60,087	*4*	1,013	20,462	17,954	11,834	4,282	2,581	1,923
$12,600–$16,799	34,722	*1*	*42*	7,831	12,329	8,945	2,884	1,632	1,051
$16,800–$20,999	15,063	*1*	*1*	1,403	5,905	4,968	1,526	819	435
$21,000 and over	5,405	*0*	*1*	107	1,479	2,285	774	489	267
Currently insured only	49,834	[3]	176	17,831	15,214	10,177	3,494	2,214	546
$1–$899	1,362	[3]	*81*	525	362	253	*78*	*75*	*33*
$900–$1,499	6,770	[3]	*70*	2,646	1,998	1,195	425	293	115
$1,500–$2,099	8,844	[3]	*36*	3,424	2,614	1,671	566	392	107
$2,100–$2,999	11,316	[3]	*28*	4,253	3,341	2,165	816	528	139
$3,000–$4,199	10,088	[3]	*8*	3,382	3,082	2,206	*808*	*475*	*84*
$4,200–$6,299	8,603	[3]	*3*	2,816	2,809	1,957	615	328	*55*
$6,300–$8,399	2,404	[3]	*0*	712	857	574	155	*90*	*10*
$8,400 and over	447	[3]	*0*	*73*	151	156	*31*	*33*	*3*
Uninsured	318,986	67,340	50,750	77,132	50,187	35,453	13,054	9,705	9,242
$1–$99	80,715	19,571	12,840	16,966	10,743	7,952	2,961	2,250	2,582
$100–$199	38,369	10,612	6,725	8,087	5,226	3,764	1,401	991	1,124
$200–$399	51,182	13,967	9,363	11,083	7,023	4,869	1,783	1,288	1,510
$400–$899	73,661	16,263	14,117	17,525	11,199	7,573	2,698	2,019	2,006
$900–$1,499	38,945	5,464	5,420	11,741	7,068	4,921	1,812	1,362	1,027
$1,500–$2,099	17,422	1,123	1,637	5,910	3,779	2,648	1,052	755	455
$2,100–$2,999	11,132	302	555	3,869	2,810	1,995	729	528	294
$3,000–$4,199	5,146	*38*	*38*	1,530	1,533	1,091	*368*	*319*	*155*
$4,200–$6,299	1,801	*0*	*3*	362	624	462	157	123	*62*
$6,300 and over	613	*0*	*2*	*59*	182	178	*98*	*70*	*27*

[1] A worker who is fully insured as of a given date (in this table, Jan. 1, 1944) is one who has had at least 6 calendar quarters of coverage and not less than 1 such quarter for each 2 calendar quarters elapsed after 1936 or after the quarter in which he attained age 21, whichever is later, and up to but excluding the quarter in which he died, attained age 65, or the given date, whichever first occurred. A worker who is currently insured as of a given date is one who has had 6 quarters of coverage in the 12 quarters immediately preceding that date or the quarter in which he died. Uninsured workers are those who have some wage credits but are neither fully nor currently insured as of the given date. A quarter of coverage is a calendar quarter in which the worker has been paid not less than $50 in taxable wages.

[2] Total includes 6,617 of unknown age not shown separately, of whom 312 were fully insured, 182 currently insured only, and 6,123 uninsured.

[3] Inapplicable under provisions of the Social Security Act.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 268.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Percentage Distribution of Workers with Wage Credits, by Race, Sex, Age Group, and Amount of Wage Credits, for Industry Groups: 1943

[Data based on 3-percent sample of all workers with wage credits in 1943 whose wage credits were identified for posting by July 31, 1944; not adjusted for duplication of workers with more than 1 account or for data reported too late for inclusion. Wage credits exclude wages in excess of first $3,000 a year earned in covered employment by any 1 worker. Data classified by industry in which worker was last employed. White workers include all races other than Negro. Workers of unknown race included with white; of unknown sex, included with male. Age represents age at birthday in 1943. Workers of unknown age allocated arbitrarily among larger age groups. Figures in italics represent data for less than 100 workers and may be unreliable because of large sampling error]

ITEM	All industries	Agric., forestry and fishing	Mining	Contract construction	Manufacturing	Transportation	Trade	Finance, ins., and real estate	Service	All other
Estimated total workers (thousands)	48,579	110	1,268	2,194	23,763	2,719	11,951	1,765	4,298	511
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF WORKERS										
All workers	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
White:										
Male	57.1	65.2	88.3	81.4	59.9	67.0	47.2	48.2	45.0	61.6
Female	33.7	18.7	4.9	4.7	32.2	24.7	44.0	44.4	38.9	24.7
Negro:										
Male	6.2	12.5	6.5	13.5	5.7	7.5	5.4	4.5	6.8	10.9
Female	3.0	3.6	.3	.4	2.2	.8	3.4	2.9	9.3	2.8
4-quarter workers, total	**56.4**	**37.6**	**69.9**	**47.7**	**61.5**	**62.4**	**48.3**	**66.3**	**45.3**	**48.8**
White:										
Male	35.6	26.1	62.7	40.2	40.3	42.7	26.5	34.6	22.8	32.2
Female	16.6	6.2	2.6	2.1	17.1	15.5	18.4	28.1	17.0	11.7
Negro:										
Male	3.3	4.7	4.5	5.3	3.3	4.0	2.6	2.6	3.1	4.2
Female	0.9	*.6*	*.1*	*.1*	.8	.2	.8	1.0	2.4	*.7*
All ages	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
Under 20	15.1	17.1	6.2	9.4	11.7	11.4	24.2	10.4	19.7	13.0
20 to 24	13.2	10.0	9.2	9.1	14.4	14.0	12.5	12.3	12.3	13.4
25 to 29	12.1	9.9	11.6	10.0	13.6	12.4	10.4	8.7	10.7	12.8
30 to 34	12.0	10.2	13.4	11.6	13.0	13.1	10.4	10.0	10.9	13.2
35 to 39	11.3	10.2	12.8	12.1	11.7	13.2	10.0	11.6	10.5	11.4
40 to 44	9.8	10.7	11.6	11.5	9.8	11.1	8.8	10.9	9.2	9.9
45 to 49	8.4	8.9	10.3	10.6	8.4	8.9	7.5	10.1	8.1	8.0
50 to 54	6.8	7.0	9.6	9.4	6.7	6.5	6.0	8.4	6.4	6.8
55 to 59	5.2	6.3	7.8	7.6	5.1	4.6	4.6	6.8	5.3	5.0
60 to 64	3.4	4.8	4.7	5.0	3.2	2.7	3.0	5.1	3.5	3.7
65 and over	2.7	4.9	2.8	3.7	2.4	2.1	2.6	5.7	3.4	2.8
All wage credits	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**	**100.0**
$1–$199	19.1	33.3	10.3	18.8	13.8	14.4	28.7	13.6	30.2	22.9
$200–$399	9.9	14.6	5.6	10.1	8.0	7.6	13.3	8.5	13.2	11.3
$400–$799	13.3	16.6	8.6	12.8	12.1	11.6	15.4	13.6	16.4	13.7
$800–$1,199	11.5	10.7	8.5	9.7	11.6	11.1	11.5	14.2	11.9	9.6
$1,200–$1,599	9.9	7.3	10.1	8.7	10.6	11.2	8.7	13.8	8.5	8.2
$1,600–$1,999	8.2	5.0	14.0	7.9	9.0	10.8	6.0	9.6	5.6	7.5
$2,000–$2,399	7.2	*3.1*	16.0	6.9	8.4	10.5	4.7	5.8	3.9	7.1
$2,400–$2,799	6.0	*2.7*	11.6	5.9	7.3	8.4	3.5	5.0	2.9	6.0
$2,800–$2,999	2.7	*.8*	4.1	2.9	3.5	3.2	1.5	2.2	1.1	2.2
$3,000 and over	12.2	5.9	11.2	16.3	15.7	11.2	6.7	13.7	6.3	11.5

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 269.—Old-Age and Survivors Insurance—Estimated Number and Total and Average Wage Credits of Workers, by State of Last Employment and State of Employment During Year: 1943

[See headnotes tables 267 and 268]

State and territory	State of last employment [1]			State of employment during year [2]		
	Workers with wage credits (thousands)	Wage credits in year (thousands)	Average wage credits	Workers with wage credits (thousands)	Wage credits in year (thousands)	Average wage credits
Total	48,579	$61,764,000	$1,271	48,579	$61,764,000	$1,271
Alabama	753	702,664	933	869	719,505	828
Alaska	30	58,658	1,504	52	59,846	1,151
Arizona	172	183,072	1,064	218	179,301	822
Arkansas	347	241,845	697	390	253,903	651
California	3,799	5,190,500	1,366	4,187	5,153,954	1,231
Colorado	336	342,548	1,019	390	338,944	869
Connecticut	929	1,524,799	1,641	1,022	1,532,567	1,500
Delaware	156	223,109	1,430	175	201,093	1,149
District of Columbia	304	322,719	1,062	360	324,575	902
Florida	711	645,814	908	808	626,162	775
Georgia	908	735,096	810	1,021	726,351	711
Hawaii	119	141,924	1,193	140	155,300	1,109
Idaho	118	119,820	1,015	145	115,631	797
Illinois	3,399	4,613,232	1,357	3,802	4,638,117	1,220
Indiana	1,405	1,867,952	1,330	1,573	1,874,675	1,192
Iowa	573	554,550	968	632	551,019	872
Kansas	464	506,124	1,091	600	537,789	896
Kentucky	562	558,863	994	625	544,879	872
Louisiana	646	620,616	961	736	624,125	848
Maine	323	384,537	1,191	347	379,782	1,094
Maryland	834	1,109,870	1,331	970	1,114,794	1,149
Massachusetts	1,868	2,529,181	1,354	2,000	2,531,190	1,266
Michigan	2,545	4,167,671	1,638	2,700	4,158,419	1,540
Minnesota	753	867,002	1,151	824	852,749	1,035
Mississippi	342	221,481	648	424	226,033	533
Missouri	1,270	1,415,306	1,114	1,436	1,383,762	964
Montana	113	131,769	1,166	130	129,012	992
Nebraska	293	282,243	963	355	294,409	829
Nevada	53	60,904	1,149	87	67,196	772
New Hampshire	170	184,405	1,085	190	181,693	956
New Jersey	1,893	2,866,142	1,514	2,198	2,849,451	1,296
New Mexico	102	85,393	837	135	84,135	623
New York	6,063	8,441,921	1,392	6,714	8,398,571	1,251
North Carolina	897	740,930	826	1,018	757,212	744
North Dakota	75	53,550	714	91	52,096	572
Ohio	3,005	4,380,817	1,458	3,283	4,400,496	1,340
Oklahoma	538	518,218	963	635	518,233	816
Oregon	506	725,548	1,434	610	706,484	1,158
Pennsylvania	3,829	5,356,428	1,399	4,159	5,413,535	1,302
Rhode Island	340	464,530	1,366	380	473,466	1,246
South Carolina	487	370,366	761	551	368,050	668
South Dakota	93	71,194	766	113	72,436	641
Tennessee	857	775,568	905	1,003	777,163	775
Texas	2,005	1,982,825	989	2,201	1,966,889	894
Utah	200	221,385	1,107	245	219,346	895
Vermont	98	103,239	1,053	116	102,632	885
Virginia	793	746,047	941	950	764,548	805
Washington	894	1,258,607	1,408	1,070	1,251,939	1,170
West Virginia	511	663,555	1,299	584	675,923	1,157
Wisconsin	1,034	1,363,125	1,318	1,117	1,370,693	1,227
Wyoming	55	66,338	1,206	80	63,927	799

[1] Worker and total wage credits in year assigned to State in which last employed in 1943. Last State of employment determined from last quarterly employer report in file for worker. Because of workers employed in more than 1 State during year, this allocation understates number of workers with wage credits during year and overstates actual average annual wage credits per worker in each State. However, it yields unduplicated count of workers and actual average wage credits per individual classified by his *last* State of employment.

[2] For single-State workers, State of employment during year same as last State of employment. Multistate workers counted individually in each State in which employed at some time during year on basis of individual quarterly employer reports. Wage credits of multistate workers in each State included as wages earned in that State. United States total adjusted to exclude duplication in count of workers because multistate workers counted in more than one State. Data for multistate workers based on 1-percent sample combined with 3-percent sample data for both single and multistate workers.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 270.—Unemployment Insurance—Average Employment, Workers With Wage Credits, and Total Wages, in Employment Covered by State Unemployment Insurance Laws, by States and Territories: 1943 and 1944

[Corrected to Feb. 14, 1946]

State and territory	1943 minimum coverage provisions for size of firm [1]	Average employment [2]		Workers with wage credits (thousands) [3]		Wages (thousands) [4]	
		1943	1944	1943	1944	1943	1944
Total	----------	30,819,456	29,987,994	[5] 44,900	[5] 44,000	$66,105,834	$68,983,887
Alabama	8	434,716	420,210	775	738	685,284	729,861
Alaska	8	22,878	22,478	45	49	73,956	88,365
Arizona	3	95,312	87,746	209	191	192,513	184,880
Arkansas	1	195,667	183,650	377	363	262,647	263,045
California	4	2,274,031	2,195,191	3,915	3,778	5,718,452	5,923,275
Colorado	8	174,440	157,724	347	307	321,891	303,814
Connecticut	4	674,975	629,124	1,000	962	1,693,377	1,644,692
Delaware	1	86,965	82,857	162	143	194,255	197,263
Dist. of Columbia	1	201,530	191,702	360	339	353,284	364,556
Florida	[6] 8	358,298	348,735	718	679	614,459	654,732
Georgia	8	499,806	490,775	892	864	733,226	806,383
Hawaii	[7] 1	81,018	76,331	135	131	170,804	164,466
Idaho	[8] 1	68,487	66,339	139	134	124,832	120,895
Illinois	6	2,203,228	2,188,037	3,366	3,271	4,881,671	5,310,195
Indiana	8	893,244	864,217	1,400	1,320	2,030,605	2,098,634
Iowa	8	299,953	296,621	523	508	519,427	555,227
Kansas	8	275,232	259,140	526	474	568,754	586,656
Kentucky	[9] 4	323,234	319,560	560	529	555,592	608,727
Louisiana	4	401,703	395,794	700	672	715,952	760,762
Maine	8	191,759	176,588	293	264	390,413	371,188
Maryland	4	572,643	521,040	939	852	1,251,343	1,186,377
Massachusetts	1	1,399,428	1,362,535	1,950	1,779	2,860,391	2,902,158
Michigan	8	1,613,689	1,575,774	2,300	2,207	4,485,226	4,508,203
Minnesota	[10] 1	466,606	465,727	744	729	895,254	947,490
Mississippi	8	164,097	161,719	357	349	213,275	234,390
Missouri	[11] 1	752,079	723,015	1,250	1,181	1,400,114	1,463,255
Montana	[11] 1	74,108	72,000	125	118	136,667	138,440
Nebraska	8	147,177	143,738	292	269	276,081	284,343
Nevada	[12] 1	38,830	30,699	80	60	96,784	72,246
New Hampshire	4	109,343	108,538	168	134	180,986	188,583
New Jersey	8	1,297,404	1,254,856	1,962	1,909	3,130,553	3,281,441
New Mexico	[13] 2	57,243	55,373	132	127	88,131	93,007
New York	4	3,974,861	3,905,615	6,019	5,943	8,973,191	9,006,792
North Carolina	8	578,861	551,575	929	777	803,007	829,746
North Dakota	8	28,861	29,880	65	65	43,460	49,130
Ohio	3	2,063,846	2,013,096	3,155	3,097	4,919,039	5,117,605
Oklahoma	8	272,610	258,437	521	489	517,444	536,789
Oregon	[14] 4	323,969	317,449	590	574	786,605	797,246
Pennsylvania	1	2,811,346	2,736,627	4,100	3,918	5,881,376	6,091,594
Rhode Island	4	249,809	233,862	369	325	514,137	509,106
South Carolina	8	273,240	255,214	471	433	348,574	354,416
South Dakota	8	38,029	36,508	74	72	56,419	57,661
Tennessee	8	468,803	489,032	872	880	772,032	907,564
Texas	8	1,048,014	1,027,963	1,893	1,820	1,966,470	2,112,099
Utah	[15] 1	122,510	100,173	240	187	255,526	203,782
Vermont	8	57,974	57,480	100	95	107,016	110,562
Virginia	8	458,498	429,797	870	787	802,127	787,431
Washington	1	555,396	575,976	1,030	1,042	1,345,404	1,478,362
West Virginia	8	343,392	332,451	518	506	700,038	737,520
Wisconsin	[16] 6	661,139	669,262	1,017	1,024	1,424,564	1,576,980
Wyoming	[17] 1	39,169	36,764	78	79	73,206	81,933

[1] Minimum number of employees for period specified which makes employer subject to State law.

[2] Average of 12 monthly figures, each of which is a total of the number of workers in covered employment on the last pay roll of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ending in month.

[3] Estimated number of different workers who have earned some wages in covered employment in the State during the year.

[4] Total wages in covered employment for all pay periods ending in the year.

[5] Estimated totals adjusted for duplication of individuals employed in more than 1 State during the year. Unadjusted totals are 49,652,000 and 47,543,000 for 1943 and 1944, respectively.

[6] Or total wages of $5,000 or more in a calendar quarter of the current or preceding calendar year, effective July 1, 1943.

[7] Coverage changed from 1 or more workers in 20 weeks to 1 or more at any time, effective May 11, 1943.

[8] And total wages of $78 or more in a calendar quarter.

[9] Wages of at least $50 to each of at least 4 workers during each of 3 calendar quarters; or 8 or more workers in 20 weeks.

[10] But services for employers not subject to the Federal unemployment tax and located outside the corporate limits of a city, village, or borough of 10,000 or more population are excluded.

[11] Or total wages of $500 or more in a calendar year.

[12] And total wages of $225 or more in a calendar quarter.

[13] Or total wages of $450 or more in a calendar quarter.

[14] And total wages of $500 or more in a calendar quarter.

[15] And total wages of $140 or more in a calendar quarter.

[16] 8 or more workers in current calendar year or 6 or more in preceding calendar year, or, if employer's records do not permit accurate count of workers, total wages of $6,000 or more in preceding calendar year; and effective July 1, 1943, or total wages of more than $10,000 in any calendar quarter of the current year.

[17] And total wages of $150 or more in a calendar quarter.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Employment Security, official records.

No. 271.—Unemployment Insurance—Average Employment and Total Wages in Employment Covered by State Unemployment Insurance Laws, by Major Industry Group: 1943

[Corrected to Feb. 14, 1946]

Industry division and major industry group	Average employment			Wages [1]		
	Number of workers [2]	Percent of total, all industries	Percent of industry division total	Amount (thousands)	Percent of total, all industries	Percent of industry division total
Total, all industries	**30,819,456**	**100.0**		**$66,105,834**	**100.0**	
Mining, total	**894,370**	**2.9**	**100.0**	**1,957,468**	**3.0**	**100.0**
Metal mining	130,980	.4	14.6	308,832	.5	15.8
Anthracite mining	83,613	.3	9.3	178,474	.3	9.1
Bituminous and other soft-coal mining	430,761	1.4	48.3	914,794	1.3	46.7
Crude-petroleum and natural-gas production	162,211	.5	18.1	387,624	.6	19.8
Nonmetallic mining and quarrying	86,805	.3	9.7	167,744	.3	8.6
Contract construction, total	**1,454,592**	**4.7**	**100.0**	**3,779,319**	**5.7**	**100.0**
Building construction—general contractors	626,671	2.0	43.1	1,619,520	2.5	42.9
General contractors, other than building	397,257	1.3	27.3	1,017,934	1.5	26.9
Construction—special-trade contractors	430,664	1.4	29.6	1,141,865	1.7	30.2
Manufacturing, total	**17,279,841**	**56.1**	**100.0**	**40,720,118**	**61.7**	**100.0**
Ordnance and accessories	676,399	2.2	3.9	1,792,673	2.7	4.4
Food and kindred products	1,396,620	4.5	8.1	2,632,291	4.0	6.5
Tobacco manufactures	101,053	.3	.6	145,128	.2	.4
Textile-mill products	1,319,878	4.3	7.6	2,053,367	3.1	5.0
Apparel and other finished products made from fabrics and similar materials	1,063,384	3.5	6.2	1,694,824	2.6	4.2
Lumber and timber basic products	558,040	1.8	3.2	828,808	1.3	2.0
Furniture and finished lumber products	413,916	1.3	2.4	724,159	1.1	1.8
Paper and allied products	392,057	1.3	2.3	815,641	1.2	2.0
Printing, publishing, and allied industries	517,957	1.7	3.0	1,143,427	1.7	2.8
Chemicals and allied products	848,700	2.8	4.9	2,030,072	3.1	5.0
Products of petroleum and coal	186,007	.6	1.1	521,935	.8	1.3
Rubber products	228,353	.7	1.3	570,960	.9	1.4
Leather and leather products	373,057	1.2	2.2	618,529	.9	1.5
Stone, clay, and glass products	408,126	1.3	2.4	829,288	1.3	2.0
Iron and steel and their products	1,783,487	5.8	10.3	4,702,284	7.1	11.5
Transportation equipment (except automobiles)	3,263,497	10.6	18.8	9,723,201	14.6	23.8
Nonferrous metals and their products	503,850	1.6	2.9	1,292,206	2.0	3.2
Electrical machinery	958,859	3.1	5.5	2,365,943	3.6	5.8
Machinery (except electrical)	1,447,883	4.7	8.4	4,147,311	6.3	10.2
Automobiles and automobile equipment	324,353	1.1	1.9	967,111	1.5	2.4
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries	514,365	1.7	3.0	1,120,870	1.7	2.8
Transportation,[3] communication, and other public utilities, total	**1,868,038**	**6.1**	**100.0**	**3,799,723**	**5.7**	**100.0**
Local railways and bus lines	167,802	.5	9.0	386,455	.6	10.2
Trucking and warehousing for hire	419,087	1.4	22.4	779,491	1.2	20.5
Other transportation, except water transportation	211,515	.7	11.3	440,732	.7	11.6
Water transportation	37,919	.1	2.0	96,035	.1	2.5
Services allied to transportation, not elsewhere classified	158,798	.5	8.5	300,918	.5	7.9
Communication: Telephone, telegraph, and related services	482,506	1.6	25.9	914,991	1.3	24.1
Utilities: Electric and gas	373,108	1.2	20.0	850,572	1.3	22.4
Local utilities and local public services, not elsewhere classified	17,303	.1	.9	30,529	(4)	.8

See footnotes at end of table.

No. 271.—Unemployment Insurance—Average Employment and Total Wages in Employment Covered by State Unemployment Insurance Laws, by Major Industry Group: 1943—Continued

Industry division and major industry group	Average employment			Wages [1]		
	Number of workers [2]	Percent of total, all industries	Percent of industry division total	Amount (thousands)	Percent of total, all industries	Percent of industry division total
Wholesale and retail trade, total	**5,942,800**	**19.3**	**100.0**	**9,973,930**	**15.1**	**100.0**
Full-service and limited-function wholesalers	321,785	2.7	13.8	1,880,141	2.9	18.8
Wholesale distributors, other than full-service and limited-function wholesalers	697,974	2.3	11.7	1,787,287	2.7	17.9
Wholesale and retail trade combined, not elsewhere classified	349,703	1.1	5.9	687,059	1.0	6.9
Retail general merchandise	1,178,261	3.8	19.8	1,393,694	2.1	14.0
Retail food and liquor stores	681,725	2.2	11.5	991,804	1.5	9.9
Retail automotive	229,282	.7	3.9	471,238	.7	4.7
Retail apparel and accessories	417,064	1.4	7.0	613,688	.9	6.2
Retail trade, not elsewhere classified	633,956	2.1	10.7	1,034,143	1.6	10.4
Eating and drinking places	858,932	2.8	14.5	1,002,836	1.5	10.1
Retail filling stations	74,118	.2	1.2	112,040	.2	1.1
Finance, insurance, and real estate, total	**1,124,194**	**3.6**	**100.0**	**2,312,322**	**3.5**	**100.0**
Banks and trust companies	288,481	.9	25.7	603,202	.9	26.1
Security dealers and investment banking	42,398	.1	3.8	136,132	.2	5.9
Finance agencies, not elsewhere classified	65,816	.2	5.9	134,505	.2	5.8
Insurance carriers	339,983	1.2	30.2	785,118	1.2	33.9
Insurance agents, brokers, and services	57,673	.2	5.1	133,112	.2	5.8
Real estate	292,522	.9	26.0	420,037	.6	18.2
Real estate, insurance, loans, law offices: Any combination	26,127	.1	2.3	55,268	.1	2.4
Holding companies (except real estate holding companies)	11,194	(4)	1.0	44,948	.1	1.9
Service industries, total	**2,196,372**	**7.1**	**100.0**	**3,467,245**	**5.2**	**100.0**
Hotels, rooming houses, camps, and other lodging places	391,151	1.3	17.8	428,610	.6	12.4
Personal services	599,155	2.0	27.3	770,218	1.1	22.1
Business services, not elsewhere classified	255,708	.8	11.6	572,650	.9	16.5
Employment agencies and commercial and trade schools	55,141	.2	2.5	118,011	.2	3.4
Automobile repair services and garages	74,286	.2	3.4	128,179	.2	3.7
Miscellaneous repair services and hand trades	64,040	.2	2.9	153,037	.2	4.4
Motion pictures	216,405	.7	9.9	450,166	.7	13.0
Amusement and recreation and related services, not elsewhere classified	198,463	.6	9.0	234,042	.4	6.8
Medical and other health services	91,986	.3	4.2	127,515	.2	3.7
Law offices and related services	32,244	.1	1.5	66,148	.1	1.9
Educational institutions and agencies	12,605	(4)	.6	17,024	(4)	.5
Other professional and social-service agencies and institutions	53,327	.2	2.4	175,542	.3	5.1
Nonprofit membership organizations	120,894	.4	5.9	195,165	.3	5.6
Private households [5]	16,980	.1	.8	24,178	(4)	.7
Regular governmental establishments [6]	4,987	(4)	.2	6,760	(4)	.2
Miscellaneous [7]	59,249	.2	100.0	95,709	.1	100.0

[1] Total wages in covered employment for all pay periods ending in year.
[2] Average of 12 monthly figures, each of which is a total of the number of workers in covered employment on the last pay roll of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ended in the month.
[3] Excludes railroads and allied groups subject, as of July 1, 1939, to Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.
[4] Less than 0.05 percent.
[5] New York accounts for all but 0.1 percent of average employment and all but 0.2 percent of total wages.
[6] Wisconsin accounts for all but 4.7 percent of average employment and all but 6.2 percent of total wages.
[7] Includes agriculture, forestry, and fishing, and establishments not elsewhere classified.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Employment Security; Social Security Yearbook, 1944.

No. 272.—Unemployment Insurance—Number of Initial and Continued Claims Received, Number of Weeks of Unemployment Compensated, and Amount of Benefit Payments, by States and Territories: 1945

[In thousands. Data reported by State agencies; corrected to Feb. 8, 1946]

State and territory	Federal grants for administration,[1] July 1944–June 1945	Claims received in local offices		Weeks compensated		Amount of benefit payments[3]		
		Initial	Continued	All unemployment[2]	Total unemployment	All unemployment	Total unemployment	Interstate payments as liable State[4]
Total	$29,785	6,030	30,634	24,038	23,108	$448,257	$437,339	[5] $17,780
Alabama	339	80	496	392	384	6,515	6,427	354
Alaska	52	1	4	6	6	88	87	54
Arizona	130	17	74	45	45	661	657	79
Arkansas	266	41	227	87	86	1,144	1,134	43
California	2,310	630	3,474	2,907	2,669	55,332	52,024	[5] 590
Colorado	155	10	32	14	14	193	188	22
Connecticut	501	165	685	720	704	14,859	14,662	1,043
Delaware	118	14	65	51	49	837	815	117
District of Columbia	277	5	26	20	20	364	354	58
Florida	344	53	252	173	165	2,378	2,309	250
Georgia	427	61	371	267	263	4,236	4,200	217
Hawaii	116	[6]	[6]	[6]	[6]	6	5	3
Idaho	116	4	20	7	7	100	99	11
Illinois	2,125	496	2,594	1,976	1,861	36,385	35,266	1,069
Indiana	653	257	957	788	749	12,764	12,264	1,032
Iowa	237	36	204	140	135	2,234	2,186	59
Kansas	232	50	275	238	230	3,608	3,534	645
Kentucky	352	72	463	199	193	2,441	2,397	89
Louisiana	371	65	356	219	211	3,565	3,471	244
Maine	182	31	148	118	98	1,753	1,560	40
Maryland	399	77	442	520	484	9,667	9,307	1,696
Massachusetts	1,624	214	981	774	734	14,468	14,078	335
Michigan	1,507	609	3,810	3,570	3,537	77,261	76,788	1,518
Minnesota	515	53	236	151	144	2,548	2,461	59
Mississippi	204	20	117	53	49	662	631	64
Missouri	591	158	873	601	584	9,921	9,788	558
Montana	118	7	28	10	10	133	133	9
Nebraska	132	12	47	31	29	497	470	59
Nevada	77	3	10	6	6	96	95	32
New Hampshire	136	12	39	25	22	319	296	40
New Jersey	1,490	388	2,248	1,833	1,777	36,605	36,023	999
New Mexico	106	2	10	2	2	24	24	11
New York	4,206	898	3,891	3,172	3,083	61,153	60,051	1,741
North Carolina	489	39	204	148	142	1,840	1,794	261
North Dakota	68	2	8	2	1	22	14	3
Ohio	1,406	278	1,620	1,151	1,130	21,499	21,287	739
Oklahoma	258	58	281	193	187	3,342	3,266	181
Oregon	306	87	256	170	163	2,802	2,734	378
Pennsylvania	2,362	473	2,102	1,487	1,487	26,573	26,573	444
Rhode Island	247	72	335	308	287	5,186	4,977	287
South Carolina	252	16	85	33	33	394	388	17
South Dakota	67	2	11	3	3	35	31	3
Tennessee	385	76	506	253	248	3,297	3,257	396
Texas	819	91	[7] 496	260	253	3,972	3,912	210
Utah	162	7	26	20	19	445	428	53
Vermont	87	5	31	20	19	327	320	23
Virginia	406	25	125	91	87	1,146	1,111	101
Washington	538	114	443	373	357	7,778	7,530	1,237
West Virginia	286	73	280	160	125	2,493	1,998	107
Wisconsin	485	67	369	250	220	4,209	3,922	188
Wyoming	78	1	3	1	1	16	15	10

[1] Advances for unemployment insurance administration certified to State agencies during fiscal year, including amounts reimbursed to War Manpower Commission for services and facilities provided to State agencies by U. S. Employment Service. Excludes amounts for services and facilities furnished to USES by State agencies as well as unencumbered balances reallocated to State agencies. Total includes, but State figures exclude, expenses for postage.

[2] Benefits for partial and part-total unemployment are not provided by State law in Montana and Pennsylvania.

[3] Unadjusted for voided benefit checks.

[4] Liable State is one to which a claim has been forwarded by agent State for disposition.

[5] Excludes October-December data for California.

[6] Less than 500.

[7] Claims filed for biweekly instead of weekly periods.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Employment Security; Social Security Yearbook. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 273.—Unemployment Insurance—Contributions Collected and Benefits Paid Under State Laws, by States and Territories: 1944 and 1945

[In thousands of dollars. Corrected to Feb. 12, 1946]

State and territory	Month and year benefits first payable	Funds available for benefits as of Dec. 31, 1943 [1]	Contributions collected [2]		Benefits paid [3]		Ratio (percent) of benefits to collections		Funds available for benefits as of—	
			1944	1945	1944	1945	1944	1945	Dec. 31, 1944	Dec. 31, 1945
Total		4,715,514	[4] 1,317,050	[4] 1,161,889	62,385	445,866	4.7	38.4	6,071,927	6,914,009
Alabama	Jan. 1938	47,546	11,647	9,547	591	6,515	5.1	68.2	59,620	63,879
Alaska	Jan. 1939	4,576	2,301	1,452	30	88	1.3	6.1	6,952	8,461
Arizona	Jan. 1938	12,491	3,879	3,528	108	660	2.8	18.7	16,539	19,759
Arkansas	Jan. 1939	19,530	5,162	6,200	203	1,126	3.9	18.2	24,911	30,522
California	Jan. 1938	453,523	170,345	154,534	9,920	55,277	5.8	35.8	624,141	736,649
Colorado	Jan. 1939	24,947	[4] 5,028	5,190	136	192	2.7	3.7	30,349	35,981
Connecticut	Jan. 1938	122,805	31,152	28,412	1,376	14,850	4.4	52.3	155,213	171,985
Delaware	Jan. 1939	12,463	1,207	1,014	69	834	5.7	82.2	13,849	14,302
Dist. of Col.	Jan. 1938	39,774	1,622	1,754	547	357	33.7	20.4	41,614	43,823
Florida	Jan. 1939	32,541	14,244	12,725	594	2,364	4.2	18.6	46,938	58,317
Georgia	do	53,070	[4] 14,941	14,004	356	4,235	2.4	30.2	68,740	79,958
Hawaii	do	14,145	1,745	1,878	6	6	.4	.3	16,168	18,369
Idaho	Sept. 1938	9,563	2,864	2,648	56	100	1.9	3.8	12,581	15,396
Illinois	July 1939	384,224	80,003	71,887	6,972	36,359	8.7	50.6	465,266	510,266
Indiana	Apr. 1938	124,578	36,387	29,291	1,683	12,757	4.6	43.6	162,010	181,911
Iowa	July 1938	40,101	12,457	10,998	280	2,231	2.2	20.3	53,151	63,035
Kansas	Jan. 1939	34,581	11,622	10,245	485	3,607	4.2	35.2	46,487	54,111
Kentucky	do	64,987	[4] 12,337	[4] 12,757	684	2,439	5.5	19.1	77,795	89,254
Louisiana	Jan. 1938	46,121	18,952	17,991	587	3,553	3.1	19.7	65,546	81,414
Maine	do	23,560	7,840	6,599	320	1,750	4.1	26.5	31,602	37,117
Maryland	do	84,356	25,123	23,380	765	9,650	3.0	41.3	110,567	126,624
Mass.	do	171,538	28,043	23,358	2,770	14,434	9.9	61.8	200,328	213,273
Michigan	July 1938	207,098	53,576	62,180	6,164	77,228	11.5	124.2	258,949	249,026
Minnesota	Jan. 1938	64,322	19,574	20,730	527	2,541	2.7	12.3	74,582	94,397
Mississippi	Apr. 1938	14,862	5,886	6,069	158	662	2.7	10.9	20,928	26,794
Missouri	Jan. 1939	111,216	27,490	27,243	1,576	9,916	5.7	36.4	139,505	159,758
Montana	July 1939	11,896	3,526	3,541	97	132	2.7	3.7	15,584	19,326
Nebraska	Jan. 1939	17,884	4,744	3,860	111	497	2.3	12.9	22,904	26,746
Nevada	do	6,576	2,127	1,677	35	96	1.6	5.7	8,815	10,583
N. Hampshire	Jan. 1938	16,026	3,333	3,096	162	317	4.9	10.3	19,533	22,716
New Jersey	Jan. 1939	309,425	83,188	72,093	3,948	36,442	4.7	50.5	395,280	439,128
New Mexico	Dec. 1938	6,570	1,783	1,907	11	24	.6	1.2	8,485	10,550
New York	Jan. 1938	610,421	226,672	188,721	10,401	59,314	4.6	31.4	840,376	987,755
N. Carolina	do	70,434	19,410	17,270	356	1,838	1.8	10.6	91,026	108,383
N. Dakota	Jan. 1939	3,671	775	759	14	22	1.8	2.9	4,509	5,340
Ohio	do	339,328	79,151	68,307	1,073	21,485	1.4	31.5	424,593	480,185
Oklahoma	Dec. 1938	34,149	7,755	6,714	379	3,341	4.9	49.8	42,250	46,493
Oregon	Jan. 1938	44,375	16,346	14,324	156	2,798	1.0	19.5	61,571	74,423
Pennsylvania	do	470,802	85,118	62,517	2,511	26,526	3.0	42.4	563,254	610,539
Rhode Island	do	48,431	14,792	14,202	1,227	5,172	8.3	36.4	63,052	73,412
S. Carolina	July 1938	27,397	6,254	5,429	255	393	4.1	7.2	33,974	39,715
S. Dakota	Jan. 1939	5,180	608	590	24	35	5.9	4.0	5,869	6,543
Tennessee	Jan. 1938	47,710	22,298	20,783	1,432	3,296	6.4	15.9	69,692	88,713
Texas	do	111,116	25,128	18,302	462	3,967	1.8	21.7	138,144	155,313
Utah	do	16,356	5,470	4,894	198	445	3.6	9.1	21,992	26,911
Vermont	do	8,619	2,183	1,901	70	327	3.2	17.2	10,918	12,720
Virginia	do	47,551	9,314	8,585	323	1,127	3.5	13.1	57,534	66,177
Washington	Jan. 1939	87,077	36,546	32,774	256	7,772	.7	23.7	125,386	153,117
W. Virginia	Jan. 1938	49,946	11,689	10,247	668	2,490	5.7	24.3	62,019	71,056
Wisconsin	July 1936	110,530	42,066	32,610	1,249	4,264	3.0	13.1	153,851	185,501
Wyoming	Jan. 1939	5,522	1,346	1,171	3	16	.2	1.4	6,983	8,284

[1] Sum of balances in State clearing account and benefit-payment account, and in State unemployment trust fund account in U. S. Treasury. State unemployment trust fund accounts include interest credited.

