

10. Social Security and Related Programs

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

Broadly considered, "social security" includes (1) all public provisions for payments to individuals on an insurance or similar basis to compensate for part of the wage loss resulting from old age, sickness, disability, unemployment, or death (social insurance and related programs); (2) assistance, or payments on a needs basis, to persons with inadequate income (public aid); and (3) medical and hospital care and services to individuals to improve their health, earning power, and welfare (health and medical services and other welfare services). The aggregate expenditures for these purposes from Federal, State, and local funds are shown in table 274; a comparison of these expenditures with total receipts and expenditures of Federal, State, and local governments may be made by reference to tables 359, 360, 362, 404, 409, 414, and 415. Other data for social security and related programs are given in tables 275-279.

More detailed information follows for certain of the insurance programs—old-age and survivors insurance (tables 280-287), State unemployment insurance (tables 288-292), railroad retirement and unemployment insurance (tables 297-304), retirement systems for Government employees (tables 312-319) and workmen's compensation (table 305); for public assistance (tables 306 and 307); and for maternal and child health and welfare services (tables 308-311).

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. See also source notes to the tables in this volume for publications giving more detailed data and analyses of the figures and information on administrative factors that may affect them.

SOCIAL INSURANCE FOR INDUSTRIAL AND COMMERCIAL WORKERS

The two social insurance programs established by the Social Security Act provide protection against wage loss resulting from old age or death (Federal old-age and survivors insurance) or unemployment (Federal-State unemployment insurance). In addition, three States—Rhode Island, California, and New Jersey—administer cash benefits for workers covered by the State unemployment insurance law who suffer a wage loss because of temporary sickness; payments under the New Jersey program did not begin until January 1, 1949. These insurance programs cover employment in industry and commerce. Some State unemployment insurance laws, however, limit coverage to workers in firms with a specified minimum number of employees in a specified number of weeks in a year. The Social Security Act excludes from coverage certain types of work, such as farm and domestic labor, employment by government and railroads, and self-employment.

Old-age and survivors insurance (tables 280-287) provides monthly retirement benefits to fully insured workers, as defined below, at age 65 or over and supplementary monthly benefits to their wives aged 65 or over and dependent children under age 18. Monthly survivor benefits are payable to certain dependents of fully or currently insured workers—children under age 18, and widows who 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 at age 65 or, if he leaves no widow or un-

married child immediately or potentially eligible for benefits, to parents aged 65 or over who were chiefly dependent on him. If no monthly benefits are payable for the month in which the wage earner dies, a lump sum is paid to the spouse who was living with the worker at the time of death or, if there is no such spouse, as reimbursement for burial expenses to a person or persons equitably entitled to such payment. Survivor benefits were also established in 1946 for survivors of World War II veterans who die within 3 years of their discharge from military service, if pension or compensation is not payable by the Veterans' Administration with respect to the death of the veteran.

A worker is fully insured if he has received at least \$50 in wages from covered employment in a minimum of 6 quarters and in 1 quarter of every 2 that 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 last 13 quarters, including the quarter in which he dies.

Monthly benefits and lump-sum payments are based on the worker's average wage as legally defined. Benefits 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. Covered workers and their employers each pay contributions of 1 percent on the worker's wages, not counting amounts above the first \$3,000 in a year. The rate is scheduled to rise to 1.5 percent in 1950 and to 2 percent in 1952. 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—the amounts of wages up to a maximum of \$3,000 a year—are recorded in individual employee accounts maintained by the Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance.

State unemployment insurance laws (tables 288-292) pay benefits to unemployed covered workers who meet the qualifying conditions specified in the State law. In general, a waiting period of 1 or 2 weeks must be served before payments begin. Benefits are payable for a maximum number of weeks, amounting to 20 in 22 States at the end of 1948 but ranging from 12 to 26 weeks among the others. In theory, weekly benefit amounts represent about 50 percent of wages, but the maximum limits on individual payments, which range from \$15 to \$26 under the several State laws, cut down the proportion for many workers in many States. Five States take account of the unemployed worker's dependents in determining the amount of benefits payable to him. Three States now pay benefits to workers whose unemployment is caused by sickness.

The standard rate of contributions payable by employers for unemployment insurance is 2.7 percent of wages paid, not counting amounts above the first \$3,000 a year paid to an employee. In two States, employees also contribute for unemployment insurance. All States adjusted employer contribution rates in 1948 in accordance with "experience rating," which is based in general on the extent to which their employees have drawn benefits. The Federal Government imposes a Federal unemployment tax on employers of eight 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 the State law 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 unemployment trust fund, from which States withdraw amounts needed for benefit payments. The Federal Government makes grants to States to cover the necessary administrative costs of State systems that meet statutory Federal requirements.

In the three States which have temporary disability programs, employees pay contributions for these benefits. Other States which now collect or in the past have

collected employee contributions for unemployment insurance may use that money to finance cash sickness benefits.

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 and survivor benefits (tables 297-301).—The Railroad Retirement Act provides retirement annuities for aged or disabled workers and monthly and lump-sum survivor benefits for the families of deceased railroad workers. Old-age annuities are payable at age 65 or over, or at reduced rates (full rates for women employees) at ages 60 to 64 after 30 years of service. Disability annuities are payable (1) at age 60 or after 10 years of service, in case of total and permanent disability, and (2) at age 60 or after 20 years of service, in case of permanent disability for employment in the worker's regular occupation, provided he is currently connected with the railroad industry.

Retirement annuity payments are made monthly and are equal to 2.4 percent of the first \$50 of the worker's average monthly earnings, 1.8 percent of the next \$100, and 1.2 percent of the next \$150, the sum multiplied by the number of his years of service (up to a maximum of 30, if service before 1937 is included). Under certain conditions, military service is also creditable toward an annuity. Retirement is not compulsory at any age.

At present, the maximum annuity is \$144 a month. Workers who have at least 5 years of service and are connected with the railroad industry receive a minimum monthly benefit which is equal to \$60, \$3.60 times the years of service, or the average monthly compensation, whichever is the least.

Pensions are paid to retired workers who were on the private pension rolls of the carriers on July 1, 1937, and who were not eligible for annuities.

Survivor benefits consist of four types of monthly annuities and a lump-sum death benefit to certain dependents of "completely insured" workers who die either before or after retirement as follows: (1) widows at age 65, if they do not remarry; (2) dependent, unmarried children under 16 (18, if attending school); (3) widows with dependent, unmarried children under 18 in their care; and (4) dependent parents aged 65, when the worker is not survived by a widow or eligible children. If the deceased worker leaves no survivor entitled to immediate monthly benefits, a lump-sum death benefit is payable to the widow, widower, children (including persons entitled to share with children under State intestacy laws), parents, or persons who paid the funeral expenses (in that order of precedence). If a worker dies "partially insured," all of the benefits listed above, except those to widows at age 65 and to parents are payable.

If no benefits, or no further benefits, are payable with respect to an employee's death, a final residual payment may be made to the person designated by the employee or, in the absence of a designation to the widow (or widower), the children (or persons entitled to share with children under State intestacy laws), or the parents. If no person is alive to receive the payment, it is payable to the worker's estate. A widow (or parent) entitled to monthly benefits on reaching age 65 may elect, some time before attaining that age, to waive all rights to future monthly benefits and thereby make the residual payment available immediately.

A worker is "completely insured" at death if he has a specified amount of service after 1936 or if he has been receiving a retirement annuity or a pension under the Railroad Retirement Act (if receiving an annuity, it must have begun before 1948 and have been based on at least 10 years of service). In the former case, he must, in general, have worked under the Railroad Retirement Act or the Social Security Act, or both, for a period equal to approximately one-half the time from 1937 (or age 21, if later) until he dies, retires, or becomes 65. A worker is "partially insured" if he worked in the railroad industry approximately 1½ years in the period beginning with the third year before his death.

The funds for the retirement system come from a tax on compensation (exclusive of earnings over \$300 a month) and are collected under the Railroad Retirement Tax Act. The total tax rate, divided equally between the employer and the employee, is 12 percent and is scheduled to rise to 12½ percent in 1952. Appropriations for benefit payments and administration and for establishing a reserve in the railroad retirement account are made by Congress annually on the basis of anticipated tax collections.

Railroad unemployment and sickness benefits (tables 302-304).—The Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act provides unemployment and sickness benefits (including maternity benefits) payable during a "benefit year" to "qualified" railroad workers. An employee is "qualified" if he earned at least \$150 in compensation from 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 of each year and ends on June 30 of the following year. Benefits, ranging from \$1.75 to \$5.00, are payable for each day of unemployment or sickness (other than maternity) over 7 in the first 14-day registration period and for each day over 4 in subsequent registration periods up to a maximum of 130 days in the benefit year. Days of unemployment and days of sickness cannot be combined in the same registration period.

Maternity benefits are payable to women workers for a maximum period of 116 days beginning 57 days before the date of childbirth at the same daily benefit rate as for unemployment and sickness. Benefits, however, are paid for every day in a maternity period; in addition, the first 14 days of the maternity period and the first 14 days following childbirth are compensated at 50 percent above the regular daily rate.

The railroad unemployment insurance program is financed entirely by contributions paid directly to the Railroad Retirement Board by covered employers; the contribution rate (exclusive of individual earnings in excess of \$300 a month) is one-half percent of pay rolls but, depending on the size of the account, may vary up to 3 percent.

The Board also operates a free employment service for railroad employees under this act.

RETIREMENT SYSTEMS FOR GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES

Federal systems.—Three contributory retirement systems for Federal civilian employees (tables 312-314) and one noncontributory system are administered by the Civil Service Commission. In addition, there are other systems for Federal employees not otherwise covered (table 315).

The Civil Service Retirement Act, as passed in 1920 and amended subsequently, provides for age, optional, disability and discontinued service annuities for employees in the executive, judicial, and legislative branches of the United States Government not subject to another retirement system, except those employees excluded by executive order because the tenure of employment is intermittent or of uncertain duration. It also covers those employees in the municipal government of the District of Columbia not subject to special retirement systems for teachers, firemen, and policemen. The amendment of Feb. 28, 1948, provided annuities for the widows and minor children of deceased employees, and, under certain conditions, to the survivors of deceased annuitants. Approximately 1,700,000 employees were subject to this act

as of June 30, 1948. The employee contribution rate, computed on base pay, has been 6 percent since July 1948. The rate had been 5 percent from July 1942-June 1948, 3½ percent from July 1926-June 1942, and 2½ percent from August 1920-June 1926.

The Panama Canal Zone Retirement Act, passed in 1931, pertains to employees of the Panama Canal and Panama Railroad Company who work on the Isthmus of Panama and are citizens of the United States. Four thousand four hundred and seventy-four employees were covered by this act in June 1948. Employee contributions are 5 percent. 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 2,443 persons in June 1948. The contribution rate is 5 percent.

These three acts do not require specific payments from the Government as employer, but each implies that the Government will furnish the amounts necessary to finance the fund and to continue the act in full force and effect. Appropriations have been made annually by the Congress to each fund after a short period of operation.

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. Separate retirement systems, some contributory and others noncontributory, are in operation for the armed forces and special classes of Federal employees.

State and local systems (tables 316-319).—Retirement systems administered by State or local governmental units are in effect for about three-fifths of the persons employed by State and local governments. The great majority of the systems are contributory. The benefits provided and conditions for receipt of benefits vary widely. The retirement benefit is usually weighted heavily by years of coverage. Most of the systems include provisions for retirement from disability as well as from age. In general, survivor protection under State and local systems is afforded only for survivors of annuitants who have elected a reduced benefit, or consists of a refund of contributions only.

WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION

As a result of the recent enactment of a Mississippi workmen's compensation law, all States now have programs providing protection against work-connected injuries and deaths. In addition to the State laws, there are Federal workmen's compensation laws covering employees of the Federal Government, private employees in the District of Columbia, and longshoremen and harbor workers. Most of the State workmen's compensation laws exempt such employments as agriculture, domestic service and casual labor; the majority exempt employers who have fewer than a specified number of employees. Occupational diseases, or at least specified diseases, are compensable under most laws.

In general, compensation is based on a proportion of wages; for total disability the proportion is commonly between three-fifths and two-thirds. However, all States but one place a maximum amount on the weekly benefit payment—between \$13 to \$25 in most laws, although several are as high as \$30 or more. In most States, total payments to injured workers or to survivor families are limited as to time, amount, or both. All compensation acts require that medical aid be furnished to injured employees; in almost half the States, there are either duration or cost limitations—or both—on the amount of medical benefits provided.

To ensure that compensation will be paid when due, workmen's compensation laws require that a covered employer obtain insurance or give proof of his qualifications to carry his own risk (self-insurance). In most of the States the employer is permitted to insure with private insurance companies, but in 7 of the 18 States which

have State insurance funds, employers are required to insure their risks in the State fund.

Total payments of all types of insurers for compensation and medical benefits, by States and for the years 1939 to 1947, appear in table 305. Of the 1947 total of \$485 million, an estimated \$135 million was in the form of medical aid, about \$290 million in cash benefits to injured workmen, and the remaining \$60 million in periodic or lump-sum payments to survivor families.

PUBLIC ASSISTANCE

Public assistance (tables 306 and 307) is provided through four major programs, all administered by the States and localities. Payments to three groups of needy persons—the aged, the blind, and children whose need arises from certain causes—are financed in part from Federal funds granted to States under the Social Security Act. Aid to other needy persons is furnished for the most part through general assistance, toward which the Federal Government makes no contribution. In addition, one State aids dependent children, and three aid blind persons, without Federal funds.

To receive a Federal grant for assistance payments and administrative expenses under any of the three programs established by the Social Security Act, a State must have a plan approved as meeting the requirements of the Federal act. Each State establishes the conditions under which needy people may receive assistance and determines how much they shall get. Beginning in October 1948, the maximum amount in which the Federal Government will share is \$50 for old-age assistance and aid to the blind and, for aid to dependent children, \$27 for the first child and \$18 for each additional child in a family. The Federal Government pays three-fourths of the first \$20 of the average monthly assistance payment for aged and blind recipients and three-fourths of the first \$12 per dependent child, plus one-half the remainder of matchable expenditures. For all three programs the Federal share of the cost of State administration is one-half the sums expended.

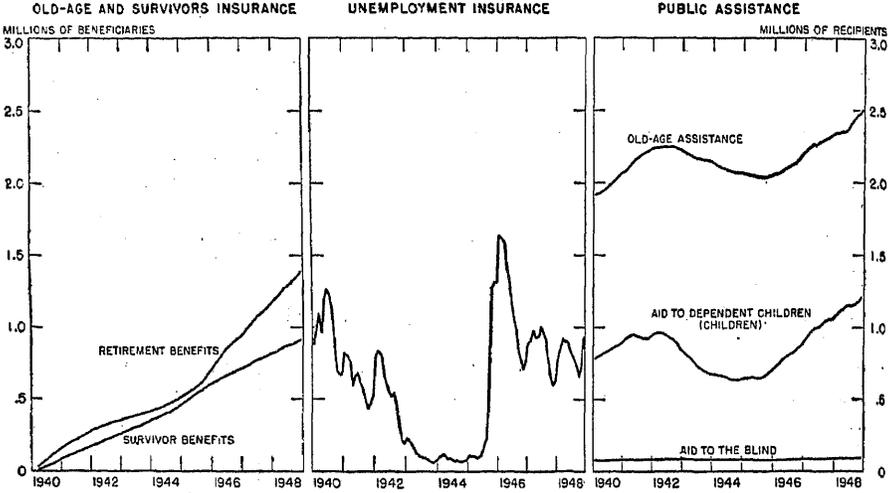
HEALTH AND WELFARE SERVICE

Health and welfare services (tables 276, 277, 308–311) are provided through 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, a part of the Social Security Administration, administers the first three of these programs (tables 308–311); the other two are administered, respectively, by the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (table 158) and the Public Health Service, both units of the Federal Security Agency.

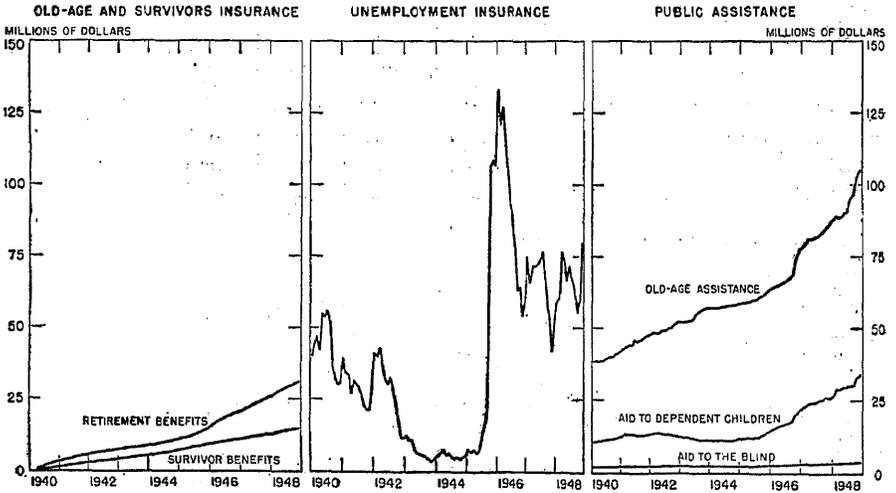
FIGURE J.—SOCIAL SECURITY OPERATIONS: 1940 TO 1948

[Old-age and survivors insurance: Beneficiaries actually receiving monthly benefits (current payment status) and amount of their benefits during month. Unemployment insurance: Average weekly number of beneficiaries for the month and gross benefits paid during the month under all State laws. Public assistance: Recipients and payments under all State programs]

INDIVIDUALS RECEIVING PAYMENTS



SOCIAL SECURITY PAYMENTS



Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration.

No. 274.—PUBLIC EXPENDITURES FOR SOCIAL SECURITY, SELECTED VETERANS' PROGRAMS, AND OTHER RELATED PURPOSES, BY SOURCE OF FUNDS AND PROGRAM: FISCAL YEARS 1946 AND 1947

[In millions. Data corrected to August 10, 1948. Represents expenditures from general, special, and trust accounts; excludes transfers to such accounts and loans. Includes administrative expenditures unless otherwise indicated. Fiscal years of Federal Government, most States, and some localities ending June 30; fiscal years of other States and localities cover various 12-month periods ending within year]

PROGRAM	1946			1947		
	Total	Federal	State and local	Total	Federal	State and local
Total	\$7,646.0	\$4,232.3	\$3,413.7	\$10,126.1	\$6,576.2	\$3,549.9
Social insurance and related programs	5,016.3	3,273.2	1,743.1	6,489.4	4,954.8	1,534.6
Old-age and survivors insurance.....	357.9	357.9	—	466.4	465.4	—
Railroad retirement.....	154.4	154.4	—	177.6	177.6	—
Public employee retirement systems ¹	587.7	2 352.7	3 235.0	713.3	2 463.3	3 250.0
Railroad unemployment insurance ²	1,201.7	110.6	1,091.1	934.9	97.6	837.3
Veterans' program ³	20.7	20.7	—	56.1	56.1	—
Veterans' compensation ⁴	2,265.9	2,265.9	—	3,681.8	3,681.8	—
Workmen's compensation ⁵	423.2	10.9	412.3	445.0	12.0	433.0
State sickness insurance ⁶	4.7	—	4.7	14.3	—	14.3
Civilian war benefits.....	.1	.1	—	—	—	—
Public aid	1,188.3	481.3	707.0	1,575.2	695.2	880.0
Special types of public assistance ⁷	1,002.1	422.1	580.0	1,271.9	615.9	656.0
General assistance.....	121.0	—	121.0	168.2	—	168.2
Subsistence payments to farmers.....	.2	.2	—	—	—	—
School lunch program ⁸	63.1	57.1	6.0	135.1	79.3	55.8
Civilian war assistance ⁹	1.0	1.0	—	—	—	—
Assistance to enemy aliens ⁹.....	.9	.9	—	—	—	—
Health and medical services ⁹	1,226.7	402.6	824.1	1,726.2	726.9	999.3
Public health services.....	265.2	60.0	205.2	336.6	89.7	246.9
Hospital care and construction.....	834.2	222.2	1 612.0	1,267.0	10 642.0	11 725.0
Maternal and child health services ¹⁰	10.2	6.3	13 9.9	15.8	11.0	13 4.8
Services for crippled children.....	7.3	4.3	13 3.0	11.1	7.7	13 3.4
Emergency wartime health and medical services.....	98.0	98.0	—	40.3	40.3	—
Rehabilitation ¹¹	(15)	(15)	(15)	5.2	3.0	2.2
Medical research.....	(15)	(15)	(15)	22.0	20.0	2.0
Health manpower training.....	(15)	(15)	(15)	15.0	—	15.0
Other health and medical services ¹²	11.8	11.8	—	13.2	13.2	—
Other welfare services	214.7	75.2	139.5	335.3	199.3	136.0
Vocational rehabilitation ¹³	19.3	14.1	5.2	19.4	14.7	4.7
Veterans' program ¹⁴	50.2	50.2	—	178.8	178.8	—
Child welfare services.....	1.3	1.3	(15)	2.0	2.0	(15)
Institutional and other care.....	134.4	19 3.1	20 131.3	135.1	19 3.8	20 131.3
Day care.....	9.5	21 6.5	3.0	—	—	—

¹ Estimated by Social Security Administration.

² Includes noncontributory programs.

³ Excludes administrative expenditures.

⁴ State unemployment insurance and U. S. Employment Service.

⁵ Includes administration of employment services by Railroad Retirement Board.

⁶ Includes estimated administrative expenditures for nonmedical services, pensions, annuities, and readjustment allowances; excludes expenditures from Government life-insurance fund.

⁷ State programs in Rhode Island and California; benefits became payable under California program Dec. 1, 1946. Excludes benefits under voluntary plans in California.

⁸ Includes old-age assistance, aid to the blind, and aid to dependent children.

⁹ 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.

¹⁰ Includes medical services to veterans, operation of Marine and other Federal hospitals and hospital construction.

¹¹ Estimate for care based on 1946 bed capacity in tax-supported institutions; estimated construction, unlike in prior years, obtained from Department of Commerce and represents amount of contracts allotted for hospital construction.

¹² Includes administrative expenses for services for crippled children and child welfare.

¹³ Includes only required matching of Federal grants.

¹⁴ Medical care and service expenditures under Vocational Rehabilitation Act.

¹⁵ Not available.

¹⁶ Includes expenditures by Food and Drug Administration, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Department of Justice for penal care, and by Government in the Territories for custody and care of insane.

¹⁷ Expenditures under Vocational Rehabilitation Act for 1946; for 1947, excludes expenditures for medical services.

¹⁸ Veterans' Administration programs for vocational rehabilitation, automobiles and other conveyances for disabled veterans' and burial awards.

¹⁹ American Printing House for the Blind, Columbia Institution for the Deaf, Naval Home, veterans' homes, and U. S. Soldiers' Home.

²⁰ Not available; 1941 figure used for comparability.

²¹ Federal Works Agency programs for child care.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Division of Research and Statistics.

No. 275.—SELECTED SOCIAL INSURANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS—ESTIMATED PAY ROLLS IN COVERED EMPLOYMENT IN RELATION TO CIVILIAN WAGES AND SALARIES: 1940 TO 1947

[Amounts in millions of dollars. Data for calendar years, corrected to December 30, 1948]

PROGRAM	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
	AMOUNT							
Total earnings ¹	62,247	78,212	104,405	131,279	144,446	146,592	146,805	161,030
All wages and salaries ¹	49,587	61,708	81,681	105,328	117,076	117,542	111,741	122,164
Civilian.....	48,996	59,846	75,396	90,850	96,370	95,064	103,979	118,285
Military.....	591	1,862	6,285	14,478	20,706	22,477	7,762	3,870
Pay rolls covered by retirement programs, ² total.....	41,721	52,652	67,991	81,878	86,676	85,682	94,226	108,177
Old-age and survivors insurance.....	35,668	45,463	58,219	69,653	73,349	71,560	79,405	92,450
Railroad retirement.....	2,273	2,687	3,382	4,085	4,507	4,514	4,866	5,107
Federal civil-service retirement ³	1,430	1,912	3,000	5,100	5,600	5,840	5,195	4,840
State and local government.....	2,350	2,590	2,790	3,040	3,220	3,768	4,760	4,780
Pay rolls covered by unemployment insurance programs, ² total.....	34,723	44,833	58,178	70,202	73,646	71,157	78,263	91,371
State unemployment insurance.....	32,450	42,146	54,796	60,117	69,139	66,643	73,397	86,264
Railroad unemployment insurance.....	2,273	2,687	3,382	4,085	4,507	4,514	4,866	5,107
	PERCENT							
Civilian 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, ² total.....	85.2	88.0	90.2	90.1	89.9	90.1	90.6	91.5
Old-age and survivors insurance.....	72.8	76.0	77.2	76.7	76.1	75.3	76.4	78.2
Railroad retirement.....	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.3
Federal civil-service retirement ³	2.9	3.2	4.8	5.6	5.8	6.1	5.0	4.1
State and local government.....	4.8	4.3	3.7	3.3	3.3	4.0	4.6	4.0
Pay rolls covered by unemployment insurance programs, ² total.....	70.9	74.9	77.2	77.3	76.4	74.9	75.3	77.2
State unemployment insurance.....	66.2	70.4	72.7	72.8	71.7	70.1	70.6	72.0
Railroad unemployment insurance.....	4.6	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.7	4.7	4.7	4.3

¹ Data from Dept. of Commerce, Off. Bus. Econ. Total earnings include earnings of self-employed; all wages and salaries represent civilian wages and salaries in cash and in kind in continental U. S., and pay of Federal civilian and military personnel in all areas. Includes employee contributions under contributory systems.

² All programs except Federal civil-service retirement and State and local government include pay rolls in Alaska and Hawaii. Includes nontaxable wages for programs under which only part of wages in covered employment are taxable.

³ Based on fiscal-year data. Includes wages and salaries of employees covered by Alaska Railroad and Panama Canal Zone Retirement Acts. ⁴ Preliminary estimate.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Division of Research and Statistics. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 276.—FEDERAL AID TO STATES FOR SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER PURPOSES: FISCAL YEARS 1940 TO 1947

[In thousands. On basis of checks issued. Includes grants to island possessions. Data from Annual Report of Secretary of Treasury on the State of the Finances, and other Treasury reports]

FISCAL YEAR	Total	SOCIAL SECURITY AND RELATED SERVICES				Educa- tion ⁴	Public roads	Develop- ment and con- serva- tion of natural re- sources ⁵
		Total	Assist- ance pay- ments and ad- ministra- tion ¹	Empley- ment se- curity ad- ministra- tion ²	Health and wel- fare ser- vices ³			
1940.....	\$577,539	\$359,242	\$271,131	\$61,680	\$26,431	\$24,708	\$164,517	\$29,072
1941.....	715,349	426,936	329,845	66,195	30,946	37,299	171,042	30,022
1942.....	779,108	464,710	374,568	55,544	34,598	125,515	157,911	31,062
1943.....	828,064	472,091	395,449	39,480	37,162	151,188	173,659	31,126
1944.....	825,093	533,822	429,458	35,294	69,070	112,735	144,120	34,416
1945.....	729,849	521,589	401,400	34,419	85,770	83,763	87,429	37,068
1946.....	757,874	611,501	421,196	55,726	134,580	34,319	74,529	37,626
1947.....	1,134,880	860,090	644,045	59,996	156,049	32,417	198,774	43,690

¹ Old-age assistance, aid to dependent children, and aid to blind under Social Security Act.
² Unemployment insurance administration under Social Security Act; employment service under Wagner-Peyser Act, July 1937-Dec. 1941. Excludes expenditures for postage.
³ Maternal and child health and welfare services; public health services; vocational rehabilitation; venereal disease control; State and Territorial homes for disabled soldiers and sailors; beginning 1942-43, emergency maternity and infant care; for 1942-43, community war services day care; and for 1945-47, school lunch program.
⁴ Revised to include education of blind in addition to agricultural and mechanic arts colleges, State marine schools, vocational education, training defense workers, and agricultural extension services of land-grant colleges for 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 Administration, Division of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1947.

No. 277.—FEDERAL AID FOR SOCIAL SECURITY AND OTHER PURPOSES, BY STATES, TERRITORIES, AND POSSESSIONS: FISCAL YEAR 1947

[In thousands. See headnote and footnotes, table 276]

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	\$1,134,880	\$860,090	\$644,045	\$59,996	\$156,049	\$32,417	\$198,774	\$43,598
Alabama.....	21,186	14,765	8,952	772	5,041	819	4,167	1,436
Arizona.....	10,508	5,094	3,869	268	9,277	254	4,899	291
Arkansas.....	16,267	9,806	6,007	563	3,176	695	4,569	1,198
California.....	96,972	73,966	58,558	7,339	8,069	1,983	18,018	2,105
Colorado.....	18,841	15,148	13,654	222	1,272	501	2,675	517
Connecticut.....	10,271	7,417	4,588	982	1,848	427	2,110	316
Delaware.....	2,416	948	327	149	472	232	1,052	184
District of Columbia.....	1,463	2,456	1,087	877	1,012	61	946	-----
Florida.....	23,276	19,355	15,027	879	3,749	439	2,614	868
Georgia.....	27,920	18,678	11,885	765	0,029	772	7,006	1,464
Idaho.....	7,856	4,579	3,467	260	852	355	2,410	512
Illinois.....	55,640	50,344	38,727	4,002	7,615	1,311	2,995	990
Indiana.....	25,703	19,573	15,420	1,079	3,075	879	4,550	900
Iowa.....	21,610	15,986	13,246	368	2,372	635	4,003	985
Kansas.....	20,554	11,952	9,696	531	1,725	445	7,438	718
Kentucky.....	19,302	13,175	8,432	512	4,232	722	4,135	1,270
Louisiana.....	20,198	16,038	10,985	909	4,084	529	2,676	1,054
Maine.....	8,062	5,653	4,444	320	2,889	369	1,486	555
Maryland.....	10,067	7,360	4,313	964	2,083	501	1,734	472
Massachusetts.....	37,717	33,959	28,047	2,588	3,324	630	2,745	382
Michigan.....	42,891	36,395	27,727	3,346	5,323	1,089	3,089	1,418
Minnesota.....	25,901	17,813	14,299	873	2,841	622	6,233	1,234
Mississippi.....	16,761	11,072	6,467	360	4,245	680	3,600	1,410
Missouri.....	40,515	34,534	29,766	1,125	3,642	810	3,982	1,100
Montana.....	7,310	4,005	3,236	229	630	352	2,300	504
Nebraska.....	12,789	8,696	7,299	183	1,214	421	3,061	611
Nevada.....	4,719	1,045	601	158	305	162	3,304	208
New Hampshire.....	3,644	2,710	1,943	226	540	210	452	273
New Jersey.....	18,152	13,312	7,466	2,904	2,943	589	3,764	457
New Mexico.....	7,581	4,183	3,032	171	980	218	2,795	384
New York.....	71,861	63,960	44,196	9,014	10,751	2,124	4,512	1,265
North Carolina.....	22,352	14,133	6,749	841	6,543	894	6,187	1,689
North Dakota.....	6,085	3,552	2,662	98	793	277	1,728	527
Ohio.....	45,821	40,029	32,028	2,755	5,243	1,224	3,355	1,215
Oklahoma.....	49,071	39,763	30,008	578	3,177	638	7,629	1,041
Oregon.....	14,594	9,522	7,234	847	1,441	482	3,404	1,187
Pennsylvania.....	53,340	43,741	33,107	5,217	5,417	1,664	6,603	1,342
Rhode Island.....	4,037	3,596	2,555	368	672	178	90	173
South Carolina.....	16,550	10,170	5,615	359	4,197	654	4,474	1,252
South Dakota.....	6,802	4,216	3,509	88	619	298	1,770	510
Tennessee.....	22,967	15,710	10,366	848	4,496	785	5,218	1,254
Texas.....	75,927	54,525	44,359	1,773	8,393	1,724	17,583	2,091
Utah.....	9,514	6,108	4,762	306	1,040	341	2,739	325
Vermont.....	3,081	1,953	1,289	161	503	218	613	297
Virginia.....	12,630	7,553	3,370	543	3,640	646	3,305	1,126
Washington.....	32,789	26,830	22,876	1,563	2,391	633	4,030	1,296
West Virginia.....	11,901	8,430	5,026	560	2,754	419	2,247	805
Wisconsin.....	21,297	16,452	13,014	659	2,778	847	2,768	1,229
Wyoming.....	5,330	1,859	1,342	133	384	287	2,923	299
Alaska.....	1,386	1,033	417	116	501	50	231	71
Hawaii.....	2,984	1,777	953	117	707	185	759	263
Puerto Rico.....	5,820	4,965	-----	-----	4,965	377	82	397
Virgin Islands.....	140	140	-----	-----	140	-----	-----	-----

¹ 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 Administration, Division of Research and Statistics; Social Security Yearbook, 1947.

No. 278.—PUBLIC ASSISTANCE AND FEDERAL WORK PROGRAMS—RECIPIENTS AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, PAYMENTS AND EARNINGS: 1936 TO 1948¹

[Through 1942, all data are for continental United States only; beginning 1943, public assistance data include Alaska and Hawaii. Excludes cost of administration and of materials, equipment, and other items incident to operation of work programs; partly estimated and subject to revision]

PROGRAM	NUMBER OF RECIPIENTS AND PERSONS EMPLOYED, DECEMBER (THOUSANDS)												
	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948
Recipients of assistance:													
Old-age assistance ²	1,106	1,577	1,776	1,909	2,066	2,234	2,227	2,149	2,066	2,056	2,196	2,332	2,468
Aid to dependent children: ³													
Families.....	162	228	280	315	370	390	348	272	254	274	346	416	475
Children.....	404	565	648	760	840	941	676	639	689	701	855	1,060	1,214
Aid to the blind ⁴	45	56	67	70	73	77	79	76	72	71	77	81	86
Cases receiving general assistance ⁵	1,510	1,625	1,631	1,558	1,239	798	460	202	233	257	315	356	307
Cases aided under special programs of the Federal Emergency Relief Administration ⁶	11												
Cases for which subsistence payments were certified by Farm Security Administration ⁷	135	109	115	96	45	26							
Persons employed under Federal work programs: ⁸													
Civilian Conservation Corps ⁷	323	284	275	266	246	126							
National Youth Administration ⁸													
Student work program.....	411	304	372	434	449	333	36						
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							
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	980,765	942,457	989,686	1,182,537	1,485,728	1,736,786
Total assistance:													
Old-age assistance ²	680,950	840,306	1,007,566	1,087,889	1,053,266	1,002,503	965,089	930,234	942,457	989,686	1,182,537	1,485,728	1,736,786
Aid to dependent children ³	155,241	310,442	392,384	430,460	474,952	541,519	595,152	653,171	693,338	726,550	822,061	989,716	1,132,604
Aid to the blind ⁴	49,654	70,451	97,442	114,949	133,243	153,153	158,435	140,942	135,015	149,667	208,557	294,961	364,160
Total.....	12,813	16,171	18,958	20,762	21,826	22,901	24,660	25,143	25,342	26,557	30,748	36,253	41,352

General assistance ²	439, 004	406, 831	476, 203	482, 653	404, 963	272, 049	180, 571	110, 978	88, 762	86, 912	120, 920	104, 798	198, 640
Relief under special programs of Federal Emergency Relief Administration ³	3, 873	467											
Subsistence payments certified by Farm Security Administration ³	20, 365	35, 894	22, 579	19, 055	18, 282	12, 281	6, 271						
Total earnings of persons employed under Federal work programs ⁴	2, 438, 063	1, 813, 612	2, 229, 084	2, 117, 533	1, 670, 142	1, 225, 024	531, 152	50, 531					
Civilian Conservation Corps ⁵	292, 397	245, 756	280, 318	230, 513	215, 846	155, 904	34, 030						
National Youth Administration ⁶													
Student work program	26, 329	24, 287	19, 588	22, 707	26, 864	25, 118	11, 328	3, 794					
Out-of-school work program	28, 883	32, 664	41, 580	51, 538	65, 211	94, 032	32, 009						
Work Projects Administration ⁷	1, 692, 039	1, 186, 266	1, 751, 083	1, 565, 515	1, 269, 617	937, 366	503, 055	46, 737					
Other Federal agency projects financed from emergency funds ⁸	498, 415	324, 639	186, 505	247, 285	92, 604	12, 904	730						

¹ For 1933-35 data see 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 Administration 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 September 1940, recipients and cost of medical care.

³ Excludes cost of hospitalization and burial and, beginning September 1940, recipients and cost of medical care. Data for 1936-March 1937 from W.P.A.

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 FERA 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 FERA includes administrative employees and their earnings.

⁶ 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, \$97 for July-October 1939, \$66.25 for November-June 1941, and \$97.20 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.

⁷ 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 W.P.A.; subsequently, from N.Y.A.

⁸ Average weekly number of persons employed on projects operated by W.P.A., and earnings covering all pay-roll periods ended during year. Beginning September 1938, for persons employed, and July 1939 for earnings, represents employment on Federal agency projects financed by transfer of W.P.A. funds. Data from W.P.A.

Average weekly number of persons employed during monthly period ended on 15th of pay-roll period in which pay-roll from emergency Federal funds other than those of C.W.P., C.C.C., N.Y.A. and W.P.A. earnings covering all pay-roll periods ending during year. For C.C.C., N.Y.A., and W.P.A., employment on projects financed from pay-roll periods other than pay-roll periods of Federal agency projects financed under W.P.A. 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 Administration, Bureau of Public Assistance; Social Security Yearbook, 1943.