[2] Contributions, penalties, and interest from employers and contributions from employees. Adjusted for refunds of contributions and for dishonored contribution checks. Current contribution rates (percent of taxable wages) are: For employers, 2.7 percent except in Michigan, where rate was 3.0 percent; for employees, 1.0 percent in Alabama, California, and New Jersey, and 0.5 percent in Rhode Island. Experience rating, operative in 42 States in 1944 and in 45 States in 1945, modifies above rates.

[3] Adjusted for voided benefit checks.

[4] Includes the following amounts transferred to the railroad unemployment insurance account: during 1944, Colorado $14,997, Georgia $66,163, and Kentucky $178,202; during 1945, Kentucky $441,316.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Employment Security; Social Security Yearbook. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 274.—Unemployment Insurance—Summary of Operations Under State Unemployment Insurance Laws: 1936 to 1945

Year and month	Covered employment[1]: Workers[2]	Covered employment[1]: Wages (thousands)[3]	Beneficiaries[4]	Weeks compensated[5]	Continued claims	Benefit payments (thousands)[6]
1936	(7)	(7)	(7)	17,714	(7)	
1937	(7)	(7)	(7)	308,156	(7)	
1938	19,929,364	$26,200,026	(7)	38,075,709	[8] 45,796,606	$393,786
1939	21,377,528	29,069,447	(7)	41,554,089	[9] 56,533,762	429,298
1940	23,096,162	32,449,899	5,200,000	51,084,375	66,676,573	518,700
1941	26,814,281	42,145,685	3,400,000	32,295,377	42,341,653	344,321
1942	29,349,006	54,796,148	2,800,000	28,157,730	33,761,947	344,084
1943	30,819,456	66,105,834	655,000	6,003,608	7,664,684	79,643
1944	29,987,994	68,983,867	522,906	4,123,924	5,480,621	62,385
1945			2,832,000	24,038,271	30,633,595	445,866
January	29,174,500		104,790	454,086	592,584	7,299
February	29,075,500	17,067,300	100,076	400,274	508,231	6,435
March	29,122,400		103,216	447,277	542,987	7,242
April	28,957,600		87,243	378,072	487,751	6,185
May	28,718,500	17,094,400	98,030	424,786	618,093	7,044
June	28,634,800		129,405	560,757	810,158	9,686
July			185,480	803,735	1,080,797	14,352
August			230,531	998,958	1,532,000	17,948
September			612,057	2,652,249	4,724,102	50,439
October			1,271,727	5,510,801	6,670,842	106,449
November			1,313,456	5,691,620	6,502,405	108,555
December			1,319,005	5,715,656	6,563,645	106,624

[1] Excludes railroads and allied groups subject, as of July 1, 1939, to Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act. Data for 1945 estimated.
[2] Until Jan. 1945, represents covered employment on last pay roll of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ended in the month; thereafter, employment on pay roll of each type ended nearest the fifteenth of the month. Annual figures represent averages of 12 monthly figures.
[3] Total wages in covered employment for all pay periods ended within the period. Average wages cannot be computed from these figures because data on workers relate only to the number working in a single pay period, which is substantially less than the number of different workers to whom these wages were paid.
[4] Annual figures represent first payments to beneficiaries; monthly figures represent average weekly number of weeks of unemployment compensated during the month. Annual figures partly estimated.
[5] For 1936–39, represent number of benefit payments.
[6] Annual amounts, adjusted, but monthly figures not adjusted, for voided benefit checks. Adjusted data for 1936 and 1937 not available.
[7] Data not available.
[8] Excludes: California, Maine, and Oregon for January; Massachusetts and Virginia for Jan.–Mar.; Indiana for May–June; and New York for entire year; data not available. For Feb. and Mar., Maine reported continued claims for total unemployment only.
[9] Excludes New York for Jan.–Mar. 1939; data not available.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Employment Security. Some of these data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 275.—United States Employment Service—Placements: 1937 to 1945

Year and month	Placements[1]: Total	Placements[1]: Non-agricultural[2]	Year and month	Placements[1]: Total	Placements[1]: Non-agricultural[2]
1937	3,640,934	3,144,091	1945—Con.		
1938	2,950,047	2,656,994	March	995,656	972,558
1939	4,500,399	4,152,139	April	957,127	925,768
1940	5,226,712	3,661,040	May	982,114	952,098
1941	7,427,989	5,404,291	June	1,103,917	1,041,526
1942	10,220,967	6,919,892	July	1,151,419	1,014,327
1943	12,253,224	9,393,196	August	987,006	824,953
1944	12,219,113	11,446,007	September	786,186	614,410
1945	10,811,100	9,808,476	October	831,003	601,337
January	1,095,455	1,086,625	November	598,174	484,159
February	921,268	910,420	December	401,775	380,295

[1] Includes Alaska and Hawaii through 1938.
[2] Excludes forestry and fishery through 1939.

Source: Department of Labor, United States Employment Service.

No. 276.—United States Employment Service—Total and Veteran Non-agricultural Placements, by States: 1941 to 1945

State	1941		1942		1943		1944		1945	
	Total	Veteran	Total	Veteran	Total	Veteran	Total	Veteran	Total	Veteran
Total	5,404,291	[1] 165,873	6,919,892	219,816	9,393,196	357,120	11,446,007	806,139	9,808,476	1,194,578
Alabama	59,725	1,259	76,821	1,457	187,586	7,455	250,738	16,343	204,048	27,307
Arizona	30,813	1,293	41,979	2,011	57,279	4,065	64,586	5,941	57,881	8,935
Arkansas	61,871	2,301	165,338	6,125	107,473	5,328	108,528	8,191	141,005	18,682
California	454,699	18,990	768,065	25,662	948,658	23,433	1,164,393	69,678	996,041	113,598
Colorado	40,577	1,441	69,031	1,877	78,856	2,577	104,525	7,283	113,057	13,812
Connecticut	98,328	3,737	107,802	3,923	117,510	6,290	144,512	9,142	119,238	12,099
Delaware	18,627	396	20,016	352	25,576	773	23,097	1,005	20,487	2,126
Dist. of Col	63,941	2,639	61,039	2,575	40,223	1,274	67,220	3,204	51,936	6,617
Florida	76,093	1,927	97,862	3,652	210,944	11,871	222,068	17,827	174,578	26,417
Georgia	110,782	2,335	89,117	2,026	223,729	4,191	296,075	16,757	212,420	26,471
Idaho	25,111	1,586	53,787	3,695	38,061	1,674	37,851	3,374	35,526	5,881
Illinois	255,292	8,847	246,429	9,788	300,933	13,299	627,210	40,525	439,476	53,530
Indiana	163,236	3,828	171,580	4,887	286,765	11,626	320,978	21,791	273,540	27,346
Iowa	97,694	5,973	79,379	5,222	124,348	7,644	161,755	12,232	110,129	17,818
Kansas	88,734	3,285	128,569	2,927	147,879	3,641	118,137	7,341	112,376	14,346
Kentucky	46,975	1,406	93,697	2,912	165,064	7,748	178,730	13,980	157,548	17,572
Louisiana	96,975	1,219	62,578	1,218	80,027	4,570	132,529	10,721	100,309	16,048
Maine	44,717	1,032	54,467	1,640	67,163	3,295	62,173	3,440	56,395	6,263
Maryland	67,407	2,200	100,747	2,875	169,968	7,414	195,327	13,722	105,920	13,617
Massachusetts	103,736	2,525	158,731	4,907	266,830	15,313	292,957	23,787	242,669	31,921
Michigan	165,036	7,212	204,948	8,358	359,800	12,927	375,948	27,457	303,239	39,141
Minnesota	76,526	3,105	107,283	6,078	174,828	13,890	194,567	19,606	190,659	31,558
Mississippi	64,332	1,459	98,517	2,170	114,114	2,087	126,083	7,762	95,682	14,339
Missouri	181,162	8,417	274,764	10,824	286,956	13,168	286,835	21,730	229,675	32,557
Montana	20,896	1,222	33,259	2,832	26,580	2,209	35,157	3,673	30,664	5,363
Nebraska	38,188	2,341	82,080	4,307	70,980	3,678	68,570	5,996	63,272	9,488
Nevada	19,224	1,172	31,516	972	43,954	1,554	31,700	2,601	34,761	5,667
N. Hampshire	26,291	1,089	20,830	853	26,223	1,155	29,099	1,742	25,727	3,868
New Jersey	183,924	3,537	181,532	3,878	345,493	9,793	392,853	25,585	298,374	28,731
New Mexico	17,427	555	30,790	950	24,172	1,013	33,927	2,931	41,355	6,407
New York	559,584	11,993	763,380	17,147	908,658	34,362	1,062,683	70,919	1,275,402	112,058
N. Carolina	203,462	3,301	199,775	3,870	201,890	4,461	255,655	15,275	196,876	24,133
N. Dakota	23,319	517	19,990	550	19,350	647	18,851	889	16,777	1,839
Ohio	284,296	10,043	423,865	16,428	673,422	22,786	748,069	47,787	558,634	69,794
Oklahoma	64,112	2,227	79,639	2,674	95,035	3,312	137,002	11,540	131,012	21,152
Oregon	126,592	4,485	124,568	4,068	226,845	12,384	192,747	21,976	145,578	24,235
Pennsylvania	247,032	5,648	324,328	8,246	449,139	19,334	642,661	42,629	562,894	63,445
Rhode Island	24,010	743	50,168	1,408	68,574	2,958	83,885	4,524	57,281	5,556
S. Carolina	84,037	2,198	65,424	1,487	72,915	1,921	128,346	6,094	130,639	12,483
S. Dakota	18,110	607	28,850	1,374	18,977	1,010	21,895	1,487	17,441	2,786
Tennessee	99,310	2,371	88,860	1,865	160,213	5,042	283,929	22,106	217,246	28,172
Texas	419,255	10,528	484,211	12,119	520,999	23,389	653,759	54,961	577,662	77,580
Utah	25,832	945	55,249	1,763	92,337	3,038	77,753	4,281	59,773	7,092
Vermont	13,140	498	7,830	326	10,021	437	14,726	886	13,848	2,363
Virginia	122,817	2,145	97,074	2,316	101,506	2,045	248,860	12,099	222,594	22,531
Washington	113,448	3,160	177,237	4,792	357,378	5,260	370,800	39,317	238,243	34,909
W. Virginia	47,901	889	47,994	1,079	78,138	3,369	137,080	10,143	104,595	14,883
Wisconsin	112,978	3,531	146,094	6,310	199,111	5,920	196,440	12,907	225,412	29,184
Wyoming	16,411	1,017	22,803	1,035	20,716	490	22,138	952	18,582	2,858

[1] Includes complete placements only.

Source: Department of Labor, United States Employment Service.

No. 277.—United States Employment Service—Nonagricultural Placements by Quarter, by Race, Sex, and Veteran Status, by States: January–December 1945

Quarter and State	Total	Race		Sex		Veteran status		Percent of total		
		White	Nonwhite	Men	Women	Veteran	Nonveteran	White	Men	Veterans
Total	[1] 9,799,185	7,921,410	1,877,775	6,838,640	2,960,545	1,194,578	8,604,607	80.8	69.8	12.2
January-March	[1] 2,960,312	2,415,109	545,203	2,077,012	883,300	274,841	2,685,471	81.6	70.2	9.3
April-June	2,919,392	2,373,411	545,981	1,989,187	930,205	259,975	2,659,417	81.3	68.1	8.9
July-September	2,453,690	1,974,753	478,937	1,728,226	725,464	283,812	2,169,878	80.5	70.4	11.6
October-December	1,465,791	1,158,137	307,654	1,044,215	421,576	375,950	1,089,841	79.0	71.2	25.6
Alabama	204,048	139,019	65,029	145,751	58,297	27,307	176,741	68.1	71.4	13.4
Arizona	57,881	51,723	6,158	41,240	16,641	8,935	48,946	89.4	71.2	15.4
Arkansas	141,005	104,906	36,099	110,587	30,418	18,682	122,323	74.4	78.4	13.2
California	996,041	839,250	156,791	738,659	257,382	113,598	882,443	84.3	74.2	11.4
Colorado	113,057	109,115	3,942	87,035	26,022	13,812	99,245	96.5	77.0	12.2
Connecticut	119,238	110,964	8,274	81,508	37,730	12,099	107,139	93.1	68.4	10.1
Delaware	20,487	14,385	6,102	13,677	6,810	2,126	18,361	70.2	66.8	10.4
Dist. of Col	51,936	20,798	31,138	29,120	22,816	6,617	45,319	40.0	56.1	12.7
Florida	174,578	121,267	53,311	104,839	69,739	26,417	148,161	69.5	60.1	15.1
Georgia	212,420	157,853	54,567	129,914	82,506	26,471	185,949	74.3	61.2	12.5
Idaho	35,526	34,827	699	27,902	7,624	5,881	29,645	98.0	78.5	16.6
Illinois	439,476	358,330	81,146	301,100	138,376	53,530	385,946	81.5	68.5	12.2
Indiana	273,540	239,918	33,622	179,079	94,461	27,346	246,194	87.7	65.5	10.0
Iowa	110,129	106,857	3,272	71,642	38,487	17,818	92,311	97.0	65.1	16.2
Kansas	112,376	98,357	14,019	80,674	31,702	14,346	98,030	87.5	71.8	12.8
Kentucky	157,548	131,901	25,647	123,789	33,759	17,572	139,976	83.7	78.6	11.2
Louisiana	100,309	60,969	39,340	81,005	19,304	16,048	84,261	60.8	80.8	16.0
Maine	56,305	54,357	2,038	40,036	16,359	6,263	50,132	96.4	71.0	11.1
Maryland	105,920	70,099	35,821	66,870	39,050	13,617	92,303	66.2	63.1	12.9
Massachusetts	242,669	234,691	7,978	143,295	99,374	31,921	210,748	96.7	59.0	13.2
Michigan	303,239	253,216	50,023	246,170	57,069	39,141	264,098	83.5	81.2	12.9
Minnesota	190,659	187,066	3,593	139,197	51,462	31,558	159,101	98.1	73.0	16.6
Mississippi	95,682	61,330	34,352	59,680	36,002	14,339	81,343	64.1	62.4	15.0
Missouri	229,675	187,640	42,035	173,906	55,769	32,557	197,118	81.7	75.7	14.2
Montana	30,664	29,856	808	26,298	4,366	5,363	25,301	97.4	85.8	17.5
Nebraska	63,272	58,562	4,710	46,561	16,711	9,488	53,784	92.6	73.6	15.0
Nevada	34,761	30,249	4,512	26,021	8,740	5,667	29,094	87.0	74.9	16.3
New Hampshire	25,727	25,694	33	14,797	10,930	3,868	21,859	99.9	57.5	15.0
New Jersey	298,374	242,031	56,343	182,824	115,550	28,731	269,643	81.1	61.3	9.6
New Mexico	41,355	38,690	2,665	33,872	7,483	6,407	34,948	93.6	81.9	15.5
New York	1,275,402	920,381	355,021	857,221	418,181	112,058	1,163,344	72.2	67.2	8.8
North Carolina	196,876	126,006	70,870	122,635	74,241	24,133	172,743	64.0	62.3	12.3
North Dakota	16,777	15,511	1,266	13,147	3,630	1,839	14,938	92.5	78.4	11.0
Ohio	558,634	445,929	112,705	394,782	163,852	69,794	488,840	79.8	70.7	12.5
Oklahoma	131,012	114,500	16,512	101,341	29,671	21,152	109,860	87.4	77.4	16.1
Oregon	145,578	140,427	5,151	105,454	40,124	24,235	121,343	96.5	72.4	16.6
Pennsylvania	562,894	483,792	79,102	397,958	164,936	63,445	499,449	85.9	70.7	11.3
Rhode Island	57,281	56,184	1,097	33,757	23,524	5,556	51,725	98.1	58.9	9.7
South Carolina	130,639	92,528	38,111	79,823	50,816	12,483	118,156	70.8	61.1	9.6
South Dakota	17,441	16,475	966	12,304	5,137	2,786	14,655	94.5	70.5	16.0
Tennessee	[1] 207,955	159,846	48,109	141,027	66,928	28,172	179,783	76.9	67.8	13.5
Texas	577,662	415,332	162,330	443,035	134,627	77,580	500,082	71.9	76.7	13.4
Utah	59,773	58,054	1,719	40,558	19,215	7,092	52,681	97.1	67.9	11.9
Vermont	13,848	13,843	5	8,898	4,950	2,363	11,485	99.9	64.3	17.1
Virginia	222,594	148,124	74,470	142,792	79,802	22,531	200,063	66.5	64.1	10.1
Washington	238,243	206,924	31,319	171,079	67,164	34,909	203,334	86.9	71.8	14.7
West Virginia	104,595	98,229	6,366	77,534	27,061	14,883	89,712	93.9	74.1	14.2
Wisconsin	225,412	217,379	8,033	132,455	92,957	29,184	196,228	96.4	58.8	12.9
Wyoming	18,582	18,026	556	15,792	2,790	2,858	15,724	97.0	85.0	15.4

[1] Excludes 9,201 nonagricultural placements for which distribution by class was not reported.

Source: Department of Labor, United States Employment Service.

No. 278.—United States Employment Service—Nonagricultural Placements, by Selected Industry Division: 1944 and 1945

INDUSTRY DIVISION	1944	1945	INDUSTRY DIVISION	1944	1945
Total	11,446,007	[1] 9,799,185	Wholesale and retail trade	995,876	1,007,578
Forestry and fishery	6,583	7,367	Finance, insurance, and real estate	65,584	74,790
Mining	170,682	149,673	Service	1,079,529	1,091,525
Construction	724,971	658,449	Domestic	439,130	415,307
Manufacturing	6,832,254	5,468,056	Government	672,545	530,689
Transportation, communication and other public utilities	887,955	798,306	Establishments not elsewhere classified	10,028	12,752

[1] Excludes 9,291 nonagricultural placements for which distribution by class was not reported.

Source: Department of Labor, United States Employment Service.

No. 279.—United States Employment Service—Nonagricultural Placements by Race, Sex, Veteran Status and by Major Occupational Group: January–December 1945

MAJOR OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	Total	RACE		SEX		VETERAN STATUS	
		White	Nonwhite	Men	Women	Veteran	Non-veteran
Number, total	[1] 9,799,185	7,921,410	1,877,775	6,838,640	2,960,545	1,194,578	8,604,607
Professional and managerial	121,567	119,948	1,619	93,208	28,359	25,377	96,190
Clerical and sales	896,444	876,270	20,174	281,906	614,538	101,480	794,964
Service	1,104,082	534,616	569,466	468,093	635,989	97,251	1,006,831
Skilled	1,051,065	1,005,456	45,609	966,851	84,214	175,984	875,081
Semiskilled	1,454,522	1,309,778	144,744	967,309	487,213	236,936	1,217,586
Unskilled and other	5,171,505	4,075,342	1,096,163	4,061,273	1,110,232	557,550	4,613,955
Percentage distribution by occupation group, total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Professional and managerial	1.2	1.5	0.1	1.4	1.0	2.1	1.1
Clerical and sales	9.1	11.1	1.1	4.1	20.8	8.5	9.2
Service	11.3	6.7	30.3	6.8	21.5	8.1	11.7
Skilled	10.7	12.7	2.4	14.1	2.8	14.7	10.2
Semiskilled	14.8	16.5	7.7	14.1	16.5	19.8	14.2
Unskilled and other	52.9	51.5	58.4	59.5	37.4	46.8	53.6
Percentage distribution by race, sex, and veteran status, total	100.0	80.8	19.2	69.8	30.2	12.2	87.8
Professional and managerial	100.0	98.7	1.3	76.7	23.3	20.9	79.1
Clerical and sales	100.0	97.7	2.3	31.4	68.6	11.3	88.7
Service	100.0	48.4	51.6	42.4	57.6	8.8	91.2
Skilled	100.0	95.7	4.3	92.0	8.0	16.7	83.3
Semiskilled	100.0	90.0	10.0	66.5	33.5	16.3	83.7
Unskilled and other	100.0	78.8	21.2	78.5	21.5	10.8	89.2

[1] Excludes 9,291 nonagricultural placements for which distribution by class was not reported.

Source: Department of Labor, United States Employment Service.

No. 280.—Railroad Retirement—Benefit Payments Certified to the Secretary of the Treasury, by Class of Benefit: 1936 to 1945

[In thousands]

CALENDAR YEAR	Total benefits	Employee annuities	Survivor annuities	Death-benefit annuities	Lump-sum death payments	Pensions
Cumulative through Dec. 1945	$1,039,925	$807,210	$20,504	$5,084	$24,664	$182,463
1936	685	684	1	1		
1937	40,446	20,682	153	291		19,319
1938	98,439	66,371	627	756	291	30,395
1939	110,659	79,816	844	606	1,926	27,465
1940	118,111	89,695	995	454	2,497	24,471
1941	124,892	98,169	1,133	425	3,421	21,743
1942	128,523	103,501	1,232	371	4,114	19,304
1943	133,059	108,792	1,354	350	5,560	17,004
1944	138,062	115,083	1,441	323	6,591	14,624
1945	147,050	124,417	12,723	1,508	264	8,138

Source: Railroad Retirement Board. Monthly figures appear in The Monthly Review.

No. 281.—Railroad Retirement—Annuities and Pensions by Class—Number of Payments Initially Certified, Terminated by Death, and in Force: 1937 to 1945

[Figures for initial certifications are for period during which payment was first certified and not for period during which annuity began to accrue. Figures for terminations by death are for period during which notice of death was received and not for period during which beneficiary died. Cumulative figures exclude claims declared ineligible, erroneous certifications, and erroneous reports of death. In force figures as of any date include only certifications made up to that date, less terminations by death reported by that date; they are also adjusted for recertifications, reinstatements, and terminations other than by death (suspension, return to service, recovery from disability, and commutation to lump-sum payment), items which are not shown in this table]

CLASS	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Initial certifications, total	39,501	49,883	28,267	23,817	20,940	16,219	19,029	19,678	24,213
Employee annuities	37,722	46,840	26,070	22,145	19,466	14,924	17,739	18,562	23,242
Pensions	591	236	39	35	23	43	1	4	
Survivor annuities	351	1,043	741	542	468	396	429	387	334
Death-benefit annuities [1]	837	1,764	1,417	1,095	983	856	860	725	637
Terminations by death, total	8,424	11,746	12,970	13,217	13,509	13,645	14,345	14,980	14,521
Employee annuities	1,044	5,423	7,034	7,835	8,514	9,168	10,142	10,790	11,153
Pensions	2,116	4,659	4,450	4,253	3,873	3,454	3,217	3,240	2,514
Survivor annuities	3	23	48	71	81	83	111	135	152
Death-benefit annuities [1]	261	1,641	1,438	1,058	1,041	940	875	815	702
In force at end of period, total	86,632	123,630	138,820	149,241	156,513	158,758	163,161	167,752	177,289
Employee annuities	39,375	79,624	98,551	112,710	123,498	128,921	136,245	143,908	155,828
Pensions	46,326	41,931	37,514	33,268	29,424	26,015	22,788	19,553	17,047
Survivor annuities	353	1,372	2,064	2,535	2,919	3,230	3,545	3,797	3,981
Death-benefit annuities [1]	578	703	691	728	672	592	583	494	433

[1] In a few cases payments are made to more than 1 survivor on account of the death of a single individual. Such payments are here counted as single items. Terminations include those by death and by expiration of 12-month period for which death-benefit annuities are payable. Practically all terminations are of the latter type.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board. Monthly figures appear in The Monthly Review.

No. 282.—Railroad Retirement—Employee Annuities Certified Through December 1944: Number and Percent, by Class of Employer, by Occupational Group for Class I Railroads, and by Type of Annuity

[Percentages in first two columns computed vertically; others, horizontally]

Class of employer and occupational group [1]	Total		Age annuities beginning—				Disability annuities based on—			
			At age 65 or over		Before age 65		30 years of service		Less than 30 years of service	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
CLASS OF EMPLOYER										
Total	205,122	100.0	149,950	73.1	11,103	5.4	32,111	15.7	11,958	5.8
Class I railroads	184,062	89.7	134,199	72.9	9,847	5.3	20,424	16.0	10,592	5.8
Class II and class III railroads	3,151	1.5	2,255	71.6	226	7.2	491	15.6	179	5.7
Class I switching and terminal companies	4,508	2.2	3,425	76.0	216	4.8	604	13.4	263	5.8
Switching and terminal companies, other than class I [2]	2,053	1.0	1,654	80.6	102	5.0	195	9.5	102	5.0
Electric railroads	2,553	1.2	1,929	75.6	238	9.3	211	8.3	175	6.9
Express companies	3,984	1.9	2,975	74.7	222	5.6	541	13.6	246	6.2
Pullman Company	2,307	1.1	1,699	73.6	84	3.6	259	11.2	265	11.5
Car-loan companies	522	.3	424	81.2	21	4.0	37	7.1	40	7.7
Railroads in Alaska and Hawaii	112	.1	87	77.7	9	8.0	8	7.1	8	7.1
Railway associations	445	.2	357	80.2	30	6.7	38	8.5	20	4.5
National labor organizations	652	.3	359	55.1	34	5.2	233	35.7	26	4.0
Miscellaneous employers	766	.4	583	76.1	74	9.7	69	9.0	40	5.2
Employee representatives	7	[3]	4	57.1	-------	-------	1	14.3	2	28.6
OCCUPATIONAL GROUP FOR CLASS I RAILROADS										
Total	184,062	100.0	134,199	72.9	9,847	5.3	29,424	16.0	10,592	5.8
Executives, supervisors, and professionals	12,956	7.0	9,375	72.4	1,016	7.8	2,412	18.6	153	1.2
Station agents and telegraphers	9,442	5.1	6,582	69.7	715	7.6	1,961	20.8	184	1.9
Clerks and junior office employees	9,784	5.3	6,929	70.8	667	6.8	1,755	17.9	433	4.4
Train-and-engine-service employees:										
Engineers and conductors	33,148	18.0	23,272	70.2	1,735	5.2	7,669	23.1	472	1.4
Firemen, brakemen, switchmen, hostlers, etc.	17,313	9.4	10,439	60.3	1,222	7.1	4,569	26.4	1,083	6.3
Gang foremen	11,521	6.3	8,443	73.3	873	7.6	1,859	16.1	346	3.0
Skilled way and structures employees	4,851	2.6	3,671	75.7	251	5.2	571	11.8	358	7.4
Skilled shop employees	29,292	15.9	21,413	73.1	1,661	5.7	4,094	14.0	2,124	7.3
Helpers and apprentices	11,001	6.0	8,498	77.2	374	3.4	988	9.0	1,141	10.4
Way and structures laborers	14,821	8.1	11,327	76.4	472	3.2	1,274	8.6	1,748	11.8
Shop and stores laborers	9,817	5.3	7,796	79.4	265	2.7	703	7.2	1,053	10.7
Station, platform, and yard laborers	6,128	3.3	4,896	79.9	192	3.1	500	8.2	540	8.8
All other employees	13,988	7.6	11,558	82.6	404	2.9	1,069	7.6	957	6.8

[1] Refers to last employer and to last occupation.
[2] Includes stockyard, bridge, dock, and warehouse companies.
[3] Less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; not published elsewhere.

No. 283.—Railroad Retirement—Number of Employees, by Age, and by Class of Employer and Occupational Group: 1942

Class of employer and occupational group	Total employees	Age in 1942					
		Under 20 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 to 44 years
Total	2,468,933	191,941	310,608	281,466	260,108	261,516	280,625
Class I railroads, total	2,108,304	161,864	267,061	236,266	215,970	220,401	238,322
Executives, supervisors, and professionals	85,765	750	1,945	2,687	4,202	7,565	12,287
Station agents and telegraphers	53,189	1,398	2,961	2,085	2,447	4,040	6,062
Clerks and junior office employees	172,546	14,832	23,604	16,257	16,877	21,605	25,710
Train and engine service employees:							
Engineers and conductors	100,105	89	667	1,322	1,067	2,932	7,452
Firemen, brakemen, switchmen, and hostlers	268,511	3,865	32,071	48,571	30,246	25,334	31,039
Gang foremen	49,949	264	601	1,574	3,866	5,921	7,085
Skilled way and structures employees	42,927	908	2,691	4,034	5,206	6,184	6,058
Skilled shop employees	175,924	518	3,222	7,469	12,024	19,471	27,401
Helpers and apprentices	162,620	15,733	29,829	23,537	19,296	17,530	15,441
Extra gang laborers	217,135	29,329	43,363	26,851	23,509	21,779	21,079
Other way and structures laborers	303,565	29,593	46,294	40,153	41,184	38,343	33,620
Shop and stores laborers	179,227	25,566	33,214	26,580	23,034	18,816	15,639
Station, platform, and yard laborers	146,642	22,030	26,611	19,128	16,819	15,174	13,427
All others	[1] 150,199	16,989	19,988	16,018	16,193	15,707	16,022
Other than Class I railroads	360,629	30,077	43,547	45,200	44,138	41,115	42,303

Class of employer and occupational group	Age in 1942						
	45 to 49 years	50 to 54 years	55 to 59 years	60 to 64 years	65 to 70 years	70 years and over	Unknown
Total	262,356	240,508	184,926	120,805	46,418	10,199	17,457
Class I railroads, total	226,092	210,262	163,451	106,677	40,499	8,420	13,019
Executives, supervisors, and professionals	14,015	14,921	13,367	8,854	3,893	1,152	127
Station agents and telegraphers	8,047	9,819	8,235	5,076	2,190	706	123
Clerks and junior office employees	19,774	14,531	9,555	5,974	2,772	610	445
Train and engine service employees:							
Engineers and conductors	13,253	20,710	23,674	19,411	7,999	1,414	115
Firemen, brakemen, switchmen, and hostlers	34,051	30,352	18,678	9,659	2,730	370	1,545
Gang foremen	7,666	8,419	7,303	4,987	1,951	265	47
Skilled way and structures employees	5,503	5,164	3,700	2,419	831	55	174
Skilled shop employees	29,280	29,522	24,621	16,149	5,380	722	145
Helpers and apprentices	13,524	11,107	8,382	5,931	1,864	321	125
Extra gang laborers	18,418	15,326	8,784	4,200	1,173	250	3,074
Other way and structures laborers	25,501	20,148	14,135	8,711	2,464	431	2,988
Shop and stores laborers	11,780	9,803	7,151	4,572	1,893	496	683
Station, platform, and yard laborers	11,227	8,326	6,061	3,800	1,508	419	2,112
All others	14,053	12,114	9,805	6,934	3,851	1,209	1,316
Other than Class I railroads	36,264	30,246	21,475	14,128	5,919	1,779	4,438

[1] Includes 7,431 employees in unknown occupations.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; not published elsewhere.

No. 284.—Number of Employees, by Amount of Credited Compensation: 1942

[Includes employees covered under Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts for whom wages were reported by subject employers. Some of these employees also had wages taxable under Federal Insurance Contributions Act and are therefore included in preceding tables on old-age and survivors insurance. The earnings in this table include wages and salaries, commissions, back pay, and payments for time lost as an employee, reported by subject employers; however, the excess over $300 in any one calendar month for an employee is excluded.]

Annual credited compensation	Employees			Annual credited compensation	Employees		
	Total		With 12 months of service		Total		With 12 months of service
	Number	Percent			Number	Percent	
Under $50	276,802	11.2	626	$1,700–$1,799	56,651	2.3	46,557
$50–$99	140,165	5.7	560	$1,800–$1,899	60,318	2.4	51,449
$100–$149	98,642	4.0	660	$1,900–$1,999	61,573	2.5	54,150
$150–$199	77,062	3.1	779	$2,000–$2,199	130,841	5.3	119,099
$200–$299	120,581	4.9	1,070	$2,200–$2,399	140,220	5.7	132,458
$300–$399	95,407	3.9	1,268	$2,400–$2,599	122,120	4.9	116,814
$400–$499	76,327	3.1	956	$2,600–$2,799	99,405	4.0	95,959
$500–$599	63,411	2.6	1,174	$2,800–$2,999	78,490	3.2	76,495
$600–$699	54,788	2.2	1,698	$3,000–$3,199	63,709	2.6	63,047
$700–$799	48,962	2.0	2,782	$3,200–$3,399	52,186	2.1	51,676
$800–$899	45,942	1.9	4,581	$3,400–$3,599	54,847	2.2	54,847
$900–$999	45,421	1.8	8,501	$3,600	37,747	1.5	37,747
$1,000–$1,099	48,818	2.0	18,092				
$1,100–$1,199	53,250	2.1	27,186	Total	2,468,933	100.0	1,153,931
$1,200–$1,299	51,480	2.1	29,742	Percent of total by service months	100.0	------	46.7
$1,300–$1,399	57,256	2.3	38,682				
$1,400–$1,499	53,504	2.2	37,486	Average compensation per employee	$1,317	------	$2,287
$1,500–$1,599	51,050	2.1	37,397				
$1,600–$1,699	51,958	2.1	40,393				

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; statistical tables.

No. 285.—Railroad Retirement and Survivor Benefits—Net Amount and Percent of Total Certified to the Treasury in Fiscal Year 1945, by State of Residence of Beneficiary

[In thousands. Data estimated on basis of State distribution of monthly benefit payments in force on Dec. 31, 1944, and of lump-sum death benefits initially certified in calendar year 1944 at time of certification]

State	Amount	Percent	State	Amount	Percent
Total	$142,528	100.0	Alabama	$1,614	1.1
			Oregon	1,419	1.0
Pennsylvania	18,565	13.0	Arkansas	1,356	1.0
New York	10,890	7.6	North Carolina	1,303	.9
Illinois	10,453	7.3	Louisiana	1,200	.8
Ohio	9,660	6.8			
California	9,083	6.4	Mississippi	1,091	.8
			Oklahoma	1,080	.8
Indiana	5,652	4.0	Connecticut	1,011	.7
New Jersey	4,965	3.5	Maine	921	.6
Missouri	4,867	3.4	Montana	795	.6
Texas	4,536	3.2			
Michigan	3,913	2.7	South Carolina	723	.5
			Utah	641	.4
Minnesota	3,901	2.7	New Hampshire	623	.4
Iowa	3,721	2.6	Delaware	620	.4
Virginia	3,249	2.3	Vermont	514	.4
Wisconsin	3,234	2.3			
Florida	3,123	2.2	Arizona	485	.3
			District of Columbia	457	.3
Kansas	3,007	2.1	New Mexico	449	.3
Massachusetts	2,990	2.1	Idaho	428	.3
Kentucky	2,615	1.8	North Dakota	395	.3
Tennessee	2,544	1.8			
Maryland	2,543	1.8	South Dakota	373	.3
			Wyoming	327	.2
Washington	2,436	1.7	Rhode Island	308	.2
West Virginia	2,115	1.5	Nevada	176	.1
Georgia	1,942	1.4			
Colorado	1,778	1.2			
Nebraska	1,656	1.2	Outside continental United States [1]	784	.6

[1] Includes $20,000 for Hawaii and $15,000 for Alaska.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board, Annual Report.

No. 286.—Railroad Unemployment Insurance—Summary of Operations Through June 1945

Fiscal year and month	Applications for certificates of benefit rights received [1]	Certificates of benefit rights issued [1]	Claims received [2]	Benefit payments certified [3]		Number of accounts opened [4]	Number of accounts exhausted [4]
				Number	Amount		
1939–40	210,823	204,017	1,441,213	1,000,682	$14,809,692	160,735	29,298
1940–41	181,157	177,214	1,257,822	999,498	17,699,137	162,164	26,652
1941–42	90,151	87,790	517,394	448,226	8,890,442	75,984	11,368
1942–43	21,816	20,864	100,826	79,397	1,752,768	16,061	2,512
1943–44	6,839	6,422	27,495	20,858	547,041	4,760	434
1944–45	8,959	8,595	34,874	27,219	727,697	5,792	626
1944							
July	854	638	1,330	771	19,872	337	32
August	572	653	1,813	1,372	36,680	515	3
September	471	462	1,852	1,470	40,068	325	
October	556	598	2,183	1,687	46,284	364	1
November	1,441	1,016	2,464	1,866	49,910	377	4
December	1,518	1,438	4,529	2,724	69,758	880	107
1945							
January	780	1,129	4,857	4,214	111,218	991	61
February	519	510	3,998	3,597	97,543	495	63
March	576	541	4,233	3,588	98,594	380	83
April	381	402	3,136	2,543	66,899	361	97
May	821	686	2,267	1,748	47,525	318	100
June	470	522	2,212	1,639	43,346	449	75

[1] An application for a certificate of benefit rights is submitted when an unemployed worker applies for unemployment insurance benefits for the first time with respect to a benefit year. A certificate of benefit rights is issued to each employee who has filed an application for such a certificate and who has had sufficient earnings from a railroad employer in the base year to qualify for unemployment insurance benefits. Data apply to unemployment in the current year in 1939–40, 1940–41, and 1941–42, and unemployment in the current or prior year beginning with 1942–43.

[2] A claim is prepared for each period beginning with a day of unemployment. The period prior to Nov. 1, 1940, comprised 15 consecutive days, and 14 consecutive days after Nov. 1, 1940. It contains registrations for each day of unemployment in the period and is submitted at the end of the period. Claims are received even where there are insufficient days of unemployment for the payment of benefits.

[3] Adjusted for payment of underpayments, recovery of overpayments and erroneous payments. On claims applying to 15-day periods begun prior to Nov. 1, 1940, benefit payments were certified for qualified claimants who had served their waiting period if the claimant registered for at least 8 days of unemployment; the amount of the certification is the product of the daily benefit amount and the number of days of unemployment in excess of 7. On claims applying to 14-day periods begun on or after Nov. 1, 1940, a benefit payment is certified for qualified claimants who had served their waiting period if the claimant registered for at least 5 days of unemployment, the amount certified being the product of the daily benefit amount and the number of days of unemployment in excess of 4. In addition, benefits are certified on waiting-period claims, if the number of days of unemployment in such period is 8 or more; on such claims the benefit is calculated as the product of the daily benefit amount and the number of days of unemployment in excess of 7. Benefit rates and the total number of days for which benefits may be paid were also increased by the 1940 amendments.

[4] An account is opened with the first benefit payment in a benefit year. A benefit account was exhausted, prior to Nov. 1, 1940, upon payment of benefits for 80 compensable days of unemployment, since then, for 100 compensable days of unemployment. Data cover all operations for the year, regardless of the time at which unemployment occurred. Data for 1940–41 adjusted for comparability to include all beneficiaries receiving benefits for unemployment in the current year by June 30.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board. Data are published currently in The Monthly Review.

No. 287.—Railroad Unemployment Insurance—Number and Amount of Benefit Payments Certified by State of Residence of Beneficiary: July 1, 1944–December 31, 1944

STATE	Number	Amount	STATE	Number	Amount
Total	21,962	$582,300	Nebraska	441	$14,988
			Nevada	74	2,446
Alabama	417	12,237	New Hampshire	24	434
Arizona	56	1,711	New Jersey	238	5,989
Arkansas	313	9,158	New Mexico	55	1,324
California	509	14,023			
Colorado	572	16,020	New York	1,080	25,932
			North Carolina	247	6,018
Connecticut	56	1,501	North Dakota	98	2,391
Delaware	10	210	Ohio	468	11,663
District of Columbia	26	618	Oklahoma	249	6,571
Florida	238	5,989			
Georgia	565	15,383	Oregon	102	3,388
			Pennsylvania	1,365	32,450
Idaho	156	4,646	Rhode Island	16	522
Illinois	984	22,238	South Carolina	351	10,853
Indiana	360	6,982	South Dakota	77	1,945
Iowa	411	11,138			
Kansas	324	9,265	Tennessee	1,072	27,043
			Texas	924	25,057
Kentucky	869	24,367	Utah	87	2,633
Louisiana	456	12,770	Vermont	29	509
Maine	64	1,533	Virginia	304	7,317
Maryland	184	4,018			
Massachusetts	149	4,114	Washington	29	636
			West Virginia	127	3,185
Michigan	934	26,356	Wisconsin	973	26,614
Minnesota	3,852	103,987	Wyoming	173	5,431
Mississippi	726	17,358			
Missouri	920	25,771	Outside continental United States	38	757
Montana	170	4,807			

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; published in part in Social Security Yearbook.

No. 288.—Railroad Retirement Board Employment Service—Placements in Railroad Jobs and Clearances, by Benefit Year, 1943–44 and 1944–45, and by Month, 1944–45

PERIOD	PLACEMENTS IN RAILROAD JOBS [1]			1-day placements	Clearances
	Total	Primary	Supplementary		
1943–44	529,651	[2] 485,970	43,681	60,978	[3]
1944–45	646,073	564,425	81,648	542,729	199,160
1944					
July	58,365	52,132	[4] 6,233	10,500	[4] 4,000
August	59,167	51,633	[4] 7,534	16,131	[4] 7,500
September	52,696	45,715	[4] 6,981	23,542	[4] 11,400
October	50,754	44,978	[4] 5,776	31,170	[4] 11,400
November	52,223	45,987	[4] 6,236	40,115	[4] 11,400
December	59,575	53,327	[4] 6,248	75,581	[4] 11,400
1945					
January	56,831	46,345	[4] 10,486	50,684	17,031
February	47,700	43,031	4,669	42,185	14,620
March	51,453	43,832	7,621	61,055	21,238
April	46,617	40,523	6,094	60,515	23,452
May	50,691	44,229	6,462	58,737	29,155
June	60,001	52,693	7,308	72,514	36,564

[1] Excludes 1-day placements and placements of individuals referred by the U. S. Employment Service to railroad employers.
[2] Includes an unknown number of clearances under War Manpower Commission regulations of workers who applied for jobs at employer offices.
[3] Data not available.
[4] Estimated.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board. Data are published currently in The Monthly Review.

No. 289.—Public Assistance—Recipients of Assistance and Amount of Assistance Payments, by States and Territories: December 1945

[Figures in italics for aid to dependent children and aid to the blind represent programs administered without Federal participation]

State and territory	Recipients of assistance					Assistance to recipients (thousands)				
	Special types of public assistance				Cases receiving general assistance	Total	Special types of public assistance			General assistance
	Old-age assistance	Aid to dependent children		Aid to the blind			Old-age assistance	Aid to dependent children	Aid to the blind	
		Families	Children							
Total	2,055,851	274,300	701,803	71,453	[1] 256,000	[1] $88,429	$63,361	$14,278	$2,395	[1] $8,394
Alabama	34,076	5,704	15,864	791	3,527	740	529	148	13	51
Alaska	1,341	47	146	------	254	61	52	3	------	6
Arizona	9,505	1,491	4,315	467	2,088	515	368	60	22	66
Arkansas	25,801	3,975	10,541	1,136	[2] 2,613	586	428	106	21	[2] 31
California	159,565	6,762	17,031	5,501	14,367	9,044	7,570	583	319	572
Colorado	40,408	3,311	9,111	442	3,214	1,994	1,676	199	16	104
Connecticut	14,239	2,293	5,724	[3] 135	2,958	872	563	195	[3] 6	108
Delaware	1,213	287	828	9	374	55	22	23	[4]	10
District of Columbia	2,317	676	2,131	193	737	165	82	46	8	30
Florida	42,623	[3] 6,319	[3] 15,704	2,306	[5] 3,600	1,584	1,261	[3] 215	71	[5] 37
Georgia	66,642	3,996	10,060	2,016	2,796	951	784	101	29	37
Hawaii	1,461	536	1,639	62	594	94	36	36	2	21
Idaho	9,699	1,228	3,346	199	[6] 486	403	314	70	3	[6] 11
Illinois	122,525	20,120	48,633	5,095	20,218	6,298	4,078	1,276	177	767
Indiana	54,354	6,026	14,183	1,926	[7] 7,294	1,870	1,417	223	57	[7] 173
Iowa	48,694	3,182	8,081	1,209	4,020	1,837	1,598	105	45	90
Kansas	28,465	3,027	7,727	1,046	3,413	1,166	863	161	34	108
Kentucky	46,066	[3] 5,223	[3] 14,081	1,556	[5] 1,600	693	534	[3] 112	20	[5] 26
Louisiana	36,910	9,079	23,488	1,364	6,810	1,391	857	356	36	143
Maine	14,950	1,410	3,976	808	2,052	650	452	98	25	74
Maryland	11,557	3,272	9,440	432	5,858	675	329	125	14	208
Massachusetts	75,900	7,488	18,634	1,008	12,901	4,515	3,350	637	46	481
Michigan	86,527	13,966	33,599	1,274	16,583	4,539	2,838	952	46	703
Minnesota	54,278	4,665	11,800	948	5,281	2,226	1,772	243	37	173
Mississippi	26,791	3,063	7,997	1,459	346	547	431	80	33	3
Missouri	101,589	12,205	32,106	*2,817*	[2] 8,632	3,378	2,658	435	[8] *85*	[2] 200
Montana	10,719	1,283	3,307	337	1,188	449	344	65	12	28
Nebraska	23,967	[3] 2,213	[3] 5,251	435	1,847	956	762	[3] 136	14	44
Nevada	1,936	*64*	*126*	*29*	250	83	75	*2*	*1*	6
New Hampshire	6,579	837	2,143	278	1,165	304	201	59	9	35
New Jersey	23,189	3,327	8,460	532	[7] 4,911	1,163	757	208	18	[7] 180
New Mexico	6,162	2,610	6,883	236	[2] 1,391	319	190	97	7	[2] 25
New York	103,851	24,592	59,981	3,036	35,401	7,766	3,930	2,007	128	1,700
North Carolina	32,974	6,164	16,446	2,427	2,762	694	447	165	49	32
North Dakota	8,640	1,374	3,816	109	649	390	293	77	4	17
Ohio	117,107	7,638	20,867	3,041	12,915	4,564	3,621	439	85	419
Oklahoma	81,956	16,306	39,668	1,898	[9] 5,048	3,575	2,885	570	69	52
Oregon	20,528	1,234	3,018	374	4,159	1,101	792	101	18	190
Pennsylvania	83,871	25,796	68,411	*12,985*	21,333	5,393	2,585	1,698	*516*	593
Rhode Island	7,426	1,510	3,870	108	1,985	446	257	103	4	82
South Carolina	21,977	3,875	11,347	969	3,185	502	349	89	20	44
South Dakota	12,712	1,487	3,646	209	722	415	337	57	5	17
Tennessee	37,967	11,208	29,551	1,548	[5] 1,600	1,000	612	342	31	[5] 14
Texas	173,690	9,969	22,296	4,542	[5] 2,900	4,620	4,244	213	114	[5] 49
Utah	12,797	1,884	5,068	134	1,439	701	497	139	5	60
Vermont	5,149	577	1,507	166	858	169	120	20	5	23
Virginia	14,971	3,610	10,798	960	3,037	415	225	120	18	52
Washington	62,689	4,068	10,048	596	8,107	3,974	3,160	386	34	394
West Virginia	18,413	7,205	20,147	812	4,076	614	309	222	16	67
Wisconsin	45,652	5,826	14,136	1,377	4,608	1,896	1,373	356	42	125
Wyoming	3,433	292	827	116	326	167	134	17	5	11

[1] Partly estimated; total not as large as sum of State figures because of adjustment for 3 States. See footnotes 6 and 8. [2] Excludes some cases and local funds not administered by State agency.

[3] Excludes program administered without Federal participation. [4] Less than $500. [5] Estimated.

[6] Excludes assistance in kind and cases receiving assistance in kind only and, for a few counties, cash payments and cases receiving cash payments. Amount of payments shown represents approximately 60 percent of total.

[7] Includes unknown number of cases receiving medical care, hospitalization, and burial only, and total payments for these services.

[8] Represents statutory monthly pension of $30 per recipient; excludes payments for other than a month.

[9] Represents 1,793 cases aided by county commissioners, and 3,255 cases aided under program administered by State Board of Welfare; amount of duplication believed to be large.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Public Assistance. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 290.—Public Assistance—Federal Grants to States for Public Assistance, Fiscal Years 1942–45, and by States and Territories, Fiscal Year 1944–45

[In thousands. Advances certified from appropriations in specified fiscal year]

State and fiscal year	Total	Old-age assistance	Aid to dependent children	Aid to the blind
1941–42	374,684	297,357	69,381	7,947
1942–43	395,626	319,176	67,927	8,523
1943–44	404,942	340,776	54,402	9,764
1944–45	409,985	345,738	53,891	10,355
Alabama	3,932	3,114	739	79
Alaska	256	256	(1)	(1)
Arizona	2,800	2,328	360	112
Arkansas	4,091	3,147	797	147
California	41,538	38,478	1,684	1,376
Colorado	10,275	9,348	807	121
Connecticut	3,148	2,749	374	26
Delaware	213	137	76	(1)
District of Columbia	638	461	128	50
Florida	8,140	6,879	844	418
Georgia	5,654	4,803	653	199
Hawaii	362	203	147	12
Idaho	2,220	1,882	294	43
Illinois	27,995	22,924	3,909	1,161
Indiana	10,642	8,876	1,330	436
Iowa	9,404	8,619	529	256
Kansas	5,730	4,895	617	219
Kentucky	4,404	3,668	611	126
Louisiana	7,677	5,139	2,291	247
Maine	2,950	2,558	239	152
Maryland	2,755	1,999	668	88
Massachusetts	18,359	16,476	1,665	218
Michigan	18,639	15,496	2,883	260
Minnesota	11,572	10,233	1,133	207
Mississippi	3,251	2,627	449	175
Missouri	17,012	14,631	2,382	(1)
Montana	2,526	2,163	298	65
Nebraska	4,637	4,053	503	81
Nevada	461	461	(1)	(1)
New Hampshire	1,349	1,151	146	53
New Jersey	4,946	4,067	763	116
New Mexico	1,626	1,062	514	50
New York	26,243	20,477	5,031	736
North Carolina	3,683	2,424	970	289
North Dakota	2,048	1,654	368	26
Ohio	23,815	21,412	1,839	563
Oklahoma	16,774	13,515	2,903	356
Oregon	4,709	4,340	283	86
Pennsylvania	20,363	14,877	5,486	(1)
Rhode Island	1,651	1,416	218	18
South Carolina	2,481	1,840	523	117
South Dakota	2,202	1,873	300	30
Tennessee	6,279	3,934	2,150	194
Texas	25,917	23,820	1,367	729
Utah	3,345	2,863	450	31
Vermont	780	640	111	29
Virginia	1,952	1,193	637	122
Washington	15,304	14,377	779	148
West Virginia	3,586	2,078	1,397	111
Wisconsin	8,881	7,455	1,177	249
Wyoming	767	669	71	26

[1] No approved plan in operation.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Public Assistance; Annual Report of the Social Security Board.

No. 291.—Civil Service Retirement Act—Annuities and Lump-Sum Payments: 1935 to 1945

[Dollar amounts in thousands. See general note, p. 234]

June 30 or year ended June 30—	Annuities [1]					Lump-sum payments					
	Number certified	Number terminated	Number in force		Annual value	Separated employees [2]		Deceased employees [3]		Deceased annuitants [4]	
			Total	Disability		Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1935	6,864	2,907	48,665	9,886	$48,082	12,518	([5])	2,455	([5])	1,439	([5])
1936	5,783	3,242	51,206	10,877	50,427	11,892	$2,597	3,111	$2,702	1,867	$1,166
1937	5,481	3,381	53,306	12,044	52,282	14,403	3,059	2,976	2,866	2,084	1,303
1938	6,153	3,329	56,130	13,340	54,887	18,252	3,783	3,021	3,135	2,283	1,405
1939	5,706	3,541	58,385	14,315	57,074	14,800	2,727	2,871	3,155	2,242	1,405
1940	7,267	3,625	62,027	15,294	59,879	15,183	2,857	2,812	3,723	2,145	1,483
1941	8,223	4,132	66,118	16,768	63,468	21,100	3,618	3,738	4,290	2,775	1,726
1942	7,504	4,443	69,179	18,032	66,456	45,592	5,596	3,780	3,904	2,611	1,686
1943	9,679	4,886	73,972	19,602	71,450	111,363	7,178	6,312	4,987	2,658	2,003
1944	10,041	5,659	78,354	21,158	75,653	390,284	21,536	9,061	5,155	2,915	2,263
1945	12,380	5,511	85,225	23,389	82,346	900,858	62,377	16,374	7,441	3,062	2,476

[1] Through June 30, 1940, data relate entirely to employees retired voluntarily or involuntarily under various age and length of service requirements and to employees with at least 5 years of service who became totally disabled for the position occupied prior to eligibility for retirement. Beginning Jan. 1, 1940, employees may elect a joint and survivor annuity; the number of survivor annuities in force as of June 30 increased from 26 in 1941 to 214 in 1945. Beginning Jan. 24, 1942, employees with at least 5 years of service who separate voluntarily or involuntarily prior to eligibility for retirement may obtain a deferred annuity at age 62; such annuitants increased from 5 as of June 30, 1942, to 2,104 as of June 30, 1945.

[2] Through Jan. 23, 1942, data relate to refunds of amounts to employees' credit in the fund paid to employees who were not eligible for an annuity or, if eligible, elected to take a refund. Beginning Jan. 24, 1942, data relate to refunds for service prior to Jan. 24, 1942, for employees separated on or after that date with at least 5 years of service and refunds to employees separated on or after that date with less than 5 years of service.

[3] Data relate to refunds of amounts to employees' credit paid to designated or other beneficiaries of employees who died while in service or after separation.

[4] Beginning Sept. 1, 1934, data relate primarily to refunds of balance of amount to annuitants' credit at time of death paid to designated or other beneficiaries of annuitants. Included also are refunds to disability annuitants whose entitlement to an annuity was terminated.

[5] Not available.

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual Retirement Report.

No. 292.—Canal Zone and Alaska Railroad Retirement Acts—Annuities and Lump-Sum Payments: 1935 to 1945

[See general note, p. 234]

June 30 or year ended June 30—	Annuities					Lump-sum payments					
	Number certified	Number terminated	Number in force		Annual value	Separated employees		Deceased employees		Deceased annuitants	
			Total	Disability		Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
	Canal Zone Retirement Act										
1935	48	14	366	108	$482,356	93	([1])	14	([1])	8	([1])
1936	54	18	402	121	531,103	98	$34,821	24	$33,658	10	$7,928
1937	84	28	458	135	602,171	84	36,882	14	27,133	18	17,020
1938	80	31	507	139	682,356	168	72,968	11	19,002	25	27,615
1939	86	15	578	155	776,155	131	54,773	26	39,573	11	14,933
1940	72	39	611	164	819,966	126	35,679	28	39,416	25	26,390
1941	90	29	672	189	904,840	514	96,415	27	56,617	29	27,611
1942	56	34	694	191	944,328	1,094	238,785	19	32,290	22	30,109
1943	88	47	735	211	1,019,684	1,345	282,515	23	44,306	20	26,012
1944	94	44	785	232	1,122,944	1,678	327,476	36	55,571	22	23,425
1945	114	52	847	256	1,228,335	1,091	264,857	26	27,776	24	38,396
	Alaska Railroad Retirement Act										
1937	32	------	32	1	37,159	2	8	2	22	------	------
1938	19	3	48	7	50,526	213	6,565	2	241	3	1,299
1939	14	3	59	11	58,937	90	7,316	5	1,363	2	2,339
1940	14	5	68	13	66,816	71	10,699	9	3,589	7	6,562
1941	16	3	81	18	79,399	90	15,060	6	2,480	3	2,798
1942	18	5	94	21	92,537	29	5,517	4	3,850	2	1,214
1943	16	5	105	24	101,924	212	33,445	6	1,184	5	4,422
1944	23	10	118	28	118,207	261	62,617	6	6,225	3	1,289
1945	10	3	125	28	126,107	186	41,354	11	8,232	2	2,116

[1] Not available.

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual Retirement Report.

No. 293.—Civil Service Retirement Act—Distribution of Annuitants on the Roll by Amount of Annuity and Last Occupation

Amount of annuity	Number of annuitants as of June 30		Occupation [1]	Number of annuitants as of June 30	
	1944	1945		1943	1944
Total	78,354	85,225	Total	73,972	78,354
Under $300	3,074	3,849	Clerical, technical, and administrative employees	19,297	21,833
$300–$599	9,717	10,879	Mechanics	12,355	13,077
$600–$899	15,833	16,827	City letter carriers	10,570	10,974
$900–$1,199	18,557	19,691	Rural letter carriers	10,415	10,545
$1,200	26,582	27,510	Post-office clerks	8,848	9,183
$1,201–$1,499	2,987	4,053	Railway postal clerks	4,863	4,844
$1,500–$1,799	772	1,146	Laborers	5,560	5,714
$1,800–$2,099	345	524	Employees in tropical service or hazardous jobs	1,128	1,172
$2,100 and over	487	746	Indian field service	844	864
Average annuity	$966	$966	Survivor annuitants	92	148

[1] Data not available for 1945.

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual Retirement Report.

No. 294.—Federal Retirement Systems Other Than Civil Service, for Selected Years—Beneficiaries and Benefits Paid: 1935 to 1944

[Fiscal year ended June 30]

System	Number of beneficiaries				Benefits paid (thousands of dollars)			
	1935	1940	1943	1944	1935	1940	1943	1944
Noncontributory retirement system, total	23,776	32,206	30,561	32,204	39,258	53,309	48,384	55,614
Army	14,161	15,700	[11]15,945	[11]16,980	23,444	27,121	[11]27,320	[11]32,840
Navy	6,869	12,529	10,321	10,924	11,937	19,901	14,478	15,913
Marine Corps	894	1,383	1,408	1,495	1,480	2,624	2,272	2,389
Coast Guard [2]	1,255	1,700	1,955	1,858	1,465	2,161	2,612	2,744
Lighthouse Service	524	718	808	817	513	803	915	920
Coast and Geodetic Survey	6	10	8	9	17	35	23	27
Public Health Service	47	68	72	78	176	258	278	298
Retired judges	20	[3] 38	[3] 44	[3] 43	226	[3] 406	[3] 486	[3] 483
Contributory retirement systems: [4]								
Total benefits and refunds	1,296	------	12,370	17,468	437	------	2,291	2,699
Total benefits	214	------	908	1,016	384	------	1,157	1,287
Retirement, disability, and survivor, total	155	------	811	873	211	------	949	1,006
Foreign Service	68	97	155	[5] 163	188	297	439	[5] 470
Federal Reserve banks [3]	87	521	627	671	23	365	476	500
Tennessee Valley Authority	------	1	8	15	------	(7)	2	5
Bur. Comptroller of Currency [8]	------	------	21	24	------	------	31	31
Survivor lump-sum, total [6]	59	------	97	143	173	------	209	281
Foreign Service	1	2	4	[5] 17	(7)	1	3	[5] 12
Federal Reserve banks	58	60	64	87	173	200	179	209
Tennessee Valley Authority	------	8	24	30	------	9	24	34
Bur. Comptroller of Currency	------	------	5	9	------	------	2	26
Refunds [10]	1,082	------	11,462	16,452	52	------	1,134	1,412
Foreign Service	12	14	14	[5] 11	17	43	38	[5] 31
Federal Reserve banks	1,070	1,629	7,239	11,405	36	220	651	741
Tennessee Valley Authority	------	228	4,123	4,956	------	8	408	581
Bur. Comptroller of Currency	------	------	86	80	------	------	36	59

[1] Excludes data for retired Philippine Scouts.
[2] Includes life-saving service.
[3] Includes 1 retired judge from Hawaii.
[4] Excludes system for civilian instructors of the Naval Academy.
[5] Estimated.
[6] Data for fiscal years ended Feb. 28. Board of Governors' Plan effective Jan. 1, 1944 not included.
[7] Less than $500.
[8] Data based on calendar year.
[9] Represents deceased active, and deceased retired members.
[10] Return of members' contributions and interest thereon to withdrawing members upon separation from employment and at death.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; compiled from various original sources. Annual data available, 1933–44.

No. 295.—State and Local Government Employee Retirement Systems—Extent of Coverage, by State Area: January 1942

[This table shows the percentages that number and pay rolls of employees protected by retirement systems are of total number and pay rolls of State and local public employees]

State area	Number of employees			Number of employees covered by retirement systems				Amount of monthly pay rolls		
									Covered by retirement systems	
	Total	School	Non-school	Total	Percent of all employees	School	Non-school	Total (in thousands)	Amount (in thousands)	Percent
Total	3,249,290	1,314,539	1,934,751	1,494,714	46.0	773,644	721,070	$386,497	$231,069	59.8
Alabama	47,421	24,645	22,776	2,760	5.8	-------	2,760	3,706	349	9.4
Arizona	12,304	5,063	7,241	3,951	32.1	3,500	451	1,722	675	39.2
Arkansas	32,483	18,265	14,218	12,769	39.3	12,100	669	2,143	820	38.3
California	192,970	63,567	129,403	147,468	76.4	63,567	83,901	30,744	26,426	86.0
Colorado	31,243	13,673	17,570	8,626	27.6	3,422	5,204	3,597	1,324	36.8
Connecticut	42,728	13,499	29,229	29,656	69.4	12,023	17,633	6,035	4,783	79.3
Delaware	7,208	2,863	4,345	1,065	14.8	466	599	844	185	21.9
Dist. of Col.[1]	15,369	4,369	11,000	5,700	37.1	3,230	2,470	2,485	1,367	55.0
Florida	50,119	18,261	31,858	28,090	56.0	13,190	14,900	4,999	3,106	62.1
Georgia	57,457	30,676	26,781	8,204	14.3	4,477	3,727	4,784	1,036	21.7
Idaho	13,836	6,219	7,617	-------	-------	-------	-------	1,456	-------	-------
Illinois	170,508	63,766	106,742	88,164	51.7	48,517	39,647	23,272	16,812	72.2
Indiana	80,720	37,387	43,333	25,988	32.2	21,000	4,988	8,904	3,762	42.3
Iowa	67,923	34,495	33,428	3,707	5.4	2,187	1,520	6,207	590	9.5
Kansas	57,602	27,557	30,045	16,990	29.5	15,439	1,551	4,852	1,823	37.6
Kentucky	47,794	25,629	22,165	22,414	46.9	19,864	2,550	4,201	1,999	47.6
Louisiana	59,901	26,320	33,581	20,176	33.7	17,514	2,662	5,407	2,318	42.9
Maine	26,747	9,555	17,192	13,514	50.5	6,607	6,907	2,048	1,235	60.3
Maryland	39,048	13,780	25,268	23,600	60.4	10,101	13,499	4,434	2,736	61.7
Massachusetts	116,376	34,969	81,407	76,443	65.7	23,898	52,545	15,990	12,002	75.1
Michigan	143,792	50,372	93,420	68,004	47.3	44,159	23,845	19,259	11,857	61.6
Minnesota	86,371	33,156	53,215	37,649	43.6	13,615	24,034	8,593	5,132	59.7
Mississippi	42,440	23,527	18,913	754	1.8	432	322	2,745	124	4.5
Missouri	77,897	34,121	43,776	4,248	5.5	-------	4,248	8,257	711	8.6
Montana	16,544	7,783	8,761	5,838	35.3	5,504	334	1,881	496	26.4
Nebraska	39,219	18,239	20,980	1,731	4.4	1,090	641	3,038	284	9.3
Nevada	4,135	1,528	2,607	1,002	24.2	899	103	559	174	31.1
New Hampshire	18,186	4,600	13,586	1,436	7.9	834	602	1,449	195	13.5
New Jersey	102,550	36,785	65,765	60,028	58.5	29,430	30,598	16,334	10,244	62.7
New Mexico	12,930	7,228	5,702	7,435	57.5	7,228	207	1,376	806	58.6
New York	400,997	110,099	290,898	303,500	75.7	104,615	198,885	67,684	59,901	88.5
North Carolina	65,864	35,638	30,226	2,832	4.3	-------	2,832	5,785	396	6.8
North Dakota	21,068	10,298	10,770	7,959	37.8	7,767	192	1,346	559	41.5
Ohio	175,459	67,329	108,130	128,359	73.2	59,042	69,317	20,633	15,566	75.4
Oklahoma	51,155	27,831	23,324	1,235	2.4	-------	1,235	5,099	149	2.9
Oregon	31,388	13,670	17,718	2,373	7.6	1,332	1,041	3,516	454	12.9
Pennsylvania	222,147	87,908	134,149	146,921	66.1	84,397	62,524	27,039	18,869	69.8
Rhode Island	17,753	5,840	11,913	11,031	62.1	4,257	6,774	2,226	1,619	72.7
South Carolina	37,043	20,243	16,800	1,641	4.4	260	1,381	2,971	187	6.3
South Dakota	26,823	10,020	16,803	443	1.7	-------	443	1,578	69	4.4
Tennessee	55,627	29,640	25,987	8,292	14.9	3,945	4,347	4,572	1,058	23.1
Texas	148,007	83,137	64,870	53,230	36.0	47,754	5,476	13,931	5,893	42.3
Utah	19,054	8,706	10,348	6,288	33.0	5,855	433	1,864	844	45.3
Vermont	11,021	5,600	5,421	1,168	10.6	595	573	848	113	13.3
Virginia	58,447	27,312	31,135	20,504	35.1	18,660	1,844	5,160	1,938	37.6
Washington	52,715	19,102	33,613	20,100	38.1	12,808	7,292	6,776	3,029	44.7
West Virginia	40,520	25,144	15,376	18,573	45.8	17,816	757	4,128	2,001	48.5
Wisconsin	92,011	30,755	61,256	32,520	35.3	20,170	12,350	9,181	4,998	54.4
Wyoming	8,370	4,280	4,090	335	4.0	78	257	839	55	6.6

[1] Columns on number of covered employees and amount of covered pay rolls include District employees covered by the District systems (teachers, policemen, and firemen) but exclude District employees covered by Federal Retirement System.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Special Study No. 17, Retirement Systems for State and Local Government Employees, 1941.

No. 296.—State and Local Government Employee Retirement Systems—Estimated Monthly Payments, by Beneficiary: Last Month of 1941 Fiscal Year

Governmental unit and population-size class	Number of beneficiaries				Average monthly payment per beneficiary			
	Total	Retired employees	Disabled employees	Survivors	Total	Retired employees	Disabled employees	Survivors
Total	158,265	117,176	15,036	26,053	$72	$77	$59	$54
State systems	55,723	47,985	7,083	655	60	62	42	78
State employees	4,932	4,368	478	86	69	72	46	85
Local employees	215	206	9		76	77		67
State and local employees	50,576	43,411	6,605	560	59	61	42	77
Municipalities with populations [1]	99,679	67,035	7,926	25,018	78	88	74	53
Over 1,000,000	49,874	34,140	2,932	12,802	88	103	78	52
500,000–1,000,000	14,148	10,233	1,090	2,775	75	81	71	55
250,000–500,000	14,386	9,034	1,394	3,958	64	67	68	54
100,000–250,000	10,197	6,794	1,173	2,230	70	74	74	55
25,000–100,000	8,656	5,130	807	2,659	68	74	79	54
5,000–25,000	2,235	1,517	168	550	62	64	71	56
Under 5,000	183	137	2	44	75	67	(3)	95
Counties with populations [2]	2,826	2,139	326	361	74	70	63	106
Over 250,000	2,624	1,945	319	360	75	71	64	106
100,000–250,000	94	92	1	1	59	58	(3)	(3)
50,000–100,000	61	56	5		49	46	(3)	
Under 50,000	47	46	1		45	46	(3)	
Townships	37	17	1	19	68	94	(3)	47

[1] Included with municipalities are 37 school districts and 6 special-purpose districts.
[2] Included with counties are 2 school districts.
[3] Not computed because the number and extent of systems are too restricted.

No. 297.—State and Local Government Employee Retirement Systems—Estimated Annual Contributions, Annual Benefit Payments, and Assets: 1941

[In thousands of dollars, except amounts per covered employee and per beneficiary]

Governmental unit and population-size class	Annual employee contributions		Annual governmental contributions		Annual benefit payments [1]		Assets at end of year
	Total	Per covered employee	Total		Total		
			Amount	Per covered employee	Amount	Per beneficiary	
Total	110,689	$74	158,410	$106	146,753	$927	1,785,486
State systems	60,733	65	54,885	59	42,245	758	931,175
State employees	6,895	63	3,979	37	4,234	858	52,311
Local employees	622	66	374	40	196	912	2,238
State and local employees	53,216	65	50,532	62	37,815	748	876,626
Municipalities with populations [2]	46,933	90	100,185	193	102,073	1,024	828,150
Over 1,000,000	31,902	117	58,638	216	60,154	1,206	579,834
500,000–1,000,000	5,274	82	15,209	238	13,404	947	129,183
250,000–500,000	4,271	69	9,838	158	10,987	764	52,276
100,000–250,000	2,228	44	7,759	152	9,148	897	20,925
25,000–100,000	2,365	45	6,585	124	6,629	766	31,412
5,000–25,000	825	50	2,041	123	1,616	723	13,454
Under 5,000	68	79	115	134	135	739	1,066
Counties with populations [3]	3,008	74	3,317	81	2,405	851	25,867
Over 250,000	2,875	79	3,116	86	2,289	872	25,036
100,000–250,000	59	21	93	32	56	595	337
50,000–100,000	47	47	68	67	36	584	254
Under 50,000	27	45	40	67	24	500	240
Townships	15	31	23	124	30	814	294

[1] Refunds to members withdrawing from systems are excluded. The inclusion of lump-sum or nonrecurring payments makes annual benefit payments more than 12 times monthly benefit payments from which lump-sum payments are excluded. Moreover, annual benefits reflect additions to and withdrawals from old systems, as well as creation of new systems, during year.
[2] Included with municipalities are 37 school districts and 6 special-purpose districts.
[3] Included with counties are 2 school districts.

Source of tables 296 and 297: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Special Study No. 17 Retirement systems for State and Local Government Employees, 1941.