No. 279.—SOCIAL INSURANCE AND RELATED PROGRAMS—BENEFICIARIES AND PAYMENTS: 1942 TO 1947

[Number of beneficiaries in thousands; payments in thousands of dollars. Corrected to Dec. 30, 1948]

PROGRAM	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Number of beneficiaries, December:						
Federal retirement, disability, and survivor programs: ¹						
Monthly retirement and disability benefits: ²						
Social Security Act ³	346.6	406.3	504.0	690.9	935.6	1,165.4
Railroad Retirement Act ⁴	154.9	159.0	163.4	172.9	185.0	211.6
Veterans' Administration.....	624.1	648.6	655.7	1,533.6	2,314.4	2,335.2
Civil Service Commission ⁵	72.8	76.8	83.9	92.5	106.5	121.9
Monthly survivor benefits:						
Social Security Act ⁶	251.7	341.5	450.8	597.3	706.7	812.5
Railroad Retirement Act.....	3.8	4.1	4.3	4.4	4.5	78.6
Veterans' Administration ⁷	315.9	322.7	372.7	697.5	849.4	936.7
Lump-sum death payments: ⁸						
Social Security Act.....	9.7	10.5	13.0	13.2	15.1	13.5
Railroad Retirement Act.....	1.2	1.2	1.4	1.3	.8	2.4
Veterans' Administration ⁹	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.8	6.0	7.8
Civil Service Commission.....	.6	1.4	1.4	.7	1.6	1.0
State unemployment insurance ¹⁰	192.6	64.4	74.9	1,318.9	747.3	679.0
Veterans' unemployment allowances ¹¹			16.8	495.0	987.9	482.9
R. R. Unemployment Insurance Act ¹²	3.3	.7	1.2	12.7	70.3	46.6
State and local retirement systems ¹³	171.0	182.6	105.5	208.0	224.0	240.0
Workmen's compensation (Federal and State)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)	(14)
State sickness insurance ¹⁰		4.1	4.5	4.4	6.4	22.5
Railroad sickness insurance ¹²						31.2
Refunds under Civil Service Commission	7.3	25.6	75.2	76.0	157.1	40.2
Veterans' self-employment allowances ¹¹			.8	21.1	155.4	75.5
Payments, total¹⁵	1,661,778	1,498,973	1,768,342	2,788,826	6,067,913	5,637,725
Federal retirement, disability, and survivor programs, total ¹	780,369	838,047	1,047,469	1,487,910	2,268,348	2,879,143
Monthly retirement and disability benefits: ²						
Social Security Act ³	80,305	97,257	119,009	157,391	230,285	299,830
Railroad Retirement Act ⁴	122,806	125,795	129,707	137,140	149,188	177,058
Veterans' Administration.....	325,255	331,350	456,279	697,830	1,268,984	1,676,029
Civil Service Commission ⁵	68,115	72,961	78,081	85,742	96,418	108,601
Monthly survivor benefits:						
Social Security Act ⁶	41,702	57,763	76,942	104,231	130,139	153,109
Railroad Retirement Act.....	1,003	1,704	1,765	1,772	1,817	19,283
Veterans' Administration ⁷	111,193	116,133	144,302	254,238	333,640	382,515
Lump-sum death payments: ⁸						
Social Security Act.....	15,038	17,890	22,146	26,135	27,267	29,517
Railroad Retirement Act.....	4,114	5,560	6,591	8,138	9,127	6,114
Veterans' Administration ⁹	4,120	4,350	4,784	5,049	7,491	13,270
Civil Service Commission.....	6,108	7,344	7,893	10,244	13,992	13,732
Federal and State unemployment insurance programs, total	350,352	80,560	67,080	563,180	2,626,686	1,587,915
State unemployment insurance ¹⁰	344,084	79,643	62,335	445,866	1,095,475	776,146
Veterans' unemployment allowances ¹¹			4,113	114,955	1,491,294	772,368
R. R. Unemployment Insurance Act ¹²	6,268	917	582	2,359	39,917	39,401
State and local retirement systems ¹³	194,000	210,000	218,000	228,000	240,000	275,000
Workmen's compensation (Federal and State) ¹⁷	330,700	356,700	388,500	412,400	437,100	484,800
State sickness insurance ¹⁰		2,857	5,035	4,669	4,761	22,024
Railroad sickness insurance ¹²						11,368
Refunds under Civil Service Commission	6,357	10,809	42,156	80,992	153,594	179,301
Veterans' self-employment allowances ¹¹			102	11,675	252,424	193,174

¹ See table 315 for data relating to systems covering Federal employees other than systems administered by Civil Service Commission.

² Old-age retirement benefits under all acts, disability retirement benefits under Railroad Retirement and Civil Service Retirement Acts, and disability payments to veterans.

³ Number of primary and supplementary (wife's and child's) benefits in current-payment status, and amounts certified, minus cancellations. Partly estimated.

⁴ Age and disability annuitants and pensioners. Payments represent amounts certified, minus cancellations.

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 January 24, 1942.

⁶ Widow's, widow's current, parent's, and child's benefits in current-payment status and amounts certified, minus cancellations. Partly estimated.

⁷ Number of widows, parents, and children of deceased veterans, and amount of payments.

⁸ Number of decedents on whose account lump-sum payments were certified, and amount of payments.

⁹ Payments for burial of deceased veterans.

¹⁰ Average weekly number. Amounts adjusted for voided benefit checks. State sickness insurance in Rhode Island and California. Excludes benefits under voluntary plans in California.

¹¹ Under Servicemen's Readjustment Act, effective September 1944. Beneficiaries of unemployment allowances represent average weekly number; of self-employment allowances, number during month.

¹² Average number of persons receiving benefits in a 14-day registration period. Amounts adjusted for underpayments and recoveries of overpayments.

¹³ Beneficiaries as of June. Payments include lump-sum survivor benefits and refunds. Data estimated; for 1947, preliminary.

¹⁴ Includes refunds to civilian employees of War Department during July-December 1945; number and amount not available.

¹⁵ Data represent payments to individuals and exclude cost of administration.

¹⁷ Data estimated. Includes payments for medical care.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Division of Research and Statistics. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 280.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—EMPLOYEE ACCOUNTS ESTABLISHED, WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS, AND AMOUNT OF TAXABLE WAGES; ALL WORKERS EMPLOYED IN COVERED INDUSTRIES AND AMOUNT OF TOTAL WAGES: 1937 TO 1948

[Data corrected to February 1, 1949]

CALENDAR YEAR OR QUARTER	Employee accounts established (thousands) ¹	Workers with wage credits during period (thousands) ²	TAXABLE WAGES ³		All workers employed in covered industries during period (thousands) ⁴	TOTAL WAGES IN COVERED INDUSTRIES ⁵	
			Total (millions)	Average per worker		Total (millions)	Average per worker
1937-----	6 37,139	32,004	\$29,615	\$900	32,004	\$32,770	\$996
1938-----	6,304	31,822	26,502	833	31,822	29,026	912
1939-----	5,555	33,751	29,745	881	33,751	32,222	955
1940-----	5,227	35,393	32,974	932	35,393	35,668	1,008
1941-----	6,678	40,976	41,848	1,021	40,976	45,463	1,110
1942-----	7,638	46,363	52,939	1,142	46,363	58,219	1,266
1943-----	7,426	47,656	62,423	1,310	47,656	69,653	1,462
1944-----	4,537	46,206	64,426	1,392	46,206	73,349	1,584
1945-----	3,321	46,392	62,945	1,357	46,392	71,560	1,543
1946-----	3,022	49,096	69,088	1,407	49,096	79,260	1,614
1947 ⁷ -----	2,728	49,200	78,360	1,593	49,200	92,600	1,882
1948 ⁷ -----	2,720	50,000	86,000	1,720	50,000	102,000	2,040
1947 ⁷							
January-March-----	509	38,765	20,805	537	38,765	21,500	555
April-June-----	754	39,900	20,655	518	40,200	22,300	555
July-September-----	811	40,000	19,500	488	40,900	23,000	562
October-December-----	655	37,700	17,400	462	41,100	25,800	628
1948 ⁷							
January-March-----	473	40,000	23,300	583	40,000	24,200	605
April-June-----	759	40,800	23,000	564	41,100	24,900	606
July-September-----	858	41,000	21,300	520	42,400	25,400	599

¹ Exclude 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 Unadjusted 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 Partly estimated; adjusted for workers having more than 1 account. Quarterly data adjusted for workers employed during quarter but not reported after quarter in which they received their first \$3,000 in year.

⁵ Includes all wages in covered industries of workers earning over \$3,000 a year.

⁶ Includes 17,202,000 accounts established in 1936.

⁷ Preliminary estimate, except employee accounts established.

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

No. 281.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS CERTIFIED: 1939 TO 1947

[In thousands. Data corrected to Dec. 1, 1948]

TYPE	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Total payments-----	\$13,896	\$40,595	\$93,923	\$137,045	\$172,849	\$218,097	\$287,757	\$387,691	\$482,457
Payments under 1939 and 1946 amendments:									
Monthly benefits, total ¹ -----		28,359	80,595	122,007	155,019	195,951	261,622	360,424	452,939
Primary-----		18,140	46,998	68,320	82,779	101,285	133,768	196,078	255,202
Wife's-----		2,392	7,038	10,645	13,216	16,454	21,935	32,011	41,523
Child's-----		4,719	14,671	23,414	31,639	41,928	56,077	69,419	81,591
Widow's-----		541	2,747	5,784	9,721	14,617	20,883	28,642	37,677
Widow's current-----		2,981	8,865	13,400	16,759	21,017	28,005	33,119	35,315
Parent's-----		85	277	445	605	751	964	1,155	1,632
Lump-sum ² -----		8,905	13,149	14,959	17,798	22,124	26,115	27,251	29,511
Lump-sum payments under 1935 act ³ -----	13,896	2,831	180	79	32	22	19	16	6

¹ Distribution by type estimated. Monthly benefits certified do not represent annual or monthly benefits in current-payment status. Data for 1941-47 include retroactive payments.

² Payable with respect to workers who died after December 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 January 1940; payable prior to Aug. 10, 1939, to workers upon attainment of age 65.

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

No. 282.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF MONTHLY BENEFITS, BY TYPE: 1943 TO 1948

[Amounts in thousands. Data corrected to Jan. 17, 1949]

YEAR	Total	Primary	Wife's	Child's	Widow's	Widow's current	Parent's
IN FORCE, END OF YEAR ¹							
Number:							
1943.....	885,303	370,268	100,350	250,601	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	167,999	6,303
1946.....	1,868,358	822,113	245,733	491,213	129,260	172,551	7,488
1947.....	2,259,549	1,033,357	309,350	555,839	167,105	183,763	10,135
1948.....	2,639,086	1,234,181	369,491	614,272	213,773	195,338	12,031
Amount:							
1943.....	\$16,143	\$8,933	\$1,355	\$3,081	\$945	\$1,877	\$53
1944.....	20,445	10,855	1,696	4,005	1,302	2,431	60
1945.....	27,394	14,744	2,314	5,194	1,926	3,133	82
1946.....	35,783	20,250	3,194	6,166	2,612	3,468	98
1947.....	44,461	25,969	4,096	7,005	3,406	3,759	130
1948.....	63,287	31,676	5,000	7,976	4,399	4,072	104
CURRENT-PAYMENT STATUS, END OF YEAR ²							
Number:							
1943.....	747,816	306,161	92,174	229,230	46,133	70,171	3,947
1944.....	954,881	378,471	115,630	298,103	67,806	89,927	4,633
1945.....	1,288,107	518,234	159,168	390,134	93,781	120,581	6,209
1946.....	1,642,299	701,705	215,984	461,786	127,046	128,410	7,398
1947.....	1,078,245	874,724	269,174	524,783	164,309	135,229	10,026
1948.....	2,314,557	1,047,985	320,928	581,265	210,253	142,223	11,903
Amount:							
1943.....	\$13,510	\$7,171	\$1,151	\$2,822	\$930	\$1,384	\$52
1944.....	17,344	8,980	1,460	3,691	1,367	1,781	65
1945.....	23,801	12,538	2,040	4,853	1,893	2,391	81
1946.....	31,081	17,230	2,805	5,804	2,568	2,577	97
1947.....	38,277	21,779	3,545	6,702	3,352	2,764	135
1948.....	45,872	26,564	4,307	7,549	4,331	2,959	162
AWARDS DURING YEAR							
Number:							
1943.....	262,865	89,070	31,916	85,619	19,576	35,420	1,204
1944.....	318,949	110,097	40,349	99,676	24,759	42,049	1,419
1945.....	462,463	185,174	63,068	127,514	29,844	55,108	1,765
1946.....	547,150	258,980	88,515	114,875	38,823	44,190	1,707
1947.....	672,909	271,488	94,189	115,754	45,249	42,807	3,422
1948.....	696,205	275,911	98,557	118,950	55,663	44,276	2,848
Amount:							
1943.....	\$4,778	\$2,183	\$409	\$1,070	\$394	\$705	\$17
1944.....	5,852	2,709	518	1,258	498	852	10
1945.....	8,805	4,650	822	1,614	602	1,094	23
1946.....	10,972	6,584	1,172	1,493	785	914	24
1947.....	11,881	7,114	1,282	1,570	939	928	48
1948.....	12,748	7,489	1,392	1,667	1,171	980	41
ENTITLEMENTS TERMINATED DURING YEAR ³							
Number:							
1943.....	69,089	23,286	11,394	20,648	1,666	11,799	206
1944.....	87,770	28,957	14,263	26,433	2,592	15,119	406
1945.....	109,353	34,740	17,250	33,578	3,404	19,834	478
1946.....	148,474	47,709	24,027	41,532	4,986	29,638	682
1947.....	181,718	60,244	30,572	51,128	7,404	31,695	775
1948.....	216,668	75,087	38,416	60,517	8,995	32,701	952
Amount:							
1943.....	\$1,209	\$549	\$140	\$255	\$33	\$228	\$4
1944.....	1,550	687	176	333	51	297	5
1945.....	1,859	760	204	425	68	392	6
1946.....	2,584	1,078	293	522	98	585	8
1947.....	3,203	1,395	380	641	145	632	10
1948.....	3,923	1,781	488	785	178	677	13

¹ Total benefits awarded after adjustment for terminations and subsequent changes in number and amount of benefits, cumulative beginning January 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. Benefit is terminated when a beneficiary dies or loses entitlement to a benefit for some other reason. Adjustments result from operation of maximum and minimum provisions, recomputations, and from other administrative actions.

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

No. 283.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—ESTIMATED NUMBER OF EMPLOYERS, PAY PERIOD EMPLOYMENT AND AMOUNT OF TAXABLE WAGES, BY SIZE OF FIRM, FOR SELECTED PERIODS: 1938 TO 1947

[Corrected to January 31, 1949]

SIZE OF FIRM ¹	1938 Jan.-Mar.	1939 July-Sept.	1940 July-Sept.	1942 July-Sept.	1945 Jan.-Mar.	1946 Jan.-Mar.	1947 Jan.-Mar. ²
EMPLOYERS (thousands)³							
Total	1,886.0	2,065.0	2,167.0	2,119.0	2,001.0	2,280.0	2,487.0
0.....	30.5	33.4	31.9	36.6	23.3	20.2	40.5
1-3.....	1,132.6	1,213.3	1,235.2	1,237.2	1,174.3	1,288.0	1,416.5
4-7.....	364.4	411.4	447.9	402.4	404.0	482.1	519.3
8-19.....	204.0	232.8	259.8	222.4	233.4	283.3	314.6
20-49.....	90.0	104.2	115.6	95.7	100.5	115.9	121.5
50-99.....	30.1	35.7	39.3	34.4	34.0	38.1	39.6
100-999.....	26.6	32.1	35.0	36.9	28.7	30.8	32.1
100-499.....	23.9	28.8	31.4	(4)	25.6	27.7	28.8
500-999.....	2.7	3.3	3.6	(4)	3.2	3.1	3.3
1,000 or more.....	1.9	2.2	2.4	3.3	2.8	2.7	3.0
1,000-9,999.....	1.8	2.0	2.2	(4)	2.6	2.5	2.8
10,000 or more.....	.1	.1	.1	(4)	.2	.2	.2
EMPLOYEES (thousands)⁵							
Total	23,288	26,794	28,916	34,178	32,803	32,483	34,976
0.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1-3.....	1,815	1,902	1,905	2,126	1,949	2,194	2,373
4-7.....	1,808	1,967	2,087	2,020	2,078	2,507	2,641
8-19.....	2,346	2,571	2,784	2,503	2,759	3,496	3,692
20-49.....	2,609	2,918	3,142	2,825	3,018	3,483	3,588
50-99.....	1,994	2,281	2,435	2,287	2,322	2,611	2,670
100-999.....	6,355	7,425	7,872	9,350	7,502	7,738	8,023
100-499.....	4,572	5,341	5,666	(4)	5,269	5,581	5,761
500-999.....	1,783	2,085	2,206	(4)	2,233	2,157	2,262
1,000 or more.....	6,361	7,729	8,691	13,002	13,177	10,454	11,989
1,000-9,999.....	4,060	4,783	5,220	(4)	6,554	6,183	6,788
10,000 or more.....	2,301	2,946	3,470	(4)	6,623	4,270	5,201
TAXABLE WAGES (millions)⁶							
Total	\$6,580	\$7,445	\$8,222	\$13,786	\$17,938	\$16,840	\$20,805
0.....	14	15	15	26	23	18	28
1-3.....	388	385	390	538	662	779	950
4-7.....	437	444	477	587	793	1,010	1,102
8-19.....	610	642	698	871	1,148	1,614	1,915
20-49.....	727	783	831	1,019	1,408	1,800	2,086
50-99.....	555	594	651	840	1,165	1,886	1,695
100-999.....	1,807	1,958	2,174	3,690	3,981	4,181	4,972
100-499.....	1,276	1,388	1,533	(4)	2,740	2,992	3,335
500-999.....	531	570	641	(4)	1,242	1,190	1,437
1,000 or more.....	2,042	2,644	2,986	6,315	8,759	6,052	8,067
1,000-9,999.....	1,327	1,644	1,710	(4)	4,043	3,670	4,539
10,000 or more.....	715	1,079	1,276	(4)	4,715	2,483	3,529

¹ As measured by number of persons employed during specified pay period, namely last pay period in March 1938 and September 1939-42, and mid-March pay period in 1945-47.

² Preliminary.

³ An employer is a legal entity, such as a corporation, partnership or single ownership, for which a single tax return is filed. Data cover those employers paying taxable wages for covered employment during specified period.

⁴ Data not available.

⁵ Persons employed during pay period specified in footnote 1.

⁶ Wages paid by employers for covered employment during specified period, excluding wages over \$3,000 paid by any one employer to any one worker in a calendar year.

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

No. 284.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—NUMBER AND MONTHLY AMOUNT OF BENEFITS IN CURRENT-PAYMENT STATUS AND AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS CERTIFIED, BY STATE: 1947

[In thousands. Distribution by State estimated. Data corrected to Mar. 19, 1948]

STATE	BENEFITS IN CURRENT-PAYMENT STATUS, DEC. 31, 1947		AMOUNT OF PAYMENTS CERTIFIED IN 1947				Number of lump-sum payments certified in 1947 ⁴	
	Number	Monthly amount	Total ¹	Monthly benefits ²				Lump-sum payments ³
				Primary	Supplementary	Survivor		
Total	1,978.2	\$38,277	\$482,457.	\$255,202	\$44,628	\$153,109	\$29,511	218.8
Alabama.....	28.3	444	5,590	2,383	373	2,494	340	2.0
Arizona.....	6.6	119	1,498	695	102	629	72	.5
Arkansas.....	14.0	206	2,575	1,228	194	1,016	138	1.3
California.....	145.9	3,030	37,144	22,150	3,606	9,236	2,152	14.8
Colorado.....	14.5	275	3,463	1,888	330	1,042	203	1.5
Connecticut.....	39.0	852	10,712	6,010	1,113	2,971	618	4.4
Delaware.....	5.1	106	1,316	735	135	367	79	.5
District of Columbia.....	7.6	148	1,925	1,001	149	631	144	1.1
Florida.....	35.9	680	7,751	4,517	770	2,074	390	3.1
Georgia.....	28.3	418	5,319	2,215	345	2,383	376	3.3
Idaho.....	5.2	92	1,153	621	94	372	66	.5
Illinois.....	123.0	2,506	32,429	16,981	3,013	9,938	2,497	13.0
Indiana.....	55.9	1,000	13,360	7,083	1,305	4,196	776	5.3
Iowa.....	25.3	446	5,044	3,004	581	1,728	331	2.6
Kansas.....	19.5	347	4,147	2,313	419	1,210	205	1.8
Kentucky.....	30.6	497	6,377	2,812	469	2,752	344	2.9
Louisiana.....	22.1	353	4,565	1,972	284	1,990	313	2.7
Maine.....	18.0	333	4,150	2,419	427	1,117	187	1.5
Maryland.....	28.5	544	6,922	3,431	668	2,472	451	3.3
Massachusetts.....	97.1	2,029	25,422	14,473	2,654	6,897	1,398	10.0
Michigan.....	88.0	1,780	22,638	11,176	2,079	7,932	1,451	9.9
Minnesota.....	30.0	581	7,378	3,957	725	2,262	434	3.5
Mississippi.....	11.3	154	2,019	617	126	925	161	1.4
Missouri.....	47.6	896	11,405	6,207	1,088	3,356	754	5.6
Montana.....	6.2	119	1,528	809	124	502	93	.8
Nebraska.....	10.7	189	2,325	1,263	225	687	160	1.3
Nevada.....	1.6	32	417	236	26	116	39	.3
New Hampshire.....	10.6	200	2,549	1,468	263	651	137	1.1
New Jersey.....	83.7	1,797	22,497	12,243	2,253	6,626	1,375	9.3
New Mexico.....	3.7	58	755	280	40	379	56	.4
New York.....	236.3	4,852	61,293	33,846	5,822	17,653	3,973	28.5
North Carolina.....	32.4	477	6,133	2,439	382	2,920	392	3.3
North Dakota.....	2.5	43	557	274	44	197	42	.3
Ohio.....	129.1	2,622	33,313	17,646	3,355	10,212	2,161	14.9
Oklahoma.....	18.4	317	3,921	1,896	309	1,492	224	1.7
Oregon.....	25.8	512	6,302	3,948	634	1,410	310	2.3
Pennsylvania.....	195.3	3,924	49,349	25,917	4,699	16,101	2,632	19.0
Rhode Island.....	17.0	348	4,400	2,546	466	1,136	252	2.0
South Carolina.....	17.0	237	3,098	1,148	176	1,518	261	2.3
South Dakota.....	3.4	59	772	368	72	274	58	.5
Tennessee.....	27.1	417	5,342	2,225	339	2,412	366	3.1
Texas.....	56.4	927	11,939	5,160	815	5,086	878	6.9
Utah.....	7.1	129	1,631	730	137	680	84	.7
Vermont.....	5.8	108	1,349	758	139	402	50	.4
Virginia.....	32.0	534	6,822	3,027	484	2,871	440	3.7
Washington.....	39.3	825	10,031	6,357	1,010	2,184	480	3.5
West Virginia.....	30.4	534	6,691	2,811	463	3,134	283	2.1
Wisconsin.....	44.1	866	10,945	5,825	1,125	3,318	677	5.0
Wyoming.....	2.3	45	558	312	41	173	32	.2
Alaska.....	.8	14	183	105	5	57	16	.1
Hawaii.....	4.9	85	1,064	557	58	400	39	.4
Foreign.....	5.8	119	1,798	897	174	522	205	1.6

¹ Includes \$6,000 certified in lump-sum payments under 1935 act; distribution by State not available.

² Distribution by type estimated. Supplementary benefits are paid to entitled wives and children of retired (primary) beneficiaries. Survivor benefits are paid to the following survivors of deceased insured workers: Aged widows, children, younger widows with child beneficiaries in their care, or dependent aged parents.

³ Payable with respect to workers who died after December 1939, if no survivor could be entitled to monthly benefits for month in which worker died. For lump-sum payments under 1935 act, see footnote 1.

⁴ Exceeds number of deceased workers with respect to whose wage records payments were certified.

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

No. 285.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—ESTIMATED AVERAGE WAGE CREDITS AND PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS BY SPECIFIED CHARACTERISTIC: 1944, 1945, AND 1946

[Data corrected to Dec. 1, 1948]

CHARACTERISTIC	1944	1945	1946	CHARACTERISTIC	1944	1945	1946
AVERAGE WAGE CREDITS ¹				PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF WORKERS—continued			
Total.....	\$1,369	\$1,328	\$1,387	Age group ²	100.0	100.0	100.0
White ²	1,422	1,375	1,437	Under 20.....	14.9	13.6	11.5
Negro.....	873	887	904	20-24.....	12.3	12.7	15.3
Male.....	1,681	1,591	1,624	25-29.....	11.4	12.0	13.9
White ²	1,749	1,647	1,684	30-34.....	11.7	11.8	12.4
Negro.....	1,075	1,082	1,062	35-39.....	11.2	11.4	11.1
Female.....	887	895	928	40-44.....	10.4	10.0	9.6
White ²	923	931	963	45-49.....	8.6	8.8	7.9
Negro.....	527	547	562	50-54.....	7.1	7.1	6.7
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF WORKERS				55-59.....	5.5	5.6	5.1
Total.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	60-64.....	3.8	3.8	3.7
White ²	90.3	90.3	90.6	65 and over.....	3.1	3.3	3.1
Negro.....	9.7	9.7	9.4	Amount of wage credits	100.0	100.0	100.0
Male.....	60.7	62.1	66.0	\$1-\$199.....	17.9	18.7	15.9
White ²	54.6	56.0	59.6	\$200-\$399.....	8.9	9.8	9.1
Negro.....	6.1	6.1	6.4	\$400-\$599.....	6.6	6.9	6.8
Female.....	39.3	37.9	34.0	\$600-\$799.....	5.6	5.5	5.3
White ²	35.7	34.3	31.0	\$800-\$999.....	5.2	5.0	5.2
Negro.....	3.6	3.5	3.0	\$1,000-\$1,199.....	5.2	5.1	5.1
				\$1,200-\$1,399.....	5.2	5.2	5.2
				\$1,400-\$1,599.....	4.8	5.0	5.3
				\$1,600-\$1,799.....	4.3	4.5	5.1
				\$1,800-\$1,999.....	4.1	4.2	5.0
				\$2,000-\$2,199.....	3.8	3.8	4.5
				\$2,200-\$2,399.....	3.5	3.5	4.1
				\$2,400-\$2,599.....	3.3	3.2	3.6
				\$2,600-\$2,799.....	3.1	3.0	3.2
				\$2,800-\$2,999.....	3.0	2.8	2.7
				\$3,000.....	15.5	13.7	13.3

¹ Wage credits exclude wages over \$3,000, since they are not used in benefit computations.

² Represents all races other than Negro. ³ Age at birthday in specified year.

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

No. 286.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS, BY AMOUNT OF SUCH WAGE CREDITS AND NUMBER OF QUARTERS WITH WAGE CREDITS: 1946

AMOUNT OF WAGE CREDITS	WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS IN 1946				
	Total	With wage credits in—			
		1 quarter only	2 quarters only	3 quarters only	4 quarters
Estimated number, total (thousands).....	49,096	17,200	16,900	16,800	128,300
Percentage distribution, total.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1-\$199.....	15.9	74.1	27.5	6.8	1.5
\$200-\$399.....	9.1	17.9	26.9	13.4	5.5
\$400-\$599.....	6.8	5.1	18.6	14.1	2.6
\$600-\$799.....	5.8	1.6	11.8	13.8	3.4
\$800-\$999.....	5.2	.5	6.6	12.2	4.4
\$1,000-\$1,199.....	5.1	.2	3.6	10.2	5.5
\$1,200-\$1,399.....	5.2	.2	2.0	7.9	6.7
\$1,400-\$1,599.....	5.3	.1	1.1	6.0	7.5
\$1,600-\$1,799.....	5.1	.1	.6	4.5	7.6
\$1,800-\$1,999.....	5.0	.1	.4	3.5	7.7
\$2,000-\$2,199.....	4.5	(2)	.2	2.4	7.1
\$2,200-\$2,399.....	4.1	(2)	.2	1.7	6.6
\$2,400-\$2,599.....	3.6	(2)	.1	1.1	6.0
\$2,600-\$2,799.....	3.2	(2)	.1	.8	5.4
\$2,800-\$2,999.....	2.7	(2)	.1	.7	4.6
\$3,000.....	13.3	.1	.2	1.0	22.8

¹ Preliminary estimate. ² Less than 0.05 percent.

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

No. 287.—OLD-AGE AND SURVIVORS INSURANCE—SAMPLE (1 PERCENT) OF WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS AT SOME TIME IN 1937-46, BY CUMULATIVE WAGE CREDITS IN 1937-46, INSURANCE STATUS JANUARY 1, 1947, AND AGE GROUP

[1-percent sample of all workers with wage credits identified for posting by July 1947; only partly adjusted for duplication of workers with more than 1 account. Includes workers who died during period 1937-46 and workers who became entitled to primary insurance benefits before January 1, 1947. Age represents age at birthday in 1946. Since data are derived from a sample they are subject to a sampling variation which may be large where figures shown are small. Because of mechanical processes and extent of adjustments for delayed wage records, data may differ slightly from corresponding data in other published tables. Data corrected to February 1, 1949]

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	786,598	72,538	114,961	215,700	157,425	111,496	40,374	30,463	36,942
\$1-\$99.....	75,740	14,453	10,174	17,533	10,896	8,391	3,130	2,498	3,861
\$100-\$299.....	63,579	14,112	11,197	14,797	9,162	6,548	2,449	1,921	2,777
\$300-\$599.....	53,836	12,288	11,767	14,150	8,384	5,730	2,176	1,645	2,473
\$600-\$999.....	54,493	10,011	12,177	13,573	7,716	5,166	1,869	1,576	2,236
\$1,000-\$1,999.....	90,787	12,400	21,469	25,463	13,046	8,698	3,188	2,425	3,896
\$2,000-\$2,999.....	62,858	5,378	14,593	19,598	9,771	6,397	2,356	1,828	2,801
\$3,000-\$5,999.....	120,440	3,667	23,510	41,330	22,218	14,601	5,244	4,040	5,578
\$6,000-\$8,999.....	71,602	214	7,744	25,722	16,509	10,680	3,835	3,060	3,797
\$9,000-\$11,999.....	49,749	8	1,888	16,498	13,404	8,751	3,073	2,466	2,506
\$12,000-\$14,999.....	36,619	2	401	10,749	11,373	7,482	2,621	1,994	1,965
\$15,000-\$17,999.....	29,849	2	45	7,277	9,828	6,804	2,474	1,816	1,520
\$18,000-\$23,999.....	46,926	2	6	7,976	16,919	12,420	4,526	2,998	2,057
\$24,000-\$29,999.....	21,411	1	(³)	1,009	7,327	7,805	2,623	1,630	1,015
\$30,000 and over.....	4,609	(³)	(³)	25	872	1,963	810	566	370
Fully insured	367,725	21,773	64,712	98,096	74,547	53,691	19,271	14,153	21,194
\$300-\$599.....	503	237	157	8	(³)	2	2	1	96
\$600-\$999.....	6,111	2,878	2,645	113	14	11	11	8	431
\$1,000-\$1,999.....	28,796	9,554	14,703	2,474	114	109	80	68	1,685
\$2,000-\$2,999.....	27,787	5,226	13,725	5,884	474	397	183	173	1,716
\$3,000-\$5,999.....	69,450	3,649	23,890	25,081	6,273	3,954	1,489	1,183	4,350
\$6,000-\$8,999.....	54,397	214	7,743	22,108	10,618	6,163	2,186	1,823	3,406
\$9,000-\$11,999.....	42,771	8	1,888	15,546	11,298	7,006	2,431	2,013	2,533
\$12,000-\$14,999.....	35,285	2	401	10,600	10,855	7,063	2,483	1,898	1,963
\$15,000-\$17,999.....	29,789	2	45	7,274	9,797	6,820	2,454	1,806	1,519
\$18,000-\$23,999.....	46,882	2	6	7,975	16,910	12,404	4,520	2,991	2,052
\$24,000-\$29,999.....	21,400	1	(³)	1,008	7,325	7,801	2,622	1,629	1,013
\$30,000 and over.....	4,603	(³)	(³)	25	869	1,961	810	565	370
Currently insured only	65,172	(⁴)	81	15,606	20,567	16,478	5,994	4,539	1,750
\$300-\$599.....	84	(⁴)	1	24	23	14	9	7	6
\$600-\$999.....	998	(⁴)	9	291	244	241	82	68	62
\$1,000-\$1,999.....	8,205	(⁴)	28	2,578	2,261	1,820	631	495	333
\$2,000-\$2,999.....	11,219	(⁴)	34	3,197	3,807	2,585	974	722	384
\$3,000-\$5,999.....	26,242	(⁴)	9	6,383	8,372	6,572	2,347	1,820	667
\$6,000-\$8,999.....	12,308	(⁴)	(³)	2,214	4,141	3,436	1,283	956	246
\$9,000-\$11,999.....	4,926	(⁴)	(³)	778	1,714	1,451	545	379	44
\$12,000 and over.....	1,190	(⁴)	(³)	141	475	359	123	83	8
Uninsured	353,701	50,765	50,168	101,998	62,311	41,327	15,109	11,766	13,998
\$1-\$99.....	75,740	14,453	10,174	17,533	10,896	8,391	3,130	2,498	3,861
\$100-\$299.....	63,579	14,112	11,197	14,797	9,162	6,548	2,449	1,921	2,777
\$300-\$599.....	58,249	12,051	11,609	14,118	8,361	5,714	2,165	1,637	2,371
\$600-\$999.....	47,384	7,133	9,523	13,169	7,458	4,914	1,776	1,500	1,743
\$1,000-\$1,999.....	53,796	2,846	6,718	20,411	10,641	6,769	2,477	1,862	1,878
\$2,000-\$2,999.....	23,852	152	844	10,517	5,990	3,415	1,199	933	701
\$3,000-\$5,999.....	24,743	(³)	18	9,866	7,673	4,075	1,408	1,028	562
\$6,000-\$8,999.....	4,987	(³)	1	1,400	1,750	1,081	366	281	85
\$9,000-\$11,999.....	1,052	(³)	(³)	174	392	294	97	74	19
\$12,000 and over.....	314	(³)	(³)	13	88	126	42	32	11

¹ A worker who is fully insured as of a given date (in this table, Jan. 1, 1947) 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 quarter in which he attained age 21, whichever is later, and up to but excluding quarter in which he died, attained age 65, or given date, whichever first occurred. A worker who is currently insured as of a given date is one who has had at least 6 quarters of coverage during the period consisting of the quarter of the date, or the quarter in which he died, and the 12 quarters immediately preceding such quarter. Uninsured workers are those who have some wage credits but are neither fully nor currently insured as of 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 6,699 workers of unreported age not shown separately, of whom 283 were fully insured, 157 currently insured only, and 6,259 uninsured. Total excludes 24 workers for whom information was incomplete with respect to the characteristics reported in this table.

³ No workers in sample cell.

⁴ Inapplicable under provisions of Social Security Act.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Old-Age and Survivors Insurance; official records.

No. 288.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS, AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT, AND TOTAL WAGES IN EMPLOYMENT COVERED BY STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE LAWS, BY STATES AND TERRITORIES: 1946 AND 1947

[In thousands. Corrected to March 31, 1949]

STATE AND TERRITORY	1947 minimum coverage provisions for size of firm ¹	WORKERS WITH WAGE CREDITS ²		AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT ³		WAGES ⁴	
		1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947
Total		45,500	45,600	30,234	32,268	\$73,402,152	\$86,659,987
Alabama	8 in 20 weeks	681	741	380	416	712,471	893,450
Arizona	3 in 20 weeks	213	220	88	101	208,511	262,768
Arkansas	1 in 10 days	395	415	197	212	322,444	384,788
California	1 at any time ⁵	4,224	4,350	2,324	2,455	6,485,030	7,526,224
Colorado	8 in 20 weeks	360	360	175	192	392,797	484,038
Connecticut	4 in 13 weeks	900	927	593	638	1,549,027	1,790,464
Delaware	1 in 20 weeks	160	168	83	89	205,226	241,446
District of Columbia	1 at any time	369	394	210	216	487,200	551,402
Florida	8 in 20 weeks ⁶	782	824	355	379	736,859	866,157
Georgia	8 in 20 weeks	872	898	486	509	893,670	1,048,424
Idaho	1 at any time ⁷	199	174	81	87	167,077	204,164
Illinois	6 in 20 weeks	3,550	3,506	2,233	2,375	5,919,328	7,024,543
Indiana	8 in 20 weeks	1,295	1,400	803	885	1,953,809	2,424,966
Iowa	8 in 15 weeks	525	591	310	333	647,718	806,237
Kansas	8 in 20 weeks ⁸	407	419	209	227	462,302	557,751
Kentucky	4 in 3 quarters ⁹	587	564	334	366	687,205	848,924
Louisiana	4 in 20 weeks	717	750	380	424	758,534	947,378
Maine	8 in 20 weeks	270	281	167	176	355,459	408,723
Maryland	1 at any time	870	905	521	551	1,154,545	1,335,322
Massachusetts	1 in 20 weeks	2,130	2,150	1,414	1,452	3,253,478	3,646,771
Michigan	8 in 20 weeks	2,254	2,370	1,431	1,574	3,976,168	4,824,762
Minnesota	1 in 20 weeks ¹⁰	808	811	503	539	1,109,878	1,332,255
Mississippi	8 in 20 weeks	346	359	168	178	279,632	323,760
Missouri	do	1,201	1,169	722	762	1,628,575	1,920,696
Montana	1 in 20 weeks ¹¹	181	195	83	92	173,065	217,800
Nebraska	8 in 20 weeks ¹²	278	274	144	156	304,948	367,803
Nevada	1 at any time ¹³	99	100	37	37	96,557	107,913
New Hampshire	4 in 20 weeks	200	202	126	131	255,464	294,942
New Jersey	do	1,881	1,980	1,222	1,281	3,243,368	3,694,993
New Mexico	2 in 13 weeks ¹⁴	176	188	72	82	144,831	184,228
New York	4 in 15 days	6,000	6,250	4,105	4,294	11,445,913	13,031,683
North Carolina	8 in 20 weeks	1,000	994	585	623	1,053,702	1,257,665
North Dakota	do	77	78	35	39	70,909	90,165
Ohio	3 in 1 day	3,208	3,370	2,016	2,176	5,077,440	6,087,160
Oklahoma	8 in 20 weeks	504	525	238	255	536,054	636,882
Oregon	4 in 1 day ¹⁵	530	524	284	307	708,826	864,446
Pennsylvania	1 at any time	4,240	3,922	2,826	3,033	6,489,559	7,734,182
Rhode Island	4 in 20 weeks	347	340	231	238	530,022	595,489
South Carolina	8 in 20 weeks	491	491	279	301	473,028	585,091
South Dakota	do	85	82	43	48	83,868	107,051
Tennessee	do	769	804	462	491	908,393	1,061,662
Texas	do	2,025	2,053	1,016	1,100	2,211,474	2,676,960
Utah	1 at any time ¹⁶	205	210	106	121	229,080	289,126
Vermont	8 in 20 weeks	106	107	61	64	127,932	146,219
Virginia	do	960	870	451	485	904,821	1,081,692
Washington	1 at any time	858	823	480	505	1,196,147	1,408,300
West Virginia	8 in 20 weeks	559	564	347	378	833,306	1,061,329
Wisconsin	6 in 18 weeks ¹⁷	1,056	1,140	668	721	1,598,112	1,934,686
Wyoming	1 at any time ¹⁸	103	109	46	51	100,904	125,834
Alaska	1 at any time	43	65	18	26	53,723	104,840
Hawaii	do	140	170	86	97	203,154	256,424

¹ Employer becomes subject to State unemployment insurance law when he has employed specified minimum number of workers on at least 1 day in each of specified number of weeks within current or preceding calendar year; coverage provisions shown are in effect for 1946 and 1947.

² Estimated number of different workers in each State who have earned wages in covered employment sometime during calendar year. Totals adjusted to eliminate duplication due to shifting of workers between States during year.

³ Average of 12 monthly figures each of which is total of number of workers in covered employment in pay period of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ending nearest 15th of month.

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

⁵ And wages of \$100 in a calendar quarter.

⁶ Or wages of \$5,000 in a calendar quarter of the current or preceding calendar year.

⁷ And wages of \$78 in a calendar quarter. ⁸ Or 25 in 1 week.

⁹ Wages of at least \$50 to each of at least 4 workers during each of 3 calendar quarters.

¹⁰ But 8 in 20 weeks for employers located outside the corporate limits of a city, village, or borough of 10,000 or more population. ¹¹ Or wages of \$500 in a calendar year. ¹² Or wages of \$10,000 in a calendar year.

¹³ And wages of \$225 in a calendar quarter. ¹⁴ Or wages of \$450 in a calendar quarter.

¹⁵ And wages of \$500 in same calendar quarter.

¹⁶ And wages of \$140 in a calendar quarter.

¹⁷ Or wages of \$6,000 in preceding calendar year. Includes employers with wages of \$10,000 in a calendar quarter toward which not more than \$1,000 per employee need be counted.

¹⁸ And wages of \$500 in a calendar year.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

No. 289.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL WAGES
IN EMPLOYMENT COVERED BY STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE LAWS, BY MAJOR
INDUSTRY GROUP: 1946

[In thousands. Data corrected to March 31, 1949]

INDUSTRY DIVISION AND MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT		WAGES	
	Number of workers ¹	Percent of total, all industries	Amount ²	Percent of total, all industries
Total, all industries	30,234	100.0	\$73,402,152	100.0
Mining, total	843	2.8	2,318,960	3.2
Metal mining.....	88	.3	232,875	.3
Anthracite mining.....	81	.2	237,078	.3
Bituminous and other soft-coal mining.....	386	1.3	1,056,927	1.5
Crude-petroleum and natural-gas production.....	203	.7	586,579	.8
Nonmetallic mining and quarrying.....	85	.3	205,501	.3
Contract construction, total	1,505	5.0	3,979,375	5.4
Building construction—general contractors.....	604	2.0	1,517,629	2.0
General contractors, other than building.....	294	1.0	783,500	1.1
Construction—special-trade contractors.....	607	2.0	1,678,246	2.3
Manufacturing, total	14,350	47.5	36,177,822	49.3
Ordnance and accessories.....	27	.1	76,898	.1
Food and kindred products.....	1,490	4.9	3,570,748	4.9
Tobacco manufactures.....	101	.3	182,903	.3
Textile-mill products.....	1,311	4.3	2,694,178	3.7
Apparel and other finished products made from fabrics and similar materials.....	1,102	3.7	2,410,721	3.3
Lumber and timber basic products.....	568	1.9	1,030,904	1.4
Furniture and finished lumber products.....	480	1.6	1,049,103	1.4
Paper and allied products.....	448	1.5	1,135,235	1.5
Printing, publishing, and allied industries.....	634	2.1	1,848,943	2.5
Chemicals and allied products.....	699	2.3	1,935,158	2.6
Products of petroleum and coal.....	219	.7	696,117	1.0
Rubber products.....	265	.9	749,014	1.0
Leather and leather products.....	408	1.4	871,064	1.2
Stone, clay, and glass products.....	464	1.5	1,111,825	1.5
Iron and steel and their products.....	1,640	5.4	4,416,170	6.0
Transportation equipment (except automobiles).....	586	2.0	1,745,933	2.4
Nonferrous metals and their products.....	485	1.6	1,318,358	1.8
Electrical machinery.....	845	2.8	2,208,569	3.0
Machinery (except electrical).....	1,388	4.6	3,972,500	5.4
Automobiles and automobile equipment.....	665	2.2	1,872,489	2.6
Miscellaneous manufacturing industries.....	525	1.7	1,280,902	1.7
Transportation,³ communication, and other public utilities, total	2,252	7.4	5,706,618	7.8
Local railways and bus lines.....	186	.6	508,408	.7
Trucking and warehousing for hire.....	459	1.5	1,093,016	1.5
Other transportation, except water transportation.....	294	1.0	726,255	1.0
Water transportation.....	99	.3	303,706	.4
Services allied to transportation, not elsewhere classified.....	159	.5	369,102	.5
Communication: Telephone, telegraph, and related services.....	605	2.0	1,504,989	2.0
Utilities: Electric and gas.....	429	1.4	1,157,296	1.6
Local utilities and local public services, not elsewhere classified.....	21	.1	43,846	.1

See footnotes at end of table.

NO. 289.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT AND TOTAL WAGES
IN EMPLOYMENT COVERED BY STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE LAWS, BY MAJOR
INDUSTRY GROUP: 1946—Continued

[In thousands]

INDUSTRY DIVISION AND MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP	AVERAGE EMPLOYMENT		WAGES	
	Number of workers ¹	Percent of total, all industries	Amount ²	Percent of total, all industries
Wholesale and retail trade, total	7, 228	23. 9	\$16, 156, 344	22. 0
Full-service and limited-function wholesalers.....	1, 109	3. 7	3, 217, 662	4. 4
Wholesale distributors, other than full-service and limited-function wholesalers.....	848	2. 8	2, 660, 276	3. 6
Wholesale and retail trade combined, not elsewhere classified.....	307	1. 0	754, 602	1. 0
Retail general merchandise.....	1, 264	4. 2	2, 107, 428	2. 9
Retail food and liquor stores.....	803	2. 6	1, 632, 958	2. 2
Retail automotive.....	394	1. 3	1, 085, 500	1. 5
Retail apparel and accessories.....	476	1. 6	986, 773	1. 3
Retail trade, not elsewhere classified.....	844	2. 8	1, 808, 845	2. 5
Eating and drinking places.....	1, 070	3. 5	1, 679, 409	2. 3
Retail filling stations.....	113	. 4	222, 891	. 3
Finance, insurance, and real estate, total	1, 306	4. 3	3, 377, 049	4. 6
Banks and trust companies.....	332	1. 1	855, 663	1. 2
Security dealers and investment banking.....	60	. 2	261, 915	. 3
Finance agencies, not elsewhere classified.....	75	. 3	196, 615	. 3
Insurance carriers.....	396	1. 3	1, 078, 525	1. 5
Insurance agents, brokers, and services.....	73	. 2	193, 661	. 3
Real estate.....	320	1. 1	627, 375	. 8
Real estate, insurance, loans, law offices: Any combination.....	38	. 1	109, 081	. 1
Holding companies.....	12	(⁴)	54, 214	. 1
Service industries, total	2, 643	8. 7	5, 446, 757	7. 4
Hotels, rooming houses, camps, and other lodging places.....	446	1. 5	677, 979	. 9
Personal services.....	678	2. 2	1, 167, 948	1. 6
Business services, not elsewhere classified.....	344	1. 1	966, 277	1. 3
Employment agencies and commercial and trade schools.....	25	. 1	56, 174	. 1
Automobile repair services and garages.....	134	. 4	305, 986	. 4
Miscellaneous repair services and hand trades.....	85	. 3	213, 437	. 3
Motion pictures.....	241	. 8	663, 844	. 9
Amusement and recreation and related services, not elsewhere classified.....	241	. 8	422, 861	. 6
Medical and other health services.....	133	. 4	239, 709	. 3
Law offices and related services.....	45	. 2	113, 366	. 2
Educational institutions and agencies.....	18	. 1	32, 213	. 1
Other professional and social-service agencies and institutions.....	70	. 2	237, 683	. 3
Nonprofit membership organizations.....	161	. 5	311, 128	. 4
Private households.....	15	. 1	26, 823	(⁴)
Regular governmental establishments.....	7	(⁴)	11, 279	(⁴)
Miscellaneous ⁵	107	. 4	239, 227	. 3

¹ Average of 12 monthly figures, each of which is total of number of workers in covered employment in pay period of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ending nearest fifteenth of month.

² Total wages in covered employment for all pay periods ending in year.

³ Excludes railroad and allied groups subject, as of July 1, 1939, to Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.

⁴ Less than 0.05 percent of total.

⁵ Includes agriculture, forestry, fishing, and establishments not elsewhere classified.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

No. 290.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—NUMBER OF INITIAL AND CONTINUED CLAIMS RECEIVED, NUMBER OF WEEKS OF UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATED, AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS, AND AMOUNT OF FEDERAL GRANTS FOR ADMINISTRATION, BY STATES AND TERRITORIES: 1948

[In thousands. Corrected to January 10, 1949]

STATE AND TERRITORY	CLAIMS RECEIVED IN LOCAL OFFICES		WEEKS COMPENSATED		AMOUNT OF BENEFIT PAYMENTS ²		FEDERAL GRANTS FOR ADMINISTRATION ³	
	Initial	Continued	All unemployment ¹	Total unemployment	All unemployment	Total unemployment	July 1946-June 1947	July 1947-June 1948
Total	10,918	50,982	42,695	4 40,347	\$798,000	\$768,673	\$57,597	\$67,126
Alabama.....	101	613	527	507	8,015	7,810	709	753
Arizona.....	34	153	84	81	1,568	1,523	257	302
Arkansas.....	61	331	257	243	4,011	3,881	506	498
California.....	1,494	8,111	6,940	6,619	145,846	141,342	6,878	8,995
Colorado.....	31	125	78	75	1,199	1,170	206	217
Connecticut.....	186	519	715	686	14,186	13,867	923	1,138
Delaware.....	15	70	58	54	872	831	136	157
District of Columbia.....	20	178	178	176	3,027	2,986	303	431
Florida.....	136	714	496	478	6,750	6,585	489	702
Georgia.....	98	550	411	386	5,498	5,262	657	718
Idaho.....	17	100	75	73	1,372	1,339	233	297
Illinois.....	612	3,607	2,822	2,587	50,395	47,860	3,594	3,734
Indiana.....	248	721	594	554	10,147	9,803	983	1,061
Iowa.....	39	222	169	154	2,601	2,455	354	391
Kansas.....	41	236	190	178	2,836	2,716	498	455
Kentucky.....	86	502	387	378	4,892	4,820	471	516
Louisiana.....	96	396	440	419	6,616	6,406	853	741
Maine.....	94	446	384	326	5,523	4,864	286	321
Maryland.....	175	659	586	526	10,486	9,832	906	1,069
Massachusetts.....	520	2,937	2,747	2,144	50,408	48,054	2,619	3,518
Michigan.....	706	2,094	1,733	1,655	34,576	33,662	3,166	3,732
Minnesota.....	71	270	373	355	5,638	5,437	666	860
Mississippi.....	46	275	199	185	2,627	2,511	336	298
Missouri.....	215	1,190	866	804	13,471	13,034	1,001	1,001
Montana.....	15	101	80	80	1,280	1,280	209	227
Nebraska.....	18	70	67	61	987	929	175	198
Nevada.....	13	68	57	55	1,135	1,104	119	188
New Hampshire.....	54	300	239	216	3,568	3,353	200	264
New Jersey.....	501	2,737	2,469	2,341	48,047	46,609	2,774	3,330
New Mexico.....	11	56	42	41	710	696	157	190
New York.....	2,785	10,693	8,995	8,654	187,443	180,397	7,851	10,452
North Carolina.....	148	798	615	577	6,850	6,606	803	960
North Dakota.....	4	24	19	17	335	304	92	78
Ohio.....	279	1,626	1,151	1,107	20,117	19,680	2,472	2,719
Oklahoma.....	59	240	312	298	5,089	4,947	515	477
Oregon.....	126	637	466	446	7,744	7,539	757	890
Pennsylvania.....	734	3,398	2,699	2,610	46,193	45,299	5,162	5,629
Rhode Island.....	189	756	632	657	14,295	14,028	349	501
South Carolina.....	72	226	260	248	3,921	3,817	350	365
South Dakota.....	4	23	18	16	289	270	68	73
Tennessee.....	116	978	824	790	10,970	10,669	747	894
Texas.....	111	353	361	337	4,900	4,698	1,551	1,356
Utah.....	30	155	122	114	2,760	2,644	288	302
Vermont.....	16	95	80	77	1,333	1,299	145	202
Virginia.....	90	435	365	344	5,089	4,895	473	516
Washington.....	227	1,258	1,037	997	18,900	18,323	1,449	1,684
West Virginia.....	79	452	343	231	5,242	3,639	577	633
Wisconsin.....	118	893	278	242	4,907	4,439	601	573
Wyoming.....	5	24	19	18	354	337	130	158
Alaska.....	8	48	61	59	1,411	1,377	111	136
Hawaii.....	15	102	83	69	1,573	1,442	115	133

¹ Benefits for other than total unemployment are not provided by State law in Montana.

² Unadjusted for voided benefit checks.

³ Advances for unemployment insurance administration certified to State agencies during fiscal year, including amounts reimbursed to War Manpower Commission and Department of Labor 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. Totals include, but State figures exclude, expenses for postage.

⁴ Includes estimates for New York for August-October; data not available.

⁵ Due to the return of employment service to the States on November 16, 1946, includes amounts reimbursed to the Department of Labor for services and facilities provided to State agencies by USES for period July 1-November 15, 1946.

⁶ Claims filed for biweekly instead of weekly periods.

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

No. 291.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—CONTRIBUTIONS COLLECTED AND BENEFITS PAID UNDER STATE LAWS, BY STATES AND TERRITORIES: 1946 AND 1947

[In thousands of dollars. Corrected to December 31, 1949]

STATE AND TERRITORY	Month and year benefits first payable	FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS AS OF DEC. 31, 1945 ¹		CONTRIBUTIONS COLLECTED ²		BENEFITS PAID ³		RATIO (PERCENT) OF BENEFITS TO CONTRIBUTIONS		FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS ¹	
		1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	1946	1947	Dec. 31, 1946	Dec. 31, 1947
Total		6,914,009	911,835	1,095,520	1,094,850	775,146	120.1	70.8	6,860,043	7,303,283	
Alabama	Jan. 1938	63,870	5,020	8,529	14,740	8,029	249.1	94.1	56,155	57,774	
Arizona	....do	19,750	3,909	3,843	1,340	1,171	44.5	30.5	21,823	24,959
Arkansas	Jan. 1939	30,522	4,877	5,383	3,874	3,094	79.4	57.5	32,119	35,058	
California	Jan. 1938	736,649	122,374	126,875	164,532	129,974	126.3	102.4	717,938	728,881	
Colorado	Jan. 1939	35,981	4,970	6,154	1,294	960	26.0	15.6	40,384	46,436	
Connecticut	Jan. 1938	171,985	25,860	20,631	19,584	10,636	75.7	51.6	181,504	195,352	
Delaware	Jan. 1939	14,302	1,119	1,172	1,768	991	158.0	84.5	13,916	14,372	
Dist. of Columbia	Jan. 1938	43,823	2,056	2,111	1,705	2,733	83.0	129.5	45,018	45,280	
Florida	Jan. 1939	58,317	10,397	11,640	5,211	6,602	60.1	56.7	64,671	71,049	
Georgia	....do	79,958	11,795	12,645	6,476	6,265	54.9	49.5	86,852	95,015
Idaho	Sept. 1938	15,366	3,061	3,700	748	977	24.4	26.4	18,025	21,132	
Illinois	July 1939	510,266	42,912	48,141	77,542	47,229	180.7	98.1	485,045	495,579	
Indiana	Apr. 1938	181,911	15,881	12,207	22,283	7,084	143.0	68.0	178,552	187,285	
Iowa	July 1938	63,085	7,801	9,677	4,327	2,203	55.5	22.8	67,750	76,638	
Kansas	Jan. 1939	54,111	6,121	6,494	9,080	3,453	148.4	53.2	52,137	56,229	
Kentucky	....do	89,254	10,580	12,896	6,419	4,397	60.7	34.1	94,721	104,928
Louisiana	Jan. 1938	81,414	9,010	12,009	12,013	6,144	133.3	51.2	79,921	87,420	
Maine	....do	37,117	5,945	6,457	5,478	4,466	92.1	69.2	35,297	41,067
Maryland	....do	126,624	10,879	14,212	23,285	10,602	220.1	74.6	116,176	122,088
Massachusetts	....do	213,273	23,011	33,042	42,802	53,471	186.0	161.8	197,383	180,635
Michigan	July 1938	249,026	39,437	59,657	79,220	33,509	200.9	56.2	213,304	243,970	
Minnesota	Jan. 1938	94,397	14,341	14,952	9,635	4,580	67.2	30.6	100,914	113,368	
Mississippi	Apr. 1938	26,704	6,623	7,874	1,707	2,021	26.2	25.7	32,172	38,728	
Missouri	Jan. 1939	159,758	16,777	21,458	20,946	16,893	124.9	78.7	158,616	166,366	
Montana	July 1939	19,326	4,068	3,699	1,080	938	26.8	25.4	22,698	25,923	
Nebraska	Jan. 1939	26,740	2,492	4,085	2,087	1,135	83.8	27.8	27,668	31,192	
Nevada	....do	10,583	1,661	1,663	599	902	38.4	54.8	11,757	12,752
New Hampshire	Jan. 1938	22,716	3,276	3,634	792	2,646	24.2	72.8	25,657	27,163	
New Jersey	Jan. 1939	439,128	67,835	36,901	78,672	55,938	116.0	64.4	436,471	476,424	
New Mexico	Dec. 1938	10,550	2,271	3,103	258	300	11.4	12.6	12,785	15,780	
New York	Jan. 1938	987,765	162,736	244,233	191,154	175,191	117.5	71.7	978,109	1,067,074	
North Carolina	....do	108,383	16,662	17,283	4,376	5,818	28.1	33.7	121,780	135,795
North Dakota	Jan. 1939	5,340	839	1,155	242	279	28.8	24.2	6,043	7,044	
Ohio	....do	480,185	52,678	47,571	52,814	19,143	99.6	40.2	489,567	528,116
Oklahoma	Dec. 1938	46,493	4,808	5,981	10,184	5,705	225.9	95.4	41,610	42,685	
Oregon	Jan. 1938	74,423	10,893	13,360	16,633	7,681	157.0	87.5	69,708	76,827	
Pennsylvania	....do	610,530	62,896	66,990	94,534	57,332	151.0	55.6	589,840	610,700
Rhode Island	....do	73,412	13,449	12,304	10,852	9,779	80.7	79.5	77,416	66,369
South Carolina	July 1938	39,715	5,316	6,847	1,719	2,818	32.3	41.2	44,106	49,048	
South Dakota	Jan. 1939	6,543	664	961	185	169	27.9	16.6	7,153	8,106	
Tennessee	Jan. 1938	88,713	14,954	15,349	12,500	10,776	84.0	70.2	92,825	99,268	
Texas	....do	155,313	16,838	20,297	14,669	7,030	92.6	34.6	159,466	175,957
Utah	....do	26,911	5,283	5,661	4,053	2,436	77.2	43.0	28,634	32,466
Vermont	....do	12,720	1,935	2,183	800	1,054	41.4	48.8	14,106	15,506
Virginia	....do	66,177	8,882	11,345	5,610	4,160	63.2	36.7	70,748	79,378
Washington	Jan. 1939	163,117	27,250	26,936	46,766	25,400	171.6	95.5	136,347	140,541	
West Virginia	Jan. 1938	71,056	9,091	11,827	10,005	6,154	110.1	52.0	71,454	78,644	
Wisconsin	July 1936	185,501	10,306	15,041	7,771	3,389	75.4	22.5	191,650	207,237	
Wyoming	Jan. 1939	8,284	1,251	1,279	297	330	23.8	25.8	9,407	10,551	
Alaska	....do	8,461	1,150	1,951	434	556	37.7	28.5	9,343	10,931
Hawaii	....do	18,369	1,821	2,144	167	462	11.0	21.5	20,092	22,192

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 is 3.0 percent; for employees, 1.0 percent in Alabama and New Jersey. Experience rating, operative in 45 States in 1945 and 1946 and 50 States in 1947, modifies above rates.

³ Adjusted for voided benefit checks.

⁴ Excludes benefits paid to seamen for 1947.

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

**No. 292.—UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE—SUMMARY OF SELECTED OPERATIONS
UNDER STATE UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE LAWS: 1939 TO 1947**

[Data corrected to December 20, 1948]

YEAR AND MONTH	COVERED EMPLOYMENT ¹		Beneficiaries ⁴	Weeks compensated ⁵	Continued claims	Benefit payments (thousands) ⁶
	Workers ²	Wages (thousands) ³				
1939	21, 377, 528	\$29, 069, 447	(⁷)	41, 554, 089	⁸ 56, 533, 762	\$429, 298
1940	23, 096, 162	32, 449, 899	5, 220, 073	51, 084, 375	66, 076, 573	518, 700
1941	26, 814, 281	42, 145, 685	3, 439, 323	32, 295, 377	42, 341, 653	344, 321
1942	29, 349, 020	54, 796, 162	2, 815, 127	28, 157, 730	33, 761, 947	344, 084
1943	30, 827, 540	66, 116, 563	664, 015	6, 003, 608	7, 664, 684	79, 643
1944	30, 044, 492	69, 139, 035	533, 406	4, 123, 924	5, 480, 621	62, 385
1945	28, 409, 023	66, 640, 988	2, 861, 190	24, 260, 615	30, 633, 727	445, 866
1946	30, 234, 623	73, 403, 092	4, 461, 032	59, 914, 636	67, 333, 494	1, 094, 850
1947	32, 268, 969	86, 659, 987	3, 983, 603	44, 324, 983	51, 859, 940	776, 165
January	31, 572, 068	20, 285, 051	964, 196	4, 178, 167	4, 981, 528	74, 760
February	31, 561, 604		932, 632	3, 730, 530	4, 487, 423	65, 910
March	31, 793, 635		942, 500	4, 084, 153	4, 683, 687	71, 545
April	31, 625, 248		945, 705	4, 098, 043	4, 833, 224	71, 569
May	31, 794, 001		20, 935, 616	958, 255	4, 152, 425	4, 802, 491
June	32, 177, 210		973, 901	4, 220, 222	4, 905, 315	72, 255
July	32, 169, 627	21, 538, 096	1, 011, 125	4, 381, 527	5, 219, 007	76, 534
August	32, 634, 632		884, 352	3, 832, 179	4, 295, 760	66, 804
September	32, 897, 990		779, 669	3, 378, 554	3, 742, 419	59, 258
October	32, 866, 904		688, 492	2, 983, 450	3, 359, 444	52, 705
November	32, 937, 436		23, 901, 224	540, 820	2, 343, 546	41, 677
December	33, 197, 271		678, 967	2, 942, 181	3, 701, 398	52, 202

¹ Excludes railroads and allied groups subject, as of July 1, 1939, to Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act.

² Until January 1945, represents covered employment on last pay roll of each type (weekly, semimonthly, etc.) ending in month; thereafter, employment on pay roll of each type ending nearest fifteenth of month. Annual figures represent averages of 12 monthly figures.

³ Total wages in covered employment for all pay periods ending within period.

⁴ Annual figures represent first payments to beneficiaries; monthly figures represent average weekly number of weeks of unemployment compensated during month.

⁵ For 1939, represent number of benefit payments.

⁶ Annual amounts adjusted, but monthly figures not adjusted, for voided benefit checks.

⁷ Data not available.

⁸ Excludes New York for January-March 1939; data not available.

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

No. 293.—PLACEMENTS MADE BY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT OFFICES: 1937 TO 1948

[Includes Alaska and Hawaii through 1938. Full responsibility of Employment Service for Farm Placement Program terminated June 1943, resumed January 1, 1948]

YEAR AND MONTH	PLACEMENTS		YEAR AND MONTH	PLACEMENTS	
	Total	Nonagricultural ¹		Total	Nonagricultural
1937	3, 640, 934	3, 144, 091	July	573, 432	454, 480
1938	2, 950, 047	2, 656, 994	August	531, 967	483, 798
1939	4, 500, 399	4, 152, 139	September	684, 103	546, 116
1940	5, 226, 712	3, 661, 040	October	801, 065	527, 959
1941	7, 427, 989	5, 404, 291	November	496, 138	450, 957
1942	10, 220, 967	6, 919, 892	December	497, 637	397, 048
1943	12, 253, 224	9, 393, 196			
1944	12, 219, 113	11, 446, 007	1948		
1945	10, 811, 100	9, 808, 476	January	413, 247	374, 123
1946	7, 139, 778	5, 518, 631	February	366, 983	344, 064
1947	6, 328, 100	5, 279, 979	March	465, 106	412, 808
1948	11, 909, 995	5, 385, 533	April	582, 435	457, 788
			May	1, 005, 680	482, 317
			June	1, 327, 223	524, 148
January	380, 701	366, 223	July	1, 289, 930	477, 761
February	383, 892	348, 134	August	1, 214, 844	509, 447
March	396, 854	391, 027	September	1, 689, 224	550, 654
April	431, 592	418, 939	October	1, 935, 126	491, 652
May	500, 030	441, 802	November	958, 689	421, 531
June	650, 689	453, 390	December	661, 499	339, 240

¹ Excludes forestry and fishing through 1939.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

No. 294.—NONAGRICULTURAL PLACEMENTS MADE BY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT OFFICES,
BY RACE, SEX, AND VETERAN STATUS, BY STATES: 1948

QUARTER AND STATE	Total	RACE ¹		SEX		VETERAN STATUS		PERCENT OF TOTAL		
		White	Non-white	Male	Female	Veteran	Non-veteran	White ¹	Male	Veteran
Total	5,385,533	3,666,416	1,384,488	3,470,387	1,915,146	1,650,239	3,735,294	72.6	64.4	30.6
QUARTER										
January-March.....	1,130,995	767,081	292,571	698,032	432,963	353,616	777,379	72.4	61.7	31.3
April-June.....	1,464,253	1,000,435	375,820	978,962	485,291	462,380	1,001,873	72.7	66.9	31.6
July-September.....	1,537,862	1,052,035	393,483	1,001,701	536,161	462,296	1,075,566	72.8	65.1	30.1
October-December.....	1,252,423	846,865	322,614	791,692	460,731	371,947	880,476	72.4	63.2	29.7
STATE										
Alabama.....	143,538	77,304	66,234	97,802	45,736	36,584	106,954	53.9	68.1	25.5
Arizona.....	41,280	35,162	6,118	30,199	11,081	14,562	26,718	85.2	73.2	35.3
Arkansas.....	92,755	61,300	31,455	61,032	31,723	27,627	65,128	66.1	65.8	29.8
California.....	426,879	389,792	37,087	279,255	147,624	143,637	283,242	91.3	65.4	33.6
Colorado.....	63,998	61,688	2,310	52,028	11,970	25,565	38,433	96.4	81.3	39.9
Connecticut.....	83,297	(²)	(²)	49,439	33,858	24,246	59,051	(²)	59.4	29.1
Delaware.....	15,059	7,385	7,674	7,793	7,266	3,484	11,575	49.0	51.7	23.1
Dist. of Columbia.....	38,628	11,004	27,624	23,770	14,858	11,628	27,002	28.5	61.5	30.1
Florida.....	147,061	77,921	69,140	88,458	58,603	43,076	103,385	53.0	60.2	29.7
Georgia.....	118,222	54,165	64,057	76,485	41,737	30,922	87,300	46.8	64.7	26.2
Idaho.....	35,766	35,510	256	29,108	6,658	10,540	19,220	99.3	81.4	46.3
Illinois.....	171,476	141,741	29,735	117,122	54,354	58,815	112,661	82.7	68.3	34.3
Indiana.....	107,012	91,822	15,190	69,038	37,974	31,091	75,921	86.8	64.5	28.1
Iowa.....	84,623	82,306	2,317	62,175	22,448	32,621	52,002	97.3	73.5	38.5
Kansas.....	78,187	69,650	8,537	57,781	20,406	29,292	48,895	89.1	73.9	37.5
Kentucky.....	31,119	25,422	5,697	21,173	9,946	11,273	19,846	81.7	68.0	36.2
Louisiana.....	66,995	23,586	43,409	47,102	19,893	23,492	43,503	35.2	70.3	35.1
Maine.....	42,437	42,269	168	26,507	15,930	11,627	30,910	99.6	62.5	27.2
Maryland.....	60,825	35,357	25,468	41,993	18,832	19,240	41,585	58.1	69.0	31.6
Massachusetts.....	116,910	111,387	5,523	70,173	46,737	39,467	77,443	95.3	60.0	33.8
Michigan.....	125,166	112,285	12,871	98,461	26,695	48,718	76,438	89.7	78.7	38.9
Minnesota.....	117,891	116,135	1,756	90,087	27,804	43,099	74,792	98.5	76.4	36.6
Mississippi.....	91,014	38,088	52,926	60,693	30,321	23,761	67,253	41.8	66.7	26.1
Missouri.....	94,013	78,066	15,947	66,363	27,650	31,031	62,982	83.0	70.6	33.0
Montana.....	25,700	25,261	439	21,552	4,148	10,756	14,944	98.3	83.9	41.9
Nebraska.....	47,319	45,660	1,659	38,132	9,187	18,640	28,679	96.5	80.6	39.4
Nevada.....	19,192	15,490	3,702	12,047	6,545	5,471	13,721	80.7	65.9	28.5
New Hampshire.....	19,175	19,142	33	12,540	6,635	6,243	12,932	99.8	65.4	32.6
New Jersey.....	122,736	73,222	49,484	56,596	66,140	26,115	96,621	59.7	46.1	21.3
New Mexico.....	50,929	47,618	3,311	42,368	8,561	21,236	29,693	95.8	83.2	41.7
New York.....	671,905	377,297	294,608	280,123	391,782	128,105	543,800	56.2	41.7	19.1
North Carolina.....	119,996	61,101	58,895	77,383	42,613	35,136	84,860	50.9	64.5	29.3
North Dakota.....	22,425	22,021	404	16,993	5,432	7,430	14,995	98.2	75.8	33.1
Ohio.....	294,725	228,651	66,074	206,553	88,172	88,690	206,135	77.6	70.1	30.1
Oklahoma.....	122,554	100,856	21,698	88,648	33,906	41,948	80,606	82.3	72.3	34.2
Oregon.....	82,244	81,270	974	66,481	15,763	31,827	50,417	98.8	80.8	38.7
Pennsylvania.....	251,332	(²)	(²)	146,389	104,943	83,970	167,362	(²)	58.2	33.4
Rhode Island.....	27,029	21,584	5,445	10,545	16,484	5,296	21,733	79.9	39.0	19.6
South Carolina.....	104,350	40,138	64,212	78,479	25,871	33,478	70,872	38.5	75.2	32.1
South Dakota.....	18,958	17,585	1,373	15,453	3,505	8,101	10,857	92.8	81.5	42.7
Tennessee.....	130,467	81,966	48,501	86,126	44,341	48,547	86,920	62.8	66.0	33.4
Texas.....	458,032	293,786	164,246	314,471	143,561	142,452	315,580	64.1	68.7	41.6
Utah.....	29,418	29,179	239	22,534	6,884	12,546	16,872	99.2	76.6	32.1
Vermont.....	9,995	9,977	18	7,073	2,922	3,952	6,043	99.8	70.8	39.5
Virginia.....	86,956	34,154	52,802	50,665	36,291	21,968	65,288	39.3	58.3	25.0
Washington.....	97,161	94,196	2,965	76,303	20,858	32,715	64,446	96.9	78.5	33.7
West Virginia.....	40,729	36,757	3,972	25,179	15,550	13,514	27,215	90.2	61.8	33.2
Wisconsin.....	125,101	117,450	7,651	82,462	42,639	40,216	84,885	93.9	65.9	32.1
Wyoming.....	12,964	12,680	284	10,655	2,309	5,355	7,609	97.8	82.2	41.3

¹ Excludes Connecticut and Pennsylvania; data not available.

² Data not available.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

No. 295.—NONAGRICULTURAL PLACEMENTS MADE BY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT OFFICES
BY SEX, VETERAN STATUS AND BY INDUSTRY DIVISION: 1948

INDUSTRY DIVISION	Total	SEX		VETERAN STATUS	
		Men	Women	Veteran	Non-veteran
All industries.....	5,385,533	3,470,387	1,915,146	1,650,239	3,735,294
Forestry and fishing.....	7,988	7,177	811	3,395	4,593
Mining.....	46,993	45,573	1,420	23,075	23,918
Construction.....	672,756	664,396	8,360	305,335	367,421
Manufacturing.....	1,732,419	1,143,171	589,248	542,208	1,190,211
Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.....	289,600	271,858	17,742	133,240	156,360
Wholesale and retail trade.....	1,025,079	661,009	364,070	318,616	706,463
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	62,937	30,517	32,420	15,709	47,228
Service.....	1,353,385	493,094	860,894	211,194	1,142,794
Domestic.....	844,844	185,492	659,352	61,675	783,169
Government.....	189,405	147,002	39,403	94,429	91,976
Establishments, n. e. c.....	7,368	6,590	778	3,038	4,330
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION BY INDUSTRY DIVISION					
Total.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Forestry and fishing.....	.1	.2	(1)	.2	.1
Mining.....	.9	1.3	.1	1.4	.6
Construction.....	12.5	19.2	.4	18.5	9.8
Manufacturing.....	32.2	33.0	30.8	32.8	31.9
Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.....	5.4	7.8	.9	8.1	4.2
Wholesale and retail trade.....	19.0	19.0	19.0	19.3	18.9
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	1.2	.9	1.7	1.0	1.3
Service.....	25.1	14.2	45.0	12.8	30.6
Domestic.....	15.7	5.3	34.4	5.7	21.0
Government.....	3.5	4.2	2.1	5.7	2.5
Establishments, n. e. c.....	.1	.2	(1)	.2	.1
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION BY SEX AND VETERAN STATUS					
Total.....	100.0	64.4	35.6	30.6	69.4
Forestry and fishing.....	100.0	89.8	10.2	42.5	57.5
Mining.....	100.0	97.0	3.0	49.1	50.9
Construction.....	100.0	98.8	1.2	45.4	54.6
Manufacturing.....	100.0	66.0	34.0	31.3	68.7
Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.....	100.0	93.9	6.1	46.0	54.0
Wholesale and retail trade.....	100.0	64.5	35.5	31.1	68.9
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	100.0	48.5	51.5	25.0	75.0
Service.....	100.0	36.4	63.6	15.6	84.4
Domestic.....	100.0	22.0	78.0	7.3	92.7
Government.....	100.0	78.9	21.1	50.7	49.3
Establishments, n. e. c.....	100.0	89.4	10.6	41.2	58.8

¹ Less than 0.05 percent.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

No. 296.—NONAGRICULTURAL PLACEMENTS MADE BY PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT OFFICES
BY MAJOR OCCUPATIONAL GROUP: 1947 AND 1948

OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	1947	1948
All occupations.....	5,279,979	5,385,533
Professional and managerial.....	54,497	61,052
Clerical and sales.....	595,048	607,783
Service.....	1,236,978	1,354,281
Skilled.....	385,523	365,544
Semiskilled.....	697,279	697,933
Unskilled and other.....	2,310,654	2,298,940

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Employment Security.

RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND SURVIVOR BENEFITS

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No. 297.—RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND SURVIVOR BENEFITS—AMOUNT CERTIFIED TO THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY BY CLASS: 1936 TO 1948

[In thousands]

CALENDAR YEAR	Total	RETIREMENT BENEFITS		SURVIVOR BENEFITS	
		Annuities	Pensions	Monthly	Lump-sum
Cumulative through December 1948	\$1,656,073	\$1,312,834	\$216,307	\$70,240	\$56,692
1936.....	685	684	1	1	1
1937.....	40,446	20,682	19,319	444	1
1938.....	98,439	66,371	30,395	1,383	291
1939.....	110,659	79,816	27,405	1,451	1,026
1940.....	118,111	89,695	24,471	1,448	2,497
1941.....	124,892	98,169	21,743	1,559	3,421
1942.....	128,523	103,501	19,304	1,603	4,114
1943.....	133,059	108,792	17,004	1,704	5,560
1944.....	138,062	115,083	14,624	1,765	6,591
1945.....	147,050	124,417	12,723	1,772	8,138
1946.....	160,132	138,161	11,028	1,817	9,127
1947.....	202,449	167,612	9,441	19,293	6,114
1948.....	253,566	199,851	8,791	36,011	8,914

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

No. 298.—RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND SURVIVOR BENEFITS—NUMBER OF MONTHLY BENEFITS BY CLASS: 1940 TO 1948

[Awards are reported on basis of an accounting month ending on approximately the 24th, and terminations are reported through dates staggered from the 3d to the 27th. Benefits in current-payment status include benefits awarded through that date less benefits terminated or withheld. Terminations are by death, commutation or completion of payments, or by loss of entitlement for any of the reasons described in the act. Benefits withheld are not directly shown in table. Benefits are withheld for investigation or adjustment, or for such reasons as return to service or recovery from disability of retirement annuitant, employment of widow, child, or parent, or failure of child 16 or over to attend school where feasible, etc. Withheld benefits, but not terminated benefits, are eventually reinstated to current-payment rolls]

CLASS OF BENEFIT	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948
Awards, total	23,817	20,940	16,219	19,029	19,678	24,213	27,670	124,019	81,050
Retirement annuities.....	22,145	19,466	14,924	17,739	18,562	23,242	26,766	43,873	32,930
Pensions.....	35	23	43	1	4	—	5	1	—
Survivor benefits.....	1,637	1,451	1,252	1,289	1,112	971	899	80,145	48,120
Terminations, total	13,343	13,650	13,766	14,507	15,113	14,770	15,493	27,219	28,232
Retirement annuities.....	7,959	8,654	9,288	10,303	10,923	11,401	12,361	21,471	16,495
Pensions.....	4,253	3,873	3,454	3,217	3,240	2,514	2,344	2,110	1,849
Survivor benefits.....	1,131	1,123	1,024	987	950	855	788	3,638	9,888
In current-payment status at end of period, total	149,241	156,513	158,758	163,161	167,752	177,289	189,553	290,160	345,408
Retirement annuities.....	112,710	123,498	128,921	136,245	143,908	155,828	170,331	198,976	215,314
Pensions.....	33,268	29,424	26,015	22,788	19,553	17,047	14,707	12,590	10,739
Survivor benefits.....	3,263	3,591	3,822	4,128	4,291	4,414	4,515	78,594	119,355

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

No. 299.—NUMBER OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, BY AGE, CLASS OF EMPLOYER, AND OCCUPATIONAL GROUP: 1946

[In thousands]

CLASS OF EMPLOYER AND OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	Total employees	AGE IN 1946					
		Under 20 years	20 to 24 years	25 to 29 years	30 to 34 years	35 to 39 years	40 to 44 years
Total	2,700.9	131.3	364.6	344.4	300.8	272.9	285.2
Class I railroads, total.....	¹ 2,233.5	108.1	201.3	273.6	239.8	220.6	236.8
Executives, supervisors, and professionals.....	94.1	.6	2.6	4.0	4.9	7.2	11.8
Station agents and telegraphers.....	58.1	1.5	6.7	4.7	2.8	3.3	4.5
Clerks and other office employees.....	206.4	8.7	41.1	28.0	18.8	18.8	22.5
Engineers and conductors.....	107.5	.1	1.5	3.3	4.7	3.1	6.1
Firemen, brakemen, switchmen, and hostlers.....	288.9	2.0	27.4	49.7	50.6	32.3	29.6
Gang foremen.....	52.6	.3	1.0	1.7	3.2	5.6	8.0
Skilled way and structure employees.....	46.8	.9	4.1	4.4	5.0	5.6	6.3
Skilled shop employees.....	191.0	.4	4.6	11.4	14.4	17.5	24.7
Helpers and apprentices.....	180.2	8.9	32.7	26.9	21.2	19.3	18.4
Extra gang laborers.....	197.2	21.0	36.7	28.1	20.7	20.2	20.4
Other way and structure laborers.....	301.8	27.0	45.7	39.5	33.1	33.2	32.6
Shop and stores laborers.....	159.7	10.0	26.1	23.0	19.7	18.0	16.6
Station and platform laborers.....	210.6	16.3	42.9	35.2	27.3	22.2	20.5
All other occupations.....	135.1	10.4	17.9	13.4	13.1	13.9	14.4
Other than class I railroads.....	467.5	23.2	73.3	70.8	61.0	52.3	48.4

CLASS OF EMPLOYER AND OCCUPATIONAL GROUP	AGE IN 1946						Un-known
	45 to 49 years	50 to 54 years	55 to 59 years	60 to 64 years	65 to 69 years	70 years and over	
Total	282.0	260.0	212.4	156.2	63.4	17.8	9.9
Class I railroads, total.....	237.9	223.8	185.3	137.5	55.6	15.0	8.1
Executives, supervisors, and professionals.....	15.2	15.6	14.2	11.3	5.1	1.5	.1
Station agents and telegraphers.....	6.6	8.2	9.0	7.0	2.8	1.0	.1
Clerks and other office employees.....	24.3	18.7	12.8	7.9	3.5	1.2	.3
Engineers and conductors.....	12.1	19.9	23.2	21.7	9.6	2.2	.1
Firemen, brakemen, switchmen, and hostlers.....	29.0	27.8	21.2	12.8	3.9	.7	1.0
Gang foremen.....	8.2	8.2	7.6	6.2	2.0	.5	.1
Skilled way and structure employees.....	5.8	5.5	4.4	3.2	1.2	.2	.2
Skilled shop employees.....	29.1	31.1	27.2	21.0	7.9	1.5	.2
Helpers and apprentices.....	16.1	14.1	10.7	7.5	3.1	.7	.4
Extra gang laborers.....	17.3	13.9	9.1	5.7	1.8	.5	1.7
Other way and structure laborers.....	28.7	23.4	18.2	12.5	5.1	1.0	1.9
Shop and stores laborers.....	14.2	11.9	8.9	6.8	3.1	1.0	.5
Station and platform laborers.....	16.1	12.8	8.1	5.4	2.1	.7	1.0
All other occupations.....	13.8	12.3	10.5	8.4	4.4	2.2	.6
Other than class I railroads.....	44.1	36.2	27.1	18.7	7.8	2.9	1.8

¹ Includes 3,600 employees whose occupations were not reported. Data based on a 20 percent sample.

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; not published elsewhere.

No. 300.—NUMBER OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES, BY AMOUNT OF TAXABLE COMPENSATION: 1946

[Includes employees covered under Railroad Retirement and Railroad Unemployment Insurance Acts for whom compensation was 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. 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.]

TAXABLE COMPENSATION IN THE YEAR	EMPLOYEES			TAXABLE COMPENSATION IN THE YEAR	EMPLOYEES		
	Total		With 12 months of service		Total		With 12 months of service
	Number	Percent			Number	Percent	
Total	2,700,930	100.0	1,307,066				
Under \$50.....	210,111	7.8	427	\$1,400-\$1,499.....	35,031	1.3	8,606
\$50-\$99.....	126,807	4.7	398	\$1,500-\$1,599.....	38,443	1.4	12,841
\$100-\$149.....	93,012	3.5	580	\$1,600-\$1,699.....	42,870	1.6	18,785
\$150-\$199.....	73,680	2.7	650	\$1,700-\$1,799.....	48,885	1.8	26,643
\$200-\$299.....	115,892	4.3	901	\$1,800-\$1,899.....	54,322	2.0	33,623
\$300-\$399.....	89,519	3.3	1,272	\$1,900-\$1,999.....	54,952	2.0	36,191
\$400-\$499.....	71,755	2.7	1,014	\$2,000-\$2,199.....	121,333	4.5	87,562
\$500-\$599.....	61,051	2.3	1,002	\$2,200-\$2,399.....	128,809	4.8	101,830
\$600-\$699.....	54,585	2.0	1,350	\$2,400-\$2,599.....	141,882	5.3	120,239
\$700-\$799.....	47,732	1.8	1,447	\$2,600-\$2,799.....	147,019	5.4	130,820
\$800-\$899.....	42,941	1.6	1,609	\$2,800-\$2,999.....	161,167	5.6	140,350
\$900-\$999.....	39,462	1.5	1,966	\$3,000-\$3,199.....	141,122	5.2	134,155
\$1,000-\$1,099.....	35,805	1.3	2,242	\$3,200-\$3,399.....	137,377	5.1	134,294
\$1,100-\$1,199.....	34,298	1.3	2,942	\$3,400-\$3,599.....	179,758	6.7	179,758
\$1,200-\$1,299.....	33,632	1.2	4,168	\$3,600.....	113,494	4.2	113,494
\$1,300-\$1,399.....	33,594	1.2	5,817	Average compensation per employee.....			\$2,791

Source: Railroad Retirement Board; Compensation and Service of Railroad Employees, 1946.

No. 301.—RAILROAD RETIREMENT AND SURVIVOR BENEFITS—AMOUNT PAID IN FISCAL YEAR 1948, BY STATE OF RESIDENCE OF BENEFICIARY

[In thousands of dollars. Data estimated on basis of State distribution of monthly benefit payments in current-payment status on December 31, 1947, and of lump-sum death benefits awarded in fiscal year]

STATE	Total	Retirement benefits	Survivor benefits	STATE	Total	Retirement benefits	Survivor benefits
Total	224,871	187,750	37,121	Nebraska.....	2,739	2,317	423
Alabama.....	2,814	2,320	495	Nevada.....	348	288	60
Arizona.....	987	828	129	New Hampshire.....	904	767	137
Arkansas.....	2,280	1,942	338	New Jersey.....	7,272	5,992	1,280
California.....	14,732	12,750	1,982	New Mexico.....	790	651	139
Colorado.....	2,829	2,424	405	New York.....	16,551	13,535	3,016
Connecticut.....	1,477	1,158	319	North Carolina.....	2,303	1,842	461
Delaware.....	864	714	151	North Dakota.....	694	568	126
Dist. of Columbia.....	705	562	143	Ohio.....	15,160	12,716	2,445
Florida.....	4,819	4,322	497	Oklahoma.....	1,891	1,633	258
Georgia.....	3,300	2,666	633	Oregon.....	2,414	2,098	316
Idaho.....	732	628	104	Pennsylvania.....	26,062	22,284	4,378
Illinois.....	16,335	13,424	2,911	Rhode Island.....	471	367	104
Indiana.....	8,771	7,454	1,317	South Carolina.....	1,222	1,000	222
Iowa.....	5,427	4,826	900	South Dakota.....	641	556	85
Kansas.....	4,823	4,077	746	Tennessee.....	4,393	3,658	735
Kentucky.....	4,570	3,729	841	Texas.....	7,800	6,472	1,328
Louisiana.....	2,151	1,736	415	Utah.....	1,169	946	222
Maine.....	1,451	1,206	245	Vermont.....	758	641	117
Maryland.....	3,942	3,247	695	Virginia.....	5,484	4,474	1,010
Massachusetts.....	4,341	3,447	894	Washington.....	3,019	3,401	518
Michigan.....	6,065	5,078	988	West Virginia.....	3,129	2,921	598
Minnesota.....	6,348	5,281	1,067	Wisconsin.....	5,120	4,256	871
Mississippi.....	1,910	1,618	292	Wyoming.....	595	499	96
Missouri.....	7,617	6,356	1,261	Outside continental U. S., total.....	1,880	1,167	213
Montana.....	1,400	1,204	195	Alaska.....	25	23	2
				Hawaii.....	72	61	11

Source: Railroad Retirement Board, Annual Report.

**NO. 302.—RAILROAD UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS
THROUGH JUNE 1948**

FISCAL YEAR AND MONTH	Applica- tions re- ceived ¹	Applica- tions from "qualified" employees ¹	Claims re- ceived	BENEFIT PAYMENTS ²		Accounts opened	Accounts exhausted
				Number	Amount		
1939-40.....	210,823	204,017	1,441,213	1,000,682	\$14,800,692	160,735	29,298
1940-41.....	181,157	177,214	1,267,822	999,478	17,690,137	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	16,001	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	5,702	626
1945-46.....	201,112	189,247	847,009	730,509	20,516,501	156,502	15,383
1946-47.....	256,900	234,811	1,763,264	1,532,961	46,617,479	207,768	47,639
1947-48.....	206,671	241,228	1,346,574	1,140,999	32,420,179	107,132	22,469
1947							
July.....	54,869	47,083	93,582	68,814	1,818,326	27,198	2,699
August.....	17,612	17,539	91,576	75,343	2,093,659	22,017	94
September.....	16,618	12,871	91,639	80,672	2,817,892	10,678	32
October.....	20,502	18,775	118,300	98,126	2,801,697	17,920	20
November.....	14,700	12,161	89,571	72,318	2,092,664	9,312	4
December.....	22,185	20,194	124,548	103,235	2,953,251	17,948	8
1948							
January.....	19,673	20,137	137,244	119,944	3,343,554	15,847	5,175
February.....	12,071	11,043	118,516	100,892	2,838,353	11,901	3,564
March.....	21,641	16,280	129,875	120,061	3,438,242	10,515	3,080
April.....	51,155	43,108	164,980	132,070	3,797,663	32,545	2,685
May.....	7,629	14,896	114,642	103,203	2,905,639	15,957	2,510
June.....	8,016	6,241	72,101	66,321	2,025,440	5,294	2,647

¹ Application submitted when unemployed worker applies for unemployment insurance benefits for first time with respect to benefit year. Data apply to unemployment in current year in 1939-40, 1940-41, and 1941-42, and unemployment in current or prior year beginning with 1942-43. Data for 1947-48 include some applications with respect to following year submitted in June 1948.

² Adjusted for payment of underpayments and recovery of overpayments and erroneous payments.

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

**NO. 303.—RAILROAD SICKNESS BENEFITS—SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS THROUGH
JUNE 1948**

FISCAL YEAR AND MONTH	Applica- tions re- ceived ¹	Applica- tions from "qualified" employees ¹	Claims re- ceived	BENEFIT PAYMENTS ²		Accounts opened	Accounts exhausted ³
				Number	Amount		
1947-48.....	234,926	213,733	799,903	711,441	\$26,604,279	150,390	17,105
1947							
July.....	27,013	21,418	15,864	10,032	322,035	9,356	1
August.....	18,370	17,954	49,092	40,521	1,549,760	15,591	18
September.....	17,637	16,465	63,503	53,030	2,074,250	12,813	107
October.....	17,835	17,484	72,287	69,114	2,660,952	13,869	218
November.....	15,304	13,470	65,918	55,957	2,128,998	10,743	255
December.....	17,949	16,324	79,901	69,130	2,631,733	12,304	320
1948							
January.....	20,197	19,389	82,503	76,496	2,787,232	13,233	3,387
February.....	19,507	17,718	74,162	67,336	2,427,614	13,373	3,520
March.....	20,621	20,056	86,136	78,613	2,913,664	15,857	2,720
April.....	16,630	15,916	76,018	69,472	2,593,210	12,389	2,190
May.....	14,347	13,741	65,484	58,837	2,161,643	10,436	2,131
June.....	29,516	23,793	70,035	62,903	2,353,198	10,446	2,220

¹ Application submitted for each case of sickness. Data include some applications with respect to 1948-49 benefit year submitted in June 1948.

² Adjusted for settlement of underpayments and recovery of overpayments.

³ Includes 1,156 maternity beneficiaries whose maternity period ended before maximum benefits were paid. Accounts for sickness beneficiaries were first closed in January.

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

NO. 304.—RAILROAD UNEMPLOYMENT AND SICKNESS BENEFITS—NUMBER AND AMOUNT OF BENEFITS PAID, BY STATE OF RESIDENCE OF BENEFICIARY, CALENDAR YEAR 1948

[Based on sample tabulations]

DIVISION AND STATE	TOTAL		UN EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS		SICKNESS BENEFITS	
	Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
Total.....	1,835,690	\$59,442,639	995,955	\$28,599,287	839,735	\$30,843,352
New England	66,161	2,207,045	34,142	1,019,659	32,019	1,187,386
Maine.....	9,099	299,348	4,666	137,100	4,433	162,248
New Hampshire.....	3,499	121,349	1,105	33,520	2,394	87,829
Vermont.....	3,284	103,241	1,230	31,398	2,054	71,843
Massachusetts.....	38,459	1,271,401	21,592	645,845	16,867	625,556
Rhode Island.....	4,186	134,176	2,644	75,407	1,542	58,769
Connecticut.....	7,634	277,530	2,905	96,389	4,729	181,141
Middle Atlantic	370,603	12,280,493	195,730	5,728,583	174,873	6,551,910
New York.....	165,919	5,450,895	95,156	2,838,679	70,763	2,612,216
New Jersey.....	34,333	1,225,090	15,498	490,861	18,835	734,229
Pennsylvania.....	170,351	5,604,508	85,076	2,399,043	85,275	3,205,465
East North Central	332,293	10,932,692	151,479	4,237,342	180,814	6,695,350
Ohio.....	92,722	3,045,757	41,370	1,137,419	51,352	1,908,333
Indiana.....	46,727	1,491,905	21,999	573,710	24,728	918,195
Illinois.....	131,690	4,357,573	58,674	1,660,567	73,016	2,697,006
Michigan.....	30,775	1,017,258	14,498	399,546	16,277	617,712
Wisconsin.....	30,379	1,020,199	14,938	466,100	15,441	554,099
West North Central	235,482	7,603,035	130,763	3,793,040	104,719	3,809,995
Minnesota.....	54,216	1,767,148	31,517	948,389	22,699	818,759
Iowa.....	26,365	863,484	11,299	317,474	15,066	546,010
Missouri.....	83,977	2,662,019	50,347	1,434,100	33,630	1,227,919
North Dakota.....	6,911	219,712	3,829	107,168	3,082	112,544
South Dakota.....	6,223	204,001	3,489	106,671	2,734	97,330
Nebraska.....	22,655	731,095	12,010	333,970	10,645	397,125
Kansas.....	35,135	1,156,576	18,272	545,268	16,863	610,308
South Atlantic	228,607	7,491,636	125,612	3,716,110	102,995	3,775,526
Delaware.....	6,674	231,029	4,065	132,023	2,609	98,406
Maryland.....	26,379	850,592	13,812	381,727	12,567	468,865
District of Columbia.....	7,526	264,821	2,977	98,981	4,549	165,840
Virginia.....	44,619	1,478,212	22,422	650,423	22,197	818,789
West Virginia.....	35,470	1,123,298	19,084	531,241	16,386	592,057
North Carolina.....	24,480	815,001	14,168	435,268	10,312	379,733
South Carolina.....	13,334	432,725	7,163	210,393	6,181	222,332
Georgia.....	35,976	1,185,382	19,690	585,565	16,286	599,817
Florida.....	34,149	1,110,576	22,241	680,889	11,908	429,687
East South Central	130,318	4,100,264	75,564	2,133,991	54,754	1,967,173
Kentucky.....	47,263	1,450,328	28,461	770,920	18,802	679,408
Tennessee.....	37,632	1,192,546	21,312	603,897	16,320	588,649
Alabama.....	28,966	955,380	16,308	503,700	12,658	451,680
Mississippi.....	16,457	502,010	9,483	254,574	6,974	247,436
West South Central	144,506	4,473,921	82,341	2,253,983	62,165	2,219,938
Arkansas.....	29,512	876,596	19,904	542,706	9,608	333,890
Louisiana.....	23,397	685,347	13,790	355,297	9,607	330,050
Oklahoma.....	19,605	561,630	12,633	311,936	7,062	249,694
Texas.....	71,902	2,350,348	36,014	1,044,044	35,888	1,306,304
Mountain	140,750	4,278,476	93,057	2,545,372	47,693	1,733,104
Montana.....	15,109	477,625	7,874	216,234	7,235	261,391
Idaho.....	10,652	356,471	6,612	203,704	4,040	162,767
Wyoming.....	9,645	340,074	5,139	169,670	4,506	170,404
Colorado.....	29,349	925,994	16,333	454,778	13,016	471,216
New Mexico.....	24,040	628,904	19,534	471,020	4,515	187,884
Arizona.....	28,212	741,051	21,709	507,895	6,503	233,156
Utah.....	18,494	624,529	12,676	413,988	5,818	210,541
Nevada.....	5,240	183,828	3,180	108,083	2,060	75,745
Pacific	175,696	5,766,670	98,259	2,939,374	77,437	2,827,296
Washington.....	22,538	723,978	10,204	278,151	12,334	445,827
Oregon.....	18,734	615,271	10,439	315,448	8,295	299,823
California.....	134,424	4,427,421	77,616	2,345,775	56,808	2,081,646
Outside continental United States.....	11,274	308,404	9,008	232,731	2,266	75,673

No. 305.—WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION PAYMENTS, BY STATE: 1939 TO 1947

[Estimated by Social Security Administration. Payments include net cash and medical benefits paid by private insurance carriers (compiled from the Spectator, Premiums and Losses by States of Casualty, Surety, and Miscellaneous Lines), net cash and medical benefits paid by State funds (from the Spectator and State reports; estimated for some States), and cash and medical benefits paid by self-insurers plus the value of medical benefits paid by employers carrying workmen's compensation policies that do not include the standard medical coverage (estimated from available State data). Data are for calendar years, except for Montana, Nevada, North Dakota, Oregon, West Virginia, and Federal employees, for which fiscal year data were used. Benefit payments made under Longshoremen's and Harbor Workers' Compensation Act and under Defense Bases Compensation Act are included in data for States in which payments are made.]

[In thousands]

STATE	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947 ¹
Total.....	\$234,913	\$256,100	\$291,173	\$330,733	\$356,664	\$388,508	\$412,390	\$437,066	\$484,810
Alabama.....	1,007	1,061	1,732	2,083	3,120	2,644	2,648	2,278	2,377
Arizona.....	1,471	1,527	1,975	2,639	3,297	3,478	3,865	4,133	4,820
Arkansas.....	3	23	720	1,617	1,887	1,994	1,979	2,568	3,050
California.....	17,733	19,950	22,696	26,668	33,213	39,907	42,668	43,543	48,167
Colorado.....	2,499	2,492	2,621	2,632	2,475	3,195	2,285	2,280	2,640
Connecticut.....	2,967	3,500	4,394	5,515	6,106	6,760	7,202	7,704	8,814
Delaware.....	272	316	398	442	473	417	438	494	553
District of Columbia.....	1,300	1,600	1,536	1,540	1,449	1,346	1,244	1,436	1,627
Florida.....	1,617	1,880	2,384	2,719	3,407	3,727	4,193	4,571	5,356
Georgia.....	1,231	1,492	1,837	2,060	2,531	2,896	2,921	2,831	3,227
Idaho.....	1,068	1,216	1,325	1,340	1,435	1,240	1,193	1,397	1,574
Illinois.....	12,463	14,466	16,363	18,379	20,694	22,710	23,457	23,219	26,970
Indiana.....	3,409	3,779	4,692	5,456	6,498	6,482	6,625	7,012	8,042
Iowa.....	1,331	1,870	2,100	2,464	2,464	2,356	2,666	3,154	3,584
Kansas.....	1,572	1,587	1,863	2,015	3,185	2,987	2,977	2,981	3,113
Kentucky.....	2,567	3,087	3,304	4,716	5,211	5,508	5,716	5,297	6,171
Louisiana.....	3,210	3,369	3,650	4,368	5,513	6,382	6,952	6,960	8,021
Maine.....	976	991	1,216	1,623	1,847	2,206	2,224	2,055	2,102
Maryland.....	2,534	2,711	3,236	4,031	5,088	5,421	5,853	5,993	6,593
Massachusetts.....	7,095	7,415	8,491	9,555	10,126	10,766	11,165	14,513	16,999
Michigan.....	3,119	9,071	10,398	11,211	12,423	13,701	14,790	16,698	18,797
Minnesota.....	3,539	3,754	4,147	4,546	5,258	5,469	5,853	6,561	7,495
Mississippi.....	21	11	18	23	34	23	34	76	75
Missouri.....	3,858	4,035	4,956	6,051	5,711	7,724	8,365	8,908	8,924
Montana.....	1,728	2,093	2,279	2,127	1,994	1,943	2,093	1,851	2,056
Nebraska.....	968	967	925	1,151	1,440	1,220	1,334	1,901	1,720
Nevada.....	677	828	931	1,024	1,190	1,197	1,200	1,202	1,301
New Hampshire.....	572	704	786	933	950	960	1,002	1,250	1,330
New Jersey.....	11,156	12,419	15,133	17,689	19,612	21,835	21,961	20,339	26,208
New Mexico.....	356	569	616	884	550	605	644	831	1,183
New York.....	47,458	51,211	56,117	62,878	61,061	67,866	75,092	84,232	89,122
North Carolina.....	1,849	1,962	2,604	3,010	3,258	3,476	3,542	4,291	5,027
North Dakota.....	551	600	636	747	685	727	743	771	801
Ohio.....	16,576	16,895	19,407	23,471	22,617	23,064	25,603	27,369	29,376
Oklahoma.....	3,104	3,394	3,185	3,767	4,565	5,098	5,456	5,842	6,078
Oregon.....	4,272	4,277	4,863	4,822	5,146	5,679	5,660	5,567	5,911
Pennsylvania.....	20,738	22,774	24,596	25,157	25,029	24,248	24,552	26,318	27,637
Rhode Island.....	1,000	1,153	1,649	2,402	3,210	4,330	5,449	5,361	4,208
South Carolina.....	1,007	1,211	1,889	2,427	2,702	2,779	2,813	3,024	3,784
South Dakota.....	249	268	288	339	309	315	355	434	522
Tennessee.....	1,368	1,527	2,190	2,931	3,480	3,896	4,027	3,750	4,084
Texas.....	7,314	8,124	10,355	12,995	14,069	17,192	18,218	20,445	23,497
Utah.....	1,090	1,109	1,273	1,575	1,973	1,475	1,312	1,475	1,491
Vermont.....	304	363	423	459	436	511	493	591	703
Virginia.....	1,896	2,085	2,874	3,598	3,587	3,343	3,361	3,793	4,481
Washington.....	5,063	5,576	6,167	7,062	8,245	8,886	9,688	10,810	11,456
West Virginia.....	5,174	5,756	6,066	6,320	7,466	7,598	7,735	7,928	8,296
Wisconsin.....	5,571	5,662	6,468	7,223	7,888	8,673	9,162	9,903	10,847
Wyoming.....	595	422	422	411	442	521	503	579	720
Federal employees.....	11,893	13,048	12,476	10,562	11,065	11,623	13,163	10,881	14,566

¹ Preliminary estimate.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Division of Research and Statistics. Preliminary estimates appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin.

No. 306.—PUBLIC ASSISTANCE—RECIPIENTS OF ASSISTANCE, JUNE 1948, AND AMOUNT OF ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS, FISCAL YEAR 1948, BY STATES AND TERRITORIES

STATE AND TERRITORY	RECIPIENTS OF ASSISTANCE, JUNE 1948					ASSISTANCE TO RECIPIENTS, FISCAL YEAR 1948 (THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS)				
	Special types of public assistance				General assist- ance cases	Total	Special types of public assistance			Gener- al as- sistance
	Old-age as- sistance	Aid to depend- ent children		Aid to the blind			Old-age assist- ance	Aid to depend- ent chil- dren	Aid to the blind	
		Fami- lies	Chil- dren							
Total	2,367,597	449,202	1,145,930	83,346	1366,000	1,584,700	1,037,554	325,710	38,540	162,895
Alabama.....	64,709	10,634	28,915	1,105	6,175	18,411	13,474	3,604	265	1,069
Arizona.....	10,777	2,464	7,154	660	2,126	8,681	6,114	1,407	437	723
Arkansas.....	48,227	9,436	24,599	1,631	2,638	13,905	9,672	3,454	393	2,386
California.....	188,267	16,449	37,945	7,404	30,004	161,364	122,765	17,249	5,797	15,553
Colorado.....	45,010	4,583	12,558	388	4,332	41,716	35,440	3,939	231	2,107
Connecticut.....	15,595	2,807	7,206	150	3,592	13,132	8,166	3,035	68	1,863
Delaware.....	1,314	365	1,065	127	847	1,086	377	283	44	381
Dist. of Columbia.....	2,385	1,354	4,103	219	1,161	2,960	1,007	1,133	112	618
Florida.....	58,494	16,412	40,385	2,861	4,100	34,769	25,153	7,530	1,289	3,797
Georgia.....	84,378	8,798	22,664	2,339	3,065	21,017	16,784	3,083	570	580
Idaho.....	10,427	1,896	4,836	190	4,512	7,309	5,217	1,718	114	260
Illinois.....	125,620	21,902	55,593	4,642	26,717	99,439	60,932	21,698	2,377	14,432
Indiana.....	50,337	8,444	20,976	1,901	9,807	25,513	19,215	4,697	773	1,828
Iowa.....	48,603	4,978	12,690	1,207	3,528	29,490	24,017	3,544	656	1,274
Kansas.....	35,730	4,927	12,432	858	4,645	23,781	10,566	4,239	463	2,513
Kentucky.....	51,701	13,579	34,402	1,890	2,018	16,297	10,478	4,996	405	418
Louisiana.....	56,913	14,739	38,404	1,643	9,962	23,403	14,033	6,373	512	2,485
Maine.....	13,191	2,500	7,181	678	2,833	9,033	5,507	1,933	278	1,314
Maryland.....	11,841	5,735	16,638	464	4,287	11,311	4,537	4,665	194	1,914
Massachusetts.....	88,762	10,930	25,674	1,257	16,232	77,877	56,698	11,948	772	8,459
Michigan.....	90,914	22,149	51,963	1,522	27,493	75,568	41,539	19,428	728	13,873
Minnesota.....	54,396	6,776	17,349	1,053	6,270	36,964	27,967	5,239	600	3,158
Mississippi.....	40,985	5,683	15,103	2,132	543	10,298	7,867	1,760	608	63
Missouri.....	116,718	20,461	52,773	2,800	12,373	62,732	48,202	9,726	1,060	3,744
Montana.....	10,858	1,943	5,081	444	1,365	7,218	5,070	1,502	203	438
Nebraska.....	23,900	3,231	7,660	522	1,441	15,159	11,511	2,824	287	566
Nevada.....	2,146	48	114	29	279	1,341	1,228	519	14	79
New Hampshire.....	6,808	1,199	3,010	300	1,225	4,936	3,143	1,116	146	532
New Jersey.....	23,165	4,990	12,598	632	6,797	19,878	11,475	4,276	324	3,602
New Mexico.....	8,875	4,718	12,490	416	1,903	6,856	3,612	2,571	184	2,488
New York.....	111,571	45,381	105,810	3,546	62,906	169,811	64,763	52,587	2,268	50,203
North Carolina.....	44,104	9,301	26,579	3,271	3,267	14,199	9,082	3,575	1,007	535
North Dakota.....	8,686	1,637	4,465	121	683	6,045	4,145	1,545	59	296
Ohio.....	122,781	10,869	29,571	3,435	23,305	80,433	59,518	7,850	1,527	11,538
Oklahoma.....	96,804	23,539	58,702	2,586	7,800	63,576	48,672	12,782	1,314	858
Oregon.....	22,450	2,794	7,136	386	4,845	17,343	11,082	2,755	222	3,285
Pennsylvania.....	87,557	40,102	103,646	14,720	29,445	94,697	37,209	35,961	6,934	14,893
Rhode Island.....	8,890	2,734	6,801	143	2,572	8,436	4,366	2,492	75	1,502
South Carolina.....	33,456	6,149	17,302	1,311	4,106	10,614	7,608	1,984	398	734
South Dakota.....	12,019	1,793	4,522	214	672	5,973	4,700	965	78	233
Tennessee.....	51,834	15,595	41,767	1,939	1,697	21,479	12,627	7,959	682	211
Texas.....	203,301	17,485	44,769	5,006	3,900	83,251	72,659	9,438	2,224	3,900
Utah.....	9,717	2,969	7,770	171	1,830	10,430	6,116	3,118	88	1,108
Vermont.....	5,960	842	2,262	190	370	3,026	2,352	421	82	192
Virginia.....	16,406	5,241	15,069	1,197	3,892	7,194	3,553	2,568	351	682
Washington.....	63,686	8,554	20,433	674	8,962	56,975	41,313	5,294	500	6,033
West Virginia.....	22,206	11,192	30,941	879	3,713	11,412	5,294	5,137	246	735
Wisconsin.....	47,806	7,560	18,932	1,280	4,722	31,166	20,941	7,255	588	2,381
Wyoming.....	3,924	394	1,111	116	392	2,967	2,254	407	63	234
Alaska.....	1,361	228	536	-----	80	817	680	87	-----	50
Hawaii.....	2,032	1,453	4,845	78	1,026	2,624	774	1,290	34	527

¹ Partly estimated; total not as large as sum of State figures because of adjustment for 2 States. See footnote 5.

² Excludes some cases and local funds not administered by State agency.

³ Estimated.

⁴ Excludes cases receiving assistance in kind only and, for a few counties, cases receiving cash payments.

⁵ Includes unknown number of cases receiving medical care, hospitalization, or burial only.

⁶ Represents program administered without Federal participation.

⁷ Excludes estimated duplication between programs; 2,976 cases were aided by county commissioners and an estimated 4,607 cases under program administered by State Board of Public Welfare.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Bureau of Public Assistance; Annual Report of the Social Security Administration. Data appear periodically in Social Security Bulletin and Source of Funds for Public Assistance Payments.

No. 307.—PUBLIC ASSISTANCE—FEDERAL GRANTS TO STATES FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE,
FISCAL YEARS 1946, 1947, and 1948, AND BY STATES AND TERRITORIES, FISCAL YEAR
1948

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

FISCAL YEAR AND STATE	Total	Old-age assistance	Aid to dependent children	Aid to the blind
1945-46.....	\$439, 132	\$368, 524	\$60, 126	\$10, 482
1946-47.....	613, 831	491, 091	108, 429	14, 312
1947-48.....	718, 359	562, 374	139, 584	16, 401
Alabama.....	11, 618	8, 019	2, 526	173
Arizona.....	4, 333	3, 255	876	202
Arkansas.....	8, 849	6, 459	2, 142	249
California.....	63, 744	56, 622	5, 032	2, 081
Colorado.....	14, 616	12, 954	1, 542	120
Connecticut.....	4, 922	4, 032	854	35
Delaware.....	403	234	137	32
District of Columbia.....	1, 213	631	520	62
Florida.....	20, 323	14, 767	4, 783	773
Georgia.....	13, 973	11, 523	2, 007	383
Idaho.....	3, 425	2, 770	599	55
Illinois.....	41, 665	32, 915	7, 465	1, 315
Indiana.....	14, 322	11, 316	2, 523	433
Iowa.....	14, 477	12, 689	1, 435	352
Kansas.....	11, 437	9, 299	1, 873	266
Kentucky.....	10, 531	7, 057	3, 203	271
Louisiana.....	13, 659	9, 405	3, 920	334
Maine.....	4, 228	3, 294	773	160
Maryland.....	4, 888	2, 614	2, 162	113
Massachusetts.....	29, 454	25, 783	3, 315	356
Michigan.....	31, 907	24, 597	6, 892	419
Minnesota.....	16, 609	14, 103	2, 274	322
Mississippi.....	7, 029	5, 420	1, 227	382
Missouri.....	34, 801	28, 549	6, 252	(¹)
Montana.....	3, 571	2, 824	618	129
Nebraska.....	7, 920	6, 710	1, 076	134
Nevada.....	660	660	(¹)	(¹)
New Hampshire.....	2, 325	1, 818	422	85
New Jersey.....	7, 995	6, 323	1, 475	197
New Mexico.....	3, 692	2, 112	1, 381	169
New York.....	49, 542	31, 914	16, 453	1, 174
North Carolina.....	9, 225	6, 155	2, 390	679
North Dakota.....	2, 880	2, 283	562	35
Ohio.....	36, 365	32, 000	3, 494	871
Oklahoma.....	36, 798	28, 218	7, 796	784
Oregon.....	6, 958	5, 900	948	110
Pennsylvania.....	36, 357	22, 059	14, 298	(¹)
Rhode Island.....	3, 254	2, 305	909	40
South Carolina.....	6, 676	5, 037	1, 412	227
South Dakota.....	3, 282	2, 681	555	47
Tennessee.....	13, 648	8, 332	4, 906	410
Texas.....	48, 482	42, 605	4, 516	1, 362
Utah.....	4, 267	3, 321	904	41
Vermont.....	1, 675	1, 369	260	46
Virginia.....	4, 261	2, 534	1, 500	228
Washington.....	21, 826	18, 970	2, 666	190
West Virginia.....	6, 842	3, 496	3, 188	153
Wisconsin.....	14, 603	11, 543	2, 716	345
Wyoming.....	1, 366	1, 165	168	32
Alaska.....	404	346	58	(²)
Hawaii.....	1, 029	488	520	20

¹ No approved plan in operation.

² Does not administer aid to the blind.

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

No. 308.—MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH AND WELFARE SERVICES—GRANTS TO STATES: FISCAL YEAR 1948

[In thousands of dollars]

STATE OR OTHER AREA	Maternal and child health services	Services for crippled children	Child welfare services	Emergency maternity and infant care	STATE OR OTHER AREA	Maternal and child health services	Services for crippled children	Child welfare services	Emergency maternity and infant care
Total	10,564.5	7,423.0	3,356.8	2,067.5	Nevada.....	38.1	47.6	21.9	0.9
Alabama.....	366.0	288.6	106.0	21.6	New Hampshire.....	73.2	23.4	28.1	10.9
Arizona.....	91.0	91.2	40.1	7.2	New Jersey.....	106.6	150.2	42.8	47.6
Arkansas.....	172.7	227.1	58.9		New Mexico.....	232.6	74.7	39.3	24.6
California.....	465.4	294.0	108.4	255.8	New York.....	297.8	171.1	84.9	280.9
Colorado.....	184.0	117.2	33.3	21.4	North Carolina.....	290.8	228.0	106.1	5.3
Connecticut.....	85.6	86.2	27.5	34.7	North Dakota.....	73.6	76.5	37.5	5.6
Delaware.....	66.5	19.5	25.4	12.8	Ohio.....	259.9	207.6	138.7	1.0
Dist. of Columbia.....	172.5	67.1	20.3	37.3	Oklahoma.....	167.7	186.0	84.3	34.4
Florida.....	311.0	130.8	62.9	69.0	Oregon.....	105.2	106.2	31.5	29.1
Georgia.....	446.0	194.9	80.9	46.7	Pennsylvania.....	370.4	262.0	134.9	60.3
Idaho.....	110.4	63.3	17.8	7.2	Rhode Island.....	70.3	102.8	24.9	10.8
Illinois.....	139.3	212.2	31.3	101.1	South Carolina.....	371.3	279.0	80.5	14.8
Indiana.....	202.8	106.1	65.0	32.4	South Dakota.....	65.1	75.2	25.2	13.6
Iowa.....	72.7	143.8	115.5	105.7	Tennessee.....	385.9	135.9	64.5	1.7
Kansas.....	136.9	85.5	61.6	14.0	Texas.....	502.9	232.8	212.3	4.8
Kentucky.....	360.8	239.9	137.7	29.4	Utah.....	102.0	127.1	37.4	27.5
Louisiana.....	273.2	175.7	89.5	22.9	Vermont.....	69.7	45.5	34.3	1.2
Maine.....	92.6	57.2	42.2	10.7	Virginia.....	283.5	277.2	77.7	55.1
Maryland.....	247.0	181.9	58.7	130.9	Washington.....	151.6	139.4	54.6	49.0
Massachusetts.....	237.2	92.9	25.0	7.0	West Virginia.....	238.9	134.8	90.1	25.1
Michigan.....	288.1	193.6	62.9	87.1	Wisconsin.....	76.5	161.1	79.7	37.3
Minnesota.....	161.5	170.5	109.1	17.9	Wyoming.....	20.2	12.5	19.1	1.4
Mississippi.....	370.4	219.7	102.4	38.1	Alaska.....	132.6	128.6	10.9	1.5
Missouri.....	167.8	59.0	115.8	70.8	Hawaii.....	120.2	136.1	26.2	68.1
Montana.....	62.7	85.2	41.3	37.4	Puerto Rico.....	511.3	171.5	74.3	14.6
Nebraska.....	111.9	90.3	39.8	21.1	Virgin Islands.....	50.6	39.1	15.8	-----

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Children's Bureau.