No. 298.—State and Local Government Employee Retirement Systems—Payments and Contributions, by States: Fiscal Years 1941 and 1943

[In thousands of dollars. Data are estimated on the basis of published annual reports of some of the larger systems and financial statistics collected annually by the Governments Division, Bureau of the Census]

State	Total payments [1]		Refunds of contributions		Government contributions		Employee contributions	
	1941	1943	1941	1943	1941	1943	1941	1943
Total	165,124	202,069	18,374	33,251	157,281	196,887	114,235	124,754
Alabama	234	304	11	23	255	690	174	632
Arizona	125	152	(2)	2	147	169	9	10
Arkansas	145	284	30	79	230	649	171	456
California	11,451	15,695	1,489	3,450	14,578	16,901	10,968	11,718
Colorado	869	1,090	91	200	779	904	281	257
Connecticut	2,571	3,105	373	550	2,234	2,134	1,735	1,804
Delaware	84	121	4	11	44	68	21	65
Dist. of Columbia	1,786	2,066	101	146	1,578	1,791	533	506
Florida	564	829	32	149	785	1,083	967	1,080
Georgia	505	598	16	53	418	468	341	369
Illinois	15,643	18,930	949	1,600	11,821	13,999	7,120	8,520
Indiana	2,494	3,145	201	500	2,183	3,675	2,484	2,403
Iowa	542	630	11	20	576	692	195	207
Kansas	200	300	8	40	305	343	306	631
Kentucky	220	350	4	30	740	916	556	656
Louisiana	589	985	113	248	1,177	1,390	794	928
Maine	492	696	60	130	450	784	143	282
Maryland	2,446	3,214	462	644	2,917	3,297	1,462	1,758
Massachusetts	10,495	12,649	1,676	2,534	9,595	10,239	5,983	6,100
Michigan	5,188	6,657	428	851	3,737	6,033	3,732	5,185
Minnesota	3,367	4,235	565	1,115	2,340	2,430	2,522	2,612
Mississippi	22	27	----	2	19	23	4	5
Missouri	748	924	12	99	756	789	220	232
Montana	300	403	69	163	171	180	325	344
Nebraska	602	725	----	30	499	601	32	33
Nevada	64	87	21	37	46	52	58	60
New Hampshire	46	79	6	19	113	150	78	112
New Jersey	10,293	12,364	879	1,704	8,300	11,280	5,645	5,692
New Mexico	58	146	----	6	112	135	2	2
New York	56,528	66,298	3,510	7,468	58,262	67,129	40,564	41,260
North Carolina	78	389	2	184	140	1,784	97	1,854
North Dakota	106	100	25	25	33	40	88	136
Ohio	11,202	13,194	2,472	3,546	9,164	10,390	7,191	7,311
Oklahoma	223	262	(2)	7	212	254	28	27
Oregon	506	615	26	60	353	424	362	382
Pennsylvania	13,861	16,351	3,324	4,451	11,299	11,414	9,223	9,649
Rhode Island	1,200	1,511	95	236	1,176	1,352	589	594
South Carolina	115	167	2	7	170	200	34	40
South Dakota	12	16	(2)	1	47	58	9	9
Tennessee	1,345	1,580	12	40	531	658	216	245
Texas	702	1,465	344	700	517	4,027	2,970	3,126
Utah	328	566	84	246	298	592	444	507
Vermont	80	89	9	11	64	77	29	34
Virginia	686	940	162	300	485	1,999	204	1,230
Washington	2,078	2,645	211	515	2,049	2,265	1,820	1,954
West Virginia	451	580	3	40	764	1,848	895	968
Wisconsin	3,450	4,499	480	979	4,793	10,490	2,603	2,757
Wyoming	10	12	----	----	18	21	9	12

[1] Monthly benefits, lump-sum payments to survivors, and refunds of contributions to members leaving system; excludes administrative expenses. [2] Less than $500.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Board, Bureau of Research and Statistics; Report No. 12 (supplement).

11. Income and Expenditures

[Data in this section relate to continental United States]

No. 299.—National Income by Distributive Shares: 1929 to 1945

[National income measures the earnings of the labor and capital employed in the productive process. It includes economic activities carried on by all producing entities—corporations, partnerships, individual enterprises, and governmental agencies. It is obtained by summating all wages, salaries, net dividends, net rents, net interest, net income of proprietors, and corporate savings. Corporate savings (positive and negative) represent net profits after deduction of cash dividends and taxes]

[Millions of dollars]

TYPE OF SHARE	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
Total national income	83,326	68,858	54,479	39,963	42,322	49,455	55,719	64,924
Total compensation of employees	53,066	48,180	40,605	31,661	29,831	34,475	37,509	43,024
Total salaries and wages	52,556	47,650	40,021	31,027	28,698	32,596	35,616	39,970
Salaries and wages in private industry	47,546	42,510	34,896	26,056	24,246	27,979	30,590	34,508
Salaries and wages in governmental agencies [1]	5,010	5,140	5,125	4,971	4,452	4,617	5,026	5,462
Total supplements to salaries and wages	510	530	584	634	1,133	1,879	1,893	3,054
Work-relief wages [2]	-------	-------	59	132	656	1,387	1,329	2,155
Social Security contributions of employers [3]	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	-------	303
Other labor income [4]	510	530	525	502	477	492	564	596
Net income of incorporated business	7,194	1,723	−1,614	−3,646	−625	549	1,668	3,767
Dividends	5,944	5,634	4,280	2,727	2,193	2,725	2,931	4,655
Corporate savings	1,250	−3,911	−5,894	−6,373	−2,818	−2,176	−1,263	−888
Net income of proprietors [5]	13,630	10,018	7,264	4,849	6,549	7,526	9,476	10,870
Agriculture	5,174	3,758	2,416	1,488	2,224	2,667	4,088	4,401
Other	8,456	6,260	4,848	3,361	4,325	4,859	5,388	6,469
Interest	5,867	6,048	5,957	5,628	5,110	5,176	5,106	5,130
Net rents and royalties	3,569	2,889	2,267	1,471	1,457	1,729	1,960	2,133

TYPE OF SHARE	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Total national income	71,513	64,200	70,829	77,547	96,857	122,232	149,392	160,671	160,983
Total compensation of employees	48,262	45,105	48,075	52,288	64,489	84,087	106,348	116,045	114,534
Total salaries and wages	44,989	41,181	44,236	48,622	60,810	80,793	103,139	112,824	111,444
Salaries and wages in private industry	39,267	35,183	37,990	41,851	52,587	66,921	79,973	84,613	81,849
Salaries and wages in governmental agencies [1]	5,722	5,998	6,246	6,771	8,223	13,872	23,166	28,211	29,595
Total supplements to salaries and wages	3,273	3,924	3,839	3,666	3,679	3,294	3,209	3,221	3,090
Work-relief wages [2]	1,639	2,094	1,870	1,577	1,213	586	58	-------	-------
Social Security contributions of employers [3]	1,020	1,185	1,286	1,358	1,686	1,953	2,296	2,293	2,159
Other labor income [4]	614	645	683	731	780	755	855	928	931
Net income of incorporated business	3,943	1,658	4,228	5,844	8,519	8,740	9,842	9,908	9,000
Dividends	4,745	3,172	3,806	4,046	4,511	4,299	4,348	4,494	4,511
Corporate savings	−802	−1,514	422	1,798	4,008	4,441	5,494	5,414	4,489
Net income of proprietors [5]	11,919	10,122	11,151	11,989	15,338	20,574	23,467	24,083	25,640
Agriculture	5,086	4,013	4,291	4,362	6,278	9,703	11,875	11,763	12,545
Other	6,833	6,109	6,860	7,627	9,560	10,871	11,592	12,320	13,095
Interest	5,146	5,068	5,085	5,129	5,250	5,472	6,041	6,701	7,712
Net rents and royalties	2,243	2,247	2,290	2,324	2,761	3,359	3,694	3,934	4,097

[1] Excludes subsistence to members of the armed forces. Includes cash pay and allowances of Federal military and civilian personnel stationed outside the continental United States.

[2] Includes pay rolls and maintenance of Civilian Conservation Corps enrollees and pay rolls of Civil Works Administration, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, and Federal Works Program projects plus administrative pay rolls outside of Washington, D. C., for all except the Federal Works Program. Area office employees and their pay rolls under Federal Works Program are included with regular Federal Government employment and pay-roll figures.

[3] Includes contributions to Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Compensation Funds.

[4] Employer contributions to pension funds under private plans and under systems for government employees, compensation for industrial injuries, etc.

[5] Includes owners' remuneration for personal services and capital.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce; Survey of Current Business, April 1944 and February 1946.

No. 300.– National Income by Industrial Divisions: 1929 to 1943

[Data on dividends, interest, and corporate savings by industrial divisions for 1934 and subsequent years are based on a different industrial classification than are the estimates of these items for earlier years because of a change in the Revenue Act of 1934. Special tabulations of the Bureau of Internal Revenue permitted the making of estimates for 1934 on the earlier basis. For specific items in certain industries the variations are substantial, but for total income the changes were small]

[Millions of dollars]

INDUSTRIAL DIVISION	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943
Total national income	83,326	68,858	54,479	39,963	42,322	49,455	55,719	64,924	71,513	64,200	70,829	77,574	96,857	122,232	149,392
Agriculture	6,772	5,197	3,569	2,354	2,992	3,474	4,963	5,331	6,106	4,973	5,230	5,313	7,377	11,079	13,518
Mining, total	1,919	1,361	811	539	605	990	1,025	1,398	1,729	1,218	1,348	1,580	1,946	2,244	2,485
Anthracite coal	273	266	213	141	130	160	132	136	128	104	117	127	152	176	200
Bituminous coal	656	526	384	247	273	426	449	531	566	467	503	615	786	962	1,071
Other	990	569	214	151	202	404	444	731	1,035	647	728	838	1,008	1,106	1,214
Manufacturing, total	20,897	15,471	10,544	6,217	8,410	10,803	12,790	15,611	18,016	13,570	16,965	20,215	28,497	37,507	48,591
Food, beverages, and tobacco	2,478	2,280	1,828	1,419	1,580	1,933	2,007	2,249	2,284	2,192	2,379	2,486	2,910	3,345	3,829
Paper, printing and publishing	2,191	2,026	1,609	1,110	1,166	1,366	1,490	1,676	1,876	1,619	1,729	1,889	2,192	2,222	2,494
Textiles and leather	3,187	2,142	1,837	1,204	1,869	2,004	2,300	2,542	2,610	2,175	2,711	2,846	3,980	4,559	5,048
Construction materials and furniture	2,169	1,519	868	346	567	785	997	1,343	1,590	1,244	1,531	1,800	2,410	2,671	2,886
Chemicals and petroleum refining	1,833	1,273	759	621	753	899	1,021	1,249	1,474	1,145	1,482	1,801	2,400	2,997	3,580
Metals, machinery, and transportation equipment	8,169	5,646	3,225	1,290	2,128	3,333	4,392	5,849	7,403	4,573	6,292	8,441	13,236	19,980	28,487
Rubber and miscellaneous	870	585	418	227	347	483	583	703	779	622	841	952	1,369	1,733	2,267
Contract construction	3,547	2,616	1,777	854	541	668	879	1,447	1,793	1,771	1,942	2,153	3,565	5,681	4,332
Transportation, total	6,982	6,051	4,902	3,634	3,606	3,798	4,084	4,767	5,080	4,323	4,950	5,381	6,414	8,144	9,685
Steam railroads, Pullman and express	4,652	3,871	2,975	2,086	2,120	2,230	2,409	2,835	2,986	2,458	2,830	3,096	3,839	5,086	5,773
Water transportation	470	416	343	254	280	304	362	423	492	396	479	540	597	632	919
Street railways	661	626	509	428	371	379	353	397	382	331	348	348	349	437	526
Motor transportation, public warehouses and other transportation	1,199	1,138	1,075	866	835	885	960	1,112	1,220	1,138	1,293	1,397	1,629	1,989	2,467
Power and gas	1,427	1,326	1,242	1,097	1,027	1,128	1,153	1,244	1,405	1,370	1,459	1,587	1,652	1,591	1,667
Communication	1,046	1,013	909	726	639	680	724	778	862	865	925	937	1,007	1,056	1,176
Trade, total	11,878	9,719	7,794	5,552	6,322	7,428	8,153	9,426	10,439	9,823	10,956	12,096	14,840	15,926	17,551
Retail	7,731	6,477	5,318	3,812	4,253	5,072	5,466	6,256	6,932	6,484	7,135	7,904	9,626	10,255	11,456
Wholesale	4,147	3,242	2,476	1,740	2,069	2,356	2,687	3,170	3,507	3,339	3,821	4,192	5,214	5,671	6,095
Finance, total	10,136	8,651	7,025	5,300	4,768	5,132	5,680	6,483	6,897	6,691	6,796	6,983	7,687	8,463	9,165
Banking	1,454	1,224	814	624	485	563	711	830	967	927	978	1,094	1,243	1,382	1,532
Insurance	1,267	1,145	1,037	955	905	960	1,026	1,097	1,224	1,216	1,193	1,152	1,179	1,272	1,291
Security brokerage and real estate	7,415	6,282	5,174	3,721	3,378	3,609	3,943	4,556	4,706	4,548	4,625	4,737	5,265	5,809	6,342
Government, total	6,407	6,521	6,595	6,557	6,631	7,652	7,980	9,291	9,114	9,869	9,987	10,303	11,469	16,732	26,268
Federal [1]	2,158	2,140	2,214	2,228	2,683	3,720	3,905	4,997	4,623	5,143	5,169	5,367	6,433	11,580	20,988
State, county, local and public education	4,249	4,381	4,381	4,329	3,948	3,932	4,075	4,294	4,491	4,726	4,818	4,936	5,036	5,152	5,280
Service	8,315	7,461	6,340	4,730	4,589	5,183	5,596	6,254	6,904	6,657	7,027	7,545	8,396	9,518	10,362
Miscellaneous	4,000	3,471	2,971	2,403	2,192	2,519	2,692	2,894	3,168	3,070	3,244	3,481	4,007	4,291	4,592

[1] Includes work-relief wages shown separately in table 299; excludes subsistence to members of the armed forces.

Source: Department of Commerce ,Bureau o fForeign and Domestic Commerce; 1929–1941, Survey of Current Business, April 1944; 1942 and 1943, not published elsewhere.

No. 301.—Income Payments to Individuals, by States: 1929 to 1944

[Income payments to individuals comprise (1) wages and salaries after deduction of employees' contributions to social insurance funds; (2) proprietors' incomes, representing net income of unincorporated establishments, including farms, before owners' withdrawals; (3) property income, including dividends, interest, and net rents and royalties; and (4) "other" income payments, which include direct relief, labor income items such as work relief, pensions, compensation for injuries, and social insurance benefits; mustering-out payments to veterans (in 1944); and (in 1942-44) family-allowance payments and voluntary allotments to dependents of military personnel. Income payments are distributed among the States on a where-received basis (with exceptions noted below): only payments made to residents of continental U. S. are included. Income payments differ from national income (tables 299 and 300) by the inclusion only in income payments of items—termed "transfer payments"—which do not represent returns for labor or capital services rendered currently and by the inclusion only in national income of certain items which are not actual payments to individuals. Income payments not included in national income are direct relief, veterans' pensions, adjusted service benefits (the Soldiers' Bonus), retirement payments by government, social insurance benefits, the Government's contribution to allowances paid to dependents of enlisted military personnel, and mustering-out payments. Items covered in national income but not in income payments include retained earnings of corporations and contributions by both employees and employers under social insurance legislation. Additionally, national income includes pay of Federal military and civilian personnel stationed outside continental U. S., whereas the State income series excludes such pay with the exception of that part flowing into this country in the form of voluntary allotments to individuals and contributions to family-allowance payments to dependents of military personnel. Per capita income payments are derived by division of total income payments by total population excluding Federal civilian and military personnel stationed outside continental U. S. In five States however, income was transferred from the State of recipient's employment to State of residence before computation of per capita income. These States are N. Y., N. J., D. C., Md., and Va. In this connection, it should be noted that the wage-and-salary component of total income payments is allocated by States, on the basis of State of employment, rather than of residence. For all States except the five noted above, it is assumed that State of employment is identical with State of residence.]

STATE	AMOUNT (MILLIONS OF DOLLARS)						PER CAPITA (DOLLARS)					
	1929	1933	1939	1941	1943	1944	1929	1933	1939	1941	1943	1944
United States	82, 617	46, 273	70, 601	92, 269	138, 854	148, 090	680	368	539	698	1, 037	1, 117
Alabama	802	419	681	1, 037	1, 738	1, 847	305	154	242	359	601	655
Arizona	245	120	227	287	580	548	573	263	461	562	853	859
Arkansas	562	288	478	658	964	1, 068	305	152	246	332	516	601
California	5, 217	3, 113	5, 047	7, 044	12, 036	12, 948	946	511	741	974	1, 421	1, 480
Colorado	633	358	563	695	1, 126	1, 101	616	336	505	620	968	960
Connecticut	1, 459	888	1, 301	1, 837	2, 632	2, 682	918	540	764	1, 059	1, 479	1, 509
Delaware	218	127	203	278	372	399	919	513	771	1, 023	1, 324	1, 405
Dist. of Columbia	638	495	813	1, 040	1, 458	1, 518	1, 191	806	1, 031	1, 101	1, 287	1, 333
Florida	695	425	819	1, 062	2, 067	2, 198	484	272	442	531	872	929
Georgia	956	596	901	1, 241	2, 101	2, 301	329	200	290	389	651	714
Idaho	230	116	213	278	473	525	518	242	411	543	950	987
Illinois	7, 030	3, 335	5, 285	6, 880	9, 334	10, 121	932	431	671	865	1, 213	1, 309
Indiana	1, 877	978	1, 688	2, 437	3, 730	3, 911	583	296	495	705	1, 097	1, 144
Iowa	1, 348	644	1, 185	1, 527	2, 336	2, 260	546	258	468	609	1, 007	996
Kansas	997	474	692	974	1, 809	1, 867	532	258	383	549	1, 016	1, 052
Kentucky	964	534	839	1, 042	1, 669	1, 795	371	199	297	369	610	682
Louisiana	862	487	828	1, 066	1, 835	1, 946	415	222	354	433	718	768
Maine	449	297	400	505	849	841	566	364	474	602	1, 038	1, 059
Maryland	1, 106	720	1, 074	1, 516	2, 382	2, 466	703	441	634	851	1, 211	1, 231
Massachusetts	3, 787	2, 386	3, 106	3, 846	5, 098	5, 407	897	553	719	883	1, 198	1, 299
Michigan	3, 543	1, 641	3, 054	4, 271	6, 830	7, 098	745	348	591	790	1, 259	1, 307
Minnesota	1, 443	812	1, 378	1, 626	2, 355	2, 395	566	307	497	589	913	955
Mississippi	544	256	436	630	1, 072	1, 148	273	123	201	283	480	528
Missouri	2, 210	1, 244	1, 832	2, 363	3, 383	3, 559	612	337	486	621	902	991
Montana	325	158	288	372	498	514	602	290	515	682	1, 029	1, 105
Nebraska	764	374	523	655	1, 203	1, 208	557	275	397	510	980	995
Nevada	74	43	84	107	203	196	817	447	767	912	1, 420	1, 256
New Hampshire	302	200	268	309	373	403	652	420	548	629	809	882
New Jersey	3, 268	1, 985	2, 859	3, 676	5, 321	5, 688	947	535	746	912	1, 288	1, 402
New Mexico	161	90	179	222	363	394	383	196	341	415	680	741
New York	14, 479	8, 509	11, 301	13, 384	17, 544	19, 345	1, 125	644	825	994	1, 354	1, 519
North Carolina	966	677	1, 090	1, 436	2, 209	2, 435	309	205	308	397	607	689
North Dakota	264	126	209	331	504	501	389	190	325	534	928	949
Ohio	4, 920	2, 601	4, 154	5, 646	8, 306	8, 877	748	386	603	815	1, 206	1, 298
Oklahoma	1, 079	537	796	956	1, 569	1, 748	455	226	340	417	724	846
Oregon	603	337	587	824	1, 534	1, 572	640	337	544	752	1, 241	1, 295
Pennsylvania	7, 338	4, 027	5, 819	7, 404	10, 125	10, 830	767	414	589	751	1, 069	1, 171
Rhode Island	579	366	480	651	915	996	851	533	678	900	1, 218	1, 279
South Carolina	438	299	403	703	1, 115	1, 219	252	167	261	354	572	634
South Dakota	288	118	227	301	500	475	417	172	351	484	867	850
Tennessee	905	516	853	1, 221	1, 946	2, 193	349	190	295	413	658	764
Texas	2, 668	1, 552	2, 554	3, 269	5, 819	6, 080	465	257	401	497	835	884
Utah	272	143	243	329	654	606	537	275	443	592	1, 032	998
Vermont	216	127	174	219	287	305	601	351	483	613	875	981
Virginia	987	630	996	1, 484	2, 373	2, 672	422	266	402	565	823	880
Washington	1, 104	598	1, 012	1, 501	2, 789	3, 048	713	369	588	833	1, 372	1, 483
West Virginia	793	474	714	905	1, 225	1, 356	464	265	378	477	698	790
Wisconsin	1, 849	938	1, 514	2, 041	3, 008	3, 225	634	312	485	649	999	1, 084
Wyoming	154	87	141	174	242	255	687	369	567	696	953	992

Source: Dept. Commerce, Bur. Foreign & Domestic Commerce; Survey Current Business, Aug. 1945.

No. 302.—Gross National Product or Expenditure: 1939 to 1945

[Gross national product represents the total value of currently produced goods and services flowing to Government, to consumers, and for purposes of gross capital formation to business. It differs from the national income by including business taxes, charges to depreciation, and certain other business reserves. These are elements of the value of total production, but do not constitute income accruing to individuals]

[In billions of dollars]

ITEM	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
Gross national product or expenditure, total	88.6	97.1	120.2	152.3	187.4	197.6	197.3
Government expenditures for goods and services	16.0	16.7	26.5	62.7	93.5	97.1	83.0
Federal Government	7.9	8.8	18.6	55.3	86.2	89.5	75.1
War	1.4	2.8	13.3	50.3	81.3	83.7	69.0
Nonwar	6.5	6.1	5.3	5.0	4.9	5.7	6.1
State and local government	8.1	7.9	7.9	7.4	7.4	7.7	7.9
Output available for private use	72.6	80.4	93.7	89.6	93.9	100.5	114.3
Private gross capital formation	10.9	14.8	19.1	7.6	2.5	2.0	9.4
Construction	3.6	4.3	5.3	2.9	1.6	1.6	2.7
Residential	2.0	2.4	2.8	1.3	.6	.5	.8
Other	1.6	2.0	2.5	1.6	1.0	1.1	1.9
Producers' durable equipment	5.5	6.9	8.9	5.1	3.1	4.0	6.4
Net change in business inventories	.9	1.8	3.5	−.5	−.6	−1.7	(1)
Net exports of goods and services	.8	1.5	1.2	(1)	−1.5	−1.8	.4
Net exports and monetary use of gold and silver	.2	.3	.2	.1	(1)	−.1	−.1
Consumers' goods and services	61.7	65.7	74.6	82.0	91.3	98.5	104.9
Durable goods	6.4	7.4	9.1	6.3	6.6	6.7	7.4
Nondurable goods	32.6	34.4	40.1	47.9	55.1	60.0	64.4
Services	22.7	23.9	25.4	27.8	29.7	31.8	33.1

[1] Less than $50,000,000.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce; Survey of Current Business, April 1944 and February 1946. Estimates for 1929 to 1938 were published in May 1942 Survey of Current Business.

No. 303.—Distribution of American Families and Single Consumers in Urban and Rural Areas, by Money Income: 1941

[Figures relate to all civilian consumers except inmates of institutions. Families are defined as economic units of two or more persons contributing to or mainly dependent on a common or pooled income. Single consumers are persons who live alone or as lodgers or servants in private homes, rooming houses, or hotels]

MONEY INCOME	FAMILIES AND SINGLE CONSUMERS[1]				FAMILIES OF 2 OR MORE PERSONS			
	Total	Urban	Rural nonfarm	Rural farm	Total	Urban	Rural nonfarm	Rural farm
	NUMBER (THOUSANDS)							
All incomes	39,287	24,463	8,469	6,355	34,003	20,419	7,471	6,113
Negative income	117	1,884	0	117	101	750	0	101
0–$500	6,047		2,011	2,152	4,171		1,420	2,001
$500–$1,000	7,147	3,596	1,950	1,601	5,512	2,237	1,724	1,551
$1,000–$1,500	6,195	3,474	1,795	926	5,307	2,703	1,678	926
$1,500–$2,000	5,772	4,109	987	676	5,373	3,735	979	659
$2,000–$2,500	8,306	3,694	1,134	542	7,928	3,472	1,106	534
$2,500–$3,000		2,936				2,816		
$3,000–$5,000	4,139	3,425	481	233	4,070	3,384	453	233
$5,000 and over	1,564	1,345	111	108	1,541	1,322	111	108
	PERCENT DISTRIBUTION							
All incomes	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Negative income	.3	7.7	------	1.8	.3	3.7	------	1.7
0–$500	15.4		23.7	33.9	12.3		19.0	32.7
$500–$1,000	18.2	14.7	23.0	25.2	16.2	10.9	23.1	25.4
$1,000–$1,500	15.8	14.2	21.2	14.6	15.6	13.2	22.4	15.1
$1,500–$2,000	14.7	16.8	11.7	10.6	15.8	18.3	13.1	10.8
$2,000–$2,500	21.1	15.1	13.4	8.5	23.3	17.0	14.8	8.7
$2,500–$3,000		12.0				13.8		
$3,000–$5,000	10.5	14.0	5.7	3.7	12.0	16.6	6.1	3.8
$5,000 and over	4.0	5.5	1.3	1.7	4.5	6.5	1.5	1.8

[1] National estimates based on a sample survey of 3,000 consumer units. The method of sampling used in this survey probably resulted in an underestimate of the total number of single consumers.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Bulletin No. 822, Family Spending and Saving in Wartime, 1941 and First Quarter of 1942.

No. 304.—Expenditures and Savings of Families and Single Persons in Cities, by Income Class: 1944

[Data are preliminary; estimates based on a sample survey of 1,700 consumer units in cities of 2,500 or more population. See headnote, table 303]

Item	Annual money income after personal taxes								
	Under $500	$500–1,000	$1,000–1,500	$1,500–2,000	$2,000–2,500	$2,500–3,000	$3,000–4,000	$4,000–5,000	$5,000 and over
All families and single persons									
Percent in each class	4.2	7.7	7.1	11.9	13.9	13.2	19.9	9.6	12.5
Money income [1]	$291	$764	$1,243	$1,769	$2,251	$2,747	$3,481	$4,406	$7,634
Expenditures, current	594	939	1,317	1,690	1,946	2,375	2,816	3,428	4,324
Food [2]	235	368	506	646	747	908	1,034	1,147	1,383
Clothing	41	82	157	231	268	353	456	621	836
Housing, [3] fuel, light and refrig	178	231	285	328	379	424	484	546	635
Household operation	33	50	64	81	89	109	140	166	306
Furnishings and equipment	5	24	33	43	52	84	92	131	159
Automobile	6	13	36	42	61	104	122	175	171
Other transportation	6	21	28	47	53	52	63	83	114
Medical care	48	67	78	93	95	119	147	191	260
Personal care	12	20	34	42	46	55	64	84	109
Recreation	5	15	25	45	52	62	82	104	137
Tobacco	7	16	25	40	40	47	58	70	75
Reading	8	11	15	18	21	27	32	38	43
Formal education	1	2	1	8	8	14	13	29	41
Other	9	19	30	26	35	17	29	43	55
Personal taxes [1]	*1*	*23*	*70*	*124*	*198*	*283*	*407*	*564*	*2,357*
Gifts and contributions	17	31	52	82	92	136	127	211	454
Net savings or deficit	−320	−206	−126	−3	213	236	538	767	2,856
War bonds [4]	16	62	40	117	163	230	323	414	1,193
Life and annuity insurance premiums	10	20	43	50	64	80	108	141	269
Other [5]	−346	−288	−209	−170	−14	−74	107	212	1,394
Average number of persons [6]	1.42	1.82	2.11	2.55	2.77	3.00	3.61	3.97	4.02
Average number of earners [7]	.38	.68	1.07	1.16	1.22	1.28	1.56	1.96	2.08
Families of 2 or more persons									
Percent in each class	1.5	5.2	5.3	10.7	14.0	14.7	23.0	11.2	14.4
Money income [1]	$313	$776	$1,243	$1,779	$2,259	$2,757	$3,480	$4,408	$7,595
Expenditures, current	887	1,053	1,407	1,788	2,051	2,410	2,838	3,439	4,305
Food [2]	374	434	555	701	797	913	1,043	1,150	1,386
Clothing	42	80	163	234	283	364	462	623	848
Housing, [3] fuel, light and refrig	257	251	298	341	394	430	488	547	616
Household operation	56	47	66	83	93	110	140	166	295
Furnishings and equipment	5	25	39	40	60	88	95	132	157
Automobile	16	19	29	42	69	105	119	177	171
Other transportation	7	20	26	44	50	51	63	84	109
Medical care	62	88	94	105	104	123	149	190	265
Personal care	21	19	33	41	48	56	65	84	110
Recreation	3	15	28	46	55	63	82	105	137
Tobacco	16	15	21	41	41	48	59	71	76
Reading	14	13	14	18	22	27	31	37	43
Formal education	1	2	2	11	9	15	13	29	42
Other	13	25	39	32	26	17	29	44	50
Personal taxes [1]	*2*	*13*	*52*	*86*	*180*	*270*	*402*	*569*	*2,385*
Gifts and contributions	26	30	47	66	86	119	119	203	454
Net savings or deficit	−600	−307	−211	−75	122	228	523	766	2,836
War bonds [4]	15	81	28	82	147	233	316	410	1,206
Life and annuity insurance premiums	14	25	40	59	70	83	109	140	263
Other [5]	−629	−413	−279	−216	−95	−88	98	216	1,367
Average number of persons [6]	2.45	2.45	2.78	3.03	3.10	3.13	3.69	4.01	4.13
Average number of earners [7]	.35	.72	1.15	1.22	1.27	1.31	1.57	1.97	2.12

[1] Personal taxes (income, poll and personal property) have been deducted from money income. Total money income may be obtained by combining the amounts shown on line 2 with personal taxes.
Inheritances and large gifts are not considered current income; inheritances and gift taxes are excluded from personal taxes.

[2] Includes expenditures for alcoholic beverages.

[3] Includes rents for tenant-occupied dwellings and for lodging away from home and current operation expenses of home owners. Excludes principal payments on mortgages on owned homes.

[4] Value of bonds purchased less those cashed.

[5] Figures represent differences between income and expenditures plus net war bond purchases and insurance premium payments. Included as savings are amounts deducted for social security, retirement plans, etc., not available separately.

[6] Family size is based on equivalent persons, with 52 weeks of family membership considered equivalent to 1 person; 26 weeks equivalent to 0.5 person, etc.

[7] A family member that worked for pay (as wage or salary worker or on his own account) at any time during the year was considered an earner.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Monthly Labor Review, January 1946.

No. 305.—Distribution of Families and Single Consumers by Money Income Level: 1942

[Estimates cover all civilian consumers except those living in institutions. Families are defined as economic units of two or more persons sharing a common or pooled income and living under a common roof. Single consumers are defined as men or women maintaining independent living quarters or living as lodgers or servants in private homes, rooming houses, or hotels. The term spending unit is used to cover both groups. Civilian money income includes net money income of all civilians except those living in institutions. It therefore excludes all imputed (nonmoney) items, and all income paid to members of the armed forces. Estimates are on a calendar year basis]

Income level	All families and single consumers		Families		Single consumers	
	Number (thousands)	Percent	Number (thousands)	Percent	Number (thousands)	Percent
All levels	**41,210**	**100.0**	**33,360**	**100.0**	**7,850**	**100.0**
Under $500	3,488	8.5	2,319	6.9	1,169	14.9
$500–$1,000	6,652	16.1	4,604	13.8	2,048	26.1
$1,000–$1,500	6,601	16.0	4,837	14.5	1,764	22.5
$1,500–$2,000	6,008	14.5	4,920	14.7	1,088	13.8
$2,000–$2,500	4,618	11.3	3,953	11.9	665	8.5
$2,500–$3,000	3,272	8.0	2,852	8.5	420	5.4
$3,000–$4,000	4,620	11.2	4,236	12.7	384	4.9
$4,000–$5,000	2,633	6.4	2,486	7.5	147	1.8
$5,000–$7,500	1,901	4.6	1,805	5.4	96	1.2
$7,500–$10,000	628	1.5	597	1.8	31	.4
$10,000 and over	789	1.9	751	2.3	38	.5

Source: Office of Price Administration; Civilian Spending and Saving 1941 and 1942.

No. 306.—Civilian Spending and Saving—Aggregate and Average Outlay of Families and Single Consumers for Personal Taxes, Savings, Gifts, and Major Categories of Consumption: 1942

[See headnote, table 305]

Item	Aggregate outlay (millions)			Average outlay per spending unit			Average outlay per capita [1]	
	All spending units	Families	Single consumers	All spending units	Families	Single consumers	All spending units	Families
Civilian money income	**$105,430**	**$93,290**	**$12,140**	**$2,558**	**$2,796**	**$1,547**	**$817**	**$769**
Allocation of money income:								
Personal taxes [2]	4,300	3,790	510	104	113	66	33	31
Savings [3]	25,440	22,880	2,560	617	686	327	197	189
Gifts to organizations [4]	1,200	900	300	29	27	38	9	7
Consumption [5]	74,490	65,720	8,770	1,808	1,970	1,116	578	542
Food and beverages	25,200	22,080	3,120	613	661	398	194	183
Clothing	10,200	8,840	1,360	249	265	173	79	73
Housing and household fuels	12,410	10,680	1,730	301	320	220	96	88
Household operation	3,440	3,120	320	83	94	41	27	26
Household furnishings	4,600	4,530	70	112	136	9	36	37
Automobile transportation	3,600	3,370	230	87	101	29	28	28
Other transportation	1,770	1,430	340	43	43	43	14	12
Medical care	3,710	3,330	380	90	100	48	29	27
Personal care	1,500	1,340	160	36	40	20	12	11
Recreation	3,350	2,940	410	81	88	52	26	24
Tobacco	2,410	2,060	350	58	62	45	19	17
Reading	1,000	840	160	24	25	20	8	7
Education	800	770	30	19	23	4	6	6
Other items	500	390	110	12	12	14	4	3

[1] The estimated population used for all spending units was 129,100,000, of which 121,250,000 were in family units and 7,850,000 were single consumers.

[2] Personal taxes shown here include only individual income taxes, poll taxes, and certain minor personal property taxes. It should be noted that sales taxes, excise taxes, and all indirect taxes on consumption are included under expenditures for goods and services.

[3] Savings are defined as the net change in assets and liabilities of the spending unit during the year, exclusive of gains or losses from revaluation of assets.

[4] Gifts consist only of money contributions to the church, the Red Cross, and other institutions and funds.

[5] Consumption consists of money expenditures only.

Source: Office of Price Administration; Civilian Spending and Saving 1941 and 1942.

No. 307.—Wage or Salary Workers (Except Those on Public Emergency Work) in March 1940, by Wage or Salary Income and Receipt of Other Income in 1939, by Color and Sex

[Wage or salary income includes all money received in 1939 in compensation for work or services performed as employees, including commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, bonuses, etc., as well as receipts commonly referred to as wages or salaries. The value of income in kind, such as living quarters, meals, clothing, etc., is not included. Persons were classified as with or without other income on the basis of their answers to an inquiry as to whether $50 or more of income was received from sources other than money wages or salaries in 1939. Statistics include persons who were employed as wage or salary workers (except on public emergency work) during the census week, and persons seeking work who were last employed as wage or salary workers. Statistics are based on sample B, see p. 1. Percent not shown where less than 0.1.]

Wage or salary income in 1939	Number							Percent		
		Without other income			With other income [1]					
	Total	Both sexes	Male	Female	Both sexes	Male	Female	Total	Without other income	With other income [1]
Total	38,322,420	31,726,880	22,564,300	9,162,580	6,595,540	4,893,900	1,701,640	100.0	100.0	100.0
$0	2,673,440	1,691,720	932,940	658,780	1,081,720	729,400	352,320	7.0	5.0	16.4
$1–$99	1,277,280	1,065,100	492,960	572,140	212,180	113,380	98,800	3.3	3.4	3.2
$100–$199	2,203,520	1,837,160	1,013,060	824,100	366,360	222,520	143,840	5.7	5.8	5.6
$200–$399	4,430,840	3,662,420	2,253,680	1,403,740	768,420	525,280	243,140	11.6	11.5	11.7
$400–$599	3,889,380	3,316,960	2,060,560	1,256,400	572,420	400,040	172,380	10.1	10.5	8.7
$600–$799	4,241,880	3,722,680	2,320,320	1,402,360	519,200	370,520	148,680	11.1	11.7	7.9
$800–$999	3,472,840	3,077,740	2,071,580	1,006,160	395,100	296,920	98,180	9.1	9.7	6.0
$1,000–$1,199	3,110,120	2,779,400	2,099,260	680,140	330,720	269,060	61,660	8.1	8.8	5.0
$1,200–$1,399	2,979,320	2,639,980	2,151,020	488,960	339,340	285,640	54,200	7.8	8.3	5.2
$1,400–$1,599	2,338,240	2,067,300	1,778,980	288,320	270,940	232,740	38,200	6.1	6.5	4.1
$1,600–$1,799	1,273,860	1,117,700	981,560	136,140	156,160	134,160	22,000	3.3	3.5	2.4
$1,800–$1,999	1,463,340	1,266,380	1,142,640	123,740	196,960	173,380	23,580	3.8	4.0	3.0
$2,000–$2,499	2,039,920	1,738,040	1,604,020	134,020	301,880	270,140	31,740	5.3	5.5	4.6
$2,500–$2,999	771,520	635,560	594,240	41,320	135,960	123,160	12,800	2.0	2.0	2.1
$3,000–$3,999	713,040	550,500	515,340	35,160	162,540	149,340	13,200	1.9	1.7	2.5
$4,000–$4,999	200,700	142,400	135,660	6,740	58,300	54,800	3,500	.5	.4	.9
$5,000 and over	366,000	198,480	190,160	8,320	157,520	152,760	4,760	.9	.6	2.4
Not reported	886,680	317,360	221,320	96,040	569,320	390,660	178,660	2.3	1.0	8.6
Median wage or salary income [2]	$877	$885	$1,046	$621	$817	$972	$516			
Nonwhite	3,893,280	3,325,060	2,113,680	1,211,380	568,220	350,140	218,080	100.0	100.0	100.0
$0	313,020	185,180	95,540	89,640	127,840	85,180	42,660	8.0	5.6	22.5
$1–$99	342,140	296,280	108,380	187,900	45,860	19,420	26,440	8.8	8.9	8.1
$100–$199	643,300	562,020	271,820	290,200	81,280	40,260	41,020	16.5	16.9	14.3
$200–$399	924,400	816,420	488,320	328,100	107,980	60,980	47,000	23.7	24.6	19.0
$400–$599	601,840	542,840	371,680	171,160	59,000	36,720	22,280	15.5	16.3	10.4
$600–$799	440,640	401,500	320,400	81,100	39,140	27,820	11,320	11.3	12.1	6.9
$800–$999	207,380	189,520	164,900	24,620	17,860	14,640	3,220	5.3	5.7	3.1
$1,000–$1,199	136,160	124,620	113,800	10,820	11,540	10,120	1,420	3.5	3.7	2.0
$1,200–$1,399	96,960	88,580	82,180	6,400	8,380	7,680	700	2.5	2.7	1.5
$1,400–$1,599	41,680	37,660	34,380	3,280	4,020	3,600	420	1.1	1.1	.7
$1,600–$1,799	16,360	14,780	12,680	2,100	1,580	1,400	180	.4	.4	.3
$1,800–$1,999	12,700	11,480	10,020	1,460	1,220	1,080	140	.3	.3	.2
$2,000–$2,499	19,740	17,220	14,680	2,540	2,520	2,220	300	.5	.5	.4
$2,500–$2,999	2,980	2,680	2,080	600	300	220	80	.1	.1	.1
$3,000–$3,999	1,960	1,660	1,280	380	300	240	60	.1	----	.1
$4,000–$4,999	460	400	340	60	60	60	----	----	----	----
$5,000 and over	1,320	1,020	840	180	300	240	60	----	----	.1
Not reported	90,240	31,200	20,360	10,840	59,040	38,260	20,780	2.3	.9	10.4
Median wage or salary income [2]	$364	$371	$470	$247	$318	$376	$242			

[1] Includes statistics for persons for whom the receipt or nonreceipt of other income in 1939 was not reported.

[2] The median wage or salary income is based on the number of persons reporting 1 dollar or more of wage or salary income in 1939. For definition of median, see headnote, table 22, p. 23.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, The Labor Force (Sample Statistics)—Wage or Salary Income in 1939.

No. 308.—Wage or Salary Workers (Except Those on Public Emergency Work) in March 1940, by Wage or Salary Income in 1939, by States

[Statistics are based on Sample B; see p. 1. For definitions see headnote on table 307]

Division and state	Total [1]	Number with wage or salary income of—								Median wage or salary income [2]
		$0	$1 to $399	$400 to $799	$800 to $1,199	$1,200 to $1,599	$1,600 to $1,999	$2,000 to $2,999	$3,000 and over	
United States	38,322,420	2,673,440	7,911,640	8,131,260	6,582,960	5,318,060	2,737,200	2,811,440	1,269,740	$877
New England	2,984,160	173,220	436,960	694,780	637,500	454,920	197,000	217,960	90,920	940
Maine	255,820	11,380	61,260	73,860	50,560	27,320	10,780	10,700	3,920	715
N. H.	167,460	7,680	31,380	46,500	39,060	20,960	7,500	7,700	2,580	800
Vt.	101,160	4,720	25,000	27,860	18,800	11,020	4,000	4,980	1,680	714
Mass.	1,527,680	95,660	195,940	338,500	319,960	243,320	113,960	127,860	51,660	995
R. I.	268,780	15,680	42,660	71,560	59,500	36,180	14,220	16,300	6,840	858
Conn.	663,260	38,100	80,720	136,500	149,620	116,120	46,540	50,420	24,240	1,026
Mid. Atlantic	9,688,860	794,060	1,374,420	1,977,240	1,813,860	1,490,060	713,680	817,820	429,400	1,010
N. Y.	4,922,560	394,900	646,780	982,980	917,340	760,980	369,520	457,720	261,320	1,048
N. J.	1,544,120	100,320	206,700	300,920	275,040	250,200	119,420	149,440	79,400	1,069
Pa.	3,222,180	298,840	520,940	693,340	621,480	478,880	224,740	210,660	88,680	930
E. N. Central	8,143,400	552,860	1,279,260	1,553,600	1,530,080	1,383,800	721,520	702,260	288,740	1,030
Ohio	2,117,820	146,280	325,620	403,940	399,500	364,400	188,500	174,340	75,180	1,037
Ind.	953,320	64,080	174,700	195,560	184,980	141,900	78,200	69,240	24,960	935
Ill.	2,603,880	174,980	383,380	521,000	498,300	412,860	208,720	244,860	110,400	1,023
Mich.	1,650,820	108,480	238,400	279,920	295,860	316,420	173,140	155,300	58,000	1,128
Wis.	817,560	59,040	157,160	153,180	151,440	128,220	72,960	58,520	21,100	948
W. N. Central	3,162,040	223,120	784,720	685,260	516,220	395,780	203,160	199,500	84,580	779
Minn.	701,160	48,800	154,600	137,140	117,260	103,780	55,320	49,220	21,820	887
Iowa	567,880	31,620	143,880	131,580	94,780	71,580	32,600	32,600	11,760	746
Mo.	1,001,780	75,220	235,460	224,660	165,520	119,580	60,140	66,520	32,440	787
N. Dak.	112,100	9,080	40,220	22,460	14,220	11,040	5,540	5,020	1,600	557
S. Dak.	110,280	9,420	34,540	23,680	15,820	10,760	6,400	5,200	1,820	639
Nebr.	275,180	19,680	74,460	61,620	44,120	32,260	15,760	16,380	6,640	729
Kans.	393,660	29,300	101,560	84,120	64,500	46,760	27,400	24,560	8,500	766
S. Atlantic	4,975,560	287,740	1,489,140	1,273,200	711,920	479,460	243,000	240,980	122,640	651
Del.	93,880	4,720	18,220	19,440	16,420	12,960	7,200	7,400	4,260	924
Md.	635,000	34,780	120,920	147,580	114,840	86,020	42,040	46,780	22,400	875
Dist. of Col.	303,100	15,660	32,520	52,260	48,180	56,900	37,020	35,300	20,500	1,264
Va.	755,780	39,760	225,180	196,220	109,000	72,100	39,640	39,760	20,320	658
W. Va.	466,000	36,800	93,960	88,860	100,300	71,840	29,860	25,420	9,100	907
N. C.	859,640	49,280	270,020	269,000	122,660	56,860	24,180	22,920	12,960	599
S. C.	455,020	24,480	184,420	130,500	52,780	23,840	11,100	11,440	5,800	483
Ga.	808,500	49,820	338,620	209,420	74,920	47,820	25,760	27,820	15,180	458
Fla.	598,640	32,440	205,280	159,920	72,820	51,120	25,300	24,140	12,120	560
E. S. Central	2,196,560	163,900	777,880	537,680	280,440	171,700	81,280	84,280	36,360	555
Ky.	587,280	47,000	172,180	140,400	91,120	58,520	25,660	24,540	10,440	654
Tenn.	664,000	47,040	216,440	171,840	91,160	55,780	25,660	28,800	12,660	611
Ala.	601,360	41,800	231,940	148,300	69,620	38,480	20,320	21,380	9,260	500
Miss.	343,920	28,060	157,320	77,140	28,540	18,920	9,640	9,560	4,500	386
W. S. Central	2,962,220	216,800	1,051,480	617,380	365,600	267,520	171,600	153,300	68,700	591
Ark.	338,220	25,060	149,280	77,640	29,940	20,280	11,040	10,940	4,520	412
La.	566,600	38,380	217,440	128,680	67,320	45,200	26,400	25,160	13,060	538
Okla.	463,200	42,300	141,860	82,240	66,240	48,280	32,040	25,700	10,760	701
Tex.	1,594,200	111,060	542,880	328,820	202,100	153,760	102,120	91,500	40,360	630
Mountain	1,014,320	65,440	217,640	210,020	163,300	149,100	85,420	72,840	28,760	880
Mont.	143,240	8,100	29,760	29,680	21,860	22,240	13,120	11,740	3,680	907
Idaho	115,420	6,600	25,960	28,080	18,620	16,040	9,020	6,360	1,960	785
Wyo.	68,460	3,360	14,360	14,940	9,780	10,520	6,500	5,000	2,120	888
Colo.	288,120	19,220	59,920	59,820	49,800	42,880	20,720	20,780	8,880	884
N. Mex.	109,300	9,360	31,420	22,880	15,340	11,760	7,480	5,460	2,160	691
Ariz.	130,060	9,580	31,280	24,360	19,500	18,540	12,120	9,780	3,220	870
Utah	124,080	7,180	20,500	23,780	22,180	21,840	11,600	10,180	5,080	1,034
Nev.	35,640	2,040	4,440	6,480	6,220	5,280	4,860	3,540	1,660	1,135
Pacific	3,195,300	196,300	500,160	582,100	564,040	545,740	320,540	322,500	119,140	1,070
Wash.	531,180	31,360	94,820	97,500	88,880	96,640	51,360	46,560	15,660	1,028
Oreg.	329,040	18,240	65,300	62,460	60,720	50,800	28,260	26,340	9,500	953
Calif.	2,335,080	146,700	340,040	422,140	414,440	398,300	240,920	249,600	93,980	1,097

[1] Includes number not reporting on wage or salary income, not shown separately.

[2] The median wage or salary income is based on the number of persons with 1 dollar or more of wage or salary income in 1939. The median was calculated on the basis of the detailed wage or salary intervals shown in table 307. For definition of median, see headnote, table 22, p. 23.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, The Labor Force (Sample Statistics)—Wage or Salary Income in 1939.

No. 309.—Wage or Salary Workers (Except Those on Public Emergency Work) in March 1940 Without Other Income, by Wage or Salary Income in 1939, by States

[Statistics are based on Sample B; see p. 1. For definitions see headnote on table 307]

Division and State	Total [1]	Number with wage or salary income of—								Median wage or salary income [2]
		$0	$1 to $399	$400 to $799	$800 to $1,199	$1,200 to $1,599	$1,600 to $1,999	$2,000 to $2,999	$3,000 and over	
United States	31,726,880	1,691,720	6,564,680	7,039,640	5,857,140	4,707,280	2,384,080	2,373,600	891,380	$885
New England	2,489,500	111,540	363,120	605,360	569,040	400,200	189,640	182,140	68,980	939
Maine	201,000	6,060	47,220	61,020	42,780	23,100	8,620	8,540	2,120	726
N. H.	131,700	4,240	24,080	39,240	32,640	17,460	5,860	5,620	1,400	798
Vt.	77,420	2,660	18,000	22,980	15,700	9,220	3,280	3,720	880	733
Mass.	1,209,240	62,380	168,920	300,320	290,900	216,660	100,060	109,140	35,760	988
R. I.	225,120	10,620	36,120	62,660	53,100	31,240	11,700	13,180	4,040	850
Conn.	554,960	25,580	68,780	119,140	133,860	102,520	40,120	41,940	14,780	1,016
Mid. Atlantic	8,151,080	494,820	1,158,160	1,726,100	1,637,780	1,351,560	642,340	718,560	319,940	1,019
N. Y.	4,132,240	244,040	538,680	853,380	827,660	686,320	330,960	403,740	199,960	1,056
N. J.	1,324,600	68,840	182,500	260,920	252,500	229,920	108,160	131,020	57,500	1,063
Pa.	2,694,320	181,340	434,980	602,800	557,620	435,320	203,220	183,800	62,480	944
E. N. Central	6,746,680	326,740	1,046,700	1,326,660	1,356,160	1,200,900	629,100	599,380	204,580	1,037
Ohio	1,783,700	91,200	272,680	350,720	350,760	325,580	166,480	149,100	52,680	1,041
Ind.	798,200	38,120	145,000	169,960	165,560	126,640	68,900	58,660	17,560	944
Ill.	2,175,560	100,560	315,960	447,880	446,840	369,100	183,240	213,500	79,980	1,032
Mich.	1,343,980	65,600	193,300	231,700	251,800	270,820	149,220	131,280	41,440	1,136
Wis.	645,540	31,260	119,760	126,400	132,200	108,760	61,260	46,820	12,920	963
W. N. Central	2,527,820	120,340	616,420	577,680	456,260	344,880	170,300	162,520	56,600	799
Minn.	545,400	24,880	112,300	110,260	102,020	89,080	46,440	40,180	15,200	928
Iowa	445,580	17,600	103,820	108,300	82,360	61,520	27,180	26,000	7,880	776
Mo.	826,040	43,380	196,740	195,560	148,780	106,840	51,160	55,540	21,140	792
N. Dak.	86,000	4,420	30,840	19,200	12,180	9,340	4,140	3,820	1,060	580
S. Dak.	85,160	4,320	26,720	20,000	13,860	8,860	5,380	4,040	1,140	666
Nebr.	221,860	10,260	59,140	52,920	36,420	28,120	13,240	13,040	4,640	747
Kans.	317,180	15,580	81,860	71,440	57,640	40,220	22,760	19,900	5,540	779
S. Atlantic	4,191,940	182,420	1,272,180	1,141,300	638,800	422,880	210,120	199,700	81,040	653
Del.	79,140	3,380	15,340	17,300	14,040	11,740	6,500	6,240	2,500	917
Md.	538,400	21,560	104,100	132,640	104,680	77,000	36,540	39,580	15,260	868
Dist. of Col.	252,380	9,320	25,980	44,680	43,160	51,140	33,340	29,040	13,680	1,256
Va.	619,640	25,540	181,940	168,240	96,000	63,140	34,660	32,980	13,460	672
W. Va.	403,580	26,780	81,320	79,040	91,700	65,100	26,580	21,760	6,360	910
N. C.	714,300	30,140	225,100	244,260	109,240	48,600	20,220	18,020	7,900	505
S. C.	392,700	15,840	163,620	121,760	46,940	19,660	8,940	9,200	3,860	481
Ga.	683,780	30,280	294,020	189,100	67,720	41,660	21,900	22,460	10,280	461
Fla.	508,020	19,580	180,700	143,780	64,420	44,040	21,440	19,820	7,740	554
E. S. Central	1,828,800	101,820	663,660	480,480	250,180	149,420	69,080	67,760	25,140	558
Ky.	485,620	30,120	144,400	123,320	81,300	51,260	21,840	19,340	6,780	660
Tenn.	556,100	28,340	185,240	153,840	81,280	48,460	21,800	23,400	8,840	613
Ala.	507,060	26,580	200,500	134,560	63,100	33,840	17,740	17,760	6,600	507
Miss.	280,020	16,780	133,460	68,740	24,500	15,860	7,700	7,200	2,920	389
W. S. Central	2,458,840	122,360	903,840	546,120	323,980	232,640	146,120	122,000	45,480	588
Ark.	273,000	13,280	124,200	67,940	25,880	17,180	9,460	8,940	3,100	423
La.	489,780	23,120	194,100	118,120	60,840	39,340	22,840	20,400	9,160	531
Okla.	367,240	24,480	116,200	69,320	57,860	41,200	26,960	20,120	6,940	708
Tex.	1,328,820	61,480	469,280	290,740	179,400	134,920	86,860	72,540	26,280	624
Mountain	803,800	35,780	173,540	171,020	139,680	127,980	71,380	68,380	18,800	884
Mont.	112,360	4,140	23,140	23,880	18,800	19,180	10,700	9,040	2,400	925
Idaho	89,660	3,160	20,620	22,460	15,540	13,600	7,180	4,920	1,340	796
Wyo.	49,820	1,700	9,200	11,100	7,920	8,760	5,240	3,960	1,300	965
Colo.	220,900	9,880	46,660	48,540	43,000	36,840	17,200	16,040	5,700	905
N. Mex.	90,840	6,440	27,580	19,700	13,680	10,200	6,360	4,480	1,400	681
Ariz.	105,280	6,420	25,640	20,360	16,800	15,920	10,480	7,980	1,980	878
Utah	101,600	4,080	17,320	19,640	18,860	19,080	10,120	8,340	3,700	1,040
Nev.	27,340	960	3,380	5,340	5,080	4,400	4,100	2,700	980	1,130
Pacific	2,528,140	95,900	369,060	464,940	455,260	476,820	276,000	263,200	80,820	1,101
Washington	416,720	15,720	69,780	76,200	75,060	84,680	44,280	37,840	10,520	1,077
Oreg.	256,340	7,760	48,600	49,500	52,120	44,140	24,200	21,420	6,540	987
Calif.	1,854,580	72,420	250,680	339,240	358,080	348,000	207,520	203,940	63,760	1,124

[1] Includes number not reporting on wage or salary income, not shown separately.

[2] The median wage or salary income is based on the number of persons with 1 dollar or more of wage or salary income in 1939. The median was calculated on the basis of the detailed wage or salary intervals shown in table 307. For definition of median, see headnote, table 22, p. 23.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, The Labor Force (Sample Statistics)—Wage or Salary Income in 1939.

No. 310.—Families by Family Wage or Salary Income and Receipt of Other Income in 1939, by Urban and Rural Areas

[Statistics are based on Sample F, see p. 1. For definitions of wage or salary income and other income, see table 307. Family wage or salary income was obtained by combining the wages and salaries reported by all persons 14 years old and over in the family. Families were classified as "without other income" if all members 14 years old and over reported that they had received no other income.]

Family wage or salary income and receipt of other income	Number				Percent			
	Total	Urban	Rural-nonfarm	Rural-farm	Total	Urban	Rural-nonfarm	Rural-farm
TOTAL								
All families	35,088,840	20,735,200	7,211,120	7,142,520	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$0	9,888,840	4,064,780	1,763,280	4,060,780	28.2	19.6	24.5	56.9
$1–$199	1,582,420	534,380	390,280	657,760	4.5	2.6	5.4	9.2
$200–$499	3,366,760	1,422,940	964,040	979,780	9.6	6.9	13.4	13.7
$500–$999	5,168,920	3,103,280	1,368,720	696,920	14.7	15.0	19.0	9.8
$1,000–$1,499	4,674,840	3,317,640	1,039,100	318,100	13.3	16.0	14.4	4.5
$1,500–$1,999	3,745,920	2,864,740	721,780	159,400	10.7	13.8	10.0	2.2
$2,000–$2,499	2,410,980	1,951,520	379,420	80,040	6.9	9.4	5.3	1.1
$2,500–$2,999	1,273,240	1,066,700	175,120	31,420	3.6	5.1	2.4	.4
$3,000–$4,999	1,776,860	1,529,780	211,720	35,360	5.1	7.4	2.9	.5
$5,000 and over	555,600	479,520	65,340	10,740	1.6	2.3	.9	.2
Not reported	644,460	399,920	132,320	112,220	1.8	1.9	1.8	1.6
Median family wage or salary income [1]	$1,231	$1,463	$976	$453				
WITHOUT OTHER INCOME								
All families	17,529,940	11,868,820	3,924,200	1,736,920	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$0	1,399,840	602,520	283,380	513,940	8.0	5.1	7.2	29.6
$1–$199	678,300	258,740	205,360	214,200	3.9	2.2	5.2	12.3
$200–$499	1,937,420	861,300	633,040	443,080	11.1	7.3	16.1	25.5
$500–$999	3,316,700	2,079,140	951,580	285,980	18.9	17.5	24.2	16.5
$1,000–$1,499	3,267,960	2,393,000	746,840	128,120	18.6	20.2	19.0	7.4
$1,500–$1,999	2,705,960	2,117,500	520,780	67,680	15.4	17.8	13.3	3.9
$2,000–$2,499	1,722,220	1,425,980	265,100	31,140	9.8	12.0	6.8	1.8
$2,500–$2,999	886,300	753,900	120,420	11,980	5.1	6.4	3.1	.7
$3,000–$4,999	1,159,700	1,016,600	130,980	12,120	6.6	8.6	3.3	.7
$5,000 and over	273,900	241,400	29,420	3,080	1.6	2.0	.7	.2
Not reported	181,640	118,740	37,300	25,600	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.5
Median family wage or salary income [1]	$1,312	$1,496	$1,008	$460				
WITH OTHER INCOME [2]								
All families	17,558,900	8,866,380	3,286,920	5,405,600	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
$0	8,489,000	3,462,260	1,479,900	3,546,840	48.3	39.0	45.0	65.6
$1–$199	904,120	275,640	184,920	443,560	5.1	3.1	5.6	8.2
$200–$499	1,429,340	561,640	331,000	536,700	8.1	6.3	10.1	9.9
$500–$999	1,852,220	1,024,140	417,140	410,940	10.5	11.6	12.7	7.6
$1,000–$1,499	1,406,880	924,640	292,260	189,980	8.0	10.4	8.9	3.5
$1,500–$1,999	1,039,960	747,240	201,000	91,720	5.9	8.4	6.1	1.7
$2,000–$2,499	688,760	525,540	114,320	48,900	3.9	5.9	3.5	.9
$2,500–$2,999	386,940	312,800	54,700	19,440	2.2	3.5	1.7	.4
$3,000–$4,999	617,160	513,180	80,740	23,240	3.5	5.8	2.5	.4
$5,000 and over	281,700	238,120	35,920	7,660	1.6	2.7	1.1	.1
Not reported	462,820	281,180	95,020	86,620	2.6	3.2	2.9	1.6
Median family wage or salary income [1]	$1,042	$1,379	$908	$447				

[1] The median family wage or salary income is based on the number of families reporting 1 dollar or more of wage or salary income in 1939. For definition of median, see headnote, table 22, p. 23.

[2] Includes statistics for families for whom the receipt or nonreceipt of other income in 1939 was not reported

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, Families—General Characteristics.

No. 311.—Families by Family Wage or Salary Income in 1939, by States

[Statistics are based on Sample F, see p. 1. For definitions, see headnotes on tables 307 and 310]

Division and State	All families	Family wage or salary income in 1939								
		$0	$1 to $499	$500 to $999	$1,000 to $1,499	$1,500 to $1,999	$2,000 to $2,999	$3,000 to $4,999	$5,000 and over	Not reported
Total	35,088,840	9,888,840	4,949,180	5,168,920	4,874,840	3,745,920	3,884,220	1,776,860	555,600	644,460
New England	2,221,580	433,180	164,380	345,220	389,680	313,880	320,540	149,000	49,660	56,180
Maine	222,080	66,140	32,320	43,500	38,240	22,280	17,580	6,240	1,660	4,120
N. H	135,960	31,440	13,720	27,120	24,860	16,020	14,080	5,260	1,000	2,460
Vt	91,880	26,240	12,080	17,580	14,520	8,220	7,680	2,600	920	2,040
Mass	1,125,840	212,880	67,620	165,440	193,260	170,000	175,760	83,600	28,160	29,120
R. I	189,120	32,080	14,740	32,660	34,940	27,880	27,360	11,900	3,560	4,000
Conn	456,700	74,400	23,900	58,920	83,740	69,480	78,080	39,400	14,360	14,420
Mid. Atlantic	7,325,100	1,518,440	593,240	1,033,940	1,160,140	975,420	1,052,640	586,220	203,120	201,940
N. Y	3,685,380	793,600	262,760	480,420	553,520	490,700	561,580	329,280	119,620	93,900
N. J	1,110,580	192,880	73,720	135,100	167,740	158,400	186,440	111,440	42,520	42,340
Pa	2,529,140	531,960	256,760	418,420	438,880	326,320	304,620	145,500	40,980	65,700
E. N. Central	7,317,040	1,890,020	742,000	1,030,820	1,117,040	940,240	924,100	430,920	124,160	117,740
Ohio	1,905,700	467,920	192,660	276,780	309,500	253,740	237,080	109,100	30,280	28,640
Ind	962,340	285,200	117,480	151,480	139,720	107,360	95,820	39,180	10,020	16,080
Ill	2,216,580	548,020	211,120	307,860	321,900	272,080	306,380	158,220	40,760	41,240
Mich	1,405,480	320,480	124,800	182,040	232,140	209,420	201,460	90,200	25,820	19,120
Wis	826,940	268,400	95,940	112,660	113,780	97,640	83,360	34,220	8,280	12,660
W. N. Central	3,706,440	1,483,280	574,740	515,160	403,880	296,660	264,680	108,880	31,600	47,800
Minn	735,980	270,440	88,540	102,400	89,900	72,480	66,020	29,400	8,620	8,180
Iowa	704,520	308,240	94,860	95,260	78,160	51,860	44,340	16,160	3,780	11,860
Mo	1,072,580	359,860	186,500	154,240	122,260	90,220	89,500	40,000	13,800	16,200
N. Dak	155,100	74,060	30,180	19,920	11,840	8,200	6,460	2,240	420	1,780
S. Dak	163,580	79,680	27,720	22,540	12,260	9,620	6,600	2,540	600	2,020
Nebr	360,180	158,660	59,660	49,860	34,720	23,720	20,720	8,020	2,420	2,400
Kans	514,500	212,340	87,280	70,940	54,720	40,560	31,020	10,520	1,960	5,160
S. Atlantic	4,318,100	1,181,940	887,680	755,620	511,200	343,920	326,760	168,400	55,820	86,760
Del	72,420	16,100	8,360	10,920	9,920	8,300	9,160	5,200	2,040	2,420
Md	471,600	95,980	61,060	73,140	74,400	56,980	62,440	33,860	11,980	11,760
Dist. of Col	170,640	25,760	7,840	17,600	26,380	24,440	30,800	25,560	10,460	1,800
Va	632,100	169,740	120,680	115,480	75,820	51,960	53,600	27,840	9,060	7,920
W. Va	440,200	102,000	76,160	74,680	77,680	44,920	37,820	15,780	3,300	7,860
N. C	794,800	259,260	160,960	146,920	84,940	55,420	41,660	18,560	5,300	21,840
S. C	437,680	133,560	120,800	80,400	39,300	22,320	19,520	8,040	1,720	7,020
Ga	765,280	236,920	215,660	132,100	63,200	39,680	36,960	18,980	6,520	15,260
Fla	533,320	137,620	126,160	104,380	59,560	39,900	34,800	14,580	5,440	10,880
E. S. Central	2,629,700	1,006,720	653,540	390,800	218,280	129,580	116,860	49,580	13,640	50,700
Ky	693,960	251,920	155,480	104,340	71,600	43,460	35,160	15,620	3,500	12,880
Tenn	714,420	251,640	162,120	119,140	67,700	41,300	39,420	16,460	4,780	11,860
Ala	677,720	235,460	187,980	109,400	54,400	30,300	29,560	12,220	3,480	14,920
Miss	543,600	267,700	147,960	57,920	24,580	14,520	12,720	5,280	1,880	11,040
W. S. Central	3,405,220	1,208,840	852,240	480,840	290,980	236,020	191,220	82,340	24,760	37,980
Ark	497,820	209,360	153,680	63,000	27,400	17,080	14,420	5,020	1,460	6,400
La	593,860	197,360	155,180	96,980	49,320	36,840	32,020	16,280	5,340	4,540
Okla	615,320	232,060	147,320	75,080	54,280	46,880	32,480	11,860	4,460	10,900
Tex	1,698,220	570,060	396,060	245,780	159,980	135,220	112,300	49,180	13,500	16,140
Mountain	1,129,000	345,380	178,840	190,120	144,340	113,500	94,860	37,820	8,340	15,800
Mont	159,660	52,620	21,520	26,400	20,160	15,740	14,800	5,320	1,060	2,040
Idaho	145,120	49,100	24,500	26,280	17,540	13,220	9,200	2,740	680	1,860
Wyo	69,220	20,600	10,260	10,480	8,780	8,860	6,460	2,700	380	700
Colo	319,700	101,680	46,700	52,620	42,080	29,960	27,020	11,080	3,260	5,300
N. Mex	131,480	40,080	32,020	23,260	12,920	10,060	7,040	3,140	480	2,480
Ariz	130,860	36,540	22,020	22,400	16,560	14,580	12,000	4,680	820	1,260
Utah	139,440	35,760	18,240	24,280	21,960	16,060	14,300	6,280	1,200	1,300
Nev	33,520	9,000	3,580	4,400	4,340	5,020	4,040	1,880	400	860
Pacific	3,036,660	841,040	302,520	426,400	439,440	396,700	392,580	163,700	44,500	29,780
Wash	542,420	153,900	63,820	82,120	82,020	67,120	61,320	21,460	4,760	5,900
Oreg	343,280	98,540	45,400	52,700	52,320	38,960	35,180	12,520	2,920	4,740
Calif	2,150,960	588,600	193,300	291,580	305,100	290,620	296,080	129,720	36,820	19,140

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, Families—General Characteristics.

No. 312.—Families Without Other Income by Family Wage or Salary Income in 1939, by States

[Statistics are based on Sample F, see p. 1. For definitions, see headnotes on tables 307 and 310]

Division and state	Families without other income	Family wage or salary income in 1939								
		$0	$1 to $499	$500 to $999	$1,000 to $1,499	$1,500 to $1,999	$2,000 to $2,999	$3,000 to $4,999	$5,000 and over	Not reported
Total	17,529,940	1,399,840	2,615,720	3,316,700	3,267,960	2,705,960	2,608,520	1,159,700	273,900	181,640
New England	1,184,900	66,580	76,520	211,220	264,240	220,300	218,040	91,640	21,960	14,400
Maine	96,700	7,020	13,720	23,020	23,460	13,900	10,720	3,480	580	800
N. H	58,900	4,060	5,960	14,840	14,780	8,760	7,480	2,280	280	460
Vt	33,520	3,120	4,000	8,760	7,680	4,280	4,060	960	300	360
Mass	638,460	36,480	33,620	105,560	136,620	125,360	124,300	55,380	13,460	7,680
R. I	97,060	4,180	7,660	20,460	22,560	17,760	16,660	5,720	1,180	880
Conn	260,260	11,720	11,560	38,580	59,140	50,240	54,820	23,820	6,160	4,220
Mid. Atlantic	4,153,060	259,680	299,900	670,400	838,080	732,540	775,220	406,540	109,000	61,700
N. Y	2,069,540	130,380	129,300	306,840	393,480	366,340	417,860	232,660	65,980	26,700
N. J	658,700	35,420	40,160	89,820	123,540	120,060	138,020	75,800	22,280	13,600
Pa	1,424,820	93,880	130,440	273,740	321,060	246,140	219,340	98,080	20,740	21,400
E. N. Central	3,769,580	258,520	356,900	645,880	779,500	684,660	662,720	284,560	62,780	34,060
Ohio	1,024,940	69,160	100,820	179,040	222,780	187,560	170,740	72,860	14,160	7,820
Ind	476,820	37,000	58,600	98,900	97,700	79,540	69,400	25,680	5,100	4,900
Ill	1,170,600	75,040	105,240	193,580	226,500	201,060	225,240	106,320	26,080	11,540
Mich	741,940	45,580	57,280	110,440	157,600	148,740	142,240	60,240	14,280	5,540
Wis	355,280	31,740	34,960	63,920	74,920	67,760	55,100	19,460	3,160	4,260
W. N. Central	1,465,260	168,280	247,660	302,720	270,180	204,240	179,400	67,120	14,440	11,220
Minn	293,700	31,700	28,340	55,920	58,340	49,920	44,800	18,740	4,400	1,540
Iowa	235,940	31,540	34,180	48,980	47,760	32,640	27,440	9,000	1,540	2,860
Mo	507,600	53,520	102,320	99,960	86,900	66,920	62,400	24,860	6,460	4,260
N. Dak	46,420	6,160	10,260	11,180	7,980	5,140	4,020	1,260	100	320
S. Dak	47,320	6,900	8,980	12,100	7,040	6,020	4,140	1,520	160	460
Nebr	131,740	15,360	23,360	31,240	23,880	16,360	14,360	5,480	1,060	640
Kans	202,540	23,100	40,220	43,340	38,280	27,240	22,240	6,260	720	1,140
S. Atlantic	2,228,800	210,260	528,100	513,940	357,200	244,780	223,260	103,860	24,000	23,400
Del	30,620	1,480	3,840	6,280	5,280	4,860	5,300	2,440	640	500
Md	266,280	19,620	30,660	49,720	53,200	40,840	43,180	20,320	5,280	3,460
Dist. of Col	95,360	2,640	3,780	11,040	17,600	16,660	21,360	16,460	5,180	640
Va	315,760	28,240	66,320	73,880	51,920	35,820	36,540	17,340	3,920	1,780
W. Va	258,780	23,580	45,320	54,500	58,680	33,940	28,260	10,560	1,600	2,340
N. C	374,060	54,260	83,720	94,280	57,000	39,160	27,580	10,460	1,780	5,820
S. C	223,460	23,060	76,680	58,040	28,800	16,040	13,240	5,000	600	2,000
Ga	379,480	39,700	132,940	92,240	43,280	27,940	24,680	12,260	2,940	3,500
Fla	285,000	17,680	84,840	73,960	41,440	29,520	23,120	9,020	2,060	3,360
E. S. Central	1,176,720	160,660	368,040	267,800	156,140	91,200	80,800	30,960	6,500	14,620
Ky	322,900	42,500	86,760	71,020	51,540	31,540	24,040	9,700	1,600	4,200
Tenn	323,920	36,380	87,980	79,300	48,140	28,540	27,760	10,220	2,220	3,380
Ala	331,280	42,660	112,380	79,740	39,800	21,400	21,160	8,040	1,880	4,220
Miss	198,620	39,120	80,920	37,740	16,660	9,720	7,840	3,000	800	2,820
W. S. Central	1,562,660	148,800	512,620	324,580	204,840	169,840	131,300	49,500	10,660	10,520
Ark	200,140	25,240	88,100	41,360	18,620	12,020	9,840	2,600	620	1,740
La	295,440	27,500	99,020	69,780	35,980	26,880	22,300	10,180	2,400	1,400
Okla	263,400	35,280	77,400	46,460	37,020	32,940	22,120	7,560	1,600	3,020
Tex	803,680	60,780	248,100	166,980	113,220	98,000	77,040	29,160	6,040	4,360
Mountain	512,760	40,760	87,940	117,600	97,360	76,960	62,920	22,160	3,520	3,640
Mont	68,980	6,060	8,920	16,040	13,800	10,800	9,500	2,780	480	600
Idaho	56,060	5,400	9,380	14,920	10,640	8,160	5,400	1,500	160	500
Wyo	30,320	2,380	4,400	6,220	6,080	5,640	3,980	1,360	180	80
Colo	144,120	10,180	22,680	33,600	28,560	20,600	18,520	7,200	1,480	1,300
N. Mex	70,020	8,440	21,340	16,380	9,140	7,040	4,980	1,860	220	620
Ariz	64,740	4,220	12,640	14,840	11,120	10,560	8,100	2,600	340	320
Utah	64,760	3,240	6,940	13,360	15,340	11,180	9,960	4,060	500	180
Nev	13,760	840	1,640	2,240	2,680	2,980	2,380	800	160	40
Pacific	1,476,200	86,300	138,040	262,560	300,420	281,440	274,960	103,360	21,040	8,080
Wash	267,720	18,380	30,720	51,560	57,560	47,900	43,480	13,900	2,420	1,800
Oreg	159,780	11,120	19,600	31,540	35,420	27,500	24,420	7,900	1,340	940
Calif	1,048,700	56,800	87,720	179,460	207,440	206,040	207,060	81,560	17,280	5,340

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; special report of Sixteenth Census, Families—General Characteristics.