No. 309.—MATERNAL AND CHILD-HEALTH SERVICES: 1943 TO 1947

[Services administered or supervised by State health agencies under Social Security Act. Figures subject to revision]

TYPE OF SERVICE	NUMBER REPORTED				
	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
MEDICAL SERVICES					
Maternity service:					
Cases admitted to antepartum medical service.....	147,599	129,596	116,961	130,909	151,117
Visits by antepartum cases to medical conferences.....	425,381	365,770	328,073	382,304	465,807
Cases given postpartum medical examination.....	34,323	30,413	28,806	31,737	40,391
Infant hygiene:					
Individuals admitted to medical service.....	185,729	169,799	169,965	187,045	245,514
Visits to medical conferences.....	530,393	488,169	495,681	556,956	741,543
Preschool hygiene:					
Individuals admitted to medical service.....	264,817	266,774	256,815	275,969	320,263
Visits to medical conferences.....	527,952	518,513	514,184	565,569	689,617
School hygiene:					
Examinations by physicians.....	2,127,181	1,271,748	1,117,129	1,605,208	1,877,951
PUBLIC-HEALTH-NURSING SERVICES					
Maternity service:					
Cases admitted to antepartum nursing service.....	267,431	265,889	237,691	233,263	233,676
Field and office visits to and by antepartum cases.....	692,602	698,448	613,369	624,240	639,463
Cases given nursing service at delivery.....	13,069	8,530	5,554	5,018	6,153
Cases admitted to postpartum nursing service.....	231,301	217,788	201,420	203,489	214,745
Nursing visits to postpartum cases.....	539,782	468,598	443,407	433,889	449,059
Infant hygiene:					
Individuals admitted to nursing service.....	532,257	500,353	467,086	461,480	516,374
Field and office nursing visits.....	1,563,989	1,449,390	1,359,038	1,290,745	1,482,933
Preschool hygiene:					
Individuals admitted to nursing service.....	561,220	542,436	535,189	495,465	494,883
Field and office nursing visits.....	1,299,289	1,274,156	1,224,241	1,167,002	1,188,246
School hygiene:					
Field and office nursing visits.....	1,964,900	2,034,640	2,165,911	2,214,855	2,199,012

No. 309.—MATERNAL AND CHILD-HEALTH SERVICES: 1943 TO 1947—Continued

TYPE OF SERVICE	NUMBER REPORTED				
	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
IMMUNIZATIONS					
Smallpox.....	1,687,273	1,403,311	1,272,541	2,471,610	2,071,742
Diphtheria, total ¹	1,225,720	1,216,389	1,361,982	1,505,316	1,597,407
Under 1 year.....	179,605	165,881	177,874	178,635	262,922
1 through 4 years.....	349,742	350,611	366,302	362,066	336,179
5 years and over.....	696,072	696,856	753,953	962,089	891,398
DENTAL INSPECTIONS					
Inspections by dentists or dental hygienists:					
Preschool children.....	47,551	53,376	43,366	50,266	55,877
School children.....	921,294	833,478	744,098	1,110,044	1,028,826
MIDWIFE SUPERVISION					
Visits for midwife supervision.....	36,968	30,013	20,325	23,373	28,153

¹ Includes persons whose age was not reported.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Children's Bureau.

No. 310.—CRIPPLED CHILDREN ON STATE REGISTERS AND SERVICES FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN: 1943 TO 1947

[Services administered or financed in whole or in part by official State agencies under Social Security Act. Figures subject to revision]

TYPE OF SERVICE	NUMBER REPORTED				
	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Crippled children on State registers at end of year.....	363,458	378,820	403,411	449,545	485,022
CLINIC SERVICE (diagnostic or treatment)					
Admissions.....	81,792	87,534	92,232	105,248	121,838
Visits.....	183,100	184,391	199,795	239,891	285,263
HOSPITAL CARE					
Individual children under care during year ¹	23,722	23,549	23,918	27,052	28,556
Total children under care during year ²	30,915	30,577	30,790	35,071	36,982
Children under care at end of year.....	3,474	3,120	3,173	3,296	3,234
Days' care provided during year.....	1,262,996	1,225,106	1,220,757	1,249,713	1,289,171
CONVALESCENT-HOME CARE					
Individual children under care during year ¹	4,647	4,185	4,265	4,432	4,866
Total children under care during year ²	5,719	5,370	5,283	5,725	6,317
Children under care at end of year.....	1,128	1,204	1,153	1,165	1,490
Days' care provided during year.....	463,096	447,642	463,747	445,330	478,556
FOSTER-HOME CARE					
Individual children under care during year ¹	953	805	831	878	866
Total children under care during year ²	1,321	1,188	1,189	1,235	1,285
Children under care at end of year.....	272	247	239	271	298
Days' care provided during year.....	102,694	88,067	75,183	87,739	89,474
PUBLIC-HEALTH-NURSING SERVICE					
Admissions.....	51,707	62,319	64,809	74,925	75,135
Field or office visits.....	154,573	178,900	177,382	204,178	211,163
PHYSICAL-THERAPY SERVICE					
Admissions.....	15,558	13,818	13,090	17,850	13,448
Field or office visits.....	174,246	161,614	160,518	208,771	225,083
MEDICAL-SOCIAL SERVICE					
Admissions.....	21,559	22,788	23,275	24,784	27,147
VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION					
Children referred for vocational services.....	7,326	6,086	5,644	8,789	4,943

¹ Unduplicated count of children cared for during year.² Total of children under care at beginning of year and those admitted or readmitted to care during year.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Children's Bureau.

NO. 311.—CHILDREN RECEIVING SERVICE FROM PUBLIC WELFARE AGENCIES, BY STATE AND BY LIVING ARRANGEMENTS: JUNE 30, 1948

STATE AND REPORTING COVERAGE ¹	Total	IN HOME OF PAR- ENTS OR RELA- TIVES		IN FOSTER FAMILY HOME		IN INSTITUTION ²		ELSEWHERE	
		Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	3 222,754	89,143	(4)	90,612	(4)	30,663	(4)	9,214	(4)
Substantially com- plete reports, total..	3 209,677	84,895	41	83,154	40	29,513	14	8,993	5
Alabama.....	8,338	6,776	81	889	11	648	8	25	(5)
Arizona.....	1,936	1,059	54	731	38	53	3	93	5
Arkansas.....	1,405	889	63	433	31	60	4	23	2
Colorado.....	3 1,747	948	54	491	28	287	17	18	1
Delaware.....	626	196	31	409	65	11	2	10	2
District of Columbia.....	3 3,062	1,208	40	1,153	39	537	18	100	3
Florida.....	1,493	705	47	672	45	81	6	35	2
Idaho.....	322	245	76	61	19	13	4	3	1
Illinois.....	3,463	653	19	2,476	72	220	6	114	3
Indiana.....	13,772	6,207	45	4,843	35	2,093	15	629	5
Iowa.....	2,477	1,716	69	395	16	285	12	81	3
Louisiana.....	2,051	417	20	1,441	70	152	8	41	2
Maine.....	3 3,196	963	31	1,962	62	137	4	106	3
Maryland.....	2,637	838	32	1,658	63	110	4	31	1
Massachusetts.....	3 9,662	758	11	5,557	83	245	4	170	2
Minnesota.....	14,199	8,050	57	4,031	28	457	3	1,661	12
Mississippi.....	1,759	1,371	78	130	7	209	12	49	3
Missouri.....	5,077	2,991	59	1,764	35	171	3	151	3
Montana.....	746	356	48	291	39	97	13	2	(5)
Nobraska.....	1,783	774	43	432	24	425	24	152	9
Novada.....	324	247	76	69	21	6	2	2	1
New Hampshire.....	2,306	955	42	924	40	375	16	52	2
New Jersey.....	9,852	2,396	24	5,577	57	508	5	1,371	14
New Mexico.....	1,179	503	43	611	43	126	11	39	3
New York.....	41,667	6,562	16	21,018	50	12,915	31	1,172	3
North Carolina.....	7,045	3,442	49	2,230	32	940	13	433	6
North Dakota.....	1,209	996	82	172	14	34	3	7	1
Ohio.....	3 16,534	4,460	27	7,314	44	4,228	26	465	3
Oklahoma.....	1,319	236	18	692	45	448	34	43	3
Rhode Island.....	3 1,888	515	28	1,025	55	266	14	64	3
South Carolina.....	4,083	3,100	76	419	10	477	12	87	2
South Dakota.....	618	308	50	237	38	41	7	32	5
Tennessee.....	928	600	65	172	18	138	15	18	2
Texas.....	3,874	2,952	76	585	15	285	8	52	1
Utah.....	817	304	37	480	59	—	—	33	4
Vermont.....	1,882	762	40	895	48	162	9	63	3
Virginia.....	6,636	2,021	31	3,667	55	426	6	522	8
Washington.....	6,242	2,607	42	2,884	46	532	9	219	3
West Virginia.....	5,894	3,844	65	1,558	27	320	5	172	3
Wisconsin.....	5,973	3,810	64	1,738	29	341	6	84	1
Wyoming.....	214	137	64	41	19	30	14	6	3
Alaska.....	623	304	49	122	19	193	31	4	1
Hawaii.....	3 2,126	1,052	50	733	35	277	13	54	2
Puerto Rico.....	5,979	5,036	84	331	6	111	2	501	8
Virgin Islands.....	714	626	88	41	6	43	6	4	(5)
Incomplete reports, total.....	13,077	4,248	(4)	7,458	(4)	1,150	(4)	221	(4)
California.....	3,260	651	(4)	2,663	(4)	31	(4)	15	(4)
Connecticut.....	635	450	(4)	80	(4)	5	(4)	(4)	(4)
Georgia.....	1,388	491	(4)	693	(4)	170	(4)	34	(4)
Kansas.....	1,491	530	(4)	642	(4)	303	(4)	16	(4)
Kentucky.....	1,835	801	(4)	674	(4)	289	(4)	71	(4)
Michigan.....	1,097	141	(4)	896	(4)	53	(4)	7	(4)
Oregon.....	896	274	(4)	591	(4)	8	(4)	23	(4)
Pennsylvania.....	2,575	910	(4)	1,319	(4)	291	(4)	55	(4)

¹ The States classified as having substantially complete coverage reported 90 percent or more of the children served. Those classified as incomplete reported less than 90 percent of the children served.

² The children reported as in institutions represent only those children served by workers attached to State or local public welfare agencies and not all children receiving institutional care.

³ Includes a number of children for whom whereabouts are unknown.

⁴ Not computed because of incomplete report.

⁵ Less than 0.5 percent.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Children's Bureau.

No. 312.—CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT ACT—ANNUITIES AND LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS: 1938 TO 1948

[Dollar amounts in thousands. See general note, p. 239]

JUNE 30 OR YEAR ENDING 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 ⁵	Disability		Number	Amount	Number	Amount	Number	Amount
1938.....	6,153	3,329	55,130	13,340	\$54,887	18,252	\$3,783	3,021	\$3,135	2,283	\$1,405
1939.....	5,796	3,541	55,385	14,315	57,074	14,800	2,727	2,871	3,155	2,242	1,400
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	1,725
1942.....	7,504	4,443	69,179	18,032	66,456	45,592	5,596	3,780	3,904	2,611	1,685
1943.....	9,070	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	3,082	2,470
1946.....	16,034	5,113	90,146	26,827	91,887	1,450,434	185,086	17,924	8,546	2,990	2,563
1947.....	22,158	6,888	111,416	31,502	103,321	943,026	178,853	17,304	10,372	3,971	3,710
1948.....	21,870	7,448	125,897	35,353	134,247	432,000	112,846	10,968	9,361	3,563	3,539

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, and beginning Feb. 29, 1948, widows and minor children of deceased employees and annuitants are eligible for survivor annuities under certain conditions; number of survivor annuities in force as of June 30 increased from 26 in 1941 to 935 in 1948. Beginning Jan. 24, 1942, employees with at least 5 years service who separate voluntarily or involuntarily prior to eligibility for retirement may obtain deferred annuity at age 62; such annuities increased from 5 as of June 30, 1942, to 18,805 as of June 30, 1948.

² Through Jan. 23, 1942, data relate to refunds of amounts to employees' credit in fund paid to employees 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 service and refunds to employees separated on or after that date with less than 5 years 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 Data relate to refunds of balance of amount to annuitants' credit at time of death paid to designated or other beneficiaries of annuitants. Includes refunds to disability annuitants whose entitlement to an annuity was terminated.

⁵ Due to adjustments, number in force at end of fiscal year does not in all cases equal number certified less number terminated in that year, plus number in force at end of preceding fiscal year.

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual retirement report.

No. 313.—CANAL ZONE AND ALASKA RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACTS—ANNUITIES AND LUMP-SUM PAYMENTS: 1938 TO 1948

[See general note, p. 240]

JUNE 30 OR YEAR ENDING 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											
1938.....	80	31	507	139	\$682,356	168	\$72,908	11	\$10,002	25	\$27,615
1939.....	86	15	578	155	776,155	131	54,773	26	39,573	11	14,993
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	32,250	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	1,061	264,857	26	27,776	24	38,396
1946.....	126	42	931	261	1,389,100	1,338	363,183	25	41,279	24	37,690
1947.....	133	47	1,017	279	1,559,843	1,215	339,094	32	52,424	33	60,428
1948.....	126	41	1,102	314	1,708,588	560	191,995	27	55,191	34	72,927
ALASKA RAILROAD RETIREMENT ACT											
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	2,569
1940.....	14	5	68	13	66,816	71	10,690	9	3,689	7	3,392
1941.....	16	3	81	18	79,399	90	15,060	6	2,480	5	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	41,664	11	8,232	2	2,116
1946.....	28	9	144	27	151,764	813	84,817	5	4,990	2	2,652
1947.....	22	10	156	28	166,315	736	109,290	16	8,585	5	3,775
1948.....	13	5	164	30	178,006	742	93,648	5	1,559	5	5,608

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual retirement report.

No. 314.—CIVIL SERVICE RETIREMENT ACT—ANNUITANTS ON ROLL BY AMOUNT OF ANNUITY: JUNE 30, 1944 TO 1948

AMOUNT OF ANNUITY	NUMBER OF ANNUITANTS				
	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948
Total	78,354	85,225	96,146	111,416	125,897
Under \$300.....	3,074	3,849	5,631	10,932	11,856
\$300-\$599.....	9,717	10,879	13,007	16,918	17,820
\$600-\$899.....	15,833	16,827	18,548	20,545	17,960
\$900-\$1,199.....	18,557	19,691	21,355	23,244	19,711
\$1,200.....	26,582	27,510	23,926	23,770	16,280
\$1,201-\$1,499.....	2,987	4,053	8,774	10,004	18,612
\$1,500-\$1,799.....	772	1,146	2,408	2,874	26,903
\$1,800-\$2,099.....	345	524	1,087	1,352	3,213
\$2,100 and over.....	487	746	1,410	1,777	3,542
Average annuity.....	\$966	\$966	\$956	\$927	\$1,066

¹ Under amendment of Feb. 28, 1948, majority of annuitants formerly receiving \$1,200 now receive \$1,500. On June 30, 1948, there were 17,224 annuitants receiving exactly \$1,500.

Source: Civil Service Commission, annual retirement report.

No. 315.—FEDERAL RETIREMENT SYSTEMS OTHER THAN CIVIL SERVICE—BENEFICIARIES AND PAYMENTS: FOR SELECTED FISCAL YEARS, 1940 TO 1948

[Fiscal year ending June 30; corrected to May 1, 1949]

SYSTEM	NUMBER OF BENEFICIARIES				PAYMENTS (\$1000)			
	1940	1945	1947	1948	1940	1945	1947	1948
Noncontributory retirement systems, total	32,206	37,614	65,607	74,683	53,309	65,428	134,624	160,709
Army.....	15,760	18,908	29,427	33,421	27,121	36,745	62,556	73,193
Navy.....	12,529	11,981	25,534	29,685	19,901	19,298	52,980	65,713
Marine Corps.....	1,383	1,717	3,567	4,031	2,624	2,687	6,463	7,922
Coast Guard ¹	1,700	2,099	4,067	4,510	2,161	3,179	8,581	9,729
Lighthouse Service.....	718	832	851	844	803	932	964	974
Coast and Geodetic Survey.....	10	9	27	33	35	30	97	133
Public Health Service.....	68	81	123	134	258	315	461	500
Retired Federal judges.....	38	43	42	47	406	467	442	570
Canal Zone ²		1,854	1,969	1,978		1,775	2,090	1,975
Contributory retirement systems:³								
Total benefits and refunds	2,680	16,181	9,598	9,014	1,180	3,147	3,936	4,086
Total benefits	711	1,108	1,312	1,425	872	1,519	1,919	2,143
Retirement, disability, and survivor monthly benefits, total.....	643	1,004	1,214	1,320	683	1,172	1,669	1,882
Foreign Service.....	97	188	221	273	297	525	761	909
Federal Reserve banks ⁴	532	771	880	900	373	606	839	900
Tennessee Valley Authority.....	1	20	82	125	(⁵)	10	32	39
Bureau Comptroller of Currency ⁶	13	25	31	31	13	31	37	34
Survivor lump-sum payments, total ⁷	68	104	98	96	189	347	250	261
Foreign Service.....	2			2	1			13
Federal Reserve banks ⁴	57	75	73	75	176	297	202	202
Tennessee Valley Authority.....	8	20	24	16	9	22	33	37
Bureau Comptroller of Currency ⁶	1	9	1	3	3	28	15	9
Refunds ⁸	1,969	15,073	8,286	7,589	308	1,628	2,017	1,943
Foreign Service.....	14	5	8	7	43	12	56	3
Federal Reserve banks ⁴	1,682	9,480	8,190	7,500	233	890	1,291	1,300
Tennessee Valley Authority.....	228	5,500	(⁹)	(⁹)	8	672	600	570
Bureau Comptroller of Currency ⁶	45	88	88	82	24	54	70	70

¹ Includes life-saving service.

² Special system for workers on Panama Canal during the construction period; administered by Civil Service Commission.

³ Excludes system for civilian instructors of Naval Academy.

⁴ Data adjusted from figures for fiscal years ending February 28.

⁵ Less than \$500.

⁶ Data adjusted from figures for calendar years.

⁷ Number of deceased active and retired members, and amount of payments.

⁸ Return of members' contributions with interest on separation from employment.

⁹ Not available.

Source: Federal Security Agency, Social Security Administration, Division of Research and Statistics.

No. 316.—STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS—
EXTENT OF COVERAGE, BY STATE AREA: JANUARY 1942

STATE AREA	ALL EMPLOYEES (NUMBER)			EMPLOYEES COVERED BY RETIREMENT SYSTEMS (NUMBER)				MONTHLY PAY ROLLS		
	Total	School	Non-school	Total covered	Per-cent of all em-ployees	School	Non-school	Total amount (in thou-sands)	Covered by retirement systems	
									Amount (in thou-sands)	Per-cent
Total.....	3,240,290	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	93,567	120,403	147,468	76.4	63,567	83,901	30,744	26,426	86.0
Colorado.....	31,243	13,073	17,370	8,626	27.6	3,422	5,204	3,567	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 Columbia ¹	15,369	4,369	11,000	15,700	37.1	13,230	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	34,465	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	10,191	13,499	4,934	2,736	61.7
Massachusetts.....	116,376	34,969	81,407	76,443	65.7	23,988	52,455	15,490	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	18,013	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	1,523	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	20,430	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	196,885	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	550	41.5
Ohio.....	175,469	67,329	108,130	128,350	73.2	59,042	69,317	20,633	15,666	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	87,998	134,149	146,921	66.1	84,397	62,524	27,030	18,869	69.8
Rhode Island.....	17,753	8,840	11,913	11,913	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	10,620	16,803	443	1.7	-----	443	1,678	69	4.4
Tennessee.....	55,627	29,640	25,987	8,292	14.9	3,945	4,347	4,672	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	6,283	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	20,544	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	44.4
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	237	839	55	6.6

¹ Not adjusted for minor revisions made subsequent to publication of source cited.

² Includes District employees covered by the District systems (teachers, policemen, and firemen) but excludes 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. 317.—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 employ- ees	Dis- abled employ- ees	Sur- vivors	Total	Retired em- ployees	Dis- abled em- ployees	Sur- vivors
Total 1.....	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 2.....	99,679	67,035	7,626	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	10,283	1,090	2,775	75	81	71	56
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.....	8,650	5,130	867	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.....	2,326	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)	-----

1 Includes townships, not shown separately.
 2 Includes 37 school districts and 6 special-purpose districts. 3 Includes 2 school districts.
 4 Not computed because number and extent of systems too restricted.

**No. 318.—STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS—
ESTIMATED ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS, ANNUAL BENEFIT PAYMENTS, AND ASSETS:
1941**

GOVERNMENTAL UNIT AND POPULATION- SIZE CLASS	ANNUAL EMPLOYEE CON- TRIBUTIONS		ANNUAL GOVERN- MENTAL CON- TRIBUTIONS		ANNUAL BENEFIT PAYMENTS 1		Assets at end of year (1,000)
	Total amount (1,000)	Per covered em- ployee	Total amount (1,000)	Per covered em- ployee	Total amount (1,000)	Per bene- ficiary	
Total 1.....	\$110,689	\$74	\$158,410	\$106	\$146,753	\$927	\$1,735,486
State systems	60,733	65	54,885	59	42,245	758	931,175
State employees.....	6,895	63	3,079	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	7,750	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 2.....	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	30	584	254
Under 50,000.....	27	45	40	07	24	500	240

1 Excludes refunds to members withdrawing from systems. 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 Includes townships, not shown separately.
 3 Includes 37 school districts and 6 special-purpose districts.
 4 Includes 2 school districts.

No. 319.—STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEMS—
PAYMENTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS, BY STATES: FISCAL YEARS 1941 AND 1944

[In thousands. 1941 estimates prepared jointly by Bureau of Research and Statistics of Social Security Administration and Governments Division of Bureau of Census on basis of mail canvass of systems. 1944 estimates based on published annual reports of some of larger systems and financial statistics collected annually by Governments Division, Bureau of Census]

STATE	TOTAL PAYMENTS ¹		REFUNDS OF CONTRIBUTIONS		GOVERNMENT CONTRIBUTIONS		EMPLOYEE CONTRIBUTIONS	
	1941	1944	1941	1944	1941	1944	1941	1944
Total	\$165, 124	\$212, 926	\$18, 374	\$30, 855	\$157, 281	\$207, 628	\$114, 235	\$132, 172
Alabama.....	234	375	11	30	255	321	174	760
Arizona.....	125	287	(²)	27	147	449	9	417
Arkansas.....	145	296	30	61	230	661	171	358
California.....	11, 451	17, 039	1, 489	3, 181	14, 573	20, 287	10, 965	12, 907
Colorado.....	869	1, 083	91	134	779	953	281	315
Connecticut.....	2, 571	3, 265	373	486	2, 234	2, 869	1, 735	1, 961
Delaware.....	84	128	4	10	44	71	21	69
District of Columbia.....	1, 786	2, 294	101	226	1, 578	1, 856	533	569
Florida.....	564	910	32	164	785	1, 130	907	1, 217
Georgia.....	505	679	16	42	418	525	341	332
Idaho.....								
Illinois.....	15, 643	20, 031	949	1, 423	11, 821	13, 960	7, 120	7, 963
Indiana.....	2, 494	3, 360	201	477	2, 183	3, 710	2, 484	2, 524
Iowa.....	542	670	11	18	576	725	195	219
Kansas.....	209	365	8	77	305	372	306	710
Kentucky.....	229	382	4	27	740	915	556	649
Louisiana.....	589	1, 063	113	255	1, 177	1, 547	794	1, 000
Maine.....	492	798	60	153	450	1, 751	143	466
Maryland.....	2, 446	2, 980	462	549	2, 917	3, 884	1, 462	1, 877
Massachusetts.....	10, 495	12, 983	1, 676	2, 263	9, 595	10, 805	5, 983	6, 201
Michigan.....	5, 188	7, 535	428	995	3, 737	7, 574	3, 732	6, 945
Minnesota.....	3, 367	4, 293	565	965	2, 340	3, 058	2, 522	2, 733
Mississippi.....	22	29		2	19	24		5
Missouri.....	748	933	12	80	756	739	220	229
Montana.....	300	463	69	174	171	234	325	383
Nebraska.....	602	770		27	499	629	32	35
Nevada.....	64	96	21	35	46	84	53	78
New Hampshire.....	46	90	6	17	113	169	78	124
New Jersey.....	10, 293	13, 429	879	1, 770	8, 300	12, 179	5, 645	6, 242
New Mexico.....	68	145		5	112	150	2	2
New York.....	56, 528	70, 966	3, 510	7, 000	58, 262	67, 193	40, 567	41, 000
North Carolina.....	78	502	2	248	140	3, 051	94	2, 084
North Dakota.....	106	102	25	22	33	42	88	144
Ohio.....	11, 202	13, 311	2, 472	3, 010	9, 164	11, 106	7, 101	7, 539
Oklahoma.....	223	280	(²)	7	212	366	28	471
Oregon.....	506	654	26	54	353	404	362	434
Pennsylvania.....	13, 861	16, 097	3, 324	3, 870	11, 299	13, 332	9, 223	10, 021
Rhode Island.....	1, 200	1, 666	95	223	1, 176	1, 470	589	653
South Carolina.....	115	206		8	170	190	34	35
South Dakota.....	12	17	(²)	1	47	61	9	10
Tennessee.....	1, 345	1, 631	12	38	531	596	216	256
Texas.....	702	1, 789	344	914	517	4, 333	2, 970	3, 278
Utah.....	323	531	84	182	268	499	444	654
Vermont.....	80	99	9	14	64	106	29	31
Virginia.....	686	946	162	280	485	2, 017	204	1, 440
Washington.....	2, 078	2, 718	211	431	2, 049	3, 198	1, 820	2, 074
West Virginia.....	451	611	3	48	764	1, 523	895	1, 022
Wisconsin.....	3, 450	4, 114	480	832	4, 793	6, 487	2, 603	3, 603
Wyoming.....	10	15			18	23	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 Administration, Division of Research and Statistics; 1941 data from Report No. 12 (supplement); 1944 data not published elsewhere.

11. Income and Expenditures

The income statistics in this section are of two fundamental types: First, those which provide data on aggregate amounts (national income and national product data) and second, those which provide data on the distribution of families or persons by size of their income (size distribution data). The former are represented by tables 320-324. These statistics are compiled by the Office of Business Economics of the Department of Commerce and are based on a wide variety of data from government and private sources. The statistics representing the latter type of income data (tables 325-337) are derived from sample surveys of income conducted by several different agencies. Since these surveys were taken at different times and for different purposes, they differ somewhat in the definitions of income and the income-receiving unit. In addition to the income data, two tables (325 and 329) showing the types and amount of expenditures and the savings of families and single person, have been included in this section. Another table (No. 454) in the Banking and Finance section presents data on the distribution of family liquid assets and savings by income groups. These data are based on the Survey of Consumer Finances conducted by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

Aggregate income.—The aggregate income statistics presented in tables 320-324 are of three general types: gross national product or expenditure (including a separate table showing personal consumption expenditures), national income (by distributive shares and by industrial origin), and income payments to individuals by States. **Gross national product** is the market value of the output of goods and services produced by the Nation's economy, before deduction of depreciation charges and other allowances for business and institutional consumption of durable capital goods. Other business products used up by business in the accounting period are excluded. The Nation's economy in this context refers to the labor and property supplied by residents of the Nation. Gross national product comprises the purchases of goods and services by consumers and government, gross private domestic investment, and net foreign investment.

National income is the aggregate earnings of labor and property which arise from the current production of goods and services by the Nation's economy. Thus, it measures the total factor costs of the goods and services produced by the economy. The Nation's economy in this context refers to the labor and property supplied by residents of the Nation. Earnings are recorded in the forms in which they accrue to residents of the Nation, inclusive of taxes on those earnings.

National income originating by industry is the sum of factor costs incurred by the industry in production. Hence, it is the net value added to production by the industry, measured at factor costs.

Income payments to individuals is a measure of income received by residents of each State from business establishments and governmental agencies. It comprises income received by individuals in form of (1) wages and salaries, after deduction of employees' contributions to social security, railroad retirement, railroad unemployment insurance, and government retirement programs; (2) proprietors' incomes, representing net income of unincorporated establishments, including farms, before owners' withdrawals; (3) property income, consisting of dividends, interest, and net rents and royalties; and (4) "other" income, which includes public assistance and other direct relief; labor income items such as work relief, government retirement payments, veterans' pensions and benefits, workmen's compensation, and social insurance benefits; mustering-out payments to discharged servicemen; family-allowance payments and voluntary allotments of pay to dependents of military personnel; enlisted men's

cash terminal leave payments; and State government bonuses to veterans of World War II. For discussion of distribution by State, see headnote, table 322.

Size distribution of income.—The statistics on the size distribution of income presented in tables 325 to 337 are based on data collected in various field surveys of income which have been conducted since 1936. The primary purpose of these field surveys was to show the distribution of families or persons by income levels rather than the aggregate amounts of income received by these families. Whereas the aggregate income data provide an indication of the level of total purchasing power, the field survey size distribution data, by showing the numbers and kinds of families and persons in each income bracket, provide an indication of the distribution of purchasing power in the population. In each of these field surveys trained enumerators interviewed representative samples of the civilian noninstitutional population with respect to the income received by the respondents or their families during the previous year.

The income represented in tables 326 to 337 is consumer money income, defined as the sum of civilian money wages and salaries; net farm entrepreneurial income; net nonfarm entrepreneurial income from business or profession; interest, dividends, and cash income from estates and trusts; rents and royalties; armed forces pay of persons living in private households at the time of the survey; dependency allotments and contributions from members of the armed forces; veterans payments; social security payments, unemployment and workmen's compensation, pensions and assistance; and miscellaneous items such as periodic contributions for support from persons not in the household, periodic payments from insurance policies or annuities, and alimony. The income is for the calendar year (except in the case of the 1935 data) and is before deduction of income taxes (except for 1944 Bureau of Labor Statistics data in table 325) or social security taxes. Nonmoney items of income are not covered. None of the aggregate income concepts (gross national product, national income, or personal income) is comparable with consumer money income. The nearest approximation is personal income.

Expenditures and savings.—The Bureau of Labor Statistics most recent survey of family income, expenditures, and savings on a Nation-wide basis is for the year 1944. The Survey of Prices Paid by Consumers in 1944 was based on a sample of 1,700 families and single persons in 28 metropolitan districts and 20 cities with populations under 50,000 outside of metropolitan districts. These places were selected to represent (with respect to region, State and city size) all cities in the United States with a population of 2,500 or more.

For this study a family is defined as a group of persons dependent on a common or pooled income for the major items of expense and usually living in the same household. A single person is one who lives in a private home, lodging house, or hotel. Since 1945, the Bureau has made similar surveys of family expenditure in three cities each year to obtain data necessary to check the prices and weighting patterns used in the consumers' price index; 1945 expenditure data were obtained for Birmingham, Ala.; Indianapolis, Ind.; and Portland, Oreg. (see *Monthly Labor Review*, June 1948); 1946 data for Milwaukee, Wis.; Scranton, Pa., and Savannah, Ga. (available upon request to the Bureau of Labor Statistics); 1947 data for Washington, D. C.; Manchester, N. H.; and Richmond, Va. (see *Monthly Labor Review*, April 1949); and 1948 data for Denver, Colo.; Detroit, Mich.; and Houston, Tex. (available in 1950).

Historical statistics.—In this section, tabular headnotes (as "See also *Historic al Statistics*, series A 117-133") provide cross-references, where applicable, to *Historical Statistics of the United States, 1789-1945*. In that historical supplement to the *Statistical Abstract*, statistics are carried back year by year as far as possible. See also the historical appendix of the present issue of the *Abstract* for specific titles of series and the earliest year shown in the supplement.

No. 320.—NATIONAL INCOME BY DISTRIBUTIVE SHARES: 1929 TO 1948

[National income is aggregate earnings of labor and property which arise from current production of goods and services by the Nation's economy. Thus, it measures total factor costs of goods and services produced by the economy. Nation's economy refers to labor and property supplied by residents of the Nation. Earnings are recorded in forms in which they accrue to residents of the Nation, inclusive of taxes on those earnings. See also *Historical Statistics*, series A 117-133]

[In millions of dollars]

TYPE OF SHARE	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
National income	87,355	75,003	58,873	41,690	39,584	48,613	56,789	64,719	73,627	67,375
Compensation of employees.....	50,786	46,515	39,470	30,826	29,330	34,067	37,107	42,675	47,696	44,747
Wages and salaries.....	50,165	45,894	38,886	30,284	28,825	33,520	36,508	41,764	45,948	42,812
Private.....	45,206	40,720	33,607	25,297	23,000	27,420	29,984	33,866	38,432	34,564
Military.....	312	315	308	295	270	271	306	338	358	370
Government civilian ¹	4,647	4,859	4,971	4,692	4,895	5,829	6,218	7,550	7,158	7,875
Supplements to wages and salaries.....	621	621	584	542	605	547	599	921	1,748	1,935
Employer contributions for social insurance.....	101	106	111	126	133	147	171	418	1,234	1,423
Other labor income.....	520	515	473	416	372	400	428	503	514	512
Income of unincorporated enterprises and inventory valuation adjustment.....	13,927	10,963	8,214	4,921	5,207	6,603	9,858	9,042	12,249	10,768
Business and professional.....	8,262	7,032	5,316	3,206	2,925	4,276	4,987	6,074	6,630	6,347
Income of unincorporated enterprises.....	8,120	6,277	4,705	2,911	3,450	4,330	5,037	6,194	6,659	6,126
Inventory valuation adjustment.....	142	755	611	295	-525	-584	-50	-120	-29	221
Farm ²	5,665	3,931	2,898	1,715	2,282	2,327	4,871	3,868	5,149	4,421
Rental income of persons.....	5,811	4,786	3,620	2,508	2,018	2,095	2,288	2,682	3,610	3,278
Corporate profits and inventory valuation adjustment.....	10,290	6,563	1,631	-1,995	-1,981	1,098	2,997	4,946	6,166	4,292
Corporate profits before tax.....	9,813	3,303	-783	-3,042	152	1,723	3,224	5,684	6,197	3,329
Corporate profits tax liability.....	1,398	848	500	382	524	740	965	1,411	1,512	1,040
Corporate profits after tax.....	8,420	2,455	-1,283	-3,424	-362	977	2,259	4,273	4,685	2,289
Dividends.....	5,823	5,500	4,098	2,574	2,066	2,503	2,872	4,557	4,693	3,105
Undistributed profits.....	2,597	-3,045	-5,381	-5,998	-2,428	-1,619	-613	-284	-8	-906
Inventory valuation adjustment.....	472	3,260	2,414	1,047	-2,143	-625	-227	-738	-31	963
Net interest.....	6,541	6,176	5,938	5,430	5,010	4,760	4,539	4,474	4,376	4,290

TYPE OF SHARE	1939	1940 ³	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948 ³
National income	72,532	81,347	103,834	136,486	168,262	182,407	181,731	179,289	202,500	224,400
Compensation of employees.....	47,820	51,786	64,280	84,689	109,102	121,119	122,908	117,294	127,501	139,400
Wages and salaries.....	45,745	49,587	61,708	81,681	105,637	116,882	117,556	111,710	122,159	134,400
Private.....	37,519	41,130	51,637	65,628	78,671	83,333	82,046	91,016	104,727	115,600
Military.....	398	591	1,862	6,285	14,478	20,766	22,476	7,761	3,876	3,500
Government civilian ¹	7,828	7,866	8,309	9,768	12,383	12,843	13,034	12,933	13,556	15,200
Supplements to wages and salaries.....	2,075	2,199	2,572	3,008	3,565	4,237	5,352	5,584	5,342	5,000
Employer contributions for social insurance.....	1,540	1,624	1,983	2,302	2,677	2,935	3,803	3,951	3,520	3,000
Other labor income.....	535	575	589	706	888	1,302	1,549	1,633	1,822	2,000
Income of unincorporated enterprises and inventory valuation adjustment.....	11,282	12,660	16,504	22,724	25,951	27,370	20,051	35,064	38,866	43,500
Business and professional.....	6,776	7,720	9,566	12,112	14,128	15,435	16,791	20,436	23,216	25,200
Income of unincorporated enterprises.....	6,942	7,772	10,210	12,464	14,266	15,486	16,853	21,815	24,384	(⁴)
Inventory valuation adjustment.....	-166	-52	-644	-352	-138	-51	-62	-1,379	-1,168	(⁴)
Farm ²	4,506	4,940	6,938	10,612	11,823	11,935	12,200	14,628	15,650	18,200
Rental income of persons.....	3,465	3,620	4,322	5,371	6,150	6,735	6,991	6,702	7,131	7,400
Corporate profits and inventory valuation adjustment.....	5,753	9,177	14,615	19,824	23,692	24,039	19,776	16,812	24,709	29,200
Corporate profits before tax.....	6,467	9,325	17,232	21,098	24,516	24,333	20,389	21,840	29,784	32,200
Corporate profits tax liability.....	1,462	2,878	7,846	11,665	14,153	13,625	11,641	9,000	11,079	12,500
Corporate profits after tax.....	5,005	6,447	9,386	9,433	10,363	10,808	8,748	12,840	15,705	19,700
Dividends.....	3,798	4,049	4,465	4,207	4,477	4,680	4,720	5,605	6,880	7,800
Undistributed profits.....	1,209	2,398	4,921	5,136	5,886	6,128	4,028	7,235	11,105	11,900
Inventory valuation adjustment.....	-714	-148	-2,617	-1,274	-824	-294	-613	-5,028	-5,075	-3,000
Net interest.....	4,212	4,104	4,113	3,878	3,367	3,144	3,005	3,417	4,293	4,900

¹ Includes pay of employees of government enterprises and of permanent U. S. residents employed in U. S. by foreign governments and international organizations.