12. Prices

GENERAL NOTE

The indexes issued by the Bureau of Labor Statistics have been, since the beginning of the century, the major source of price statistics in summarized form. This agency prepares a comprehensive weekly and monthly index of wholesale prices, a daily index based on spot market prices of 28 basic commodities; an index of prices of waste and scrap materials; indexes of the cost of food at retail in 56 large cities; and indexes of consumers' prices for moderate-income families in 34 large cities. In addition during the war period the Bureau has prepared a number of special purpose price indexes for the use of the war agencies.

The wholesale-price index is based on primary market quotations of 890 commodities. Prior to April 1944, fewer commodities were covered. In computing the index the price of each article is weighted by the approximate quantity marketed during a period approximating that covered by the index. Beginning with 1921, in computing indexes for commodity groups, articles falling under more than one of the classifications were included under each classification. For example, articles produced on the farm which reach the consumer practically unchanged in form, such as potatoes, milk, and eggs, were included among both farm products and foods. However, in computing the index for all commodities such articles were counted only once.

The consumers' price index is described in the note to table 320. Prior to September 1945, this index was called the cost-of-living index.

The retail-food-cost indexes presented in this section for periods from January 1935 to March 1943 are based on the distribution of expenditures as shown by the 1934–36 study made by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of expenditures of wage earners' and lower-salaried workers' families. In March 1943, the weights for this index were again revised to take account of changes in food purchases due to wartime shortages and rationing. The indexes are computed from prices of 54 foods for the period from January 1935 to March 1943, and from 61 thereafter. Aggregate costs of these foods in each of 56 cities (51 cities prior to March 1943), weighted to represent total purchases, have been combined for the United States with the use of population weights. Indexes for all periods prior to January 1935 are converted from indexes computed for corresponding periods on the 1923–25 base.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics prepares currently indexes of prices received for farm products and of prices paid by farmers. (In addition to table 313 in this section, see tables 700 and 701.) The index of prices received for farm products included in this section is a revised series replacing the earlier series which has been in use for the past decade. Data cover prices paid to producers for 45 major farm products. Quantity weights applied to the individual commodities have been adjusted to marketings of the most recent prewar years, 1935–39. For other significant changes in the revised index, see source.

In comparing the movement of the indexes of consumers' prices and of the prices paid by farmers for commodities bought for family living (table 701), it should be noted that the consumers' price index includes rents and other services and the farm index does not, and that the list of commodities included in the two indexes and their geographic coverage differs because farm family buying differs considerably from that of city families, and farm and city workers are located in different parts of the country.

A number of privately compiled indexes of wholesale and retail prices provide some groupings not found in the official indexes. For example, the National Industrial Conference Board prepares current indexes for both a prewar and a wartime budget (table 322). Special purpose indexes have not been included in this section.

The user of price indexes is reminded that the margin of error in price statistics due to unrecorded changes in quality, in discounts, and in undercover charges is greater in war than in peacetime.

No. 313.—Prices, Wholesale, Retail, and Farm—Indexes, by Months: 1929 to 1945

[See general note, page 282]

YEAR	Yearly average	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Wholesale prices (1926 avg.=100):													
1929	95.3	95.9	95.4	96.1	95.5	94.7	95.2	96.5	96.3	96.1	95.1	93.5	93.3
1930	86.4	92.5	91.4	90.2	90.0	88.8	86.8	84.4	84.3	84.4	83.0	81.3	79.6
1931	73.0	78.2	76.8	76.0	74.8	73.2	72.1	72.0	72.1	71.2	70.3	70.2	68.6
1932	64.8	67.3	66.3	66.0	65.5	64.4	63.9	64.5	65.2	65.3	64.4	63.9	62.6
1933	65.9	61.0	59.8	60.2	60.4	62.7	65.0	68.9	69.5	70.8	71.2	71.1	70.8
1934	74.9	72.2	73.6	73.7	73.3	73.7	74.6	74.8	76.4	77.6	76.5	76.5	76.9
1935	80.0	78.8	79.5	79.4	80.1	80.2	79.8	79.4	80.5	80.7	80.5	80.6	80.9
1936	80.8	80.6	80.6	79.6	79.7	78.6	79.2	80.5	81.6	81.6	81.5	82.4	84.2
1937	86.3	85.9	86.3	87.8	88.0	87.4	87.2	87.9	87.5	87.4	85.4	83.3	81.7
1938	78.6	80.9	79.8	79.7	78.7	78.1	78.3	78.8	78.1	78.3	77.6	77.5	77.0
1939	77.1	76.9	76.9	76.7	76.2	76.2	75.6	75.4	75.0	79.1	79.4	79.2	79.2
1940	78.6	79.4	78.7	78.4	78.6	78.4	77.5	77.7	77.4	78.0	78.7	79.6	80.0
1941	87.3	80.8	80.6	81.5	83.2	84.9	87.1	88.8	90.3	91.8	92.4	92.5	93.6
1942	98.8	96.0	96.7	97.6	98.7	98.8	98.6	98.7	99.2	99.6	100.0	100.3	101.0
1943	103.1	101.9	102.5	103.4	103.7	104.1	103.8	103.2	103.1	103.1	103.0	102.9	103.2
1944	104.0	103.3	103.6	103.8	103.9	104.0	104.3	104.1	103.9	104.0	104.1	104.4	104.7
1945	105.8	104.9	105.2	105.3	105.7	106.0	106.1	105.9	105.7	105.2	105.9	106.8	107.1
Retail food prices (1935-1939 avg.=100):													
1929	132.5	130.0	129.6	128.4	127.7	129.7	131.3	134.9	136.9	136.7	136.3	135.2	133.8
1930	126.0	132.4	131.0	129.2	130.8	129.9	128.1	123.4	122.4	124.5	123.8	120.5	116.5
1931	103.9	113.0	108.9	107.7	106.2	104.6	102.1	102.2	102.5	102.1	101.2	99.0	96.5
1932	86.5	92.2	89.2	89.5	89.0	86.7	85.7	86.5	84.9	84.4	84.0	83.1	82.0
1933	84.1	79.2	76.1	75.7	76.1	79.1	82.2	89.9	91.2	91.1	90.7	89.8	88.1
1934	93.7	89.4	92.0	92.3	91.5	92.4	93.0	93.3	94.2	97.8	96.2	95.4	94.5
1935	100.4	98.4	100.4	99.7	101.9	101.3	100.5	99.4	99.4	100.5	100.0	101.3	102.1
1936	101.3	101.5	100.1	98.5	98.4	98.1	101.7	102.6	104.0	104.8	103.0	101.9	101.6
1937	105.3	103.1	103.6	105.0	105.1	106.1	106.0	106.3	106.9	107.9	106.5	104.1	102.7
1938	97.8	99.7	97.3	97.5	98.4	97.5	98.2	98.5	97.5	98.1	97.1	96.2	97.2
1939	95.2	95.8	94.8	94.6	94.2	94.0	93.6	94.3	93.5	98.4	97.6	96.7	94.9
1940	96.6	94.8	96.6	95.6	96.2	97.0	98.3	97.4	96.2	97.2	96.2	95.9	97.3
1941	105.5	97.8	97.9	98.4	100.6	102.1	105.9	106.7	108.0	110.7	111.6	113.1	113.1
1942	123.9	116.2	116.8	118.6	119.6	121.6	123.2	124.6	126.1	126.6	129.6	131.1	132.7
1943	138.0	133.0	133.6	137.4	140.6	143.0	141.9	139.0	137.2	137.4	138.2	137.3	137.1
1944	136.1	136.1	134.5	134.1	134.6	135.5	135.7	137.4	137.7	137.0	136.4	136.5	137.4
1945	139.1	137.3	136.5	135.9	136.6	138.8	141.1	141.7	140.9	139.4	139.3	140.1	141.4
Farm prices (Aug. 1909-July 1914=100):													
1929	149	149	148	150	148	145	144	149	151	150	150	150	150
1930	128	147	143	139	139	136	131	121	118	122	116	112	107
1931	90	103	99	100	99	93	87	87	84	82	80	82	79
1932	68	74	71	74	71	65	61	64	66	67	66	66	66
1933	72	61	57	59	61	70	73	83	80	80	79	81	79
1934	90	78	84	85	85	84	86	87	95	101	100	100	101
1935	109	109	114	113	115	111	107	104	105	105	107	108	111
1936	114	109	111	107	108	105	108	115	121	121	118	119	122
1937	122	126	127	131	132	128	125	126	120	117	112	108	106
1938	97	103	99	100	98	95	96	98	93	95	95	97	99
1939	95	96	95	95	94	93	91	91	89	98	99	100	98
1940	100	100	103	103	102	101	97	97	96	98	100	103	104
1941	124	107	107	108	115	116	120	126	130	138	136	137	143
1942	159	148	150	151	155	154	154	157	160	163	167	170	177
1943	192	181	184	192	197	194	195	193	192	193	194	194	196
1944	195	196	195	196	196	194	193	192	193	192	194	196	200
1945	202	201	199	198	203	200	206	206	204	197	199	205	207

Source: Wholesale and retail prices: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I and Monthly Labor Review. A pamphlet "Wholesale Prices" is published semiannually. Farm prices: Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; published in Jan. 1945 and subsequent issues of "Agricultural Prices."

No. 314.—Prices, Wholesale—Indexes, by Major Commodity Groups: 1890 to 1945

Note.—1926=100. See general note, page 282. For indexes for all commodities for prior years, see table 315. For index numbers (based on 1910–14 as 100) showing price changes in farm products and foods compared with all other commodities combined, see table 701, p. 629.

Period	All commodities	Farm products	Foods	Hides and leather products	Textile products	Fuel and lighting	Metals and metal products	Building materials	Chemicals and allied products [1]	House furnishing goods	Miscellaneous
1890	56.2	50.4	55.5	47.5	57.8	38.1	105.3	46.5	73.2	49.9	97.9
1891	55.8	54.2	54.8	47.9	54.6	37.0	92.2	44.2	74.0	50.4	94.3
1892	52.2	49.5	51.0	47.2	55.2	34.8	84.0	41.7	74.6	48.1	86.6
1893	53.4	51.3	54.7	45.1	54.1	35.3	76.8	41.6	72.7	48.1	89.0
1894	47.9	44.6	48.2	43.0	46.1	34.3	65.7	39.8	65.5	45.3	86.4
1895	48.8	43.9	47.3	49.4	44.3	40.3	70.4	38.8	64.7	43.5	88.9
1896	46.5	39.6	44.1	45.2	43.1	39.5	71.2	38.9	65.0	43.4	90.2
1897	46.6	42.5	45.5	45.9	42.9	33.9	65.0	37.4	70.9	42.5	92.5
1898	48.5	44.9	47.8	48.3	44.9	34.5	65.3	39.6	77.4	44.0	93.4
1899	52.2	45.8	47.7	49.4	47.7	41.2	100.0	43.6	81.1	45.0	97.4
1900	56.1	50.5	50.8	49.4	53.3	46.3	98.0	46.2	82.1	48.9	102.0
1901	55.3	52.8	50.5	48.9	48.1	44.6	93.1	44.3	84.2	48.9	93.4
1902	58.9	58.4	53.3	50.8	49.4	51.8	91.0	45.3	86.5	49.2	88.1
1903	59.6	55.6	52.0	49.9	52.8	60.3	90.2	46.7	84.1	50.9	98.9
1904	59.7	58.5	54.0	49.7	52.9	53.3	79.9	45.0	84.1	50.3	109.5
1905	60.1	56.4	55.1	53.9	54.1	49.6	89.1	48.1	82.3	49.7	117.4
1906	61.8	57.3	53.4	57.7	58.7	52.0	102.4	54.0	76.8	51.3	115.3
1907	65.2	62.2	57.0	58.0	63.5	54.4	109.8	56.8	78.5	55.0	108.2
1908	62.9	62.2	58.7	55.6	54.8	53.7	86.3	52.0	79.6	51.6	97.8
1909	67.6	69.6	62.6	61.5	56.5	51.6	84.5	53.7	79.9	51.7	129.6
1910	70.4	74.3	64.9	60.2	58.4	47.6	85.2	55.3	82.0	54.0	152.7
1911	64.9	66.8	62.0	58.8	55.5	46.7	80.8	55.3	81.6	52.7	108.6
1912	69.1	72.6	66.8	64.5	55.7	51.4	89.5	55.9	80.7	53.0	106.4
1913	69.8	71.5	64.2	68.1	57.3	61.3	90.8	56.7	80.2	56.1	93.1
1914	68.1	71.2	64.7	70.9	54.6	56.6	80.2	52.7	81.4	56.5	89.9
1915	69.5	71.5	65.4	75.5	54.1	51.8	86.3	53.5	112.0	56.0	86.9
1916	85.5	84.4	75.7	93.4	70.4	74.3	116.5	67.6	160.7	61.4	100.6
1917	117.5	129.0	104.5	123.8	98.7	105.4	150.6	88.2	165.0	74.2	122.1
1918	131.3	148.0	119.1	125.7	137.2	109.2	136.5	98.6	182.3	93.3	134.4
1919	138.6	157.6	129.5	174.1	135.3	104.3	130.9	115.6	157.0	105.9	139.1
1920	154.4	150.7	137.4	171.3	164.8	163.7	149.4	150.1	164.7	141.8	167.5
1921	97.6	88.4	90.6	109.2	94.5	96.8	117.5	97.4	115.0	113.0	109.2
1922	96.7	93.8	87.6	104.6	100.2	107.3	102.9	97.3	100.3	103.5	92.8
1923	100.6	98.6	92.7	104.2	111.3	97.3	109.3	108.7	101.1	108.9	99.7
1924	98.1	100.0	91.0	101.5	106.7	92.0	106.3	102.3	98.9	104.9	93.6
1925	103.5	109.8	100.2	105.3	108.3	96.5	103.2	101.7	101.8	103.1	109.0
1926	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1927	95.4	99.4	96.7	107.7	95.6	88.3	96.3	94.7	96.1	97.5	91.0
1928	96.7	105.9	101.0	121.4	95.5	84.3	97.0	94.1	95.0	95.1	85.4
1929	95.3	104.9	99.9	109.1	90.4	83.0	100.5	95.4	94.0	94.3	82.6
1930	86.4	88.3	90.5	100.0	80.3	78.5	92.1	89.9	88.7	92.7	77.7
1931	73.0	64.8	74.6	86.1	66.3	67.5	84.5	79.2	79.3	84.9	69.8
1932	64.8	48.2	61.0	72.9	54.9	70.3	80.2	71.4	73.9	75.1	64.4
1933	65.9	51.4	60.5	80.9	64.8	66.3	79.8	77.0	72.1	75.8	62.5
1934	74.9	65.3	70.5	86.6	72.9	73.3	86.9	86.2	75.3	81.5	69.7
1935	80.0	78.8	83.7	89.6	70.9	73.5	86.4	85.3	79.0	80.6	68.3
1936	80.8	80.9	82.1	95.4	71.5	76.2	87.0	86.7	78.7	81.7	70.5
1937	86.3	86.4	85.5	104.6	76.3	77.6	95.7	95.2	82.6	89.7	77.8
1938	78.6	68.5	73.6	92.8	66.7	76.5	95.7	90.3	77.0	86.8	73.3
1939	77.1	65.3	70.4	95.6	69.7	73.1	94.4	90.5	76.0	86.3	74.8
1940	78.6	67.7	71.3	100.8	73.8	71.7	95.8	94.8	77.0	88.5	77.3
1941	87.3	82.4	82.7	108.3	84.8	76.2	99.4	103.2	84.4	94.3	82.0
1942	98.8	105.9	99.6	117.7	96.9	78.5	103.8	110.2	95.5	102.4	89.7
1943	103.1	122.6	106.6	117.5	97.4	80.8	103.8	111.4	94.9	102.7	92.2
1944	104.0	123.3	104.9	116.7	98.4	83.0	103.8	115.5	95.2	104.3	93.6
March	103.8	123.6	104.6	116.9	97.8	83.0	103.7	114.2	95.0	104.3	93.5
June	104.3	125.0	106.5	116.4	97.8	83.3	103.7	115.9	95.3	104.3	93.5
September	104.0	122.7	104.2	116.0	99.2	83.0	103.8	116.0	94.9	104.4	93.6
December	104.7	125.5	105.5	117.4	99.5	83.1	103.8	116.4	94.8	104.4	94.2
1945	105.8	128.2	106.2	118.1	100.1	84.0	104.7	117.8	95.2	104.5	94.7
March	105.3	127.2	104.6	117.8	99.7	83.4	104.2	117.1	94.9	104.5	94.6
June	106.1	130.4	107.5	118.0	99.6	83.9	104.7	117.4	95.0	104.5	94.8
September	105.2	124.3	104.9	118.7	100.1	84.1	104.9	118.0	95.3	104.6	94.8
December	107.1	131.5	108.6	118.9	101.4	84.8	105.6	119.5	96.1	104.7	94.8

[1] Prior to 1926 "chemicals and drugs." Indexes for the 2 groups are not strictly comparable.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. See source note, table 316.

No. 315.—Prices, Wholesale—Indexes: 1860 to 1889

Note.—1926=100. Indexes are unweighted arithmetic averages of price relatives, published in 1893 by the Committee on Finance, United States Senate, on an 1860 base, recomputed to the 1926 base by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor.

Year	General index	Year	General index	Year	General index
1860	61	1870	87	1880	65
1861	61	1871	83	1881	64
1862	72	1872	84	1882	66
1863	90	1873	84	1883	65
1864	116	1874	81	1884	60
1865	132	1875	78	1885	57
1866	116	1876	72	1886	56
1867	105	1877	68	1887	56
1868	98	1878	62	1888	57
1869	94	1879	59	1889	57

Source: Dept. of Labor, B. L. S.; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I.

No. 316.—Prices, Wholesale—Indexes, by Subgroups of Commodities: 1929 to 1945

Note.—1926=100. Each of the 10 groups covered by table 314 is divided into from 2 to 7 subgroups. See also general note, p. 282, regarding commodities included in 2 groups.

Subgroup	1929	1932	1939	1941	1943	1944	1945	1944		1945	
								June	Dec.	June	Dec.
Grains	97.4	39.4	58.6	76.9	116.3	126.9	129.7	127.2	127.5	130.2	133.2
Livestock and poultry	106.1	48.2	72.2	91.6	128.7	124.6	132.5	123.0	126.9	134.4	129.6
Other farm products	106.6	51.4	62.6	77.8	119.8	120.7	124.3	124.7	123.2	127.2	131.3
Dairy products	105.6	61.3	69.5	87.3	111.1	110.5	111.1	110.3	110.7	110.5	113.8
Cereal products	88.0	66.4	74.8	80.7	93.7	94.8	95.2	94.7	94.7	95.5	95.7
Fruits and vegetables	97.8	58.0	62.0	67.5	121.3	121.3	122.8	137.7	116.2	134.7	128.7
Meats	109.1	58.2	77.2	90.4	110.3	106.1	107.8	106.1	106.2	108.3	107.9
Other foods	93.9	60.7	64.1	78.9	97.3	95.0	95.6	93.0	99.7	95.1	100.6
Shoes	106.3	86.1	102.6	113.5	126.4	126.3	126.4	126.3	126.3	126.3	126.9
Hides and skins	112.7	42.1	84.6	108.4	114.7	109.9	117.0	108.4	114.0	117.3	117.6
Leather	113.2	65.1	87.5	97.9	101.3	101.3	102.2	101.3	101.3	101.3	104.1
Other leather products	106.4	90.1	97.1	104.7	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2
Clothing	90.0	63.0	82.0	92.6	107.0	107.1	107.4	107.0	107.4	107.4	107.4
Cotton goods	98.8	54.0	67.2	94.2	112.7	115.7	121.4	113.9	119.2	119.7	125.5
Hosiery and underwear	88.5	51.6	61.4	63.1	70.8	70.9	71.7	70.6	71.5	71.5	73.5
Rayon	68.4	35.4	28.8	29.7	30.3	30.2	30.2	30.3	30.2	30.2	30.2
Silk	82.7	29.5	46.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Woolen and worsted goods	88.3	57.7	79.8	96.6	112.5	112.7	112.7	112.5	112.9	112.7	112.7
Other textile products	93.1	67.9	69.2	90.7	98.8	100.6	101.1	100.5	100.9	100.9	101.9
Anthracite	90.1	88.4	75.8	82.7	90.4	95.6	99.0	95.5	95.3	97.5	103.4
Bituminous coal	91.3	82.0	97.5	104.3	116.1	120.3	123.1	120.4	120.5	123.8	126.0
Coke	84.6	77.7	105.6	119.3	122.7	130.3	132.5	130.7	130.7	131.0	134.9
Electricity	94.5	104.7	78.6	68.3	59.5	59.6	62.3	59.3	59.9	59.6	68.7
Gas (mfd. and natural)	93.1	101.3	84.1	78.6	76.5	77.2	77.9	79.3	74.6	78.0	77.7
Petroleum and products	71.3	45.4	52.2	57.0	62.5	63.9	63.5	64.0	63.8	64.2	61.6
Agricultural implements	98.7	84.9	93.4	93.5	96.9	97.3	97.8	97.2	97.5	97.6	98.1
Iron and steel	94.9	79.4	95.8	96.4	97.2	97.2	99.2	97.1	97.2	99.1	101.0
Motor vehicles	100.0	87.1	93.4	103.3	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8	112.8
Nonferrous metals	106.1	49.8	78.0	84.4	86.0	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.8	85.9	85.8
Brick and tile	94.3	77.3	91.4	93.7	99.1	101.7	112.4	100.6	105.3	110.9	116.7
Cement	89.0	74.3	91.3	92.0	93.8	95.8	99.4	96.4	97.5	99.4	100.5
Lumber [2]	93.8	58.5	93.2	122.5	141.4	153.3	155.1	154.7	154.3	154.9	157.8
Paint and paint materials	94.9	71.1	82.8	91.4	102.3	105.2	106.9	105.7	106.3	106.3	107.8
Plumbing and heating	95.0	66.8	79.2	84.8	90.7	92.2	93.4	92.4	92.4	92.6	95.0
Structural steel	98.1	80.9	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3	107.3
Other building materials	97.7	79.5	90.3	98.3	102.0	103.1	104.4	103.0	103.3	104.3	105.9
Chemicals	99.7	88.8	84.7	87.2	96.5	96.1	96.1	96.2	95.6	95.9	97.1
Drugs and pharmaceuticals	66.8	55.0	78.2	102.6	106.2	108.8	109.0	112.0	106.9	109.5	112.3
Fertilizer materials	95.6	63.7	67.9	73.5	80.0	81.3	81.6	79.9	81.8	80.4	81.9
Mixed fertilizers	95.2	68.4	73.0	76.0	86.1	86.4	86.6	86.3	86.6	86.6	86.6
Oils and fats	89.0	40.0	48.4	77.6	101.9	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0	102.0
Furnishings	93.6	75.4	91.1	99.9	107.2	107.3	107.6	107.2	107.4	107.5	107.9
Furniture	95.0	75.0	81.3	88.4	98.1	101.4	101.5	101.4	101.5	101.5	101.6
Auto tires and tubes	54.5	41.1	59.5	61.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0	73.0
Cattle feed	121.6	46.0	83.3	101.2	152.7	159.6	159.6	159.6	159.6	159.6	159.6
Paper and pulp	88.9	75.5	82.4	98.2	104.1	107.1	108.8	107.2	107.3	109.0	109.3
Rubber, crude	42.3	7.3	37.2	46.1	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2	46.2
Other miscellaneous	98.4	83.7	82.6	87.8	95.8	97.0	98.9	96.7	98.2	98.9	98.9

[1] Data not available. [2] New series beginning with 1935.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I; semiannual report, Wholesale Prices; and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 317.—Prices, Wholesale—Indexes, All Commodities and by Economic Classes: 1930 to 1945

[**Figures in boxes indicate number of quotations.** Indexes of the National Bureau of Economic Research are weighted arithmetic means for 680 price series, the weights being based upon the average value of production in 1927 and 1931. For method of computing the Department of Labor index, see general note, p. 282. For Department of Labor publications in which data appear, see source note, table 316.]

Year	Department of Labor 1929=100				National Bureau of Economic Research 1929=100				
	All commodities 890 [3]	Raw materials 111 [3]	Semi-manufactures 99 [3]	Manufactured products [1] 680 [3]	All commodities 680 [4]	Producers' goods 418 [4]	Consumers' goods 292 [4]	Durable goods 222 [4]	Nondurable goods [2] 469 [4]
1930	90.7	86.5	87.1	93.1	90.5	88.4	93.2	93.0	89.1
1931	76.6	67.3	73.5	81.5	76.5	73.1	80.7	84.7	72.7
1932	68.0	56.5	63.2	74.4	67.4	64.9	70.6	78.5	61.5
1933	69.2	57.9	69.6	74.6	69.4	68.3	70.9	80.2	64.1
1935	83.9	79.1	78.4	87.0	83.4	83.1	83.9	86.5	81.2
1937	90.6	87.0	90.8	92.3	90.8	93.1	88.0	98.7	87.2
1939	80.9	72.0	82.0	85.1	80.6	82.1	78.6	95.4	74.0
1940	82.5	73.7	84.2	86.3	82.8	84.5	80.8	98.7	76.3
1941	91.6	85.6	92.5	94.3	92.1	94.3	89.6	104.2	87.2
1942	103.7	103.2	98.6	104.3	104.5	105.8	103.2	110.3	102.9
1943	108.2	115.0	98.9	105.9	109.4	110.3	108.4	110.6	109.5
1944	109.1	116.1	100.2	106.7	110.4	112.5	108.0	112.2	110.2
1945	111.0	119.8	102.1	107.7	112.6	115.4	109.1	113.8	112.6

[1] Formerly "Finished products." [2] Perishable and semidurable. [3] Effective Apr. 1944. In earlier years a smaller number of commodities was included. [4] The sum of the number of quotations for producers' and consumers' goods and for durable and nondurable goods is greater than the number of all commodities owing to duplication of certain price series in the classifications. For example, identical price quotations on flour are used in both producers' goods and consumers' goods.

No. 318.—Indexes of Spot Market Prices of 28 Basic Commodities and of Waste and Scrap Materials: 1939 to 1945

[**August 1939=100.** The index of 28 basic commodities is calculated daily and is available since August 1939. Most of the 28 commodities used in the daily index are basic raw materials and many of them are quoted on organized exchanges or "future" markets. This index is, therefore, much more sensitive to changes in market conditions than is the monthly wholesale price index. The index is calculated as an unweighted geometric average of the daily price quotations. The index numbers of waste and scrap materials are calculated weekly and are available since January 1939. The quotations for the 44 commodities in the waste and scrap index are those published in standard trade journals. The index is calculated as an unweighted geometric average of the weekly price quotations.]

Period	Waste and scrap materials					28 basic *commodities*
	All waste and scrap	Metals	Textiles	Waste paper	Scrap rubber	
December 1939	134.9	120.1	140.9	149.6	125.1	123.3
December 1940	133.7	136.3	135.8	107.8	149.1	117.6
December 1941	165.7	131.7	171.2	237.6	209.9	158.4
December 1942	155.4	119.7	171.7	138.0	257.1	171.7
December 1943	159.1	110.4	173.4	269.2	162.6	178.7
December 1944	157.8	99.8	173.1	339.5	159.8	182.6
March 1945	159.5	102.6	173.6	339.5	165.9	183.6
June 1945	160.5	103.9	174.0	339.5	171.7	183.7
September 1945	161.2	103.9	175.2	339.5	170.1	184.4
December 1945	163.6	101.2	182.8	339.5	160.1	187.1

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; semiannual report, *Wholesale Prices*. Index of 28 basic commodities also published weekly in mimeographed reports.

No. 319.—Prices, Wholesale, of Important Commodities: 1929 to 1945

[This list is a selection from among the commodities entering into the general index of wholesale prices of the Department of Labor as of December 1945 (see second paragraph, general note, p. 282). For weights of the bushel and barrel, except as noted, see Appendix, p. 970]

Commodity	Unit	Average price						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1943	1944	1945
I.—FARM PRODUCTS		*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Barley, No. 2, malting, Minneapolis	Bushel			0.552	0.622	1.149	1.346	1.300
Corn, No. 3, yellow, Chicago	do	0.938	0.307	.499	.706	1.050	1.149	1.169
Oats, No. 2, white, Chicago	do	.486	.209	.345	.425	.726	.768	(1)
Rye, No. 2, Chicago	do	1.016	.392	.530	.602	.991	1.202	1.471
Wheat, No. 2, red winter, Chicago	do	1.304	.531	.803	1.046	1.661	1.683	1.753
Wheat, No. 2, hard, Kansas City	do	1.180	.494	.755	.993	1.440	1.604	1.664
Cattle, steers, good to choice, Chicago	100 lb	13.493	7.799	10.438	12.102	15.644	16.238	16.878
Hogs, good to choice, light, Chicago	do	10.666	4.117	7.098	9.859	14.526	13.997	14.758
Lambs, native, good to choice, Chicago	do	14.509	6.224	9.345	11.239	14.945	15.008	15.400
Poultry, live fowls, Chicago	Pound	.273	.148	.154	.190	.243	.240	.252
Cotton, middling, Galveston	do	.187	.063	.089	.136	.194	.198	.210
Eggs, firsts, Chicago	Dozen	.354	.177	.175	.254	.392	.353	.372
Eggs, firsts, New York	do	.368	.193	.184	.266	.404	(1)	(1)
Apples, med. grade, Portland, Oreg	Box			1.331	1.433	3.411	3.341	3.429
Oranges, average grade, California, Chicago	do	6.540	3.819	3.239	3.379	5.052	5.038	4.879
Hay, alfalfa, Kansas City	Ton [2]	24.566	12.144	14.207	13.332	25.288	29.186	27.287
Milk, fluid, Chicago	100 lb			1.764	2.381	3.316	3.340	3.302
Milk, fluid, New York	do	3.997	2.379	2.837	3.357	4.160	4.334	4.345
Peanuts, Norfolk	Pound	.049	.014	.033	.044	(1)	(1)	(1)
Flaxseed, Minneapolis	Bushel	2.766	1.181	1.824	1.872	3.038	3.069	3.100
Tobacco, leaf, warehouse sales	100 lb	20.125	8.464	19.205	18.309	39.022	41.807	42.970
Potatoes, white, Boston	do	1.802	.863	1.580	1.499	2.953	2.952	3.352
Wool, domestic, scoured, staple, fine and medium fine, Boston	Pound	.987	.459	.822	1.091	1.182	1.188	1.192
II.—FOODS								
Butter, creamery, extra:								
Chicago	do	.437	.200	.253	.337	.430	.410	.414
New York	do	.449	.210	.260	.343	.439	.418	.421
San Francisco	do	.458	.219	.277	.359	.447	.425	.433
Cheese, whole milk, Chicago	do	.221	.120	.142	.204	.252	.252	.252
Milk, evaporated, New York	Case [3]	3.867	2.528	2.950	3.541	4.200	4.200	4.200
Bread, Chicago	Pound	.075	.070	.058	.059	.058	.058	.058
Bread, New York	do	.066	.060	.062	.066	.072	.072	.072
Flour, short patents, Kansas City	100 lb						3.286	3.343
Flour, standard patents, Minneapolis	do						3.341	3.340
Rice, Blue Rose, New Orleans	Pound	.038	.022	.034	.046	.066	.066	.066
Raisins, seedless, packers	do	.046	.048	.039	.049	.078	(1)	(1)
Bananas, Honduras, Guatemala, etc. f. o. b. port of entry	100 lb					4.500	4.500	4.500
Beef, fresh, carcass, steers, Chicago	Pound	.231	.130	.163	.177	.209	.200	.200
Lamb, fresh, Chicago	do	.256	.134	.167	.184	.248	.238	.238
Hams, Chicago	do	.244	.133	.200	.255	.275	.258	.258
Bacon, Chicago	do	.263	.124	.173	.223	.248	.240	(1)
Pork, fresh (composite price), Chicago	do	.183	.078	.133	.179	.212	.199	.205
Poultry, dressed, New York	do			.192	.232	.327	.338	.348
Coffee, Santos 4, New York	do	.221	.107	.075	.114	.134	.134	.134
Salmon, canned, pink, No. 1, tall, Seattle	Doz. cans			1.174	1.692	1.970	1.970	1.970
Lard, prime, contract, New York	Pound	.120	.050	.069	.092	.138	(1)	(1)
Oleomargarine, vegetable fat, delivered	do	.174	.106	.145	.156	.204	.204	.204
Salt, American, medium, Chicago	100 lb					.893	.890	.890
Sugar, cane, granulated, New York	Pound	.051	.040	.046	.049	.055	.055	.054
Sugar, cane, raw, 96°, New York	do	.038	.029	.030	.034	.037	.037	.038
Cottonseed oil, New York	do	.097	.038	.066	.104	.140	.142	.143

[1] Insufficient data.
[2] Ton of 2,000 pounds.
[3] Case of 4 dozen 14½-ounce cans. Price for 1929 computed from price of 16-ounce cans.

No. 319.—Prices, Wholesale, of Important Commodities: 1929 to 1945—Continued

Commodity	Unit	Average price						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1943	1944	1945
III.—HIDES AND LEATHER PRODUCTS		*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
Hides, packers, heavy, native steers, Chicago	Pound	0.171	0.061	0.123	*0.145*	*0.155*	*0.155*	*0.155*
Calfskins, packers, Chicago	do	.209	.064	.179	.223	.218	.218	.218
Goat skins, Brazil, New York	do	.750	.415	.470	.549	.543	.616	.620
Leather:								
Calf, chrome, B and C grade (composite price)	Sq. ft			.393	.488	.512	.512	.512
Glazed kid, top grade, Boston	do	.725	.436	.579	.594	.600	.600	.600
Side, black, chrome tanned, B grade, Boston	do	.288	.162	.219	.288	*.310*	*.310*	*.310*
Sole, oak, scoured backs, Boston	Pound	.529	.291	.320	.390	.415	.415	.415
Shoes, oxford, factory:								
Men's black, calf, tip	Pair	3.467	3.092	4.019	4.327	4.600	4.600	4.600
Women's, black, calf, blucher	do			2.563	2.607	3.000	3.000	3.000
IV.—TEXTILE PRODUCTS								
Cotton goods, mill:								
Damask, table, mercerized, mill, 58-inch	Yard	.370	.292	.400	.475	.498	.498	.505
Denims, 28-inch	do	.183	.091	.106	.154	.192	.202	.213
Drillings, brown, 36-inch	do			.084	.134	.164	.167	.177
Gingham, 35-36-inch	do					.304	(1)	.277
Muslin, bleached, series 1	do	.174	.103	.130	.160	.190	(1)	(1)
Print cloth, 27-inch	do	.052	.026	.036	.055		*.065*	.068
Sheeting, bleached, series 2	do	.506	.296	.323	.381	.434	.461	.498
Sheeting, brown, series 1	do			.067	.115	.142	.145	.153
Yarn, carded, Southern, 22/1, cones	Pound				.355	*.414*	*.426*	*.457*
Hosiery and underwear:								
Hosiery, men's cotton	Doz. pr			.810	(1)	1.375	(1)	(1)
Men's union suits; knit, ribbed	Dozen				(1)	10.186	10.208	10.521
Rayon, fil. yarn, viscose, 100 d	Pound	2.027	.836	.656	.709	.730	.730	.730
Silk, raw, Japan, 20-22 yellow, New York	do	4.880	1.540	2.615	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Woolen and worsted goods, mill:								
Suiting serge, 15-ounce	Yard	1.961	1.328	1.915	2.387	(1)	(1)	(1)
French serge, 54-inch	do		.806	1.059	1.316	1.559	1.559	(1)
Yarn, fine, weaving, 2/50's	Pound	1.967	1.186	1.656	2.098	2.450	2.450	2.450
Thread, cotton, 6-card	100 yd	.037	.035	.023	.027	.028	.028	.028
V.—FUEL AND LIGHTING								
Coal, anthracite, chestnut	Ton [2]	11.505	10.879	9.143	10.006	10.889	11.474	11.887
Coal, bituminous, mine run	do	3.953	3.638	4.311	*4.560*	*5.045*	*5.239*	*5.356*
Coke, Connellsville, beehive, furnace	do	2.780	2.123	4.091	5.851	6.481	7.000	7.298
Coke, Newark, byproduct, foundry	do	9.200	8.654	11.230	12.565	12.825	13.287	13.486
Electricity, average price all U. S	100 kw. hr			1.717	1.475	1.287	1.290	(1)
Gas, mfd., av. price 27 cities	1,000 cu. ft	.985	1.013	.909	.876	.827	.825	.825
Gas, natural, av. price 19 cities	do	.491	.594	.487	.462	.454	.458	.463
Petroleum, crude, Kans.-Okla	Barrel [3]	1.233	.811	.954	1.060	1.110	1.110	1.110
Fuel oil, No. 2, refinery, Pa	Gallon	.048	.032	.042	.051	.064	.066	.064
Gasoline, 70–74 oct., refinery, Pa	do				.066	.074	.077	.075
Gasoline, 70–74 oct., refinery, N. Tex	do	.072	.044	.049	.055	.059	.060	.059
VI.—METALS AND PRODUCTS								
Iron ore, non-Bessemer	Ton [2]	4.443	4.500	4.950	4.450	4.450	4.450	4.450
Pig iron, basic, furnace	do	18.189	13.081	21.077	23.500	23.500	23.500	24.510
Pig iron, Bessemer, Pittsburgh	do			22.115	24.500	24.500	24.500	25.529
Nails, wire, base price, Pittsburgh	100 lb	2.579	1.950	2.461	2.550	2.550	2.550	2.850
Pipe, cast-iron, 6-inch, New York	Ton [2]	36.666	30.398	49.800	52.200	52.200	52.200	53.162
Skelp, grooved, Pittsburgh	100 lb	1.859	1.567	1.900	1.900	1.900	1.900	1.900
Steel billets, rerolling, Pittsburgh	Ton [4]	34.642	26.519	34.000	34.000	34.000	34.000	35.192
Gray iron castings, foundry	Pound				.066	.072	.072	(1)
Steel plates, Pittsburgh	do	.019	.016	.021	.021	.021	.021	.022
Steel rails, mill	Ton [4]	43.000	42.377	40.000	40.000	40.000	40.000	42.942
Steel sheets, No. 27, mill	Pound	.030	.023	.031	.032	.032	.032	.032
Steel, structural, mill	100 lb	1.921	1.584	2.100	2.100	2.100	2.100	2.100
Tin plate, Pittsburgh	do			*5.000*	*5.000*	*5.000*	*5.000*	*5.000*
Aluminum, 99%, New York	Pound	.243	.233	.200	.165	.150	.150	.150
Copper, electrolytic, delivered	do	.184	.058	.112	.120	.120	.120	.120
Lead, pig desilverized, New York	do	.068	.032	.051	.058	.065	.065	.065
Silver, bar, fine, New York	Ounce	.533	.283	.395	.351	.451	.451	.451
Tin, pig, New York	Pound	.452	.219	.504	.520	.520	.520	.520
Zinc, pig, slab, New York	do	.068	.032	.055	.079	.087	.086	.086

[1] Insufficient data.
[2] Ton of 2,000 pounds.
[3] Barrel of 42 pounds.
[4] Substitution. Manufacturers were required to shift production from 64 by 60 to 65 by 56 by W. P. B. order issued Mar. 8, 1943.
[5] Ton of 2,240 pounds.