² Inventory valuation adjustment data for farms are not available separately.

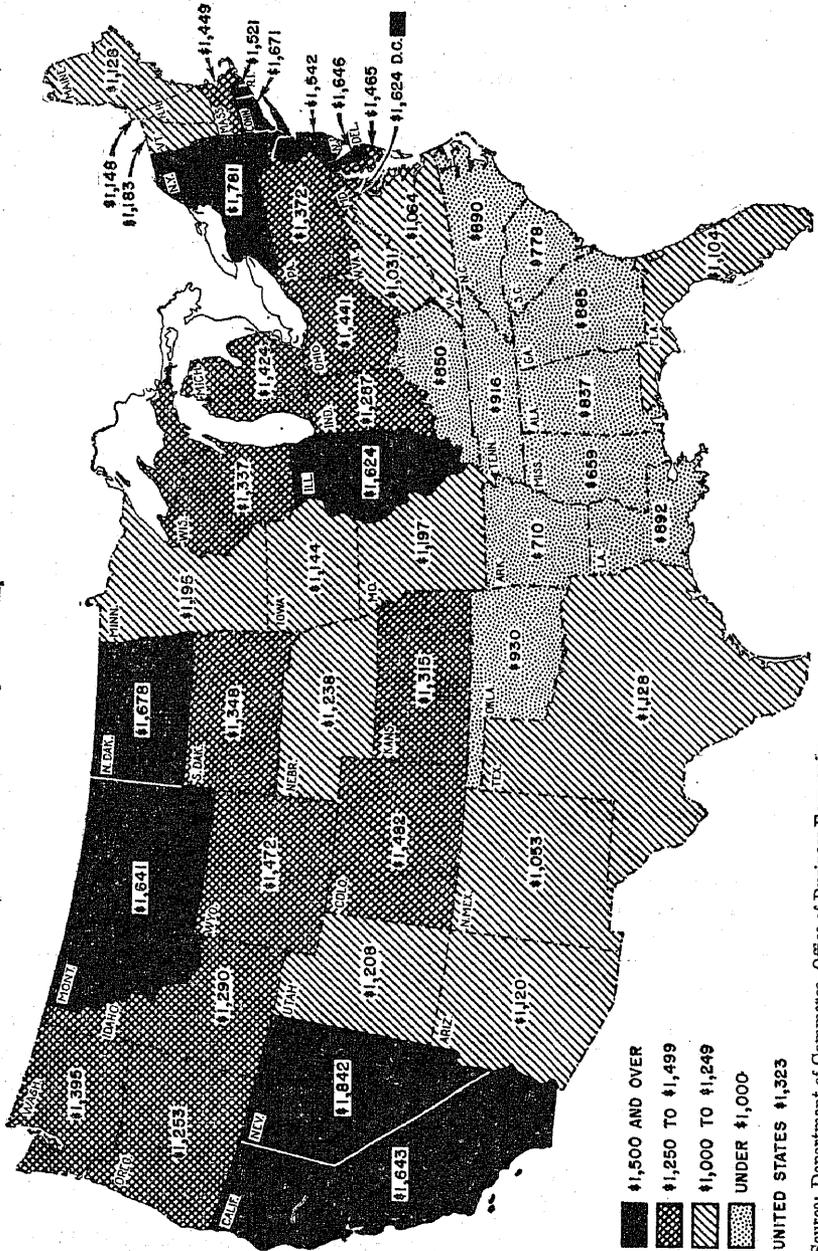
³ Preliminary estimates rounded to nearest 100 million.

⁴ Not available.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; Survey of Current Business (National Income Supplement, July 1947, and July 1948 and February 1949 issues).

FIGURE K.—PER CAPITA INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS: 1947

[See table 322]



Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics.

NATIONAL INCOME

No. 321.—NATIONAL INCOME BY INDUSTRIAL ORIGIN: 1930 TO 1947

In millions of dollars. National income originating in each industry is the sum of factor costs incurred by the industry in production. Hence, it is net value added to production by industry, measured at factor costs

INDUSTRIAL DIVISION	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
All industries, total	75,003	58,373	41,690	39,584	43,613	56,789	64,719	73,627	67,375	72,532	81,347	103,884	136,486	168,262	182,407	181,731	179,289	202,500
Agriculture, forestry, and fisheries	6,022	4,625	3,080	3,521	3,568	6,231	6,327	7,249	6,003	6,120	6,599	8,880	12,937	14,524	14,805	15,255	17,972	19,287
Mining, total	1,665	994	680	662	1,173	1,243	1,551	1,941	1,483	1,601	1,903	2,341	2,590	2,739	2,943	2,799	3,007	3,084
Anthracite	1,281	229	130	130	1,172	1,139	1,446	1,837	1,113	1,298	1,338	1,665	1,900	2,110	2,248	2,190	2,065	2,081
Bituminous and other soft coal	384	379	239	255	416	446	537	603	487	503	628	809	989	1,125	1,271	1,206	1,255	1,729
Contract construction	3,088	2,139	1,030	785	1,084	1,257	1,918	2,017	1,930	2,254	2,593	4,370	6,954	5,605	4,118	4,212	4,688	8,733
Manufacturing, total	18,270	12,434	7,196	7,563	10,322	13,336	16,183	19,304	14,987	17,986	22,363	32,887	45,144	57,567	60,055	51,937	48,139	61,715
Food and kindred products	2,395	1,865	1,408	1,385	1,600	1,882	2,077	2,400	2,205	2,483	2,838	3,683	5,083	4,328	5,040	5,155	5,566	6,469
Textile-mill products	1,404	1,147	713	687	1,100	1,200	1,356	1,597	1,093	1,259	1,511	2,036	2,829	3,024	2,959	3,015	4,113	6,100
Apparel and other finished fabric products	997	807	491	532	775	841	958	982	910	1,016	1,109	1,429	1,909	2,306	2,534	2,668	3,247	3,673
Paper and allied products	503	388	270	280	419	463	502	562	573	555	600	710	1,124	1,242	1,346	1,348	1,708	2,048
Printing and publishing	1,490	1,213	880	790	925	1,037	1,161	1,247	1,132	1,206	1,247	1,359	1,442	1,750	2,054	2,263	2,707	3,096
Chemicals and allied products	1,035	827	690	690	735	810	959	1,165	1,005	1,205	1,439	1,941	2,751	3,293	3,358	3,240	3,007	3,610
Iron and steel and their products	2,212	1,109	410	682	1,085	1,478	2,061	2,586	1,586	2,259	3,057	5,048	6,833	9,000	9,052	7,428	5,812	5,186
Nonferrous metals and their products	640	415	197	155	385	469	561	702	440	594	793	1,201	1,479	1,903	1,896	1,640	1,680	2,134
Machinery (except electrical)	1,485	755	298	426	755	1,021	1,398	1,759	1,247	1,492	2,181	3,850	5,379	5,917	5,840	5,056	4,480	6,117
Electrical machinery	1,824	502	244	276	376	626	708	908	669	850	1,136	1,915	2,492	3,228	3,722	3,090	2,292	3,420
Transportation equipment except automobiles	288	142	89	69	119	139	231	332	264	397	813	2,276	6,192	12,049	12,480	7,746	7,464	1,980
Wholesale and retail trade, total	11,998	9,604	6,290	5,375	7,892	9,006	10,319	11,938	11,632	12,126	13,748	15,903	18,136	21,263	23,846	26,619	33,225	37,531
Wholesale trade	3,777	2,641	1,681	1,381	2,297	2,726	3,005	3,683	3,597	3,568	4,108	4,708	5,460	6,037	6,303	7,452	8,523	10,326
Retail trade and auto. services	8,221	6,941	4,609	3,994	5,595	6,280	7,314	8,245	8,145	8,558	9,640	11,195	12,726	15,226	17,043	19,167	24,402	27,205
Finance, insurance, and real estate, total	10,693	8,511	6,452	5,681	5,861	6,294	7,165	7,943	8,026	8,216	8,489	9,523	10,969	12,183	13,255	13,994	15,046	16,479
Banking	1,478	934	728	493	541	665	776	892	842	876	8,473	1,088	1,174	1,379	1,664	1,865	2,184	2,439
Insurance carriers, agents, and combination offices	1,222	1,094	924	881	991	1,075	1,168	1,321	1,329	1,345	1,328	1,395	1,519	1,614	1,674	1,709	2,117	2,346
Real estate	7,853	6,402	4,778	4,060	4,069	4,313	4,833	5,353	5,483	5,675	5,908	6,743	7,840	8,722	9,448	9,508	10,080	11,069
Transportation, total	5,513	4,285	3,133	2,958	3,326	3,612	4,198	4,530	3,961	4,543	4,915	6,188	8,459	10,593	11,206	10,549	10,318	11,332
Railroads	3,763	2,814	1,965	1,849	2,040	2,236	2,614	2,797	2,368	2,735	2,934	3,779	5,550	6,930	6,955	6,088	5,576	6,199
Communications and public utilities, total	2,787	2,281	1,168	1,109	1,286	1,376	1,584	1,733	1,602	1,713	2,003	3,313	3,660	3,915	4,101	4,323	4,948	5,402
Telephone and telegraph	1,097	691	791	692	740	779	841	948	803	1,008	1,022	1,135	1,323	1,464	1,676	1,787	2,027	2,403
Utilities: electric and gas	1,690	1,590	407	466	546	600	743	785	800	705	995	2,178	2,337	2,451	2,435	2,541	2,925	3,000
Services	9,019	7,714	6,006	5,287	6,106	6,526	7,316	8,049	7,728	8,080	8,637	9,700	10,960	12,242	13,569	14,555	17,184	18,383
Government and Government enterprises, total	5,336	5,447	5,171	5,349	6,295	6,747	8,130	7,795	8,548	8,580	8,796	10,479	16,399	27,272	34,283	37,360	23,681	18,987
Federal—general government	935	942	901	1,187	1,718	1,791	3,592	3,036	3,529	3,444	3,537	5,046	10,791	21,288	27,978	30,526	14,529	9,173
State and local—general government	3,690	3,737	3,565	3,884	4,178	4,956	4,896	3,889	4,121	4,245	4,260	4,368	4,442	4,883	4,622	5,323	6,320	7,690
Rest of the world ¹	612	495	371	293	241	252	164	148	334	384	280	231	238	259	226	158	265	266

¹ Profits received by domestic corporations from foreign branches excluded here and included in industry of recipient corporation.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; Survey of Current Business (National Income Supplement, July 1947, and July 1948 issues).

No. 322.—INCOME PAYMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS, BY STATES: 1929 TO 1947

[Income payments are distributed among States on a where-received basis (with exception of wages and salaries, as noted below). Only payments made to residents are included in estimates for continental United States and individual States. Per capita income payments are derived by division of total income payments by total population excluding Federal civilian and military personnel stationed outside continental United States. In five instances, however, income was transferred from place of recipients' employment to place of residence before computation of per capita income. These are New York, New Jersey, District of Columbia, Maryland, and Virginia. In this connection, it should be noted that the wage-and-salary component of total income payments is allocated by States on basis of State of employment, rather than of residence. For all States, except the five listed above, it is assumed that State of employment is identical with State of residence. For definition of income payments to individuals, see text, p. 279.]

STATE	AMOUNT (MILLIONS OF DOLLARS)						PER CAPITA (DOLLARS)					
	1929	1933	1939	1941	1946	1947	1929	1933	1939	1941	1946	1947
United States.....	82,617	46,273	70,601	92,269	171,200	189,734	680	368	539	693	1,213	1,323
Alabama.....	802	419	681	1,037	2,089	2,371	305	154	242	367	739	837
Arizona.....	245	120	227	287	6,631	721	373	263	461	538	1,045	1,120
Arkansas.....	552	288	478	658	1,394	1,353	305	152	246	337	701	710
California.....	5,217	3,113	5,047	7,044	15,164	16,121	945	511	741	955	1,574	1,643
Colorado.....	633	358	553	695	1,398	1,695	616	336	505	606	1,216	1,432
Connecticut.....	1,459	858	1,301	1,837	2,889	3,209	918	540	764	1,070	1,510	1,671
Delaware.....	213	127	203	278	435	479	919	513	771	1,018	1,543	1,646
District of Columbia.....	638	495	813	1,040	1,739	1,795	1,191	806	1,031	1,079	1,546	1,624
Florida.....	605	425	819	1,062	2,462	2,571	484	272	442	522	1,082	1,104
Georgia.....	956	596	901	1,241	2,529	2,773	329	200	290	339	797	885
Idaho.....	230	115	213	278	595	677	518	242	411	533	1,133	1,290
Illinois.....	7,035	3,335	5,285	6,889	12,101	13,630	932	431	671	874	1,501	1,624
Indiana.....	1,877	978	1,688	2,437	4,398	4,936	383	296	495	700	1,168	1,287
Iowa.....	1,345	644	1,185	1,527	2,948	2,963	346	253	463	605	1,150	1,144
Kansas.....	997	474	692	874	2,009	2,531	532	258	383	543	1,062	1,315
Kentucky.....	964	534	839	1,042	2,173	2,364	371	199	297	370	782	850
Louisiana.....	862	437	823	1,066	2,036	2,270	415	222	354	434	803	892
Maine.....	449	297	400	605	916	998	566	364	474	598	1,059	1,128
Maryland.....	1,106	720	1,074	1,516	2,728	2,934	703	441	634	847	1,345	1,465
Massachusetts.....	3,787	2,385	3,106	3,846	6,324	6,718	897	553	719	889	1,394	1,449
Michigan.....	3,543	1,641	3,034	4,271	7,443	8,641	745	348	591	801	1,266	1,424
Minnesota.....	1,443	812	1,378	1,626	3,123	3,450	566	307	497	583	1,102	1,195
Mississippi.....	544	256	436	630	1,202	1,382	273	123	201	276	575	669
Missouri.....	2,210	1,244	1,832	2,363	4,374	4,671	612	337	486	615	1,134	1,197
Montana.....	325	153	288	372	668	801	602	290	515	670	1,392	1,641
Nebraska.....	764	374	523	655	1,478	1,589	557	275	397	512	1,148	1,238
Nevada.....	74	43	84	107	239	256	817	447	767	907	1,770	1,842
New Hampshire.....	302	200	268	309	548	613	652	420	548	627	1,075	1,148
New Jersey.....	3,268	1,985	2,859	3,670	6,228	6,740	947	535	746	926	1,443	1,542
New Mexico.....	161	90	179	222	492	576	383	196	341	412	920	1,023
New York.....	14,479	8,509	11,301	13,384	23,271	25,624	1,125	644	825	980	1,651	1,781
North Carolina.....	965	677	1,090	1,436	3,023	3,290	309	205	308	391	809	890
North Dakota.....	254	126	209	331	634	908	389	190	325	537	1,183	1,678
Ohio.....	4,920	2,601	4,154	5,646	9,851	11,061	748	386	603	818	1,314	1,441
Oklahoma.....	1,079	537	795	956	1,897	2,124	455	226	340	464	821	930
Oregon.....	603	337	537	824	1,763	1,936	640	337	544	722	1,220	1,283
Pennsylvania.....	7,338	4,027	5,819	7,404	12,712	14,426	767	414	589	750	1,244	1,372
Rhode Island.....	579	366	480	651	1,016	1,133	851	533	678	922	1,367	1,521
South Carolina.....	438	299	493	703	1,407	1,517	252	167	261	358	732	778
South Dakota.....	288	118	227	301	664	779	417	172	351	493	1,205	1,348
Tennessee.....	905	516	853	1,221	2,558	2,830	349	190	295	411	849	916
Texas.....	2,668	1,552	2,554	3,269	6,918	8,014	465	257	401	496	977	1,128
Utah.....	272	143	243	329	696	775	537	275	443	578	1,076	1,208
Vermont.....	216	127	174	219	385	433	601	351	483	620	1,097	1,183
Virginia.....	987	639	996	1,484	2,796	2,992	422	266	402	568	970	1,064
Washington.....	1,104	598	1,012	1,501	3,122	3,289	713	369	588	826	1,326	1,395
West Virginia.....	793	474	714	905	1,652	1,940	464	265	378	474	901	1,031
Wisconsin.....	1,849	938	1,514	2,041	3,817	4,241	634	312	485	654	1,208	1,337
Wyoming.....	154	87	141	174	335	390	687	369	567	649	1,264	1,472

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; Survey of Current Business, August 1948.

No. 323.—GROSS NATIONAL PRODUCT OR EXPENDITURE: 1929 TO 1948

[Gross national product represents total value of currently produced goods and services flowing to Government, to consumers, and for purposes of gross capital formation to business. Differs from national income by including business taxes, charges to depreciation, and certain other business reserves. These are elements of value of total production, but do not constitute income accruing to individuals. See also *Historical Statistics*, series A 101-116]

[Millions of dollars]

ITEM	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938
Gross national product	103,828	90,857	75,930	58,340	55,760	64,868	72,193	82,483	90,213	84,683
Personal consumption expenditures.....	78,761	70,789	61,153	49,208	46,346	51,882	56,215	62,515	67,121	64,513
Durable goods.....	9,362	7,275	5,569	3,694	3,503	4,255	5,168	6,374	7,005	5,754
Nondurable goods.....	37,742	34,052	28,955	22,743	22,254	26,732	29,377	32,887	35,232	34,032
Services.....	31,657	29,462	26,629	22,771	20,589	20,895	21,680	23,254	24,884	24,727
Gross private domestic investment.....	15,824	10,209	5,362	886	1,306	2,807	6,146	8,318	11,440	6,311
New construction ¹	7,824	5,566	3,561	1,668	1,142	1,420	1,890	2,783	3,687	3,309
Producers' durable equipment.....	6,438	4,926	3,162	1,781	1,783	2,531	3,351	4,531	5,444	3,975
Change in business inventories.....	1,562	-283	-1,361	-2,563	-1,619	-1,144	905	1,004	2,309	-973
Net foreign investment.....	771	600	197	169	150	429	-54	-93	62	1,109
Government purchases of goods and services.....	8,472	9,169	9,218	8,077	7,958	9,750	9,886	11,743	11,590	12,750
Federal.....	1,311	1,410	1,537	1,480	2,018	2,901	2,931	4,815	4,552	5,280
War ²	1,844	1,432	1,549	1,484	2,022	2,997	2,935	4,818	4,557	5,286
Nonwar ²	33	22	12	4	4	6	4	3	5	6
Less: Government sales ³	7,161	7,759	7,681	6,597	5,940	6,759	6,955	6,928	7,038	7,470

ITEM	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948 ⁴
Gross national product	90,426	100,477	125,294	159,628	192,573	212,231	213,429	209,266	231,636	254,900
Personal consumption expenditures.....	67,466	72,052	82,255	90,835	101,626	111,401	122,830	147,363	164,755	177,700
Durable goods.....	6,729	7,854	9,750	6,845	6,515	6,890	8,254	16,242	20,963	22,700
Nondurable goods.....	35,258	37,594	43,960	52,962	61,205	67,473	75,367	87,478	96,487	103,600
Services.....	25,479	26,604	28,545	31,028	33,906	37,038	39,209	43,643	47,305	51,400
Gross private domestic investment.....	9,004	12,983	17,211	9,330	4,591	6,395	9,244	26,458	30,031	39,700
New construction ¹	3,986	4,600	5,661	3,212	2,010	2,347	3,314	8,903	11,662	14,000
Producers' durable equipment.....	4,577	6,108	7,676	4,702	3,761	5,402	7,272	12,784	17,751	21,400
Change in business inventories.....	441	2,275	3,874	1,416	-1,180	-1,354	-1,342	4,771	618	3,800
Net foreign investment.....	888	1,509	1,124	-207	-2,245	-2,099	-1,438	4,672	8,898	1,500
Government purchases of goods and services.....	13,068	13,933	24,704	59,670	88,601	96,534	82,793	30,773	27,952	36,000
Federal.....	5,157	6,170	16,923	52,027	81,223	89,006	74,796	20,792	15,616	20,900
War ²	1,258	2,223	13,794	49,567	80,384	88,615	75,923	21,184	16,926	21,500
Nonwar ²	3,908	3,956	3,173	2,664	1,480	1,552	1,031	2,469	1,310	600
Less: Government sales ³	9	9	44	204	641	1,161	2,158	2,861	1,310	600
State and local.....	7,911	7,763	7,781	7,643	7,378	7,528	7,997	9,981	12,336	15,100

¹ Includes construction expenditures for crude petroleum and natural gas drilling.

² Classification of purchases of goods and services into war and nonwar conforms, in general, to Daily Treasury Statement classification of general and special account expenditures. War purchases include also that part of capital formation of government enterprises which is attributable to their war activities. Government contributions to National Service Life Insurance Fund are classified as war; all other government contributions for social insurance, as nonwar.

³ Consists of sales abroad and domestic sales of surplus consumption goods and materials.

⁴ Preliminary estimates, rounded to nearest 100 million.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; Survey of Current Business (National Income Supplement, July 1947, and July 1948 and February 1949 issues).

No. 324.—PERSONAL CONSUMPTION EXPENDITURES: 1939 TO 1948

[Represents market value of purchases of goods and services by individuals and nonprofit institutions and value of food, clothing, housing, and financial services received by them as income in kind. Includes rental value of owner-occupied houses, but not purchases of dwellings which are classified as capital goods. Includes expenditures by Federal civilian and military personnel temporarily abroad]

[Millions of dollars]

ITEM	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948 ¹
All goods and services	67,466	72,052	82,255	90,835	101,626	111,401	122,830	147,363	164,755	177,700
Durable goods	6,729	7,854	9,750	6,845	6,515	6,890	8,254	16,242	20,963	22,700
Automobiles and parts.....	2,136	2,728	3,342	582	619	778	1,044	4,485	7,197	8,400
Furniture and household equipment.....	3,404	3,826	4,788	4,425	3,722	3,686	4,364	7,981	9,838	10,300
Other durable goods.....	1,189	1,300	1,620	1,838	2,174	2,426	2,846	3,776	3,928	4,000
Nondurable goods	35,258	37,594	43,960	52,962	61,205	67,473	75,367	87,478	96,487	103,600
Clothing and shoes.....	7,024	7,855	8,781	11,119	13,821	15,411	17,249	18,780	19,215	20,300
Food and alcoholic beverages.....	10,209	20,725	24,403	30,542	35,581	39,292	43,425	51,594	57,016	61,900
Gasoline and oil.....	2,181	2,264	2,628	1,908	1,198	1,206	1,616	2,950	3,601	4,200
Semidurable housefurnish- ings.....	760	811	950	1,083	1,249	1,360	1,390	1,792	1,815	1,900
Tobacco.....	1,773	1,875	2,073	2,300	2,509	2,509	2,860	3,411	3,880	4,200
Other nondurable goods.....	4,221	4,534	5,125	6,010	6,847	7,695	8,818	8,951	10,060	11,200
Services	25,479	26,604	28,545	31,028	33,906	37,098	39,209	43,643	47,305	51,400
Household operation.....	3,585	3,839	4,033	4,472	4,832	5,455	5,989	6,288	7,004	7,700
Housing.....	8,940	9,217	9,863	10,578	11,085	11,736	12,226	13,166	14,429	16,000
Personal services.....	1,438	1,597	1,771	2,023	2,363	2,506	2,652	3,114	3,177	3,200
Recreation.....	1,560	1,672	1,821	2,043	2,197	2,638	2,948	3,707	3,832	3,900
Transportation.....	1,880	1,960	2,201	2,589	3,289	3,484	3,625	4,157	4,448	4,800
Other services.....	8,076	8,319	8,856	9,323	10,140	11,219	11,769	13,211	14,415	15,800

¹ Preliminary estimates.

Source: Department of Commerce, Office of Business Economics; Survey of Current Business (National Income Supplement, July 1947, and July 1948 and March 1949 issues).

No. 325.—AVERAGE MONEY INCOME, EXPENDITURES AND SAVINGS OF FAMILIES AND SINGLE PERSONS IN CITIES, BY INCOME CLASS: 1944

[Estimates based on sample survey of 1,700 consumer units in cities of 2,500 inhabitants or more. See headnote, table 327]

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 of families in each class.....	4.2	7.7	7.1	11.9	13.9	13.2	19.9	9.6	12.5
Average number of persons ¹	1.42	1.82	2.11	2.55	2.77	3.00	3.61	3.97	4.02
Average number of earners ².....	.38	.68	1.07	1.16	1.22	1.28	1.56	1.96	2.08
Money income after personal taxes ³	\$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 ⁴	235	368	506	646	747	908	1,034	1,147	1,383
Clothing.....	41	82	157	231	268	353	456	621	836
Housing, ⁵ fuel, light, and refrigeration.....	178	231	285	328	370	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 ³	1	28	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 ⁶	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 ⁷	-346	-288	-209	-170	-14	-74	107	212	1,394
FAMILIES OF 2 OR MORE PERSONS									
Percent of families in each class.....	1.5	5.2	5.3	10.7	14.0	14.7	23.0	11.2	14.4
Average number of persons ¹	2.45	2.45	2.78	3.03	3.10	3.13	3.69	4.01	4.13
Average number of earners ².....	.35	.72	1.16	1.22	1.27	1.31	1.57	1.97	2.12
Money income after personal taxes ³	\$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 ⁴	374	434	555	701	797	913	1,043	1,150	1,386
Clothing.....	42	80	163	234	283	364	462	623	848
Housing, ⁵ fuel, light and refrigeration.....	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	49	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	35	41	48	50	65	84	110
Recreation.....	3	15	28	46	55	63	82	105	137
Tobacco.....	10	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	52	26	17	29	44	50
Personal taxes ³	2	18	52	86	180	270	402	559	2,335
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 ⁶	15	81	28	82	147	233	316	410	1,206
Life and annuity insurance premiums.....	14	25	40	50	70	83	109	140	263
Other ⁷	-629	-413	-279	-216	-95	-88	98	216	1,367

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

² Earner defined as a family member that worked for pay (as wage or salary worker or on his own account) at any time during year.

³ Personal taxes (income, poll and personal property) have been deducted from money income. Total money income may be obtained by combining amounts shown for both items. Inheritances and large gifts are not considered current income; inheritances and gift taxes excluded from personal taxes.

⁴ Includes expenditures for alcoholic beverages.

⁵ 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.

⁶ Value of bonds purchased less those cashed.

⁷ Represents differences between income and expenditures plus net war bond purchases and insurance premium payments. Includes amounts deducted for social security, retirement plans, etc., not available separately.

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

No. 326.—PERCENT DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND SINGLE CONSUMERS BY MONEY INCOME CLASS: 1935-36

[Figures obtained by excluding nonmoney income from distribution shown in "Consumer Incomes in the United States: Their Distribution in 1935-36," U. S. National Resources Planning Board]

MONEY INCOME CLASS	Families and single consumers	FAMILIES OF 2 OR MORE PERSONS			
		Total	Urban	Rural non-farm	Rural farm
All incomes.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	24.7	22.5	11.5	21.8	50.7
\$500-\$1,000.....	28.3	26.5	24.7	30.1	27.8
\$1,000-\$1,500.....	19.6	20.2	23.7	21.2	10.8
\$1,500-\$2,000.....	11.4	12.5	15.9	11.8	4.7
\$2,000-\$3,000.....	9.7	11.1	14.7	9.4	3.5
\$3,000-\$5,000.....	4.0	7.2	6.2	5.7	2.5
\$5,000 and over.....	2.3		3.3		
Median ¹	\$946	\$1,025	\$1,201	\$908	\$493

¹ For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

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

No. 327.—PERCENT 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 non-farm	Rural farm	Total	Urban	Rural non-farm	Rural farm
Number (thousands).....	39,287	24,463	8,460	6,355	34,003	20,419	7,471	6,113
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	15.7	7.7	23.7	35.7	12.6	3.7	19.0	34.4
\$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-\$3,000.....	21.1	27.1	13.4	8.5	23.3	30.8	14.8	8.7
\$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 sample survey of 3,000 consumer units. Method of sampling used in this survey probably resulted in an underestimate of 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. 328.—DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND SINGLE CONSUMERS BY MONEY INCOME LEVEL: 1942

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

INCOME LEVEL	ALL FAMILIES AND SINGLE CONSUMERS		FAMILIES		SINGLE CONSUMERS	
	Number (thou-sands)	Percent	Number (thou-sands)	Percent	Number (thou-sands)	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. 329.—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 328]

ITEM	AGGREGATE OUTLAY (MILLIONS)			AVERAGE OUTLAY				
	All spending units	Families	Single consumers	Per spending unit			Per capita ¹	
				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 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 Includes only individual income taxes, poll taxes, and certain minor personal property taxes. Sales taxes, excise taxes, and all indirect taxes on consumption are included under expenditures for goods and services.

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

⁴ Money contributions to church, Red Cross, and other institutions and funds. ⁵ Money expenditures only.

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

No. 330.—DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS IN HOUSEHOLDS, BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL, URBAN AND RURAL: 1944 TO 1947

[Based on samples of population residing in households only. Excludes small number of families and individual residing in quasi households (hotels, large rooming houses, etc.). "Family" not used here with same meaning as in 1940 census. It refers to a group of two or more related persons residing in same household. "Individual" is used to refer to a person living alone or with persons not related to him]

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL	FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS ¹				FAMILIES				INDIVIDUALS NOT IN FAMILIES			
	1944	1945	1946	1947	1944	1945	1946	1947	1944	1945	1946	1947
UNITED STATES												
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	11.9	10.0	(?)	8.4	7.5	5.8	(?)	4.3	31.6	34.2	(?)	31.0
\$500 to \$999.....	11.3	9.5	(?)	8.4	9.5	7.7	(?)	6.4	19.2	19.7	(?)	19.7
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	11.5	9.1	(?)	8.7	10.2	8.4	(?)	7.8	17.3	13.6	(?)	13.4
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	10.6	12.0	(?)	9.0	10.4	12.1	(?)	8.8	11.3	11.6	(?)	10.5
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	11.2	12.4	(?)	11.0	11.7	13.0	(?)	11.3	9.1	8.9	(?)	9.3
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	9.5	11.5	(?)	9.9	10.6	12.5	(?)	10.7	4.6	5.5	(?)	5.5
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	9.4	9.3	(?)	10.1	11.0	10.3	(?)	11.4	2.6	3.4	(?)	3.3
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	6.7	6.0	(?)	7.5	7.9	7.0	(?)	8.3	1.5	.6	(?)	2.7
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	4.2	5.0	(?)	6.0	5.0	5.8	(?)	6.9	.9	.3	(?)	1.1
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	3.7	3.4	(?)	4.2	4.3	3.9	(?)	4.8	.7	.7	(?)	.8
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	4.1	5.3	(?)	6.7	5.0	6.1	(?)	7.7	.4	.3	(?)	.9
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	4.2	5.3	(?)	7.7	5.1	6.1	(?)	8.0	.5	.8	(?)	.8
\$10,000 and over.....	1.6	1.3	(?)	2.5	1.8	1.4	(?)	2.7	.4	.3	(?)	1.0
Median income ²	\$2,209	\$2,379	(?)	\$2,727	\$2,533	\$2,621	(?)	\$3,033	\$979	\$899	(?)	\$983
URBAN												
Median income ²	\$2,480	\$2,714	\$2,774	\$3,009	\$2,918	\$2,995	\$3,131	\$3,350	\$1,115	\$1,101	\$1,228	\$1,208
RURAL-NONFARM												
Median income ²	\$2,145	\$2,248	\$2,345	\$2,581	\$2,388	\$2,445	\$2,548	\$2,826	\$655	\$637	\$667	\$696
RURAL-FARM												
Median income ²	\$1,157	\$1,291	(?)	\$1,781	\$1,272	\$1,410	(?)	\$1,958	\$461	\$401	(?)	\$582

¹ 1944, 1945 and 1947 figures based on samples of approximately 7,000, 9,000 and 12,000 respectively, including rural-farm as well as urban and rural-nonfarm households. 1946 figures based on a sample of approximately 22,000 urban and rural-nonfarm households.

² Comparable figures not available.

³ For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Income of Families and Persons in the United States: 1947, Series P-60, No. 5.

No. 331.—DISTRIBUTION OF PRIMARY FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS WITH WAGE OR SALARY INCOME, BY WAGE OR SALARY LEVEL AND RECEIPT OF NONWAGE INCOME, URBAN AND RURAL: 1939 TO 1947

[Based on samples of population residing in households only. Excludes small number of families and individuals residing in quasi households (hotels, large rooming houses, etc.). "Primary family" refers to head of a household and all persons related to him. A "primary individual" refers to a household head who has no relatives living with him. These terms not used in 1940 census. Wage or salary income includes all money received in compensation for work or services performed, as employees, including commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, bonuses, armed forces pay, etc., as well as receipts commonly referred to as wages or salaries. Excludes value of income in kind, such as living quarters, meals, clothing, etc. A primary family was considered to have other income if any person 14 years of age and over in the family had \$50 or more of income from sources other than money wages or salaries]

WAGE OR SALARY LEVEL AND RECEIPT OF NON-WAGE INCOME	PRIMARY FAMILY AND INDIVIDUALS ¹				PRIMARY FAMILIES				PRIMARY INDIVIDUALS			
	1939	1944	1945	1947	1939	1944	1945	1947	1939	1944	1945	1947
UNITED STATES												
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1 to \$499.....	20.2	9.8	10.2	6.1	18.9	8.8	9.3	5.3	38.1	19.1	22.9	19.1
\$500 to \$999.....	21.0	9.3	8.1	6.4	20.6	8.4	7.5	5.7	27.6	18.0	16.7	17.0
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	19.0	10.6	9.6	8.1	19.2	9.5	9.3	7.5	16.2	20.9	14.3	16.3
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	15.3	10.8	11.8	9.5	15.7	10.3	11.4	9.3	9.0	15.4	16.7	12.6
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	9.8	12.5	13.2	12.1	10.2	12.6	13.1	12.0	4.2	11.5	14.6	13.1
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	5.2	11.2	12.0	10.9	5.4	11.6	12.3	11.2	1.7	7.7	7.0	7.6
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	7.2	27.7	26.3	31.9	7.6	30.0	27.7	33.3	2.3	6.4	6.5	10.8
\$5,000 and over.....	2.3	8.0	8.8	14.9	2.4	8.8	9.3	15.7	.9	1.0	1.2	3.4
Median wage or salary income ²	\$1,231	\$2,378	\$2,390	\$2,854	\$1,272	\$2,517	\$2,476	\$2,955	\$714	\$1,308	\$1,361	\$1,424
Without non-wage income	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
\$1 to \$499.....	16.4	3.9	4.0	2.5	14.8	2.6	2.4	1.4	36.1	14.7	20.9	16.3
\$500 to \$999.....	20.8	6.7	6.4	5.2	20.1	5.6	5.2	4.2	29.0	16.2	18.3	17.6
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	20.5	9.8	8.6	6.9	20.7	8.0	7.9	6.1	17.4	23.9	15.4	17.8
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	17.0	11.1	12.0	9.0	17.6	10.5	11.6	8.7	9.3	16.4	16.0	13.2
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	10.8	13.5	15.3	12.6	11.3	13.6	15.4	12.6	4.1	12.8	14.2	13.2
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	5.6	13.2	15.0	12.3	5.9	13.8	15.7	12.6	1.6	7.6	7.6	8.0
\$3,000 to \$4,999.....	7.3	32.6	29.3	35.9	7.7	35.6	31.5	37.9	1.9	7.6	6.3	11.1
\$5,000 and over.....	1.7	9.2	9.6	15.6	1.8	10.2	10.4	16.5	.5	.9	1.3	2.8
Median wage or salary income ²	\$1,312	\$2,689	\$2,627	\$3,084	\$1,363	\$2,851	\$2,741	\$3,232	\$739	\$1,400	\$1,351	\$1,454
URBAN												
Median wage or salary income: ²												
Total.....	\$1,463	\$2,585	(³)	\$3,195	\$1,512	\$2,704	(³)	\$3,354	\$838	\$1,332	(³)	\$1,619
Without non-wage income.....	\$1,496	\$2,831	(³)	\$3,323	\$1,558	\$3,058	(³)	\$3,490	\$854	\$1,417	(³)	\$1,627
RURAL-NONFARM												
Median wage or salary income: ²												
Total.....	\$976	\$2,335	(³)	\$2,682	\$1,011	\$2,302	(³)	\$2,748	\$488	\$1,325	(³)	\$383
Without non-wage income.....	\$1,008	\$2,588	(³)	\$2,837	\$1,056	\$2,643	(³)	\$2,913	\$493	\$1,383	(³)	\$911
RURAL-FARM												
Median wage or salary income: ²												
Total.....	\$453	\$1,075	(³)	\$1,510	\$461	\$1,101	(³)	\$1,546	\$336	\$383	(³)	\$750
Without non-wage income.....	\$455	\$1,509	(³)	\$2,008	\$460	\$1,647	(³)	\$2,073	\$331	\$500	(³)	\$850

¹ For sample size, see footnote 1, table 330.
² For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.
³ Comparable figures not available.