No. 319.—Prices, Wholesale, of Important Commodities: 1929 to 1945—Continued

Commodity	Unit	Average price						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1943	1944	1945
VI.—METALS, ETC.—continued								
Agricultural implements, factory:		Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars
Cultivator, 1-and 2-row riding	Each	-------	-------	-------	57.379	59.717	59.717	(1)
Harrow, spike tooth	do	-------	-------	-------	17.677	18.750	18.750	18.846
Plow, 2-horse	do	-------	-------	-------	16.380	16.828	16.828	(1)
Separator, cream	do	-------	-------	-------	-------	76.241	78.452	78.452
Tractor, 2-plow	do	-------	-------	691.708	665.694	705.400	705.800	707.000
Bearings, ball, S. A. E. #208, factory [7]	do	-------	-------	2.051	2.051	1.428	[8] 1.337	1.337
Bearings, roller, S. A. E. #220, factory [7]	do	-------	-------	13.700	14.820	14.423	[8] 14.185	14.209
VII.—BUILDING MATERIALS								
Douglas fir, boards, No. 1 mill	1,000 ft.	17.961	9.395	19.336	26.017	32.689	35.883	35.195
Maple, flooring, 2d grade, Cadillac	do	67.775	33.890	56.669	72.537	85.897	95.726	97.854
Oak, plain, white, No. 1, mill	do	43.365	30.135	30.184	35.275	44.345	(1)	(1)
Pine, white, No. 3, Chicago	do	37.730	25.480	35.172	45.184	52.355	55.125	55.125
Pine, yellow, boards	do	-------	12.353	22.538	31.781	(1)	(1)	(1)
Shingles, cedar, red, No. 1, mill	Square	2.740	1.490	2.814	3.130	4.005	4.350	4.350
Brick, common, building, plant	1,000	-------	10.694	12.046	12.585	13.428	14.287	15.887
Cement, Portland, delivered, N. Y.	Bbl.	1.779	1.390	1.870	1.870	1.891	2.015	2.080
Linseed oil, raw, New York	Pound	.123	.063	.092	.106	.151	.152	.155
White lead, in oil, N. Y.	do	.138	.120	.123	.131	.135	.132	.132
Plaster, f. o. b. cars, destination	Ton [2]	9.976	12.260	11.947	11.886	12.433	12.387	12.689
Glass, window, single B, New York	50 sq. ft.	-------	-------	2.736	2.940	2.940	2.940	2.950
Lime, building, common, plant	Ton [2]	7.987	6.933	7.097	7.093	7.562	7.562	7.662
VIII.—CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS								
Acetone, C. P., delivered East	Pound	-------	.098	.047	.066	.070	.070	.065
Acid, acetylsalicylic, U. S. P., barrels, f. o. b., New York.	do	.850	.744	.450	.400	.400	.400	.400
Acid, sulfuric, 66°, Eastern works	Ton [2]	15.500	15.500	16.500	16.500	16.500	16.500	16.500
Alcohol, S. D. 1, Eastern works	Gallon	.480	.304	.205	.265	.505	.500	.506
Ammonia, anhydrous, New York	Pound	.140	.155	.160	.160	.160	.157	.145
Benzene, pure 90% nitration	Gallon	.227	.200	.160	.140	.150	.150	.150
Calcium arsenate, bags, works	Pound	-------	-------	-------	.065	.075	.075	.075
Calcium carbide, drums, delivered	do	.050	.050	.048	.048	.047	.044	.044
Chlorine, liquid, tanks, works	100 lb.	2.954	1.690	1.779	1.750	1.750	1.750	1.750
Formaldehyde, tanks, f. o. b., works	Pound	-------	-------	.045	.040	.040	.036	.032
Glycerine, U. S. P., C. P., drums	do	.144	.106	.125	.151	.182	.172	.165
Phenol, U. S. P., drums, works	do	.138	.142	.138	.123	.106	.105	.105
Phthalic anhydride, drums, works	do	.191	.150	.145	.145	.141	.130	.130
Potash, muriate, 60%, New York	Ton [2]	-------	-------	-------	31.285	31.248	31.322	31.322
Soda ash, 58%, light, f. o. b., works	100 lb.	1.345	1.182	1.050	1.050	1.050	1.050	1.050
Soda caustic, 76% solid, f. o. b., works	do	2.950	2.609	2.300	2.300	2.300	2.300	2.300
Soybean oil, crude, mill	Pound	-------	-------	-------	-------	.118	.118	.118
Sulphate of ammonia, domestic, bulk, Atlantic ports.	Ton [2]	-------	20.821	27.668	30.000	29.200	29.200	29.200
Superphosphate, 16%, Baltimore	do	9.731	7.274	7.654	8.750	10.083	10.317	10.400
Tallow, packer's prime, Chicago	Pound	.085	.032	.054	.076	.086	.086	.086
IX.—HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS [9]								
Blankets, all wool, factory	Pound	1.333	.944	1.265	1.553	(1)	(1)	(1)
Axminster rugs, 9 x 12	Each	-------	-------	-------	-------	27.033	27.765	27.776
Sewing machines, electric, factory	do	-------	-------	67.553	69.174	(1)	(1)	(1)
Vacuum cleaners, electric, without attachments, delivered.	do	14.725	11.760	10.143	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Washing machines, electric, 2-speed, 6-sheet capacity, factory.	do	-------	-------	29.453	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
X.—MISCELLANEOUS								
Cottonseed meal, Memphis	Ton [2]	-------	-------	-------	-------	39.481	45.250	45.250
Middlings, standard, Minneapolis	do	27.741	9.815	19.728	24.690	37.457	37.750	37.750
Paper, newsprint, rolls, destination, New York basis.	do	62.000	50.385	50.000	50.000	54.692	58.000	60.250
Paper, wrapping, standard, kraft	100 lb.	-------	-------	3.572	4.429	4.688	4.750	4.750
Wood pulp, sulfite, domestic, unbleached, delivered.	Ton	-------	-------	-------	-------	66.000	73.077	74.000
Rubber, plantation, ribbed, N. Y.	Pound	.206	.035	.179	.223	.225	.225	.225
Oil, bright stock, Oklahoma	Gallon	.266	.174	.147	.175	.220	.220	.220
Neutral oil, Pennsylvania	do	.269	.164	.189	.285	.246	.280	.280
Soap, laundry bars, white, destination	Pound	-------	-------	-------	-------	.062	.062	(1)
Soap, toilet, bars or cakes	do	-------	-------	.196	.208	.228	.228	(1)
Tobacco, smoking, 1-oz. bag, destination	Gross	8.320	5.120	5.120	5.120	5.120	5.120	5.120
Cigarettes, destination	1,000	5.398	6.042	5.513	5.760	6.006	6.006	6.006

[1] Insufficient data. [2] Ton of 2,000 pounds.
[7] Not included in wholesale-price index. [8] Preliminary.
[9] Owing to frequent changes in patterns announced by manufacturers, prices of individual articles of furniture are only roughly comparable from year to year and are not shown.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. Average prices are published in semiannual report, Wholesale Prices, and in monthly releases

No. 320.—Consumers' Price Index for Moderate-Income Families in Large Cities: 1913 to 1945

[1935–1939=100. The consumers' price index measures average changes in retail prices of selected goods, rent, and services, weighted by quantities bought by families of wage earners and moderate-income workers in large cities in 1934–36. Indexes for commodity groups other than food are compiled from price data collected in 34 cities since Sept. 15, 1940, and a smaller number in earlier years; food indexes have been based upon changes in food prices in 56 cities since Mar. 1943. The list of items priced for the indexes includes approximately 180 goods and services. For many goods a number of different grades and qualities are priced so that as of the fall of 1944, 340 different articles or qualities of articles were included in the index. Sales taxes are included wherever applicable, but income taxes, social security deductions, and bond deductions are not included. The weights used from 1913 to 1924 are based on a study of the family expenditures of this group in 1917–19. From 1924 to 1935 the weights of the individual goods and services priced are based on the 1917–19 study, and the group indexes are based on the estimated distribution of family expenditures in the period. From 1935 on the weights are based on a study of family expenditures in 1934–36. The items covered since 1935 represent about 70 percent of the expenditures of families whose incomes ranged from $1,250 to $2,000 in 1934–36. Changes were made in the weights for the food cost indexes to take account of wartime food shortages and rationing in Mar. 1943. As certain goods disappeared from retail stores in various cities covered, because of wartime shortages of materials, they were deleted from the index for the given city without allowing the index to decline on that account. An effort was made to obtain prices of goods of comparable quality from one pricing period to the next. When goods of the quality usually priced disappear from the market and it is possible to purchase only a higher quality, the resulting increase in cost to the consumer is reflected in the index. The indexes do not show, however, the full wartime effect of such factors as lowered quality and the disappearance of low-priced goods. The President's Committee on the Cost of Living estimated that such factors together with certain others not fully measured by the index would add a maximum of 3 to 4 points to the index for large cities between Jan. 1941 and Sept. 1944. If small cities were included in the national average, one-half point would be added. If account is also taken of continued deterioration of quality and disappearance of low-priced merchandise between Sept. 1944 and Sept. 1945, the over-all adjustment for the period Jan. 1941 to Sept. 1945 would total approximately 5 points. As merchandise of prewar quality and specifications comes back into the market and the Bureau is able regularly to price it again, this adjustment factor will gradually decrease and finally disappear.]

YEAR AND MONTH	All items	Food	Clothing	Rent	Fuel, electricity, and ice	House-furnishings	Miscellaneous
1913	70.7	79.9	69.3	92.2	61.9	59.1	50.9
1914	71.8	81.8	69.8	92.2	62.3	60.7	51.9
1915	72.5	80.9	71.4	92.9	62.5	63.6	53.6
1916	77.9	90.8	78.3	94.0	65.0	70.9	56.3
1917	91.6	116.9	94.1	93.2	72.4	82.8	65.1
1918	107.5	134.4	127.5	94.9	84.2	106.4	77.8
1919	123.8	149.8	168.7	102.7	91.1	134.1	87.6
1920	143.3	168.8	201.0	120.7	106.9	164.6	100.6
1921	127.7	128.3	154.8	138.6	114.0	138.5	104.3
1922	119.7	119.9	125.6	142.7	113.1	117.5	101.2
1923	121.9	124.0	125.9	146.4	115.2	126.1	100.8
1924	122.2	122.8	124.9	151.6	113.7	124.0	101.4
1925	125.4	132.9	122.4	152.2	115.4	121.5	102.2
1926	126.4	137.4	120.6	150.7	117.2	118.8	102.6
1927	124.0	132.3	118.3	148.3	115.4	115.9	103.2
1928	122.6	130.8	116.5	144.8	113.4	113.1	103.8
1929	122.5	132.5	115.3	141.4	112.5	111.7	104.6
1930	119.4	126.0	112.7	137.5	111.4	108.9	105.1
1931	108.7	103.9	102.6	130.3	108.9	98.0	104.1
1932	97.6	86.5	90.8	116.9	103.4	85.4	101.7
1933	92.4	84.1	87.9	100.7	100.0	84.2	98.4
1934	95.7	93.7	96.1	94.4	101.4	92.8	97.9
1935	98.1	100.4	96.8	94.2	100.7	94.8	98.1
1936	99.1	101.3	97.6	96.4	100.2	96.3	98.7
1937	102.7	105.3	102.8	100.9	100.2	104.3	101.0
1938	100.8	97.8	102.2	104.1	99.9	103.3	101.5
1939	99.4	95.2	100.5	104.3	99.0	101.3	100.7
1940	100.2	96.6	101.7	104.6	99.7	100.5	101.1
1941	105.2	105.5	106.3	106.2	102.2	107.3	104.0
1942	116.5	123.9	124.2	108.5	105.4	122.2	110.9
1943	123.6	138.0	129.7	108.0	107.7	125.6	115.8
March 15	122.8	137.4	127.6	108.0	107.4	124.5	114.5
June 15	124.8	141.9	127.9	108.0	107.7	125.4	115.7
September 15	123.9	137.4	132.5	108.0	107.6	126.3	117.0
December 15	124.4	137.1	134.6	108.1	109.4	127.9	118.1
1944	125.5	136.1	138.8	108.2	109.8	136.4	121.3
March 15	123.8	134.1	136.7	108.1	109.9	129.0	119.1
June 15	125.4	135.7	138.0	108.1	109.6	138.4	121.7
September 15	126.5	137.0	141.4	108.2	109.8	140.7	122.4
December 15	127.0	137.4	142.8	108.3	109.4	143.0	123.1
1945	128.4	139.1	145.9	108.3	110.3	145.8	124.1
March 15	126.8	135.9	143.7	108.3	110.0	144.5	123.6
June 15	129.0	141.1	145.4	108.3	110.0	145.8	124.0
September 15	128.9	139.4	148.2	108.3	110.7	146.8	124.6
December 15	129.9	141.4	149.4	108.3	110.3	148.3	124.8

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I; Bulletin 699; and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 321.—Consumers' Price Index for Moderate-Income Families in 34 Large Cities: 1929 to 1945

[1935-39 average=100. See headnote, table 320]

City	December index of consumers' prices					December 1945 index for—							
	1929	1932	1939	1941	1944	All items	Food	Clothing	Rent	Fuel, electricity and ice		House furnishings	Miscellaneous
										Total	Gas and electricity		
U. S. (34 cities)[1]	122.8	93.5	99.6	110.5	127.0	129.9	141.4	149.4	108.3	110.3	94.0	148.3	124.8
Atlanta	124.6	91.8	98.7	110.6	128.7	131.4	141.6	144.1	[2]106.8	112.5	83.5	146.1	134.1
Baltimore	118.2	93.3	98.9	112.4	129.2	132.5	148.1	156.5	[2]106.6	111.5	96.5	148.7	123.2
Birmingham	128.1	90.1	99.5	113.9	131.0	133.5	145.2	145.9	122.5	107.6	79.6	140.8	127.4
Boston	124.0	95.8	97.9	108.2	123.5	124.9	134.5	145.1	[2]105.1	117.0	105.2	144.8	119.2
Buffalo	121.8	92.9	99.7	113.3	127.1	129.8	137.6	149.8	115.2	108.4	94.9	147.8	126.4
Chicago	129.3	93.8	99.8	110.6	126.3	128.0	139.3	142.3	115.0	106.7	93.1	139.7	121.4
Cincinnati	122.2	92.0	98.2	110.3	126.6	129.5	138.7	150.7	[2]105.7	107.7	90.8	146.3	126.5
Cleveland	118.1	90.4	100.9	113.3	129.1	132.3	144.8	147.4	[2]115.8	113.9	104.9	147.1	123.8
Denver	117.0	91.3	99.7	109.4	126.1	128.3	141.7	137.1	109.9	97.3	77.3	164.9	124.7
Detroit	124.7	86.2	99.8	112.7	127.5	131.3	138.3	149.3	115.1	111.6	85.9	158.0	131.4
Houston	120.7	89.3	101.3	111.4	124.7	127.3	140.9	140.4	[2]109.2	88.2	81.1	145.6	125.0
Indianapolis	122.4	91.3	99.6	113.3	128.0	130.4	137.7	139.2	116.0	113.9	91.5	148.5	129.3
Jacksonville	123.7	92.8	99.3	114.3	134.4	137.4	150.7	143.7	[2]113.5	118.0	92.8	149.1	138.4
Kansas City	117.9	94.6	99.3	108.7	124.8	128.0	135.3	147.7	109.7	112.6	95.3	142.1	126.9
Los Angeles	124.4	95.0	100.4	112.3	129.1	133.7	150.9	146.8	110.8	92.5	91.0	143.7	129.5
Manchester	[3]	[3]	99.0	110.7	129.3	131.0	137.3	151.3	[2]107.8	122.2	104.8	153.1	121.6
Memphis	121.5	90.7	98.9	111.1	130.2	133.3	151.8	152.3	[2]115.4	106.6	77.0	144.0	120.3
Milwaukee	[3]	[3]	98.1	109.4	124.3	127.2	139.1	140.1	108.7	111.6	95.9	147.6	120.6
Minneapolis	117.2	92.8	101.1	110.7	123.2	126.1	135.1	143.9	[2]110.3	104.3	84.0	146.1	123.4
Mobile	124.7	93.0	99.7	116.4	128.9	131.1	148.9	141.1	114.2	103.5	83.6	147.7	120.2
New Orleans	119.6	92.4	100.4	113.5	131.0	133.3	152.7	142.5	107.2	102.8	77.0	139.8	122.2
New York	123.0	97.3	100.1	108.7	127.9	131.1	143.3	157.2	103.5	113.7	95.0	141.0	126.9
Norfolk	122.4	93.6	98.5	115.3	131.6	134.0	145.2	146.4	109.1	120.5	100.1	150.2	133.1
Philadelphia	123.4	93.4	98.6	108.8	125.9	128.6	138.7	150.1	[2]106.9	113.8	92.5	147.8	120.5
Pittsburgh	124.9	93.8	98.8	110.8	128.0	130.9	140.3	175.4	107.5	112.1	103.0	144.2	119.8
Portland, Maine	119.0	95.8	97.6	108.7	125.6	126.4	135.2	147.2	[4]106.3	113.6	98.8	144.1	122.2
Portland, Oreg	117.8	91.8	100.9	113.7	133.3	137.3	153.9	142.5	114.3	120.5	88.0	150.4	131.9
Richmond	118.3	92.9	98.8	110.1	124.4	126.4	138.6	145.7	[2]104.2	109.6	98.9	147.1	119.2
St. Louis	123.6	92.3	99.1	110.6	125.3	128.4	144.1	144.3	[2]105.8	108.3	99.6	128.0	122.6
San Francisco	118.1	95.2	100.2	111.3	132.7	135.8	154.1	147.0	[2]106.4	92.9	86.2	132.0	133.8
Savannah	124.4	94.1	99.7	113.9	134.6	137.7	154.4	148.6	115.5	112.7	93.2	160.5	131.3
Scranton	126.9	96.1	97.4	108.3	125.0	128.1	141.3	150.5	98.4	118.7	91.8	145.9	115.5
Seattle	119.7	92.8	100.9	114.7	131.1	134.7	149.6	148.9	[2]111.8	104.7	83.9	146.5	132.9
Washington, D. C.	114.5	94.1	98.9	109.7	125.8	129.9	140.9	165.7	100.3	111.5	94.4	145.1	129.4

[1] Indexes for food based on prices in 51 cities through 1942, 56 cities thereafter. Data for Milwaukee, except for food, not included prior to Dec. 1940.
[2] Estimated from Sept. 1945.
[3] Not available.
[4] Estimated from Nov. 1945.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I; Bulletin 699; and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 322.—Cost of Living of Wage Earners and Lower-Salaried Clerical Workers in 60 Cities—Indexes: 1939 to 1944

[January 1939=100. Data cover the prices of important commodities and services entering into family living expense, i. e., food, housing, clothing, fuel, light, housefurnishings, medical fees, automobile purchase and operation, carfare, etc. The wartime indexes included in the 1944-45 Statistical Abstract have been discontinued because the variation over a period of 3 years (1942-44) was insufficient to warrant the maintenance of 2 series]

City	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944
Akron	99.9	102.3	109.2	121.0	126.5	127.9
Atlanta	99.3	98.9	104.0	115.2	122.1	124.3
Baltimore	99.9	100.6	106.5	118.7	126.5	128.5
Birmingham	99.5	100.0	106.5	118.4	124.3	127.1
Boston	99.6	100.6	104.8	116.5	122.5	122.6
Bridgeport	100.0	101.2	106.7	119.0	124.9	126.8
Buffalo	100.4	101.8	107.0	116.9	123.6	128.3
Chattanooga	99.0	98.3	103.4	115.0	123.0	126.6
Chicago	99.5	100.3	105.6	115.8	121.7	123.1
Cincinnati	99.3	100.3	105.2	116.7	122.2	122.8
Cleveland	99.5	100.4	105.4	116.8	123.0	125.4
Dallas	99.4	99.2	103.9	115.6	122.1	124.2
Dayton	98.6	99.3	105.9	116.5	122.6	124.2
Denver	100.0	99.5	104.1	115.8	122.7	123.3
Des Moines	100.4	100.3	106.0	117.2	122.8	123.8
Detroit	99.5	100.9	107.0	119.7	126.9	128.5
Duluth	100.1	99.6	105.1	115.8	122.6	122.5
Erie, Pa	100.6	102.4	108.4	122.9	131.0	131.6
Fall River	99.9	100.7	105.9	118.2	123.7	124.8
Front Royal, Va	(1)	(1)	(1)	119.0	127.2	(1)
Grand Rapids	99.7	101.4	108.1	119.2	126.9	128.8
Green Bay, Wis	(1)	(1)	(1)	113.7	119.2	122.2
Houston	99.4	100.0	104.4	115.1	120.0	122.5
Huntington, W. Va	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	124.9	126.3
Indianapolis	99.8	101.2	107.1	118.1	124.2	127.2
Kansas City, Mo	99.9	99.4	103.7	114.8	120.8	123.5
Lansing	(1)	(1)	107.2	120.1	128.2	130.7
Los Angeles	99.5	99.9	104.7	115.0	122.1	125.6
Louisville	99.9	100.7	106.5	117.2	123.1	124.2
Macon	99.8	101.0	106.5	120.6	128.8	131.1
Meadville, Pa	(1)	(1)	(1)	118.2	125.6	126.6
Memphis	100.0	100.3	106.1	118.8	125.7	125.5
Milwaukee	99.5	100.7	105.6	115.9	122.4	124.4
Minneapolis	100.6	101.0	106.0	116.5	123.7	126.0
Muskegon	(1)	(1)	110.4	121.7	128.9	130.8
Newark	99.6	100.2	104.6	114.6	123.3	123.1
New Haven	99.9	100.8	105.2	114.6	119.2	119.7
New Orleans	100.4	101.8	107.6	119.4	128.2	128.2
New York	99.7	101.3	105.0	114.9	121.9	124.6
Omaha	100.7	101.4	105.7	116.9	122.9	125.3
Parkersburg, W. Va	(1)	(1)	(1)	118.8	124.6	124.7
Philadelphia	99.8	100.1	105.8	118.7	123.9	125.3
Pittsburgh	99.7	101.3	106.8	118.0	123.3	124.0
Portland, Oreg	100.2	100.2	105.7	120.1	125.7	127.3
Providence	100.1	101.1	104.6	115.1	122.1	124.4
Richmond	99.6	99.7	104.6	114.5	120.7	126.7
Roanoke, Va	(1)	(1)	(1)	119.6	125.2	129.9
Rochester	100.0	103.0	108.1	119.6	126.3	127.4
Rockford, Ill	(1)	(1)	(1)	123.3	130.6	131.9
Sacramento	100.4	100.3	104.3	115.7	123.5	126.6
St. Louis	99.5	100.5	105.3	116.8	123.9	125.0
St. Paul	100.5	101.1	105.7	114.8	121.3	122.7
San Francisco—Oakland	99.4	99.1	103.7	116.3	123.2	125.7
Seattle	100.7	102.0	107.2	120.0	126.0	127.3
Spokane	100.0	100.8	105.7	118.0	124.5	125.2
Syracuse	(1)	(1)	106.3	119.9	126.4	126.3
Toledo	98.9	98.4	104.7	117.5	123.3	127.1
Wausau, Wis	100.1	101.6	107.2	118.3	124.5	126.1
Wilmington, Del	100.0	100.3	106.2	118.7	124.2	124.1
Youngstown	99.7	101.6	107.4	118.7	126.0	127.3

[1] Not available.

Source: National Industrial Conference Board, New York, N. Y. The Management Almanac, 1945.

No. 323.—Cost of Food, Retail—Indexes, by Commodity Groups: 1929 to 1945

[1935-39 average=100. See fourth paragraph of general note, p. 282]

Year and month	All foods	Cereals and bakery products	Meats	Dairy products	Eggs	Fruits and vegetables				Beverages	Fats and oils	Sugar
						Total	Fresh	Canned	Dried			
1929	132.5	107.6	127.1	131.0	143.8	169.0	173.5	124.3	171.0	164.8	127.2	114.3
1930	126.0	104.3	119.1	121.0	121.4	177.5	185.7	118.6	158.7	143.4	119.2	107.4
1931	103.9	91.4	101.1	102.8	95.6	125.7	128.7	103.3	118.7	124.6	96.0	99.1
1932	86.5	82.6	79.3	84.9	82.3	103.5	105.9	91.1	91.2	112.6	71.1	89.6
1933	84.1	84.7	68.9	82.8	77.9	113.8	118.9	87.9	88.4	102.4	66.4	94.3
1934	93.7	98.3	78.9	90.9	88.6	119.1	122.3	103.9	101.1	107.6	76.4	97.9
1935	100.4	101.8	99.9	97.5	104.2	99.7	98.8	106.2	100.8	104.0	110.3	100.7
1936	101.3	100.7	98.9	101.6	103.3	104.8	106.2	100.9	96.6	99.4	102.8	99.6
1937	105.3	103.3	105.8	105.4	101.2	107.9	108.6	103.2	116.0	103.6	105.8	101.2
1938	97.8	99.8	98.9	99.6	100.3	93.2	92.1	97.4	93.3	97.7	93.5	97.9
1939	95.2	94.5	96.6	95.9	91.0	94.5	95.1	92.3	93.3	95.5	87.7	100.6
1940	96.6	96.8	95.8	101.4	93.8	96.5	97.3	92.4	100.6	92.5	82.2	96.8
1941	105.5	97.9	107.5	112.0	112.2	103.2	104.2	97.9	106.7	101.5	94.0	106.4
1942	123.9	105.1	126.0	125.4	136.5	130.8	132.8	121.6	136.3	122.1	119.6	126.5
1943	138.0	107.6	133.8	134.6	161.9	168.8	178.0	130.6	158.9	124.8	126.1	127.1
Jan. 12	133.0	105.9	134.7	134.2	166.5	144.1	147.2	129.1	153.8	124.4	126.2	127.4
Feb. 16	133.6	106.5	136.1	135.9	144.1	148.9	152.8	131.3	156.5	124.8	126.1	127.4
Mar. 16	137.4	107.0	137.3	137.0	142.4	164.9	172.9	131.7	157.0	124.9	126.4	127.9
Apr. 20	140.6	107.5	138.0	137.1	141.3	179.5	191.2	132.4	157.7	124.9	126.6	128.4
May 18	143.0	107.6	138.3	136.9	142.1	190.8	205.8	131.1	158.0	124.5	126.3	127.6
June 15	141.9	107.5	138.3	133.7	146.2	187.8	202.1	130.5	158.6	124.5	126.5	126.5
July 13	139.0	107.8	130.9	133.4	153.6	180.5	192.9	130.5	159.0	124.5	126.5	126.4
Aug. 17	137.2	108.1	129.7	133.4	167.4	169.8	179.3	130.2	159.9	125.3	126.5	126.6
Sept. 14	137.4	108.2	129.9	133.5	177.5	167.0	175.8	130.0	159.6	125.2	126.5	126.8
Oct. 19	138.2	108.3	130.6	133.5	190.1	166.4	174.9	130.0	161.5	125.1	126.5	126.8
Nov. 16	137.3	108.3	130.4	133.6	190.8	162.6	170.1	129.9	162.5	124.8	125.0	126.6
Dec. 14	137.1	108.4	130.9	133.5	181.0	163.7	171.5	130.0	162.5	124.7	124.3	126.7
1944:												
Jan. 18	136.1	108.5	131.0	133.5	154.0	166.7	175.3	129.7	162.8	124.4	124.0	126.6
Feb. 15	134.5	108.1	130.5	133.5	142.6	163.0	170.7	129.8	163.1	124.3	123.8	126.6
Mar. 14	134.0	108.0	130.6	133.6	135.5	162.9	170.6	129.6	163.2	124.3	124.5	126.5
Apr. 18	134.6	108.0	130.0	133.6	127.6	168.8	178.0	129.5	163.3	124.4	123.5	126.6
May 16	135.5	108.1	130.3	133.5	127.1	172.8	183.1	129.2	163.5	124.4	123.3	126.5
June 13	135.7	108.4	129.8	133.5	129.1	174.0	184.6	129.2	164.1	124.3	123.1	126.5
July 18	137.4	108.6	129.3	133.6	148.9	176.9	188.4	129.0	164.6	124.3	122.9	126.6
Aug. 15	137.7	108.5	129.0	133.6	159.4	175.7	186.7	129.3	165.0	124.3	122.7	126.5
Sept. 12	137.0	108.6	129.0	133.6	168.0	169.9	179.4	129.4	165.3	124.3	123.0	126.3
Oct. 17	136.4	108.6	129.3	133.6	179.0	162.9	170.4	129.7	165.7	124.3	123.1	126.4
Nov. 14	136.5	108.6	129.7	133.6	186.7	160.7	167.6	129.6	166.5	124.3	123.2	126.5
Dec. 12	137.4	108.6	129.9	133.5	188.5	164.2	171.9	129.9	166.4	124.3	123.3	126.4
1945:												
Jan. 16	137.3	108.7	130.2	133.5	169.6	168.9	177.9	129.7	166.9	124.4	123.4	128.3
Feb. 13	136.5	108.7	130.7	133.5	153.2	168.9	177.8	129.8	167.0	124.5	123.5	126.3
Mar. 13	135.9	108.7	130.8	133.5	140.7	169.5	178.6	129.9	167.4	124.5	123.7	126.5
Apr. 17	136.6	108.9	130.8	133.5	139.9	173.3	183.3	130.0	167.9	124.6	123.8	126.4
May 15	138.8	109.0	131.6	133.5	140.7	182.5	195.0	130.2	168.5	124.6	123.9	126.5
June 12	141.1	109.1	131.6	133.4	145.1	192.6	207.7	130.1	168.8	124.7	123.9	126.4
July 17	141.7	109.1	131.6	133.4	157.2	191.8	206.7	130.2	168.9	124.7	124.0	126.5
Aug. 14	140.9	109.1	131.8	133.4	171.4	183.5	196.2	130.3	168.6	124.7	124.0	126.6
Sept. 18	139.4	109.1	131.6	133.4	183.9	172.5	182.3	130.4	168.8	124.7	124.1	126.5
Oct. 16	139.3	109.1	131.0	133.3	185.5	172.5	182.3	130.4	168.9	124.7	124.0	126.5
Nov. 13	140.1	109.1	131.0	135.9	192.1	172.3	181.9	130.6	168.5	124.9	124.4	126.5
Dec. 11	141.4	109.2	131.2	136.2	193.2	177.3	188.4	130.3	168.7	124.9	125.1	126.6

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I; Bulletin 1171; and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 324.—Cost of Food, Retail, in Large Cities—Indexes by Cities: 1929 to 1945

[1935-39 average=100. Sales taxes included wherever applicable. See fourth par. of general note, p. 282]