No. 332.—DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL, URBAN (BY SIZE OF PLACE) AND RURAL: 1947

[For definitions of "family" and "individual" see headnote, table 330. Includes data for families and individuals in quasi households, hotels, large rooming houses, etc., as well as households]

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL	Total ¹	URBAN				Rural-non-farm	Rural-farm	
		Total urban	Size of place of residence					
			1,000,000 and over	250,000 to 999,999	50,000 to 249,999			2,500 to 49,999
FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS								
Number..... (thousands).....	45,336	28,268	5,919	5,459	6,016	10,873	9,600	7,468
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	9.1	7.1	5.8	6.6	5.9	8.9	9.3	15.9
\$500 to \$999.....	8.5	6.8	5.2	5.0	8.0	7.9	8.4	15.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	8.7	7.6	6.3	7.6	8.0	8.1	8.4	13.0
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	9.1	7.9	7.0	7.9	8.9	7.8	10.2	12.1
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	11.0	10.8	9.8	10.4	11.2	11.3	12.4	9.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	9.9	10.6	9.1	12.1	9.8	11.0	10.3	6.8
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	10.0	10.3	9.8	10.7	11.0	9.9	11.7	6.8
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	7.3	8.2	8.1	8.9	8.7	7.7	8.2	3.0
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	5.9	6.7	7.4	7.0	6.6	6.3	5.6	3.4
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	4.1	4.9	5.0	5.4	4.9	4.7	3.5	1.6
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	6.5	7.4	9.3	7.8	6.6	6.7	5.4	4.4
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	7.6	8.9	13.5	8.4	8.4	6.0	5.3	5.5
\$10,000 and over.....	2.4	2.7	3.8	2.1	2.1	2.8	1.5	2.0
Median income ²	\$2,685	\$2,961	\$3,347	\$3,017	\$2,907	\$2,771	\$2,566	\$1,752
FAMILIES								
Number..... (thousands).....	37,279	22,479	4,602	4,180	4,772	8,925	8,281	6,520
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	4.4	2.2	2.1	2.4	1.7	2.4	4.5	11.7
\$500 to \$999.....	6.4	4.2	2.4	2.2	5.4	5.5	6.6	13.4
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	7.8	6.2	4.4	4.9	6.7	7.4	7.7	13.4
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	8.8	7.1	4.5	7.1	7.6	8.1	10.5	12.4
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	11.3	10.6	9.7	9.5	10.8	11.5	13.5	10.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	10.7	11.5	9.4	13.0	10.5	12.3	11.0	7.7
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	11.3	11.9	11.3	12.6	12.6	11.4	13.0	7.4
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	8.4	9.5	9.6	10.3	10.2	8.8	9.1	3.4
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	6.9	8.1	8.9	8.7	7.8	7.6	6.3	3.6
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	4.7	5.9	6.1	6.6	5.9	5.5	3.9	1.0
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	7.7	9.0	11.3	9.6	8.0	8.0	6.2	5.1
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	8.9	10.8	16.1	10.5	10.4	8.4	6.0	6.2
\$10,000 and over.....	2.7	3.1	4.3	2.6	2.5	3.0	1.6	2.9
Median income ²	\$3,031	\$3,349	\$3,826	\$3,430	\$3,291	\$3,119	\$2,826	\$1,993
INDIVIDUALS NOT IN FAMILIES								
Number..... (thousands).....	8,056	5,789	1,318	1,278	1,244	1,948	1,319	949
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under \$500.....	31.8	27.4	19.9	21.5	22.7	39.0	42.3	42.8
\$500 to \$999.....	18.9	17.3	15.8	15.0	18.2	19.0	21.0	25.4
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	12.9	13.4	13.4	17.2	13.0	11.3	12.6	16.2
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	10.6	11.2	16.4	10.7	14.2	6.3	7.8	10.2
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	9.4	11.6	10.1	13.8	13.0	10.4	4.5	3.2
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	5.9	6.9	8.0	8.9	7.0	5.0	5.4	1.1
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	3.4	3.7	4.2	4.0	4.5	2.7	2.4	2.8
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	2.4	3.0	2.4	4.0	2.7	2.9	1.8	-----
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	1.1	.9	1.5	.9	1.8	-----	.9	2.1
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	.7	.9	.9	.9	.9	1.0	.3	-----
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	.9	1.1	1.8	1.5	.9	.6	.3	.4
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	1.0	1.3	3.9	.9	.6	.2	-----	1.1
\$10,000 and over.....	1.0	1.1	1.8	.6	.3	1.5	.6	.7
Median income ²	\$930	\$1,197	\$1,527	\$1,393	\$1,349	\$788	\$682	\$642

¹ Based on sample of approximately 12,000 households.

² For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Income of Families and Persons in the United States: 1947, Series P-60, No. 5.

No. 333.—DISTRIBUTION OF FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL, BY SIZE OF FAMILY, URBAN AND RURAL: 1947

[See headnote, table 332]

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL	Total ¹	Indi-viduals not in families	FAMILIES							Median size of family
			All fami-lies	Specified number of related persons						
				2	3	4	5	6	7 or more	
UNITED STATES										
Number.....(thousands).....	45,336	8,056	37,279	11,670	9,556	7,393	4,157	2,162	2,332	3.23
Percent.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	-----
Under \$500.....	9.1	31.8	4.4	7.3	3.7	2.5	2.0	3.9	3.2	2.47
\$500 to \$999.....	8.5	18.9	6.4	11.2	4.5	3.7	3.9	3.5	6.0	2.42
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	8.7	12.9	7.8	10.7	7.3	6.2	4.9	5.2	8.5	2.84
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	9.1	10.6	8.8	9.5	10.0	7.6	6.6	8.5	8.4	3.09
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	11.0	9.4	11.8	12.4	11.6	11.4	9.7	10.2	8.7	3.14
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	9.9	5.9	10.7	10.2	11.9	10.4	11.2	8.7	10.7	3.25
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	10.0	3.4	11.3	9.3	11.8	14.1	11.0	11.9	8.2	3.39
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	7.3	2.4	8.4	7.5	8.8	9.0	9.7	6.8	8.1	3.35
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	5.9	1.1	6.9	5.9	7.9	7.7	7.0	7.3	5.3	3.34
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	4.1	.7	4.7	3.4	5.0	6.1	5.3	5.2	4.7	3.56
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	6.5	.9	7.7	5.6	7.6	8.6	10.3	10.3	7.8	3.62
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	7.6	1.0	8.9	4.9	7.9	9.7	13.9	15.2	15.1	4.01
\$10,000 and over.....	2.4	1.0	2.7	1.6	2.2	3.0	4.5	3.4	5.1	4.02
Median income ²	\$2,685	\$980	\$3,031	\$2,456	\$3,045	\$3,292	\$3,535	\$3,419	\$3,268	-----
URBAN										
Number.....(thousands).....	28,268	5,789	22,479	7,643	5,836	4,576	2,332	1,105	986	3.12
Median income ²	\$2,961	\$1,197	\$3,349	\$2,762	\$3,341	\$3,608	\$3,966	\$4,317	\$4,202	-----
RURAL-NONFARM										
Number.....(thousands).....	9,600	1,319	8,281	2,285	2,268	1,639	998	491	600	3.32
Median income ²	\$2,566	\$682	\$2,826	\$2,166	\$2,797	\$3,026	\$3,368	\$3,360	\$3,125	-----
RURAL-FARM										
Number.....(thousands).....	7,468	949	6,520	1,751	1,452	1,178	826	566	746	3.55
Median income ²	\$1,782	\$642	\$1,963	\$1,358	\$2,054	\$2,167	\$2,298	\$2,274	\$2,039	-----

¹ Based on sample of approximately 12,000 households.
² For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Income of Families and Persons in the United States: 1947, Series P-60, No. 5.

No. 334.—PERCENT OF MONEY INCOME RECEIVED BY EACH FIFTH OF THE NATION'S FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS

FAMILIES AND INDIVIDUALS RANKED LOWEST TO HIGHEST INCOME	PERCENT OF TOTAL MONEY INCOME		
	1935-36	1941	1947
	100.0	100.0	100.0
All family units.....			
Lowest fifth.....	4.0	3.5	4.0
Second fifth.....	8.7	9.1	9.8
Third fifth.....	13.6	15.3	15.4
Fourth fifth.....	20.5	22.5	22.6
Highest fifth.....	53.2	49.6	48.2

Source: Council of Economic Advisers; the Annual Economic Review, p. 91, included in the Economic Report of the President, January 1949.

No. 335.—DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL IN 1947 AND MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP IN APRIL 1948, BY SEX

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL AND SEX	Total 1	EMPLOYED AS CIVILIANS IN APRIL 1948								
		Total employed civilians	Professional workers			Semi-professional workers	Farmers and farm managers	Proprietors, managers, and officials, except farm		
			Total	Self-employed	Salaried			Total	Self-employed	Salaried
MALE										
Number of persons (thousands).....	52,459	41,801	1,902	483	1,419	610	4,388	5,466	3,295	2,171
Number of persons with income (thousands).....	46,813	40,452	1,859	467	1,392	603	4,258	5,432	3,287	2,145
Percent of those with income.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss.....	.4	.4	.2	.9	-----	.7	1.9	1.2	2.1	-----
\$1 to \$499.....	9.8	6.6	1.7	1.8	1.6	2.0	16.7	2.9	3.9	1.5
\$500 to \$999.....	11.1	8.4	2.3	-----	3.0	9.3	17.9	3.2	4.7	1.0
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	10.5	9.7	6.6	5.3	7.0	6.0	14.7	6.3	8.1	3.9
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	11.3	11.7	6.4	8.8	5.7	11.3	10.3	5.8	7.5	3.4
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	14.9	16.2	7.5	6.2	7.9	17.9	6.8	12.2	13.2	10.8
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	11.3	12.5	9.5	5.3	10.8	11.9	4.9	10.3	8.8	12.4
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	10.9	12.2	8.7	3.5	10.3	10.6	4.6	11.5	10.4	13.1
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	5.9	6.6	7.5	2.7	8.9	8.6	2.3	8.2	5.9	11.4
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	4.3	4.8	10.2	3.5	12.2	8.6	4.1	8.9	7.1	11.4
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	2.1	2.3	7.7	4.4	8.7	1.3	1.2	3.7	2.9	4.9
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	3.0	3.3	12.0	15.9	10.8	6.0	4.9	7.6	7.1	8.2
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	3.0	3.4	12.4	17.7	10.8	4.6	5.9	11.1	10.4	12.1
\$10,000 and over.....	1.6	1.8	7.3	23.9	2.2	1.3	3.6	7.0	7.9	5.9
Median income for persons with income ²	\$2,230	\$2,406	\$3,972	\$5,472	\$3,705	\$2,625	\$1,456	\$3,354	\$3,084	\$3,673

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL AND SEX	EMPLOYED AS CIVILIANS IN APRIL 1948—con.								Not employed or in armed forces in April 1948
	Clerical and kindred workers	Salesmen and saleswomen	Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers	Operatives and kindred workers	Domestic service workers	Service workers, except domestic	Farm laborers and foremen	Laborers, except farm and mine	
MALE									
Number of persons (thousands).....	2,848	2,212	7,927	8,833	136	2,409	1,872	3,199	10,658
Number of persons with income (thousands).....	2,765	2,074	7,868	8,695	115	2,346	1,855	3,082	6,361
Percent of those with income.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
\$1 to \$499.....	3.4	9.2	2.2	3.7	(*)	7.3	32.8	9.8	29.5
\$500 to \$999.....	4.3	7.5	5.0	6.5	(*)	9.9	24.9	16.5	28.2
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	7.0	6.6	7.4	9.2	(*)	11.8	21.2	15.6	15.3
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	10.3	9.5	10.5	14.5	(*)	16.5	13.5	19.6	8.4
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	20.2	12.7	17.0	21.6	(*)	22.9	3.2	21.4	7.0
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	15.9	11.6	16.0	16.1	(*)	15.6	2.4	9.9	3.6
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	18.1	12.8	17.5	18.0	(*)	9.1	.8	4.4	2.8
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	9.4	7.2	9.8	7.3	(*)	4.2	.5	1.4	1.2
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	4.6	6.2	6.2	3.1	(*)	1.6	.3	.3	1.0
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	2.3	3.1	3.5	1.0	(*)	.4	.3	.6	.9
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	2.3	6.1	3.2	.6	(*)	.3	-----	.3	1.0
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	2.1	5.3	1.3	.3	(*)	.1	.3	.1	.4
\$10,000 and over.....	.5	2.0	.3	-----	(*)	-----	-----	-----	.2
Median income for persons with income ²	\$2,654	\$2,687	\$2,746	\$2,373	(*)	\$2,096	\$846	\$1,707	\$858

¹ Based on sample of approximately 12,000 households.

² For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

³ Percent and median not shown where less than 100 cases in sample reporting on income.

No. 335.—DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL IN 1947 AND MAJOR OCCUPATION GROUP IN APRIL 1948, BY SEX—Continued

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL AND SEX	Total	EMPLOYED AS CIVILIANS IN APRIL 1948								
		Total employed civilians	Professional workers			Semi-professional workers	Farmers and farm managers	Proprietors, managers, and officials, except farm		
			Total	Self-employed	Salaried			Total	Self-employed	Salaried
FEMALE										
Number of persons (thousands).....	54,953	16,529	4,128	65	1,358	156	274	4,915	551	354
Number of persons with income..... (thousands)	21,479	14,103	1,270	50	1,220	140	239	786	441	345
Percent of those with income.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss.....	.2	.2	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	(3)	1.3	2.6	---
\$1 to \$499.....	29.8	19.6	12.0	(3)	9.9	(3)	(3)	10.8	14.0	7.3
\$500 to \$999.....	19.5	16.5	8.5	(3)	8.9	(3)	(3)	11.2	14.0	8.3
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	16.0	18.6	15.0	(3)	15.1	(3)	(3)	12.6	14.9	10.1
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	15.6	20.8	18.5	(3)	19.3	(3)	(3)	19.7	15.8	23.9
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	10.4	13.7	19.0	(3)	19.8	(3)	(3)	8.5	7.9	9.2
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	3.8	5.2	10.8	(3)	11.2	(3)	(3)	13.5	7.0	20.2
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	2.1	2.7	6.8	(3)	7.0	(3)	(3)	6.3	6.1	6.4
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	.9	1.1	3.3	(3)	3.4	(3)	(3)	4.9	5.3	4.6
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	.6	.7	3.5	(3)	3.4	(3)	(3)	2.2	2.6	1.8
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	.3	.4	.8	(3)	.8	(3)	(3)	4.0	2.6	5.5
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	.3	.3	1.3	(3)	1.0	(3)	(3)	.9	.9	.9
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	.3	.4	.3	(3)	.3	(3)	(3)	2.7	5.3	---
\$10,000 and over.....	.8	.1	.3	(3)	---	(3)	(3)	1.3	.9	1.8
Median income for persons with income ²	\$1,017	\$1,372	\$1,889	(3)	\$1,919	(3)	(3)	\$1,858	\$1,639	\$2,025

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL AND SEX	EMPLOYED AS CIVILIANS IN APRIL 1948—continued								Not employed or in armed forces in April 1948
	Clerical and kindred workers	Salesmen and saleswomen	Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers	Operatives and kindred workers	Domestic service workers	Service workers, except domestic	Farm laborers and foremen	Laborers, except farm and mine	
FEMALE									
Number of persons..... (thousands).....	4,497	1,401	184	3,429	1,671	1,797	700	78	38,424
Number of persons with income (thousands).....	4,115	1,091	172	3,148	1,391	1,507	171	73	7,376
Percent of those with income.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss.....	---	---	(3)	---	---	---	(3)	(3)	.1
\$1 to \$499.....	8.9	21.9	(3)	13.9	58.4	27.7	(3)	(3)	49.0
\$500 to \$999.....	11.9	21.9	(3)	16.0	25.1	26.2	(3)	(3)	25.1
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	15.2	26.0	(3)	24.7	11.1	24.2	(3)	(3)	11.2
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	30.8	18.2	(3)	25.3	4.7	11.1	(3)	(3)	5.9
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	21.8	8.2	(3)	14.7	.8	5.3	(3)	(3)	4.2
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	6.2	2.1	(3)	4.1	---	2.9	(3)	(3)	1.3
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	3.8	.7	(3)	1.0	---	1.3	(3)	(3)	.9
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	.9	.7	(3)	.1	---	.2	(3)	(3)	.5
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	.1	---	(3)	.1	---	.4	(3)	(3)	.4
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	.1	---	(3)	---	---	---	(3)	(3)	.2
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	.2	.3	(3)	---	---	---	(3)	(3)	.4
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	.2	---	(3)	.1	---	---	(3)	(3)	.2
\$10,000 and over.....	.2	---	(3)	---	---	---	(3)	(3)	.6
Median income for persons with income ²	\$1,728	\$1,118	(3)	\$1,406	\$428	\$913	(3)	(3)	\$517

⁴ Includes small number of female unpaid family workers.

No. 336.—DISTRIBUTION OF PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER BY TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL, BY SEX, URBAN AND RURAL: 1944 TO 1947

TOTAL MONEY INCOME LEVEL	MALE ¹				FEMALE ¹			
	1944	1945	1946	1947	1944	1945	1946	1947
UNITED STATES								
Total persons.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent with income.....	88.9	89.5	(2)	88.9	47.9	45.1	(2)	39.2
Percent without income.....	11.1	10.5	(2)	11.1	52.1	54.9	(2)	60.8
Percent of those with income.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Loss.....	.5	.6	(2)	.4	.1	.1	(2)	.2
\$1 to \$499.....	13.0	11.6	(2)	9.8	30.5	30.3	(2)	20.8
\$500 to \$999.....	12.2	16.5	(2)	11.1	23.7	24.3	(2)	19.5
\$1,000 to \$1,499.....	11.1	13.8	(2)	10.5	19.3	19.4	(2)	16.0
\$1,500 to \$1,999.....	11.9	12.2	(2)	11.3	12.9	13.8	(2)	15.6
\$2,000 to \$2,499.....	14.1	13.2	(2)	14.9	7.3	7.0	(2)	10.4
\$2,500 to \$2,999.....	11.6	10.7	(2)	11.3	2.9	2.7	(2)	3.8
\$3,000 to \$3,499.....	9.5	8.4	(2)	10.9	1.2	1.1	(2)	2.1
\$3,500 to \$3,999.....	5.6	4.8	(2)	5.9	.6	.3	(2)	.9
\$4,000 to \$4,499.....	3.0	2.3	(2)	4.3	.4	.2	(2)	.6
\$4,500 to \$4,999.....	2.0	1.5	(2)	2.1	.3	.2	(2)	.3
\$5,000 to \$5,999.....	2.2	2.4	(2)	3.0	.3	.1	(2)	.3
\$6,000 to \$9,999.....	2.0	1.3	(2)	3.0	.3	.1	(2)	.3
\$10,000 and over.....	1.2	.8	(2)	1.6	.3	.1	(2)	.3
Median income for persons with income ² ..	\$2,046	\$1,811	(2)	\$2,230	\$909	\$901	(2)	\$1,017
URBAN								
Total persons.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent with income.....	90.5	90.6	91.8	89.7	53.0	49.9	50.5	43.0
Percent without income.....	9.5	9.4	8.2	10.3	47.0	50.1	49.5	56.1
Median income for persons with income ² ..	\$2,331	\$2,135	\$2,188	\$2,431	\$1,010	\$1,010	\$985	\$1,193
RURAL-NONFARM								
Total persons.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent with income.....	88.4	90.1	90.4	89.2	45.9	45.1	41.6	33.3
Percent without income.....	11.6	9.9	9.6	10.8	54.1	54.9	58.4	66.7
Median income for persons with income ² ..	\$2,029	\$1,744	\$1,885	\$2,191	\$785	\$818	\$659	\$794
RURAL-FARM								
Total persons.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Percent with income.....	84.7	85.3	(2)	85.8	29.4	27.6	(2)	28.6
Percent without income.....	15.3	14.7	(2)	14.2	70.6	72.4	(2)	71.4
Median income for persons with income ² ..	\$951	\$904	(2)	\$1,360	\$439	\$431	(2)	\$483

¹ For sample size, see footnote 1, table 330.

² Comparable figures not available.

³ For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Income of Families and Persons in the United States: 1947, Series P-60, No. 5.

No. 337.—MEDIAN WAGE OR SALARY INCOME OF PERSONS 14 YEARS OF AGE AND OVER WITH WAGE OR SALARY INCOME, BY COLOR AND MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP, BY SEX: 1939 AND 1947

[Wage or salary income includes all money received in compensation for work or services performed as employees, including commissions, tips, piece-rate payments, bonuses, armed forces pay, etc., as well as receipts commonly referred to as wages or salaries. Excludes value of income in kind, such as living quarters, meals, clothing, etc. In 1940 census persons were classified as with or without other income on basis of answers to inquiry as to whether \$50 or more of income was received from sources other than money wages or salaries. A similar classification was made in 1947 data by comparing amounts of money wage or salary income and total money income. In addition, farmers were classified as with nonwage income on the assumption that they had at least \$50 of income in kind. Median wage or salary income based on number of persons reporting \$1 or more of wage or salary income. For definition of median, see headnote, table 14, p. 12]

COLOR AND MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP	BOTH SEXES		MALE		FEMALE	
	1939	1947	1939	1947	1939	1947
COLOR						
Total white.....	\$956	\$1,980	\$1,112	\$2,357	\$676	\$1,269
Without nonwage income.....	964	2,001	1,122	2,401	686	1,278
Total nonwhite.....	364	863	460	1,279	246	432
Without nonwage income.....	371	933	470	1,406	247	440
MAJOR INDUSTRY GROUP IN SURVEY WEEK, OF WAGE OR SALARY WORKERS (EXCEPT EMERGENCY WORKERS)						
Agriculture, forestry, and fishery.....	292	865	301	900	154	(1)
Mining.....	957	2,760	956	2,800	1,077	(1)
Construction.....	777	2,122	777	2,138	804	(1)
Manufacturing.....	988	2,263	1,141	2,554	646	1,514
Transportation, communication, and other public utilities.....	1,365	2,422	1,425	2,598	1,068	1,813
Wholesale trade.....	1,215	2,416	1,326	2,605	828	(1)
Retail trade.....	793	1,546	969	2,090	599	1,126
Finance, insurance, and real estate.....	1,257	2,114	1,487	2,655	977	1,652
Business and repair services.....	971	1,935	995	2,028	858	(1)
Personal services.....	360	757	738	1,505	262	569
Amusement, recreation, and related services.....	814	(1)	858	(1)	639	(1)
Professional and related services.....	995	1,694	1,235	2,041	896	1,486
Government.....	1,492	2,547	1,625	2,905	1,233	2,097

¹ Median not shown where less than 100 cases in sample reporting on income.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; Income of Families and Persons in the United States: 1947, Series P-60, No. 5.

12. Prices

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 weekly and monthly indexes of wholesale prices, a daily index based on spot market prices of 28 commodities; indexes of food prices at retail in 56 large cities; and indexes of consumers' prices for moderate-income families in 34 large cities.

The **wholesale price index** measures average changes in commodity prices of about 850 commodities at the primary market level—usually the level at which the commodity is first sold commercially in substantial volume. The prices are ordinarily those charged by representative manufacturers or producers to the types of distributors or industrial consumers who are characteristic buyers of the product. Wherever feasible the prices are f. o. b. point of production or sale. In the case of some commodities, prices quoted in organized commodity markets are used.

Commodities are priced in terms of a given specification at stated terms of trade. Most of the commodities are represented by a single quotation. In computing the index the price of each article is weighted by the quantities marketed during a representative period—since 1934, the period 1929–1931. Indexes are computed for 10 major commodity groups, 49 subgroups and 5 economic groups.

Beginning with 1921, in computing indexes for commodity groups, articles falling under more than one group are 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, are included among both farm products and foods. Duplication also occurs between the metals and metal products and building materials groups. However, in computing the index for all commodities, such articles are counted only once.

The **consumers' price index** measures average changes in retail prices of goods, rents and services, weighted by quantities bought in 1934–36 by families of wage-earners and lower-salaried clerical workers in large cities, whose annual incomes averaged \$1,524 in 1934–36. It does not measure changes in the total amount families spend for living or relative differences in prices or living costs between cities. The list of items priced for the index includes approximately 192 goods and services. For many goods a number of different articles or qualities of articles are included in the index. Sales taxes are reflected wherever applicable, but income taxes, social security deductions, and bond deductions are not included. Since March 1943, food indexes have been based upon changes in food prices in 56 cities. Indexes for the major groups other than food have been compiled since September 1940, from price data collected in 34 cities. Since July 1947, the following schedule has been in effect:

- Food prices and indexes, for 56 cities each month;
- Fuel prices and indexes for 34 cities each month;
- Commodities (other than food and fuel) and services indexes for 10 cities monthly and for 24 additional cities quarterly on a rotating cycle;
- Rents quarterly for 34 cities, on a rotating cycle;
- All items and group indexes for 10 cities monthly, and for 24 additional cities quarterly on a rotating cycle;
- National indexes (average of large cities) for all items and groups, monthly, based upon prices in the cities surveyed and estimated changes in the unpriced cities.

The weights used in calculating the index are based on studies of actual expenditures by families of wage-earners and lower-salaried workers. A study conducted in 1917-19 provided the weights used from 1913 to 1935. Since 1935 the index has been based on 1934-36 expenditure patterns.

The **retail food price 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 of expenditures of wage earners' and lower-salaried clerical workers' families. In March 1943, the weights for this index were revised to take account of changes in food purchases due to wartime shortages and rationing. In January 1946, these wartime weight adjustments were eliminated and certain other revisions made in the calculating procedures. The indexes are computed from prices of 54 foods for the period from January 1935 to March 1943, 61 foods for the period March 1943 to June 1947, and 50 foods 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 338 in this section, see tables 718 and 719.) 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 719), 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 prepared current indexes for both a prewar and a wartime budget. Special purpose indexes have not been included in this section.

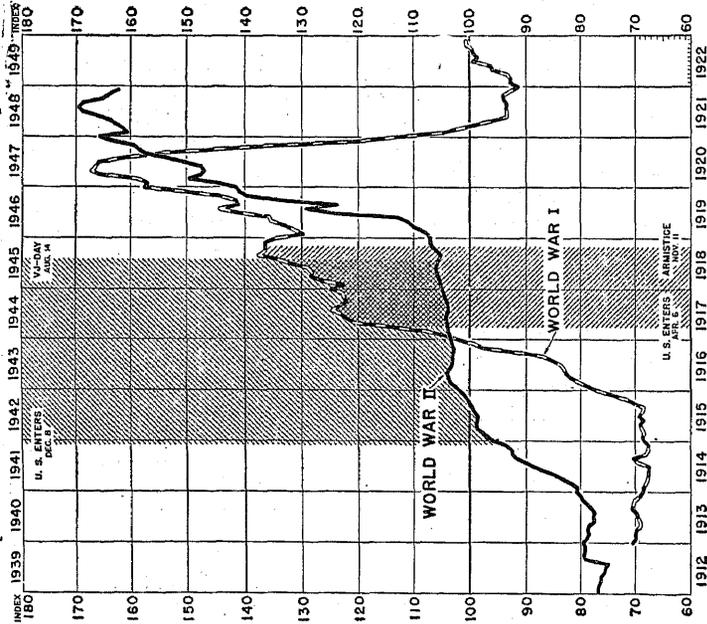
The user of price indexes is reminded that the margin of error in price statistics due to unrecorded changes in quality, in discounts, and in undercover charges is greater in war than in peacetime.

Historical statistics.—In this section, tabular headnotes (as "See also *Historical Statistics*, series L 15-25") provide cross-references, where applicable, to *Historical Statistics of the United States, 1789-1945*. In that historical supplement to the *Statistical Abstract*, statistics are carried back year by year as far as possible. See also the historical appendix of the present issue of the *Abstract* for specific titles of series and the earliest year shown in the supplement.

FIGURE L.—PRICE INDEXES IN TWO WORLD WARS

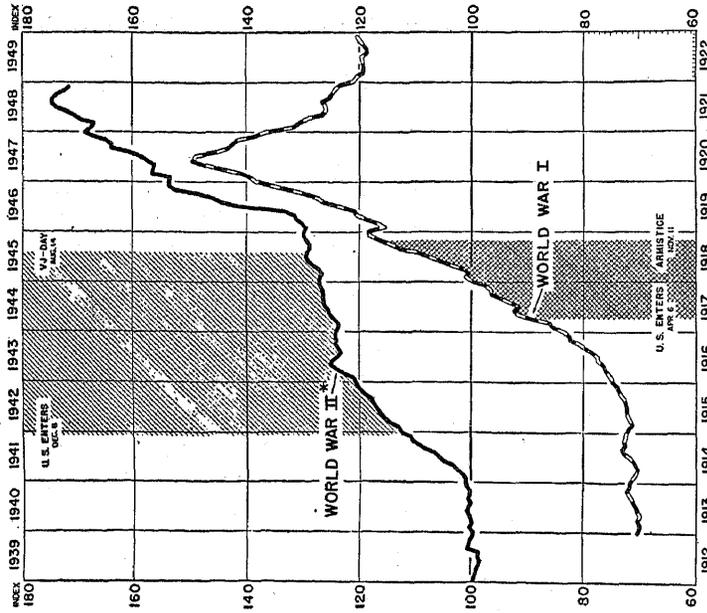
L-1.—Wholesale Prices—All Commodities

[1926=100. Prices in primary markets. See table 393]



L-2.—Consumers Price Index

[1985-1989=100. See table 346]



*Estimates of World War II and postwar understatement by the index were not included. See Monthly Labor Review for March 1947.

No. 338.—WHOLESALE, RETAIL, AND FARM PRICES—INDEXES, BY MONTHS: 1930 TO 1948

[See general note, p. 298. See also *Historical Statistics*: For yearly averages, see series L 15, L 42, and E 95; for monthly data on wholesale prices, see series App. 23]

YEAR	Yearly average	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Wholesale prices (1926 avg.=100):													
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	76.8	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	62.0	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	80.0	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	86.0	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	70.4	78.4	78.7	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
1946	121.1	107.1	107.7	108.9	110.2	111.0	112.9	124.7	129.1	124.0	134.1	139.7	140.9
1947	152.1	142.0	145.2	140.0	148.0	147.3	147.7	150.6	153.7	157.4	158.5	159.6	163.2
1948	165.0	165.7	160.9	161.4	162.8	163.9	166.2	168.7	169.5	168.7	165.2	163.9	162.2
Retail food prices (1935-39 avg.=100):													
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	89.7	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	95.6	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	113.2	115.8	118.6	119.6	121.6	123.2	124.6	126.1	126.6	129.6	131.1	132.7
1943	138.0	130.0	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	134.6	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
1946	159.6	147.3	139.6	140.1	141.7	142.6	145.6	165.7	171.2	174.1	180.0	187.7	155.0
1947	193.8	183.8	182.3	189.5	188.0	187.6	190.5	193.1	196.5	203.5	201.6	202.7	206.9
1948	210.2	209.7	204.7	202.3	207.9	210.9	214.1	216.8	216.6	215.2	211.5	207.6	205.0
Prices received by farmers (Aug. 1909-July 1914=100):													
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	50	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	150	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
1946	233	206	207	209	212	211	218	244	249	243	273	263	264
1947	278	260	262	280	276	272	271	276	276	286	289	287	301
1948	287	307	279	283	291	289	295	301	293	290	277	271	268

Source: Wholesale and retail prices: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, and Monthly Labor Review. A pamphlet "Wholesale Prices" is published annually; retail food price pamphlets also are published periodically. Prices received by farmers: Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agricultural Economics; published currently in "Agricultural Prices."

No. 339.—WHOLESALE PRICES,—INDEXES, BY MAJOR COMMODITY GROUPS: 1890 TO 1948

[1926=100. See general note, p. 298. For indexes for all commodities combined for prior years, see table 344. 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 719, p. 661. See also *Historical Statistics*, series L 15-25]

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	120.6
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	100.7	61.4	100.6
1917	117.5	129.0	104.5	123.8	98.7	105.4	150.6	88.2	105.0	74.2	122.1
1918	131.3	148.0	119.1	125.7	137.2	109.2	136.5	98.6	122.3	93.3	134.4
1919	138.6	157.6	129.5	174.1	135.3	104.3	130.9	118.6	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	80.9	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	77.8
1937	86.3	86.4	85.5	104.6	76.3	77.6	95.7	95.2	82.6	89.7	79.8
1938	78.6	63.5	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
1945	105.8	128.2	106.2	118.1	100.1	84.0	104.7	117.8	95.2	104.5	94.7
1946	121.1	148.9	130.7	137.2	116.3	90.1	115.5	132.6	101.4	111.6	100.3
1947	152.1	181.2	168.7	182.4	141.7	108.7	145.0	179.7	127.3	131.1	115.5
March	160.0	182.6	167.9	175.1	140.5	100.7	141.1	177.5	132.2	120.0	115.6
June	147.7	177.8	161.8	173.8	139.9	104.0	142.0	174.1	120.8	129.7	113.5
September	167.4	186.4	179.2	185.6	142.4	114.2	150.1	183.4	122.3	131.3	115.0
December	163.2	196.7	178.4	203.4	148.0	124.6	151.5	191.0	135.0	139.4	121.5
1948	185.0	188.3	179.1	188.8	148.6	134.1	163.6	199.0	135.1	144.5	120.5
March	161.4	186.0	173.8	185.4	149.8	130.9	155.9	193.1	136.1	142.0	120.8
June	168.2	196.0	181.4	187.7	149.6	133.1	158.5	196.8	135.8	143.2	121.5
September	168.7	189.9	186.9	187.5	147.9	136.7	172.0	204.0	133.3	146.6	119.9
December	162.2	177.3	170.2	185.3	145.3	137.0	173.8	202.0	130.5	148.4	118.5

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 340.

No. 340.—WHOLESALE PRICES—INDEXES, BY GROUPS AND SUBGROUPS OF COMMODITIES: 1929 TO 1948

[1926=100. See general note, p. 298, regarding commodities included in 2 groups]

COMMODITY GROUP	1929	1932	1939	1941	1946	1947			1948		
						Average	June	Dec.	Average	June	Dec.
All commodities.....	95.3	64.8	77.1	87.3	121.1	152.1	147.7	163.2	165.0	166.2	162.2
Farm products.....	104.9	48.2	65.3	82.4	148.9	181.2	177.8	196.7	188.3	196.0	177.3
Grains.....	97.4	39.4	58.6	76.9	155.6	210.8	206.0	252.7	199.2	209.2	171.1
Livestock and poultry.....	106.1	48.2	72.2	91.6	155.6	210.4	200.9	226.3	225.1	239.2	204.6
Other farm products.....	106.6	61.4	62.6	77.8	142.0	154.6	155.2	162.5	162.1	165.4	161.4
Foods.....	99.9	61.0	70.4	82.7	130.7	168.7	161.8	178.4	179.1	181.4	170.2
Dairy products.....	105.6	61.3	69.5	87.3	145.8	161.0	141.1	183.5	179.3	181.3	171.3
Cereal products.....	88.0	66.4	74.8	80.7	114.5	155.0	149.3	170.6	155.7	155.1	139.8
Fruits and vegetables.....	97.8	58.0	62.0	67.5	129.9	136.8	145.2	135.4	143.4	147.7	149.8
Meats.....	109.1	58.2	77.2	90.4	145.9	213.2	208.6	214.8	236.5	241.3	220.8
Other foods.....	93.9	60.7	64.1	78.9	111.9	148.1	139.7	100.0	147.6	148.1	140.9
Hides and leather products.....	109.1	72.9	95.6	108.3	137.2	182.4	173.8	203.4	188.8	187.7	185.3
Shoes.....	106.3	86.1	102.6	113.5	141.7	177.4	173.8	190.7	189.7	185.8	188.0
Hides and skins.....	112.7	42.1	84.6	108.4	147.4	209.8	187.1	256.0	209.8	215.2	197.2
Leather.....	113.2	65.1	87.5	97.9	128.6	190.9	178.9	217.2	188.2	186.9	186.5
Other leather products.....	106.4	90.1	97.1	104.7	117.0	139.8	138.3	141.8	149.5	150.9	148.6
Textile products.....	90.4	54.9	69.7	84.8	116.3	141.7	139.9	148.0	148.6	149.6	145.3
Clothing.....	90.0	63.0	82.0	92.6	111.3	135.6	135.4	137.8	147.5	145.2	148.8
Cotton goods.....	98.8	64.0	67.2	94.2	150.5	200.6	196.2	213.7	207.1	213.1	189.2
Hosiery and underwear.....	88.5	51.6	61.4	63.1	82.1	100.6	100.8	103.0	104.7	103.3	103.9
Rayon.....	68.4	35.4	28.8	29.7	30.7	37.0	40.0	41.2	40.7	40.7	41.6
Silk.....	82.7	29.5	46.1	(1)	68.4	73.3	46.4	46.4	46.4		
Woolen and worsted goods.....	88.3	57.7	79.8	96.6	115.7	130.5	129.2	139.6	147.7	147.5	150.7
Other textile products.....	93.1	67.9	69.2	90.7	122.8	174.3	173.8	178.3	182.9	183.1	190.0
Fuel and lighting materials.....	83.0	70.3	73.1	76.2	90.1	108.7	104.0	124.6	134.1	133.1	137.0
Anthracite.....	90.1	88.4	75.8	82.7	109.0	117.6	112.7	123.4	130.3	127.1	136.4
Bituminous coal.....	91.3	82.0	97.5	104.3	132.5	157.6	145.9	174.3	187.0	182.6	194.9
Coke.....	84.6	77.7	105.6	119.3	140.4	166.6	157.3	183.4	207.1	206.6	219.0
Electricity.....	94.5	104.7	78.6	68.3	66.6	65.0	64.4	66.5		65.7	
Gas.....	93.1	101.3	84.1	78.6	80.7	85.0	85.8	85.4		90.7	
Petroleum and products.....	71.3	45.4	52.2	57.0	67.5	90.2	87.5	112.0	122.1	122.1	122.0
Metals and metal products.....	100.5	80.2	94.4	99.4	115.5	145.0	142.0	151.5	163.6	158.5	173.8
Agricultural implements.....	98.7	84.9	93.4	93.5	105.5	121.1	119.9	127.0	134.9	132.2	144.1
Iron and steel.....	94.9	79.4	95.8	96.4	110.3	133.7	129.9	140.2	155.2	149.4	165.4
Motor vehicles.....	100.0	87.1	93.4	103.3	135.1	153.6	149.4	160.8	168.0	163.9	175.6
Nonferrous metals.....	106.1	49.8	78.0	84.4	99.7	140.3	142.9	143.0	157.5	152.1	172.5
Plumbing and heating.....	95.0	66.8	79.2	84.8	103.8	125.4	119.1	136.1	147.8	145.3	157.3
Building materials.....	95.4	71.4	90.5	103.2	132.6	179.7	174.1	191.0	199.0	196.8	202.0
Brick and tile.....	94.3	77.3	91.4	93.7	122.9	140.0	134.7	148.8	156.3	153.3	160.5
Cement.....	89.0	74.3	91.8	92.0	104.1	115.7	114.3	121.6	130.5	123.8	133.5
Lumber.....	93.8	58.5	93.2	122.5	178.4	277.6	265.5	303.2	312.2	313.2	305.1
Paint and paint materials.....	94.9	71.1	82.8	91.4	118.5	162.6	158.8	164.0	159.8	158.7	161.5
Plumbing and heating.....	95.0	66.8	79.2	84.8	103.8	125.4	119.1	136.1	147.8	145.3	157.3
Structural steel.....	98.1	80.9	107.3	107.3	118.4	134.5	127.7	143.0	163.7	163.3	178.8
Other building materials.....	97.7	79.5	90.3	98.3	118.6	147.4	145.1	155.5	167.6	163.6	176.9
Chemicals and allied products.....	94.0	73.9	76.0	84.4	101.4	127.3	120.8	135.0	135.1	135.8	130.5
Chemicals.....	99.7	88.8	84.7	87.2	99.8	118.7	119.8	124.1	126.1	126.2	122.5
Drugs and pharmaceuticals.....	66.8	55.0	78.2	102.6	120.8	159.1	150.1	154.9	153.3	153.7	151.4
Fertilizer materials.....	95.6	63.7	67.9	73.5	87.4	105.6	102.3	114.4	116.1	113.9	120.1
Mixed fertilizers.....	95.2	63.4	73.0	76.0	88.2	97.5	96.8	101.5	105.0	103.2	103.3
Oils and fats.....	89.0	40.0	48.4	77.6	119.1	187.9	139.2	215.9	205.0	212.7	178.4
Housefurnishing goods.....	94.3	75.1	86.3	94.3	111.6	131.1	129.7	139.4	144.5	143.2	148.4
Furnishings.....	93.6	75.4	91.1	99.9	116.6	137.6	137.2	142.8	148.3	146.7	153.6
Furniture.....	95.0	75.0	81.3	88.4	106.4	130.5	128.6	136.2	140.8	139.9	143.1
Miscellaneous.....	82.6	64.4	74.8	82.0	100.3	115.5	113.5	121.5	120.5	121.5	118.5
Auto tires and tubes.....	54.5	41.1	58.6	55.4	66.2	63.0	62.5	63.4	64.8	63.5	66.2
Cattle feed.....	121.6	46.0	83.3	101.2	191.1	249.9	253.3	308.2	253.6	292.4	217.1
Paper and pulp.....	88.9	75.5	82.4	98.2	119.4	155.1	156.7	164.7	168.5	167.3	169.5
Rubber, crude.....	42.3	7.3	37.2	46.1	46.2	44.2	37.1	44.5	44.9	47.1	38.9
Other miscellaneous.....	98.4	83.7	82.6	87.8	104.3	123.9	122.5	130.0	130.6	129.8	129.5

1 Not available.

No. 341.—WHOLESALE PRICES—INDEXES, ALL COMMODITIES AND BY ECONOMIC CLASSES: 1930 TO 1948

[Figures in column heads indicate current number of quotations. Indexes of National Bureau of Economic Research are weighted arithmetic means for 680 price series, weights being based upon average value of production in 1927 and 1931. For method of computing Department of Labor index, see general note, p. 298. For Department of Labor publications in which data appear, see source note, table 340]

YEAR	DEPARTMENT OF LABOR 1929=100				NATIONAL BUREAU OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH 1929=100				
	All commodities	Raw materials	Semi-manufactures	Manufactured products	All commodities	Producers' goods	Consumers' goods	Durable goods	Non-durable goods ¹
	877	106	94	677	680 ²	418 ²	292 ²	222 ²	469 ²
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	80.5	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	105.0	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
1946	127.1	138.2	118.0	122.9	129.1	131.2	128.5	124.6	151.8
1947	159.6	169.8	158.1	154.5	162.3	168.0	158.3	157.8	165.8
1948	173.1	183.0	166.8	168.7	175.5	182.7	166.6	176.5	174.8

¹ Perishable and semidurable.