Region and city	1929	1932	1939	1941	1943	1944	1945	1943		1944		1945	
								June	Dec.	June	Dec.	June	Dec.
United States [1]	132.5	86.4	95.2	105.5	138.0	136.1	139.1	141.9	137.1	135.7	137.4	141.1	141.4
New England:													
Boston	137.1	89.3	95.3	103.2	133.0	130.9	133.6	136.8	130.9	130.4	132.7	136.8	134.5
Bridgeport	127.3	88.1	94.8	104.9	137.7	133.8	135.9	143.8	136.7	131.4	134.6	138.5	136.8
Fall River	130.8	84.6	96.0	104.9	135.6	130.9	132.9	140.8	132.6	129.2	132.2	134.6	134.8
Manchester	127.0	82.9	96.1	104.8	136.4	132.9	135.2	143.4	133.8	130.9	133.6	137.4	137.3
New Haven	128.4	88.2	94.7	103.9	137.7	134.7	136.0	143.1	136.9	132.6	135.3	139.9	135.8
Portland, Maine	137.3	90.9	95.1	103.8	135.2	132.9	133.6	140.6	134.4	131.1	133.1	135.2	135.2
Providence	132.9	86.6	94.9	104.6	135.8	133.9	138.1	139.7	134.2	133.4	135.7	140.7	140.3
Middle Atlantic:													
Buffalo	132.6	85.7	95.9	108.5	140.3	134.1	136.8	145.2	137.6	134.6	134.1	140.2	137.6
Newark	127.2	89.3	96.7	105.7	139.6	138.6	141.4	142.1	139.4	137.7	140.2	145.3	144.0
New York	133.4	92.5	96.5	106.0	138.5	137.2	140.1	141.4	139.1	136.8	138.7	142.1	143.3
Philadelphia	130.3	86.5	94.4	102.4	135.8	133.9	137.1	139.2	136.1	134.5	135.1	138.8	138.7
Pittsburgh	135.4	83.9	93.5	106.2	137.8	135.6	138.6	142.3	135.1	135.8	136.1	141.2	140.3
Rochester	131.8	84.6	94.9	106.9	134.9	131.5	135.6	138.6	132.5	131.3	134.0	138.9	137.7
Scranton	140.6	88.7	94.8	104.9	138.9	136.2	139.4	144.4	136.2	135.9	137.2	144.5	141.3
East North Central:													
Chicago	133.2	87.5	94.9	106.2	136.0	135.0	137.8	140.0	133.7	135.4	136.5	140.2	139.3
Cincinnati	135.6	83.9	92.3	105.0	136.0	135.3	137.6	139.2	135.9	138.4	134.7	140.6	138.7
Cleveland	131.1	82.4	96.3	107.7	142.6	142.0	143.2	149.5	142.6	141.3	140.6	146.4	144.8
Columbus	131.5	83.6	92.3	102.2	131.4	128.3	131.5	134.5	130.7	127.1	129.4	133.6	133.5
Detroit	133.9	78.8	93.7	104.9	135.8	132.8	135.6	141.6	134.2	133.0	132.7	139.2	138.3
Indianapolis	138.3	85.5	93.5	106.3	135.5	133.0	135.4	140.3	134.4	132.6	133.8	137.4	137.7
Milwaukee	131.6	87.1	93.7	104.0	134.9	134.2	137.4	138.7	132.9	135.5	135.2	141.0	139.1
Peoria	128.6	81.8	96.0	108.2	141.8	139.2	143.3	146.9	140.8	138.2	140.5	144.6	145.7
Springfield	131.7	81.7	95.5	105.6	142.1	141.1	144.2	146.4	141.0	140.9	142.0	146.3	146.5
West North Central:													
Cedar Rapids [2]	(3)	(3)	(3)	104.1	138.2	138.2	142.5	143.3	139.7	137.3	139.9	144.6	144.3
Kansas City	129.8	84.2	94.3	101.2	133.0	130.6	133.0	136.0	132.7	130.5	131.0	134.4	135.3
Minneapolis	125.0	80.3	97.2	105.6	132.0	129.6	132.0	134.1	132.3	129.1	130.4	133.0	135.1
Omaha	128.8	81.4	94.7	103.7	132.8	130.7	131.9	137.7	132.2	131.1	130.0	133.5	134.5
St. Louis	128.1	80.4	95.7	107.5	139.6	138.5	141.4	143.3	139.3	138.7	139.5	144.0	144.6
St. Paul	128.3	82.5	96.1	104.1	131.2	128.1	130.9	133.7	131.8	128.1	129.1	131.9	133.7
Wichita [2]	(3)	(3)	(3)	105.9	146.6	146.5	149.6	149.7	148.8	146.2	147.3	150.0	152.1
South Atlantic:													
Atlanta	141.8	86.1	94.3	103.8	138.8	136.7	140.0	143.9	137.3	135.2	138.8	140.6	141.6
Baltimore	124.1	83.0	96.7	107.0	145.3	141.8	147.4	152.5	142.5	141.2	143.9	151.4	148.1
Charleston	128.0	84.9	96.4	104.7	135.9	133.3	136.9	139.0	134.4	130.6	135.0	136.5	138.9
Jacksonville	131.8	84.8	96.7	108.6	147.6	144.7	148.2	151.7	144.2	142.9	146.8	147.5	150.7
Norfolk	138.0	88.6	94.2	107.4	147.6	143.1	143.8	151.7	145.1	142.0	143.2	143.4	145.2
Richmond	133.9	85.4	92.9	103.4	137.1	134.1	136.4	139.6	136.0	134.0	137.1	136.1	138.6
Savannah	133.4	84.1	96.7	109.8	149.7	150.9	153.7	153.8	149.7	150.2	150.5	153.1	154.4
Washington	134.6	89.2	95.0	105.4	138.2	134.9	139.9	142.7	135.9	135.3	137.1	141.6	140.9
Winston-Salem [2]	(3)	(3)	(3)	102.0	136.5	136.1	140.8	139.7	137.5	135.1	138.7	141.4	142.3
East South Central:													
Birmingham	143.5	86.3	92.4	103.3	139.3	139.9	143.4	141.9	141.2	139.8	142.3	143.7	145.2
Jackson [2]	(3)	(3)	(3)	111.4	149.9	144.4	149.7	149.6	149.9	139.3	151.3	149.0	150.0
Knoxville [2]	(3)	(3)	(3)	105.8	154.1	155.2	159.3	158.5	157.4	154.1	158.3	159.0	159.8
Louisville	132.9	80.8	93.9	105.2	134.8	131.8	132.8	139.5	134.0	132.9	132.0	134.1	135.2
Memphis	138.0	86.8	92.7	103.8	145.5	144.6	148.1	148.3	144.5	144.7	145.6	149.8	151.8
Mobile	136.5	85.5	96.7	109.0	146.6	144.5	147.1	149.8	144.9	142.1	144.6	145.9	148.9
West South Central:													
Dallas	137.2	85.1	92.5	101.0	134.7	132.7	135.9	136.6	135.5	130.8	133.4	135.6	137.5
Houston	130.1	80.3	97.8	108.9	139.0	136.2	138.7	140.0	137.3	135.0	135.9	139.5	140.9
Little Rock	135.5	79.9	94.8	104.3	136.1	135.3	138.6	140.1	135.5	133.8	137.0	140.3	139.8
New Orleans	124.3	84.0	98.1	110.7	151.7	149.6	153.3	152.2	149.0	146.9	150.3	152.4	152.7
Mountain:													
Butte	133.2	84.5	96.0	105.0	136.0	133.6	136.6	140.6	137.2	132.8	134.3	138.0	139.2
Denver	120.6	81.5	94.6	103.2	137.1	137.1	138.8	141.0	138.7	137.5	137.9	142.0	141.7
Salt Lake City	128.9	81.7	95.8	106.1	141.2	139.9	142.9	144.1	141.3	139.5	141.9	144.3	146.5
Pacific:													
Los Angeles	136.2	86.5	96.2	107.7	143.3	141.2	145.6	146.8	142.2	139.2	143.9	144.8	150.9
Portland, Oreg	128.1	84.7	98.3	111.5	147.3	144.8	149.5	152.1	144.9	144.4	148.1	150.3	153.9
San Francisco	127.8	89.5	96.0	107.0	143.4	143.8	148.2	149.8	143.7	142.5	149.1	147.5	154.1
Seattle	129.6	87.4	97.2	110.2	144.0	141.6	144.4	146.6	143.1	140.4	143.9	144.0	149.6

[1] Based on costs in 51 cities prior to March 1943, 56 cities thereafter.
[2] Based on June 1940=100.
[3] Not available.

Source: Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, 1941, Vol. I; and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 325.—Prices, Average Retail, of Principal Articles of Food: 1913 to 1945

[Prices in cents per pound except for milk (cents per quart), eggs and oranges (cents per dozen), and tomatoes (cents per No. 2 can). Data are averages of prices as reported by retail dealers in 51 large cities prior to 1943 and in 56 cities thereafter. Prices for individual cities are combined with the use of population weights.]

YEAR AND MONTH	Wheat flour	Corn meal	Bread, white	Round steak	Chuck roast	Pork chops	Bacon, sliced	Ham, whole	Lamb, leg	Chickens, roasting	Butter	Cheese
1913	3.3	3.0	5.6	22.3	16.0	21.0	27.0	------	18.9	21.3	38.3	22.1
1920	8.1	6.5	11.5	39.5	26.2	42.3	52.3	------	39.3	44.7	70.1	41.6
1922	5.1	3.9	8.7	32.3	19.2	33.0	39.8	------	36.6	36.0	47.9	32.9
1929	5.1	5.3	8.8	46.0	31.4	37.5	43.9	------	40.2	41.2	55.5	39.5
1932	3.2	3.6	7.0	29.7	18.5	21.5	24.2	------	23.8	25.6	27.8	24.4
1939	3.8	4.0	7.9	36.0	23.4	30.4	31.9	27.5	28.2	30.6	32.5	25.3
1941	4.5	4.3	8.1	39.1	25.5	34.3	34.3	30.4	29.7	32.6	41.1	30.0
1942	5.3	4.8	8.7	43.5	29.3	41.4	39.4	37.4	35.3	39.1	47.3	34.8
1943	6.1	5.6	8.9	43.9	30.2	40.3	56.2	37.7	40.3	44.9	52.7	37.4
Mar. 16	6.0	5.4	8.8	45.6	31.4	43.5	43.2	39.1	39.5	46.3	56.2	38.2
June 15	6.1	5.6	8.9	47.0	31.7	41.9	45.7	39.8	41.8	44.4	50.5	38.5
Sept 14	6.2	5.9	8.9	41.5	29.0	37.9	42.0	36.0	40.2	44.5	50.5	37.0
Dec. 14	6.3	5.9	8.9	41.8	29.0	37.6	41.4	35.7	40.3	44.7	50.2	36.0
1944:												
Mar. 14	6.5	5.9	8.8	41.9	29.2	37.4	41.2	35.4	40.1	44.9	50.2	35.9
June 13	6.5	6.2	8.8	41.6	28.9	37.3	41.2	35.6	40.1	46.0	49.9	36.0
Sept. 12	6.4	6.3	8.8	40.9	28.5	37.3	40.9	35.3	39.9	44.6	50.0	36.0
Dec. 12	6.4	6.4	8.8	40.6	28.2	37.3	40.9	35.2	40.1	45.0	50.0	36.0
1945:												
Mar. 13	6.4	6.4	8.8	40.4	27.9	37.0	40.9	34.9	39.7	46.2	49.9	35.8
June 12	6.4	6.4	8.8	40.0	27.6	36.8	41.0	34.4	39.6	47.3	50.0	35.2
Sept. 18	6.4	6.5	8.8	41.0	28.3	37.2	41.2	34.4	40.5	47.0	50.0	35.6
Dec. 11	6.4	6.5	8.8	40.9	28.3	37.3	41.2	35.0	40.3	46.9	54.7	35.5

YEAR AND MONTH	Milk, fresh (delivered)	Eggs	Bananas	Oranges	Cabbage	Onions	Potatoes	Tomatoes	Prunes, dried	Coffee	Lard	Sugar
1913	8.9	34.5	------	------	------	------	1.7	------	------	29.8	15.8	5.5
1920	16.7	68.1	12.6	63.2	6.4	7.1	6.3	14.8	28.1	47.0	29.5	19.4
1922	13.1	44.4	10.3	57.4	4.6	7.9	2.8	13.4	20.1	36.1	17.0	7.3
1929	14.4	52.7	9.7	44.7	5.3	6.7	3.2	12.8	15.3	47.9	18.1	6.4
1932	10.7	30.2	6.5	30.2	4.1	5.0	1.7	9.3	9.2	29.4	8.7	5.0
1939	12.2	32.1	6.3	28.9	3.6	3.8	2.5	8.6	8.9	22.4	11.0	5.4
1941	13.6	39.7	7.2	31.0	4.2	5.0	2.4	9.1	9.8	23.6	12.7	5.7
1942	15.0	48.4	10.2	35.7	4.3	5.9	3.4	11.7	13.3	28.3	17.2	6.8
1943	15.5	57.2	11.7	44.3	7.1	7.5	4.6	15.0	16.6	30.0	19.0	6.8
Mar. 16	15.6	50.3	10.7	39.4	9.3	7.1	4.6	12.8	16.7	30.1	19.3	6.9
June 15	15.5	51.7	11.7	43.7	10.0	9.0	5.6	12.6	16.5	30.0	19.0	6.8
Sept. 14	15.5	62.7	12.3	51.8	4.9	7.3	4.0	12.5	16.5	30.0	18.9	6.8
Dec. 14	15.6	63.9	12.2	43.4	5.5	7.0	4.2	12.4	16.8	29.9	18.8	6.8
1944:												
Mar. 14	15.6	47.8	11.3	41.9	5.1	8.2	4.2	12.0	16.8	29.9	18.8	6.8
June 13	15.6	45.7	11.3	48.2	5.4	6.5	5.2	11.9	17.1	30.0	18.7	6.8
Sept. 12	15.6	59.6	11.1	50.6	5.0	5.5	4.8	12.0	17.3	30.2	18.7	6.7
Dec. 12	15.6	66.9	11.1	43.7	5.8	5.0	4.5	12.1	17.0	30.3	18.8	6.7
1945:												
Mar. 13	15.6	49.9	10.3	44.4	5.5	5.4	5.2	12.1	17.5	30.3	18.8	6.7
June 12	15.6	51.0	10.5	52.2	9.0	8.8	5.9	12.1	17.7	30.4	18.8	6.7
Sept. 18	15.6	65.2	10.5	51.6	5.1	6.8	4.1	12.1	17.5	30.6	18.8	6.7
Dec. 11	15.6	68.2	10.5	49.1	5.0	7.2	4.3	12.5	17.4	30.7	18.7	6.7

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. See source note, table 323.

No. 326.—Unit Values, Annual Average, of Important Articles Imported: 1914 to 1944

NOTE.—The values are required by law to represent the values of the goods *in the foreign markets* whence exported to the United States. "Ton" signifies long ton of 2,240 pounds. The averages are obtained by dividing the total value of imports of the specified article by the total quantity, and as in some commodities there may be considerable variations in price between different grades, methods of packing, etc., and as the proportions of the grades, etc., may vary from year to year, the averages in such cases may show the actual price movements only roughly.

YEAR ENDED—	Cheese, per pound	FISH, CURED, PER BARREL (200 POUNDS)		HIDES AND SKINS, PER POUND		Rice, per pound	Wheat, per bushel	Copra, per pound	Flaxseed, per bushel	Cocoa, per pound	Coffee, per pound	Tea, per pound	Cane sugar, per pound	Rubber, crude, per pound	Shellac, per pound	TOBACCO, LEAF, PER POUND		Cotton, unmanufactured, per pound	Jute and jute butts, per ton	Flax, per ton
		Herring	Mackerel	Goat	Cattle											Cigar wrappers	Other leaf			
June 30—	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*
1914	17.3	7.21	10.98	26.2	18.6	3.2	.89	5.3	1.22	11.8	11.1	18.4	2.00	54.0	16.1	1.28	50.41	15.8	105.38	290.37
1915	18.7	6.57	12.27	24.3	18.3	2.4	1.10	3.8	1.25	11.9	9.5	18.1	3.21	48.3	12.5	1.28	46.39	12.5	56.26	399.60
1916	23.5	7.86	13.65	27.2	20.3	2.4	1.02	4.1	1.38	14.4	9.6	18.7	3.70	57.9	12.8	1.43	40.37	17.2	73.07	505.59
1917	30.8	9.44	16.14	52.5	25.9	2.8	1.74	5.1	2.03	11.8	10.1	18.6	4.33	56.8	23.4	1.34	45.67	27.5	87.45	535.01
1918	41.6	10.44	20.74	47.4	25.3	3.5	2.02	5.5	2.56	10.3	9.0	20.4	4.82	52.1	41.5	1.14	50.48	34.9	92.11	1,037.72
Dec. 31—																				
1919	35.9	13.65	24.99	71.5	30.8	6.9	1.88	6.4	3.16	14.8	19.5	24.9	5.60	40.3	48.6	1.40	82.61	41.0	134.51	904.21
1920	35.4	12.49	18.81	110.5	31.0	10.3	2.10	6.6	3.03	15.8	19.5	27.0	12.56	42.9	80.8	1.80	88.23	46.2	100.93	566.77
1921	32.3	11.05	15.32	37.8	12.9	3.4	1.54	3.9	1.66	7.6	10.6	18.6	3.94	17.8	48.9	2.00	91.71	23.7	93.08	566.91
1922	31.4	10.18	17.34	40.5	14.5	3.4	1.15	3.7	2.09	9.3	12.9	24.5	2.59	15.1	59.3	2.04	74.39	25.6	107.38	575.03
1923	32.4	9.95	15.91	43.9	16.0	3.3	.99	4.0	2.01	8.2	13.5	28.2	4.93	26.7	59.7	2.35	80.18	26.4	128.33	511.09
1924	29.2	12.09	17.37	39.3	13.1	3.9	1.00	4.4	1.81	7.8	17.5	29.3	4.39	23.7	53.5	2.56	97.87	30.3	114.02	515.19
1925	27.8	13.30	15.60	40.7	16.0	4.3	1.39	5.0	2.40	10.0	22.3	31.2	2.76	48.4	51.0	2.34	80.27	33.7	190.69	680.59
1926	26.9	12.09	12.05	44.6	14.7	4.5	1.39	5.1	1.84	10.0	21.6	32.7	2.47	54.6	33.6	2.25	75.88	25.5	215.06	478.07
1927	30.7	12.69	13.10	43.6	17.4	4.6	1.31	4.6	1.74	13.4	18.4	31.6	3.06	35.6	41.4	2.15	64.90	22.2	131.52	479.08
1928	30.3	13.15	13.96	46.0	23.1	4.0	1.17	4.5	1.78	12.4	21.3	30.3	2.68	25.0	42.4	2.06	62.02	24.9	129.45	698.47
1929	29.2	12.54	15.45	47.4	16.0	4.1	1.11	4.2	1.92	9.8	20.4	28.9	2.14	19.1	38.4	1.84	65.37	23.9	128.35	579.24
1930	26.7	14.13	12.40	40.7	13.0	3.6	.98	3.7	2.11	8.4	13.1	26.6	1.85	12.9	27.3	1.60	52.99	19.7	107.76	429.26
1931	23.8	12.39	9.30	31.6	8.4	2.9	.64	2.4	.98	5.6	10.0	21.6	1.77	6.6	16.3	1.47	45.92	9.9	69.71	222.45
1932	22.5	9.32	6.66	20.0	5.6	2.6	.53	1.8	.65	4.1	9.1	13.1	1.63	3.5	13.3	1.33	39.22	9.9	64.19	216.50
1933	21.9	8.94	8.11	21.0	7.8	2.8	.56	1.4	.98	4.0	7.8	14.2	1.87	4.9	9.9	1.82	34.11	10.6	56.27	276.17
1934	22.4	10.02	9.82	26.4	7.9	2.9	.78	1.2	1.06	4.4	8.7	21.3	1.96	9.8	17.7	2.00	39.32	13.4	62.95	374.08
1935	22.9	10.66	10.56	24.3	8.6	2.7	.78	2.1	.89	4.4	7.8	19.9	2.26	11.4	13.6	2.18	36.65	14.0	72.82	490.07
1936	21.2	9.64	10.52	28.7	9.9	2.6	.91	2.1	1.15	5.2	7.7	21.7	2.66	14.5	11.7	2.19	38.65	13.2	82.09	442.68
1937	21.1	8.38	12.67	33.0	12.6	3.0	1.12	3.3	1.26	8.5	8.9	22.5	2.60	18.5	10.8	1.97	46.08	12.4	83.69	442.63
1938	21.2	8.74	10.35	22.6	8.7	3.3	.67	1.8	1.29	4.4	6.9	22.5	2.19	14.1	8.9	2.03	52.70	9.0	84.35	613.35
1939	21.7	9.30	9.45	23.3	9.0	3.0	.56	1.6	1.15	4.2	6.9	21.6	2.15	16.0	8.0	1.67	51.54	8.0	100.90	454.34
1940	23.0	9.63	10.17	23.1	8.8	3.0	.68	1.3	1.19	4.4	6.2	22.9	1.94	17.4	11.9	1.56	49.88	8.1	126.65	504.55
1941	19.5	9.63	15.70	23.0	10.4	3.3	.72	1.7	.74	5.6	7.9	27.2	2.05	18.2	13.6	1.51	50.69	7.3	104.78	495.57
1942	18.9	12.87	18.95	29.7	12.7	5.2	.72	3.3	1.30	7.7	12.0	37.0	2.70	18.9	25.1	1.72	49.26	12.2	157.21	558.96
1943	17.4	14.43	27.21	30.2	13.3	6.0	1.12	3.6	2.18	6.8	12.4	32.4	2.76	27.1	28.9	1.76	56.15	15.6	146.01	825.38
1944	20.6	18.59	28.45	33.3	13.9	2.5	1.34	3.4	2.91	6.8	12.5	33.5	2.75	31.2	29.0	2.03	82.24	15.8	160.53	639.65

YEAR ENDED—	Hemp, per ton	Manila, per ton	Sisal, per ton	Jute burlaps, per pound	WOOL, PER POUND			Silk, raw, per pound	Pulpwood, per cord	Boards, planks, deals, per M feet[1]	Wood pulp, per ton	Newsprint paper, per pound	Bituminous coal, per ton	Petroleum, crude, per gallon	Bar iron, per pound	Tin plates, terneplates, per pound	Copper, pigs, ingots, bars, per pound[2]	Tin, bars, blocks, pigs, per pound	Sodium nitrate, per ton
					Carpet	Clothing	Combing												
June 30—	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Dollars*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Cents*	*Dollars*
1914	177.34	196.82	119.98	8.6	17	25	26	3.42	6.75	19.13	33.49	2.0	2.71	1.5	2.0	3.0	14.4	39.35	31.82
1915	217.73	180.12	110.74	7.0	17	23	25	3.09	6.67	18.99	33.82	2.0	2.90	1.4	1.9	3.3	13.4	32.44	28.34
1916	252.45	178.30	112.87	9.0	22	28	29	3.61	6.51	18.98	33.27	1.9	2.99	1.4	2.8	7.9	19.5	35.34	29.98
1917	258.17	225.03	180.82	10.8	29	36	39	4.61	6.78	20.86	60.71	2.4	3.23	1.4	4.1	10.8	26.1	39.97	35.06
1918	403.40	352.99	343.18	13.3	40	54	62	5.25	9.46	25.49	62.66	2.8	4.42	1.3	4.8	8.4	24.5	54.60	43.64
Dec. 31—																			
1919	561.59	280.95	273.65	14.8	38	51	59	7.35	9.99	32.24	65.24	3.5	5.48	1.2	5.1	12.4	20.5	56.73	48.00
1920	411.75	304.09	185.52	15.6	32	51	58	9.48	13.62	42.31	110.50	4.7	6.06	1.3	6.1	14.5	18.6	58.54	47.75
1921	255.56	184.71	118.00	8.7	12	22	20	5.71	14.23	34.67	63.30	5.0	6.56	1.3	4.7	12.1	12.6	30.71	48.71
1922	232.40	124.89	103.33	9.4	17	25	29	7.21	10.53	29.54	56.31	3.5	5.92	1.3	2.8	5.1	12.5	30.26	48.21
1923	288.61	130.32	109.19	11.2	21	37	38	7.92	9.95	31.75	60.52	3.7	6.03	1.6	2.6	5.2	14.3	39.56	47.05
1924	345.50	175.54	142.98	10.3	24	46	47	6.39	10.24	30.10	55.71	3.7	5.73	2.3	2.7	6.8	12.6	47.32	47.81
1925	458.87	290.51	170.79	13.6	30	46	53	6.21	10.20	30.33	55.09	3.6	4.90	2.9	2.0	12.6	12.9	55.40	47.23
1926	373.73	263.92	182.86	13.7	26	35	39	5.91	10.25	28.79	59.01	3.3	4.85	3.1	2.3	6.1	12.6	60.63	46.79
1927	309.08	255.49	153.32	11.8	26	34	37	5.27	10.32	27.82	57.37	3.3	4.98	3.2	2.0	8.0	11.8	63.30	40.24
1928	341.41	202.65	145.10	12.9	25	44	44	4.87	10.45	26.98	53.27	3.2	4.91	2.7	2.9	7.4	12.4	49.80	35.81
1929	290.74	186.95	156.58	12.0	27	38	38	4.91	10.81	27.52	52.75	3.0	4.88	2.4	3.0	11.2	16.1	47.06	37.52
1930	259.95	138.08	138.50	9.1	20	26	25	3.57	10.76	23.84	49.63	2.9	5.34	2.5	3.3	11.5	13.2	33.31	37.71
1931	145.17	95.60	83.44	6.7	12	24	20	2.28	10.97	20.86	42.72	2.7	5.52	2.0	2.5	9.7	8.5	24.82	38.34
1932	148.38	62.91	50.10	5.0	9	14	15	1.54	8.61	19.29	35.45	2.4	5.34	1.6	2.3	2.9	5.7	21.12	29.19
1933	211.00	56.99	56.89	6.1	10	19	18	1.52	7.41	22.03	33.09	1.9	4.63	1.3	2.8	6.9	6.2	36.36	19.07
1934	254.15	66.31	70.91	7.4	13	24	23	1.27	7.54	25.39	38.34	1.7	4.52	1.7	3.0	11.3	7.0	50.02	19.32
1935	285.54	80.52	71.03	7.0	14	23	21	1.42	7.48	24.54	[3] 36.59	1.7	4.07	1.7	2.0	11.7	6.9	48.50	20.32
1936	317.22	144.99	104.45	6.4	18	26	27	1.70	7.84	24.01	[3] 36.37	1.8	4.25	1.7	2.6	11.9	8.3	44.30	19.39
1937	284.49	177.95	115.06	6.3	27	33	33	1.84	8.14	27.45	[3] 41.04	1.8	4.04	1.8	3.2	13.0	11.7	52.84	18.53
1938	288.26	115.58	88.43	5.6	19	32	30	1.61	8.53	24.65	[3] 42.55	2.2	4.37	1.7	2.6	13.1	9.2	40.30	18.59
1939	313.88	90.83	72.90	6.3	18	25	24	2.34	8.34	26.86	[3] 37.45	2.2	4.81	1.6	3.7	11.2	9.6	44.95	18.55
1940	389.14	94.99	84.25	9.0	23	22	24	2.79	8.49	31.45	[3] 49.15	2.3	4.23	1.8	5.0	12.9	10.0	45.89	18.74
1941	454.44	133.10	77.62	9.7	21	25	27	2.67	8.85	33.37	[3] 57.03	2.2	4.28	2.0	4.9	12.8	9.9	47.40	[4] 17.80
1942	516.10	167.22	117.09	12.2	21	31	29	2.83	9.98	36.11	[3] 58.72	2.2	4.33	2.3	2.2	11.9	9.9	48.91	[4] 19.11
1943	530.47	213.00	142.82	12.0	24	31	31	1.75	11.33	45.30	[3] 59.05	2.5	4.36	2.5	7.7	12.0	10.37	49.00	[4] 19.95
1944	437.35	225.48	148.80	13.4	19	31	31		12.29	50.28	[3] 67.47	2.7	4.96	2.6	4.3	12.0	10.71	50.37	[4] 21.52

[1] Revised to exclude cabinet woods beginning 1919. Includes clapboards beginning July 1938. [2] Unrefined copper beginning 1916. [3] Beginning 1935, tons of 2,000 pounds, air-dry weight. [4] Short tons.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce through April 1941; Bureau of Census, thereafter; annual report, Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States, and December issue of Monthly Summary of Foreign Commerce of the United States.

No. 327.—Unit Values, Annual Average, of Important Domestic Articles Exported: 1916 to 1944

NOTE.—The values of the goods are required by law to represent their market value at the port of exportation. The headnote to table 326 also applies to this table.

YEAR ENDED—	Bacon, hams, and shoulders, per pound	Pork, pickled, per pound	Eggs, per dozen	Milk, condensed and evaporated, per pound	Butter, per pound	Cheese, per pound	Lard, per pound	Sole leather, bends, backs, and sides, per pound	Corn, per bushel	Rye, per bushel	Wheat, per bushel	Wheat flour, per barrel	Oil cake and oil cake meal, per pound	Cottonseed oil, refined, per pound [1]	Sugar, per pound	Rosin, per barrel of 280 pounds	Spirits of turpentine, per gallon	Tobacco, leaf, per pound	Cotton, per pound [2]	BOARDS, PLANKS, AND SCANTLINGS, PER M FEET		COAL		Petroleum, crude, per gallon	Gasoline, naphtha, etc., per gallon	Kerosene, per gallon	Tin plate and terneplate, per pound	Wire nails, per pound	Wire, per pound	Copper, refined, per pound
																				Softwoods [3]	Hardwoods [3]	Anthracite, per ton	Bituminous, per ton						
June 30—	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Dols.	Dols.	Dols.	Dols.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Dols.	Dols.	Cts.	Cts.	Dols.	Dols.	Dols.	Dols.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.	Cts.
1916	13.9	10.6	23.2	8.0	26.6	16.7	11.2	-----	.81	1.06	1.24	5.63	1.6	8.5	4.9	5.65	.47	12.1	12.3	-----	-----	5.25	2.43	3.5	15.5	6.4	3.6	2.6	2.9	22.5
1917	17.9	14.8	30.4	9.7	32.6	23.1	17.3	-----	1.12	1.63	1.99	7.80	1.8	12.5	6.2	6.53	.49	14.7	18.2	-----	-----	5.56	2.94	4.1	20.7	6.6	5.4	3.8	3.9	28.5
1918	26.7	22.7	37.8	12.9	38.6	24.3	25.0	-----	1.84	1.99	2.37	11.19	2.5	18.2	6.7	7.36	.53	24.1	29.4	-----	-----	6.16	3.89	5.0	24.3	8.9	10.3	5.1	5.1	28.1
Dec. 31—																													
1919	31.5	25.3	48.5	14.3	50.7	37.8	31.3	-----	1.66	1.88	2.41	11.09	3.3	21.2	7.8	16.89	.98	33.9	33.9	39.52	74.96	8.25	4.66	6.0	24.7	12.2	8.1	5.3	5.5	21.8
1920	25.2	19.8	50.6	15.6	58.0	31.0	23.4	-----	1.49	2.14	2.73	11.31	3.1	18.9	10.3	16.72	1.54	52.4	36.0	52.96	120.10	9.44	8.85	8.6	27.4	15.3	8.0	5.7	5.8	19.6
1921	17.9	12.8	32.5	12.5	40.8	23.1	13.0	-----	.72	1.48	1.55	7.01	2.0	9.6	5.2	5.19	.65	30.7	16.2	32.29	80.45	10.92	5.94	5.4	24.6	12.5	7.2	5.0	5.5	13.3
1922	17.3	12.1	26.3	10.0	37.2	24.9	11.9	-----	.70	.97	1.25	5.69	2.1	11.0	3.8	5.25	1.08	33.9	21.6	31.05	71.00	10.72	5.95	4.4	21.9	9.3	4.6	3.3	3.4	13.6
1923	14.4	11.7	27.5	11.3	43.9	26.2	12.6	35.6	.87	.91	1.18	5.40	2.2	12.0	6.5	5.14	1.07	32.1	29.6	40.11	75.53	10.91	5.46	3.2	16.3	9.0	5.3	4.0	3.9	15.1
1924	14.2	11.9	26.5	10.7	41.5	26.0	13.3	32.0	.97	1.10	1.43	5.70	2.1	11.8	5.5	5.30	.88	29.8	27.7	34.78	71.74	11.17	4.65	3.6	14.1	9.7	5.4	4.0	3.6	13.7
1925	20.1	16.0	30.1	11.7	45.1	26.3	17.1	35.8	1.12	1.30	1.72	7.65	2.1	12.1	3.7	9.02	.98	32.7	24.5	36.12	71.12	11.19	4.39	4.4	15.3	9.5	5.1	3.8	3.4	14.5
1926	21.6	16.5	28.8	12.1	46.1	28.6	15.5	38.0	.86	1.03	1.46	7.02	1.8	11.8	3.5	12.61	.92	28.5	17.5	33.18	70.90	11.42	4.95	4.4	14.8	10.9	5.1	3.4	3.4	14.2
1927	18.4	14.3	27.0	12.3	46.3	30.1	13.5	40.4	.85	1.10	1.42	6.65	1.9	10.6	4.1	9.36	.60	27.5	17.3	33.01	67.90	11.09	4.44	3.9	11.5	9.8	5.1	3.4	3.2	13.6
1928	16.5	14.2	30.4	12.2	47.7	30.7	13.0	50.7	1.02	1.20	1.25	6.23	2.3	11.4	3.5	8.40	.53	26.8	20.4	31.20	63.68	10.96	4.12	3.4	10.7	10.2	4.7	2.9	3.0	14.8
1929	17.9	14.3	33.8	12.1	47.0	27.8	12.7	43.8	1.01	1.05	1.24	5.91	2.2	12.3	3.0	7.96	.52	26.2	19.7	32.27	66.45	10.71	4.22	3.4	10.6	10.1	4.9	3.0	3.2	18.0
1930	17.8	13.7	27.2	11.5	41.7	25.7	11.4	38.3	.94	.88	1.00	5.31	1.9	9.8	2.4	6.32	.44	25.8	14.4	29.45	62.50	10.76	4.17	3.2	9.4	9.0	5.0	2.8	3.0	13.4
1931	14.3	10.0	22.7	10.5	32.1	22.4	9.0	29.1	.69	.49	.62	3.57	1.2	9.0	2.1	4.25	.39	21.8	9.0	22.91	50.96	10.75	4.01	1.9	5.9	6.6	4.1	2.4	2.6	9.4
1932	9.7	6.8	21.7	8.5	24.4	18.3	5.8	26.0	.36	.50	.60	3.19	1.0	6.0	1.6	3.19	.40	16.8	7.3	20.35	41.09	10.37	3.77	2.4	5.6	5.2	3.7	2.2	2.5	6.1
1933	10.3	6.3	20.6	6.8	23.5	18.5	5.9	28.8	.49	.61	.54	3.49	1.1	6.0	1.6	3.63	.43	19.5	9.0	22.16	43.98	9.79	3.54	2.1	5.3	5.2	3.6	2.2	2.4	6.8
1934	13.6	7.4	24.1	7.4	25.8	19.5	6.1	28.1	.76	.88	.60	4.04	1.3	7.2	1.5	4.59	.49	29.7	11.8	27.93	54.54	9.57	4.16	2.9	5.6	5.2	4.1	2.5	2.6	7.6
1935	18.3	11.7	29.7	7.4	25.8	22.0	12.3	25.3	1.50	.99	.91	4.53	1.1	12.0	2.3	4.68	.47	35.1	12.4	28.41	50.46	9.18	4.05	2.8	5.7	5.6	4.3	2.5	2.5	7.7
1936	20.6	11.4	28.0	7.8	32.3	23.5	12.1	34.5	1.05	.79	.99	4.78	1.2	11.8	2.2	5.26	.42	33.6	12.5	32.30	50.08	9.19	4.06	3.1	6.1	5.3	4.4	2.7	2.6	9.2
1937	20.7	12.7	27.4	8.5	36.6	24.2	11.8	40.0	.67	.88	1.11	5.67	1.3	9.9	2.2	7.96	.37	32.1	11.9	35.50	54.38	8.66	4.16	3.4	6.7	5.7	4.9	3.4	3.7	13.0
1938	17.9	10.1	29.7	7.8	29.2	20.9	8.9	36.2	.64	.69	.90	4.44	1.3	8.6	2.1	4.89	.26	32.8	9.8	33.78	51.45	8.59	4.07	3.4	6.0	5.3	5.3	3.0	3.3	10.0
1939	16.7	8.6	25.8	7.0	28.6	21.2	7.3	38.9	.62	.82	.58	3.17	1.3	8.2	2.8	5.37	.27	23.5	9.9	33.50	51.87	8.61	4.13	3.1	6.2	4.7	4.7	2.9	3.2	11.0
1940	14.6	8.8	23.3	7.4	31.6	22.2	6.3	36.1	.67	.94	.78	3.70	1.5	7.5	3.1	5.38	.32	20.1	10.9	35.01	57.73	8.91	4.14	3.1	7.7	6.1	5.2	3.4	3.7	11.5
1941	18.9	15.0	27.2	8.0	36.4	20.7	9.8	40.9	.87	1.12	.85	4.13	1.4	9.2	3.1	6.73	.58	24.8	13.5	41.21	69.30	9.18	4.64	3.4	[4] 8.5	5.5	5.4	4.0	4.5	11.3
1942	22.7	17.3	38.4	9.5	38.7	25.1	13.3	44.1	.92	3.24	1.03	4.75	1.8	14.4	4.6	9.22	.72	28.5	18.4	53.88	94.41	9.66	5.18	3.5	[4] 9.9	5.5	5.3	4.6	4.9	11.3
1943	26.1	14.6	48.1	9.9	42.3	26.9	16.4	46.4	1.20	1.74	1.37	5.87	1.9	16.8	4.4	10.75	.80	43.3	22.4	80.79	109.82	10.24	5.43	3.7	[4] 11.8	6.5	5.2	4.1	6.3	10.5
1944	25.4	19.1	39.9	12.1	55.2	30.3	16.8	44.3	1.42	1.64	1.63	6.93	2.6	15.4	5.7	13.86	.90	52.5	22.5	66.93	97.58	10.86	5.69	4.0	[4] 15.4	6.4	5.3	4.1	6.0	10.0

[1] Crude and refined prior to 1922; average price of crude and refined for 1922 was 9.7.
[2] Revised to exclude linters beginning 1915.
[3] Softwoods and hardwoods not reported separately prior to 1919.
[4] Includes mineral spirits which were not reported separately in 1941.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce through April 1941; Bureau of Census, thereafter; annual report, Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States, and December issue of Monthly Summary of Foreign Commerce of the United States.