² Sum of number of quotations for producers' and consumers' goods and for durable and nondurable goods is greater than number of all commodities owing to duplication of certain price series in classifications. For example, identical price quotations on flour are used in both producers' goods and consumers' goods.

No. 342.—INDEXES OF SPOT MARKET PRICES OF 28 COMMODITIES: 1939 TO 1948

[August 1939=100. Figures in column heads represent number of commodities. Index is computed daily; represents unweighted geometric average of daily price quotations of 28 commodities, traded on organized exchanges. The index is much more sensitive to changes in market conditions than is monthly or weekly wholesale price index]

PERIOD	General Index	IMPORT AND DOMESTIC		Domestic agricultural	FOODSTUFFS AND INDUSTRIAL	
		Import commodities	Domestic commodities		Food-stuffs	Raw industrial
		(28)	(17)		(11)	(16)
1939—Average	109.2	110.1	108.6	109.4	111.2	107.7
1940—Average	114.3	117.2	112.4	119.7	110.6	116.0
1941—Average	143.9	147.8	141.5	147.8	150.5	139.1
1942—Average	167.6	162.4	171.0	183.8	186.9	154.2
1943—Average	176.7	167.2	183.2	210.0	201.7	150.0
1944—Average	181.5	168.4	190.5	222.7	207.3	164.1
1945—Average	184.4	168.9	195.2	227.6	209.5	167.4
1946—Average	228.2	209.7	241.0	274.7	273.8	198.8
1947—Average	322.7	290.1	345.6	362.7	393.9	276.1
March	334.1	291.2	365.1	346.3	413.1	284.6
June	300.0	270.6	320.7	354.6	359.9	261.5
September	322.2	287.5	346.8	382.9	408.7	270.6
December	353.0	309.5	384.3	413.4	444.7	294.1
1948—Average	321.2	282.0	349.4	364.4	391.3	278.0
March	318.0	275.9	348.6	371.5	394.1	268.9
June	329.7	285.2	362.2	394.8	421.8	276.5
September	311.9	280.6	354.0	339.7	369.5	277.8
December	299.3	270.4	319.6	314.7	333.3	278.9

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics; annual report, Wholesale Prices; also published daily and weekly in mimeographed reports.

No. 343—WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES: 1929 to 1948

[Represents selection from among commodities entering into general index of wholesale prices of Department of Labor as of December 1947 (see general note, p. 298). For weights of bushel and barrel except as noted, see Appendix II]

COMMODITY	Unit	AVERAGE PRICE (DOLLARS)						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1946	1947	1948
FARM PRODUCTS								
Barley, No. 2, malting, Minneapolis.....	Bushel.....			0.582	0.622	1.540	2.214	2.040
Corn, No. 3, yellow, Chicago.....	do.....	0.938	0.307	.499	.706	1.520	2.009	2.030
Oats, No. 2, white, Chicago ¹	do.....	.486	.200	.345	.425	.844	1.057	1.033
Rye, No. 2, Minneapolis.....	do.....			.488	.586	2.430	2.956	2.065
Wheat, No. 2, red winter, Chicago ¹	do.....	1.304	.531	.803	1.046	1.998	2.680	2.401
Wheat, No. 2, hard, Kansas City.....	do.....	1.180	.494	.755	.993	1.895	2.603	(?)
Cattle, steers, good to choice, Chicago.....	100 lbs.....	13.493	7.799	10.438	12.102	21.014	20.188	
Cattle steers, good 900-1,100 lbs., Chicago.....	do.....					19.517	26.548	31.400
Hogs good to choice, light, Chicago.....	do.....	10.666	4.117	7.098	9.859	17.928	26.373	
Barrows and gilts, good and choice, 200-240 lbs., Chicago.....	do.....					17.954	26.422	25.578
Lamb, native, good to choice, Chicago.....	do.....	14.509	6.224	9.345	11.239	18.720	23.255	
Lamb, good and choice, Chicago.....	do.....					18.694	23.443	25.941
Poultry, live fowls, Chicago.....	Pound.....	.273	.148	.154	.190	.272	.252	.302
Cotton, middling, Galveston ¹	do.....	.187	.063	.089	.136	.288	.328	.312
Eggs, firsts, Chicago.....	Dozen.....	.354	.177	.175	.254	.361	.433	.441
Eggs, firsts, New York.....	do.....	.368	.193	.184	.266			
Eggs, standards, New York.....	do.....					.371	.459	(?)
Apples, medium grade, Portland, Oreg.....	Box.....		1.331	1.433	3.587	(?)	(?)	(?)
Oranges, average grade, California, Chicago.....	do.....	6.540	3.819	3.239	3.379	5.403	4.909	(?)
Hay, alfalfa, Nos. 1 and 2, Kansas City.....	Ton ²					31.072	31.863	29.691
Milk, fluid, Chicago.....	100 lbs.....			1.764	2.331	4.157	4.187	4.782
Milk, fluid, New York.....	do.....	3.997	2.379	2.837	3.357	5.220	5.786	6.072
Peanuts, shipping point.....	Pound.....			.054	.066	1.44	.132	.167
Flaxseed, Minneapolis.....	Bushel.....	2.766	1.181	1.824	1.872	4.225	6.848	6.141
Tobacco, leaf, warehouse sales.....	100 lbs.....	20.125	8.464	19.205	18.309	43.640	43.619	44.395
Potatoes, white, Boston.....	do.....	1.802	.863	1.580	1.499	3.182	(?)	(?)
Wool, domestic, scoured, staple, fine and medium fine, Boston.....	Pound.....	.987	.469	.822	1.091	1.025	1.215	(?)
FOODS								
Butter, creamery, extra:								
Chicago.....	Pound.....	.437	.200	.253	.337	.620	.702	.746
New York.....	do.....	.449	.210	.260	.343	.628	.712	.755
San Francisco.....	do.....	.458	.219	.277	.359	.636	.738	.797
Cheese, whole milk, Chicago.....	do.....	.221	.120	.142	.204	.370	.384	.428
Milk, evaporated, New York.....	Case ¹	3.867	2.528	2.950	3.541	4.969	5.658	6.492
Bread, Chicago.....	Pound.....	.075	.070	.058	.059	.093	.116	0.126
Bread, New York.....	do.....	.066	.060	.062	.066	.101	.121	0.133
Flour, short patents, Kansas City.....	100 lbs.....					(?)	6.369	5.582
Flour, standard patents, Minneapolis.....	do.....					(?)	6.757	5.980
Rice, Blue Rose, New Orleans.....	Pound.....	.038	.022	.034	.046	.076	.106	0.130
Raisins, seedless, packers.....	do.....	.046	.048	.039	.049	(?)	(?)	.086
Bananas, Honduras, Guatemala, etc., f. o. b. port of entry.....	100 lbs.....					4.689	5.747	6.250
Beef, fresh, carcass, steer, Chicago.....	Pound.....	.231	.130	.163	.177	.279	.423	(?)
Lamb, fresh, Chicago.....	do.....	.256	.134	.167	.184	.310	.418	
Lamb, good, 40-45 lbs. (composite).....	100 lbs.....						43.178	40.488
Hams, smoked, loose, Chicago.....	Pound.....	.244	.133	.200	.254	(?)	(?)	
Hams, smoked, No. 1, skinned, 12-16 lbs. (composite).....	do.....					.391	.593	.600
Bacon, Chicago.....	do.....	.263	.124	.173	.223	.331	.611	
Bacon, 8-10 lbs. (composite).....	do.....					.363	.624	.594
Pork loins, fresh, Chicago.....	do.....	.246	.115	.176	.207	.327	.509	
Pork loins, 10-12 lbs. (composite).....	do.....					.348	.531	.553
Poultry, dressed, New York.....	do.....			.192	.232	.369	.360	.400
Coffee, Santos 4, New York.....	do.....	.221	.107	.075	.114	.187	.264	.268
Salmon, canned, pink, No. 1, tall, Seattle.....	Dozen cans.....			1.174	1.692	2.304	3.835	5.444
Lard, prime, contract, New York.....	Pound.....	.120	.050	.069	.092			
Lard, 50-pound cartons, Chicago.....	do.....					(?)	.240	.217
Oleomargarine, vegetable fat, delivered.....	do.....	.174	.106	.145	.156	.231	.331	.342
Salt, American, medium, Chicago.....	100 lbs.....					.900	.947	.960
Sugar, cane, granulated, New York.....	Pound.....	.051	.040	.046	.049	.064	.081	.076
Sugar, cane, raw 96%, New York.....	do.....	.038	.029	.030	.034	.046	.062	.056
Cottonseed oil, New York.....	do.....	.097	.038	.066	.104	(?)	.274	.269
HIDES AND LEATHER PRODUCTS								
Hides, packers, heavy native steers; Chicago.....	do.....	.171	.061	.123	.145	.184	.275	.275
Calfskins, packers, Chicago.....	do.....	.209	.064	.179	.223	.254	.607	.425
Goat skins, India, New York.....	do.....					.804	.954	.946
Leather:								
Calf, chrome, B and C grade (composite).....	Sq. ft.....			.393	.488	.580	1.110	1.036
Glazed kid, top grade, Boston ¹	do.....	.725	.436	.579	.594	.823	1.256	(?)
Side, black, chrome tanned, B-grade, Boston ¹	do.....	.288	.162	.219	.288	.361	.522	.516
Sole, oak, scoured backs, Boston.....	Pound.....	.529	.291	.320	.390	.461	(?)	
Bellies, cow and steer hide, New York.....	do.....							.387

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No. 343.—WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES: 1929 TO 1948—Con.

COMMODITY	Unit	AVERAGE PRICE (DOLLARS)						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1946	1947	1948
HIDES AND LEATHER PRODUCTS—con.								
Shoes, oxford, factory:								
Men's, black, calf tip	Pair	3.467	3.092	4.019	4.327	5.225	6.351	6.844
Women's, black, calf, blucher	do.			2.563	2.607	3.427	(?)	
Women's, brown, calf, blucher	do.							4.177
TEXTILE PRODUCTS								
Cotton goods, mill:								
Damask, table, mercerized, mill, 58-inch	Yard	.370	.292	.400	.475	.669	.700	.790
Denims, 28-inch	do.	.181	.091	.106	.154	.283	.338	.538
Drillings, brown, 30-inch	do.			.084	.134	.231	.280	.290
Gingham, 35-inch-36-inch	do.					.383	.441	.460
Muslin, bleached, series 1	do.	.174	.103	.130	.160	(?)	(?)	.351
Print cloth, 27-inch	do.	.082	.026	.036	.055	(?)	(?)	(?)
Print cloth, 39-inch	do.					.176	.333	.265
Sheeting, bleached, series 2	do.	.506	.296	.323	.381	.627	(?)	(?)
Sheeting, brown, series 1	do.			.067	.115	.201	.204	.242
Yarn, carded, Southern, 23/1 cones	Pound				.355	.590	.708	.749
Hosiery and underwear:								
Hosiery, men's cotton, seamless	Dozen pair					1.776	2.036	2.155
Men's union suits, knit, ribbed	Dozen					(?)	15.901	17.130
Rayon, fl. yarn, viscose, 100 den. skeins	Pound	2.027	.836	.686	.709	.739		
Rayon, fl. yarn, viscose, 100 den. cones	do.						.862	.952
Silk, raw, Japan, 20-22 yellow, New York	do.	4.880	1.540	2.615	(?)	(?)	(?)	
Silk, raw, Japan, 20-22, white, New York	do.							2.750
Woolen and worsted goods, mill:								
Suiting, serge, 15-15½-ounce	Yard					2.780	3.383	3.991
Flannel, 54-inch	do.						1.721	(?)
Yarn, fine, weaving, 2/50's	Pound	1.967	1.186	1.656	2.098	2.450	3.056	3.668
Thread, cotton, 6-cord	100 yds.	.037	.035	.023	.027	.037	.044	.053
FUEL AND LIGHTING								
Coal, anthracite, chestnut	Ton ³	11.505	10.879	9.143	10.006	13.056	14.103	(?)
Coal, bituminous, mine run	do.	3.953	3.638	4.311	4.500	5.775	6.873	(?)
Coke, Connellsville, beehive, furnace	do.	2.780	2.123	4.091	5.851	8.053	10.500	13.447
Coke, Newark, byproduct, foundry	do.	9.200	8.654	11.230	12.565	14.400	16.995	21.152
Electricity, average price in U. S.	100 kw. hr.			1.717	1.475	1.438	1.407	(?)
Gas, manufactured and mixed, average realized price	Dekatherm					.946	.997	1.102
Gas, natural, average realized price	do.					.172	.181	.188
Fuel oil, refinery, Pennsylvania	Gallon	.048	.032	.042	.051	.060	.081	.110
Gasoline, 74-76 oct., refinery, Pennsylvania	do.				.066	.071	.088	.117
Gasoline, 73-75 oct., refinery, north Texas	do.	.072	.044	.049	.054	.065	.082	.107
Petroleum, crude, Kansas-Oklahoma	Barrel ⁶	1.233	.811	.954	1.060	1.307	1.843	2.610
METALS AND METAL PRODUCTS								
Iron ore, non-Bessemer	Ton ⁷	4.443	4.500	4.950	4.450	4.814	5.550	6.050
Pig iron, Basic, furnace	do.	18.189	13.981	21.077	23.500	27.165	33.942	(?)
Pig iron, Bessemer, Neville Island	do.			22.115	24.500	28.240	34.923	(?)
Nails, wire, base price, Pittsburgh	100 lbs.	2.579	1.950	2.461	2.550	3.477	3.971	(?)
Pipe, cast iron, 4-inch, Birmingham	Ton ²				51.540	75.018	96.818	(?)
Skelp, grooved, Pittsburgh	100 lbs.	1.859	1.567	1.900	1.900	2.030	2.450	(?)
Steel billets, rerolling, Pittsburgh	Ton ⁷	34.642	26.519	34.000	34.000	38.604	43.327	(?)
Steel plates, basing point	Pound	.019	.016	.021	.021	.025		
Steel plates, hot rolled, ¼-inch thick, 24-72 inches wide basing point	100 lbs.						2.693	(?)
Steel rails, mill	Ton ⁷	43.000	42.377	40.000	40.000	(?)	2.606	2.938
Steel sheets, No. 27, basing point	Pound	.030	.023	.031	.032	.035		
Steel sheets, hot rolled, No. 11, 36-43 inches wide, 10 feet long, basing point	100 lbs.						2.883	(?)
Steel, structural shapes, mill	do.	1.921	1.584	2.100	2.100	2.317	2.633	(?)
Tin plate, Pittsburgh	do.			5.000	5.000	5.000	5.750	(?)
Aluminum, 99 percent plus, New York	Pound	.243	.293	.200	.165	.150	.160	.158
Copper, electrolytic, delivered	do.	.184	.058	.112	.120	.141	.213	.223
Lead, pig, desilverized, New York	do.	.068	.032	.051	.058	.082	.147	.181
Silver, bar, fine, New York	Ounce	.533	.283	.395	.351	.797	.717	.744
Tin, pig, New York	Pound	.452	.219	.504	.520	.547	.780	.694
Zinc, pig, slab, New York	do.	.068	.032	.055	.079	.092	.110	.142
Agricultural implements, factory:								
Cultivator, 1- and 2-row, riding	Each					(?)	87.892	
Harrow, spike tooth	do.				17.677	20.813	(?)	
Plow, 2-horse	do.				16.380	(?)	(?)	
Separator, cream	do.					82.830	(?)	
Tractor, 2-plow	do.			691.708	665.694	765.570	(?)	
Bearings, ball, S. A. E. No. 208, factory	do.			2.051	2.051	1.426	1.497	1.563
Bearings, roller, S. A. E. No. 220, factory	do.			14.820	14.820	16.284	18.379	18.915

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No. 343.—WHOLESALE PRICES OF IMPORTANT COMMODITIES: 1929 to 1948—Con.

COMMODITY	Unit	AVERAGE PRICE (DOLLARS)						
		1929	1932	1939	1941	1946	1947	1948
BUILDING MATERIALS								
Douglas fir boards, No. 1, mill.....	1,000 ft.....	17.961	9.398	19.336	26.017	40.102	64.026	69.509
Maple, flooring, second grade, Cadillac.....	do.....	67.775	33.890	56.669	72.537	103.590	(?)	184.942
Oak, White, No. 1, common, mill.....	do.....	43.365	30.135	30.184	35.275			
Oak, White, No. 1, common and selects, mill.....	do.....					68.813	89.224	101.600
Pine, White, No. 3, Chicago.....	do.....	37.730	25.480	35.172	45.184	(?)		
Pine, White, No. 3, common, Chicago.....	do.....						86.601	93.750
Pine, Yellow boards ¹	do.....		12.353	22.438	31.781	48.086	69.971	74.076
Shingles, cedar, red, No. 1, mill ¹⁰	Square.....	2.740	1.490	2.814	3.130	(?)	10.111	19.378
Brick, common, building, plant.....	1,000.....	10.664	12.046	12.585	18.127	20.593	22.860	
Cement, Portland, delivered, New York.....	Barrels.....	1.779	1.390	1.870	1.870	2.141	2.306	2.821
Linseed oil, raw, New York.....	Pound.....	1.23	0.63	.092	.106	.197	.343	.297
White lead, in oil, New York.....	do.....	.138	.120	.123	.131	.154	.265	(?)
Plaster, f. o. b. cars, destination.....	Ton ³	9.976	12.260	11.947	11.886	13.926	14.903	15.854
Glass, window, single B, New York.....	50 sq. ft.....			2.736	2.940	3.563	4.602	4.784
Lime, building, common, plant.....	Ton ³	7.987	6.933	7.097	7.093	8.089	8.851	9.351
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS								
Acetone, C. P., delivered, East.....	Pound.....		.098	.047	.066	.062	.071	.082
Acid, acetylsalicylic, U. S. P., f. o. b. New York.....	do.....	.850	.744	.450	.400	.404	.450	.454
Acid, sulfuric, 66°, Eastern works.....	Ton ³	15.500	15.500	16.500	16.500	16.500	16.471	15.528
Alcohol, S. D. 1, Eastern works.....	Gallon.....	.480	.304	.205	.265	.580	.910	.803
Ammonia, anhydrous, New York.....	Pound.....	.140	.155	.160	.160	.145	.156	.150
Benzene, pure 90 percent nitration.....	Gallon.....	.227	.200	.160	.140	.152	.185	.209
Calcium arsenate, drums, works.....	Pound.....				.065	.076	.094	.096
Calcium carbide, drums, delivered.....	do.....	.050	.050	.048	.048	.044	.045	.053
Chlorine, liquid, tanks, works.....	100 lbs.....	2.954	1.690	1.779	1.750	1.794	2.062	2.326
Formaldehyde, tanks, f. o. b. works.....	Pound.....			.045	.040	.032	.030	.040
Glycerine, U. S. P., C. P., drums.....	do.....	.144	.106	.125	.151	.234	.420	.394
Phenol, U. S. P., drums, works.....	do.....	.138	.142	.138	.123	.106	.114	.130
Phthalic anhydride, drums, works.....	do.....	.191	.150	.145	.145	.131	.152	.197
Potash, muriate, 60 percent, New York.....	Ton ³				31.285	30.501	29.641	28.444
Soda ash, 55 percent, light, f. o. b. works.....	100 lbs.....	1.345	1.182	1.050	1.050	1.076	1.225	1.351
Soda, caustic, 76 percent, solid, f. o. b. works.....	Pound.....	2.950	2.609	2.300	2.300	2.340	2.605	2.952
Soybean oil, crude, mill.....	do.....					.145	.200	.220
Sulfate of ammonia, domestic, bulk, inland producing ovens.....	Ton ³					28.962	31.538	40.585
Superphosphate, 16 percent, Baltimore.....	do.....	9.731	7.274	7.654	8.750	10.735	11.908	12.183
Tallow, packer's prime, Chicago.....	Pound.....	.085	.032	.054	.076		.191	.161
HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS								
Blankets, all wool, factory.....	Each.....					9.408	9.996	10.640
Axminster rugs, 9 by 12.....	do.....					(?)	37.073	40.678
Vacuum cleaners, electric, without attachment.....	do.....						39.865	40.002
Washing machines, electric, 2-speed, 6-sheet capacity, factory.....	do.....			29.453	(?)	(?)	(?)	(?)
MISCELLANEOUS								
Cottonseed meal, bagged, Memphis.....	Ton ³						78.625	77.784
Middlings, standard, Minneapolis.....	do.....	27.741	9.815	19.728	24.690	45.740	61.700	62.957
Paper, newsprint, rolls, destination, New York basis.....	do.....	62.000	50.385	50.000	50.000	72.287	88.615	97.692
Paper, wrapping, standard, kraft.....	100 lbs.....			3.572	4.429	4.798	6.035	6.714
Wood pulp, sulfite, domestic, unbleached, delivered.....	Ton.....					82.308	113.519	123.788
Rubber, plantation, ribbed, New York.....	Pound.....	.206	.035	.179	.223	.225	.208	.219
Oil, bright stock, mid-Continent.....	Gallon.....	.266	.174	.147	.175	.229	.280	.317
Neutral oil, Pennsylvania.....	do.....	.269	.164	.189	.285	.304	.350	.363
Soap, laundry, bars, white, destination.....	Pound.....					.064	.096	.117
Soap, toilet, bars or cakes.....	do.....					.242	(?)	(?)
Tobacco, smoking, 2-ounce package, destination.....	Dozen.....	1.487	1.398	1.306	1.284	1.362	1.441	1.452
Cigarettes, destination.....	1,000.....	5.398	6.042	5.513	5.760	6.234	6.509	6.658

¹ Not included in wholesale price index. ² Insufficient data. ³ Ton of 2,000 pounds.
⁴ Case of 4 dozen 14½-ounce cans. Price for 1929 computed from price of 16-ounce cans.
⁵ Baked weight. Prices not comparable to earlier years.
⁶ Barrel of 42 gallons. ⁷ Ton of 2,240 pounds. ⁸ Price per 100 pounds.
⁹ 1932-41 data based on reports of a single company.
¹⁰ 1947 and 1948 data not strictly comparable to earlier years; does not include green and/or dry shingles.

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

No. 344.—WHOLESALE PRICES—INDEXES: 1860 TO 1889

[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 1926 base by Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor. See also *Historical Statistics*, series L 15]

YEAR	General index	YEAR	General index	YEAR	General index
1860.....	61	1870.....	87	1880.....	65
1861.....	61	1871.....	88	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: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics.

No. 345.—CONSUMERS' PRICE INDEX FOR MODERATE-INCOME FAMILIES IN LARGE CITIES: 1913 TO 1948

[1935-39=100. For detailed explanation, see general note p. 298. See also *Historical Statistics*, series L 41-47]

YEAR AND MONTH	All items	Food	Apparel	Rent	Fuel, electricity, and ice	House-furnishings	Miscellaneous ¹
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	100.5
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
1944.....	125.5	136.1	138.8	108.2	109.8	136.4	121.3
1945.....	128.4	139.1	145.9	108.3	110.3	145.8	124.1
1946.....	139.3	159.6	160.2	108.6	112.5	159.2	128.8
1947.....	159.2	193.8	185.8	111.2	121.1	184.4	130.9
Mar. 15.....	156.3	189.5	184.3	109.0	117.6	182.3	138.2
June 15.....	157.1	190.5	185.7	109.2	117.7	182.6	139.1
Sept. 15.....	163.8	203.5	187.6	113.6	124.6	187.5	140.8
Dec. 15.....	167.0	206.9	191.2	115.4	127.8	191.4	144.4
1948.....	171.2	210.2	198.0	117.4	133.9	195.8	149.9
Mar. 15.....	166.9	202.3	196.3	116.3	130.3	194.9	146.2
June 15.....	171.7	214.1	196.9	117.0	132.6	194.8	147.5
Sept. 15.....	174.5	215.2	201.0	118.5	137.3	198.1	152.7
Dec. 15.....	171.4	205.0	200.4	119.5	137.8	198.6	154.0

¹ Includes transportation, medical care, recreation, household operation, and personal care.

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

No. 346.—CONSUMERS' PRICE INDEX FOR MODERATE-INCOME FAMILIES IN 34 LARGE CITIES: 1929 TO 1948

[1935-39 average=100. For detailed explanation, see general note p. 298]

CITY	DECEMBER 15, INDEX OF CONSUMERS' PRICES—ALL ITEMS						DECEMBER 15, 1948, INDEX FOR—						
	1929	1932	1939	1941	1946	1947	All items	Food	Ap- parel	Rent	Fuel, elec- tricity, refrig- eration	House fur- nish- ings	Mis- cel- la- neous
U. S. (34 cities) ¹	122.3	93.5	99.6	110.5	153.3	167.0	171.4	205.0	200.4	119.5	137.8	198.6	154.0
Atlanta.....	124.6	91.8	98.7	110.6	155.8	167.5	173.7	203.3	206.9	121.4	151.2	201.8	156.7
Baltimore.....	118.2	93.3	98.9	112.4	155.7	171.3	174.0	214.6	198.3	116.5	148.3	201.9	149.4
Birmingham.....	128.1	90.1	99.5	113.9	158.5	173.8	174.8	204.8	207.4	139.4	135.6	193.0	150.0
Boston.....	124.0	95.8	97.9	108.2	148.2	160.4	164.7	194.2	192.1	115.3	154.3	193.0	146.1
Buffalo.....	121.8	92.9	99.7	113.3	151.7	162.6	172.7	200.0	200.9	122.1	140.2	204.9	157.3
Chicago.....	129.3	93.8	99.8	110.6	153.0	170.1	175.4	208.2	202.4	138.3	131.4	186.0	155.0
Cincinnati.....	122.2	92.0	98.2	110.3	152.7	170.3	172.2	205.2	196.1	115.1	145.7	193.5	154.5
Cleveland.....	118.1	90.4	100.9	113.3	156.2	166.9	176.2	213.0	198.8	125.6	145.1	185.0	153.3
Denver.....	117.0	91.3	99.7	109.4	152.5	160.4	171.0	211.0	200.6	123.4	112.1	213.3	151.3
Detroit.....	124.7	95.2	99.8	112.7	153.1	169.0	172.8	198.7	198.3	126.5	150.4	206.7	166.7
Houston.....	120.7	89.3	101.3	111.4	152.3	169.3	173.8	218.1	211.0	121.5	99.4	198.5	153.4
Indianapolis.....	122.4	91.3	99.6	113.3	154.2	167.8	178.0	204.8	195.7	129.1	155.2	191.6	160.5
Jacksonville.....	123.7	92.8	99.3	114.3	158.8	173.9	176.2	209.9	198.1	127.7	146.8	197.6	159.6
Kansas City.....	117.9	94.6	99.3	108.7	147.0	157.9	167.5	194.7	192.0	123.7	129.0	185.0	154.3
Los Angeles.....	124.4	95.0	100.4	112.3	154.5	166.0	172.7	214.9	194.8	124.8	94.0	189.0	154.1
Manchester.....	(4)	(4)	99.0	110.7	156.5	166.1	176.5	203.6	192.6	111.7	156.9	204.9	147.6
Memphis.....	121.5	90.7	98.9	111.1	156.3	173.5	174.3	217.9	210.5	129.5	135.0	182.6	141.5
Milwaukee.....	(4)	(4)	98.1	109.4	150.6	164.0	171.2	205.0	201.4	117.3	145.8	195.3	150.0
Minneapolis.....	117.2	92.8	101.1	110.7	149.7	166.2	170.8	196.6	204.2	129.8	142.8	191.7	159.5
Mobile.....	124.7	93.0	99.7	116.4	153.6	170.3	173.5	211.8	208.5	125.9	129.8	178.2	145.3
New Orleans.....	119.6	92.4	100.4	113.5	152.9	173.2	176.6	216.1	209.2	113.2	113.4	197.4	147.2
New York.....	123.0	97.3	100.1	108.7	155.2	164.9	169.2	204.3	200.7	107.5	133.3	187.4	159.6
Norfolk.....	122.4	93.6	98.5	115.3	157.6	168.2	174.0	209.8	197.0	115.5	149.9	196.2	152.0
Philadelphia.....	123.4	93.4	98.6	108.8	152.5	166.3	170.6	199.3	195.5	119.8	142.6	201.7	152.6
Pittsburgh.....	124.9	93.8	98.8	110.8	155.4	170.2	174.9	208.0	234.1	110.0	139.7	205.4	148.5
Portland, Maine.....	119.0	95.8	97.6	108.7	149.2	162.0	167.1	195.0	200.2	113.3	154.0	193.4	152.0
Portland, Oreg.....	117.8	91.8	100.9	113.7	157.8	166.5	180.1	223.5	200.9	124.5	130.6	190.5	155.8
Richmond.....	118.3	92.9	98.8	110.1	149.3	161.7	170.0	201.5	203.4	113.5	142.4	207.1	143.2
St. Louis.....	123.6	92.3	99.1	110.6	151.2	167.9	171.1	212.2	201.4	119.7	135.7	175.4	145.3
San Francisco.....	118.1	95.2	100.2	111.3	160.4	168.9	176.7	221.1	196.0	115.9	82.8	169.6	164.2
Savannah.....	124.4	94.1	99.7	113.9	162.2	171.5	178.4	216.0	197.0	117.9	153.4	205.6	155.4
Scranton.....	126.9	96.1	97.4	108.3	154.0	165.2	169.4	201.1	206.9	109.0	144.7	182.2	141.8
Seattle.....	119.7	92.8	100.9	114.7	157.2	168.2	174.3	211.8	197.2	123.2	126.4	197.9	156.9
Washington, D. C.....	114.5	94.1	98.9	109.7	152.0	161.7	167.1	201.8	221.5	104.1	137.5	204.8	155.4

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 December 1940.

² November.

³ October.

⁴ Not available.

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

No. 347.—CONSUMERS' PRICE INDEXES IN 60 CITIES: 1939 TO 1947

[January 1939=100. Data cover prices of important commodities and services entering into family living expense, i. e., food, housing, clothing, fuel, light, household furnishings, medical fees, automobile purchase and operation, carfare, etc.]

CITY	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947
Akron.....	99.9	102.3	109.2	121.0	126.5	127.9	129.2	138.4	155.7
Atlanta.....	99.3	98.9	104.0	115.2	122.0	124.1	126.1	134.1	153.1
Baltimore.....	99.9	100.6	106.5	118.7	126.5	128.5	130.2	137.7	150.3
Birmingham.....	99.5	100.0	100.5	118.4	124.2	127.1	128.8	136.6	153.4
Boston.....	99.6	100.6	104.8	116.5	122.5	122.6	124.5	135.1	151.7
Bridgeport.....	100.0	101.2	106.7	119.0	124.9	126.8	127.1	136.2	154.4
Buffalo.....	100.7	102.5	109.0	121.6	128.3	128.3	129.4	137.4	156.5
Chattanooga.....	99.0	98.3	103.4	115.0	123.0	126.6	128.1	137.2	154.8
Chicago.....	99.5	100.3	105.6	116.1	122.1	123.5	125.6	134.5	154.5
Cincinnati.....	99.3	100.3	105.2	116.7	123.1	124.0	125.9	134.9	154.0
Cleveland.....	99.5	100.4	105.4	116.8	122.9	125.4	127.8	135.9	154.0
Dallas.....	99.4	99.2	103.9	115.6	121.8	124.2	127.3	133.8	149.1
Dayton.....	98.6	99.3	105.9	116.5	122.6	124.2	126.6	133.8	151.8
Denver.....	100.0	99.5	103.7	114.4	120.5	123.3	125.0	133.7	151.0
Des Moines.....	100.4	100.3	106.0	117.2	122.8	123.8	124.8	132.6	151.0
Detroit.....	99.5	100.9	107.0	119.7	126.9	128.5	131.2	139.3	156.9
Duluth.....	100.1	99.6	104.8	115.9	122.6	122.6	125.9	135.5	154.3
Erie, Pa.....	100.6	102.4	108.4	122.9	131.0	131.6	133.8	143.4	164.4
Fall River.....	99.9	100.7	105.9	118.2	123.7	124.8	126.7	134.6	160.5
Front Royal, Va.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	119.0	127.2	(1)	130.7	142.5	(1)
Grand Rapids.....	99.7	101.4	108.1	119.2	126.9	128.8	131.6	139.6	157.4
Green Bay, Wis.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	113.7	119.2	122.2	125.1	132.4	151.2
Houston.....	99.4	100.0	104.4	115.1	120.0	122.5	124.4	132.0	149.0
Huntington, W. Va.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	124.9	126.3	131.4	139.8	158.0
Indianapolis.....	99.8	101.2	107.1	118.1	124.2	127.2	130.1	140.5	156.9
Kansas City, Mo.....	99.9	99.4	103.7	114.8	120.8	123.5	125.7	133.1	149.1
Lansing.....	(1)	(1)	107.2	120.1	130.7	130.7	133.4	141.3	158.8
Los Angeles.....	99.5	99.5	104.8	117.1	123.9	125.6	128.0	135.3	150.1
Louisville.....	99.9	100.7	105.4	117.7	123.0	124.1	127.8	138.8	161.4
Macon.....	99.8	101.0	106.5	120.6	128.8	131.1	132.1	138.8	150.0
Meadville, Pa.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	118.2	125.6	126.6	(1)	134.6	(1)
Memphis.....	100.0	100.3	106.1	118.8	125.7	126.5	127.9	136.5	163.1
Milwaukee.....	99.5	100.7	105.6	115.9	122.4	124.4	126.6	134.6	151.5
Minneapolis.....	100.6	101.0	106.0	116.5	123.6	125.8	127.9	137.1	157.0
Muskegon.....	(1)	(1)	110.4	121.7	128.9	130.8	133.8	144.5	164.5
Newark.....	99.6	100.2	104.6	114.6	123.3	123.1	124.6	133.1	149.4
New Haven.....	99.9	100.8	105.2	114.6	119.2	119.7	120.9	129.5	148.0
New Orleans.....	100.4	101.8	107.6	119.4	128.1	128.2	130.6	139.8	169.7
New York.....	100.0	101.2	105.7	115.6	122.8	124.6	126.1	134.6	151.5
Omaha.....	100.6	101.3	105.6	116.8	122.9	125.3	128.2	136.8	156.3
Parkersburg, W. Va.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	118.8	124.6	124.7	126.7	136.1	(1)
Philadelphia.....	99.8	100.1	105.8	118.7	123.9	125.3	127.3	136.1	153.1
Pittsburgh.....	99.7	101.3	106.8	118.0	123.3	124.0	125.8	134.7	153.4
Portland, Oreg.....	100.2	100.2	105.7	120.1	125.7	127.3	128.4	137.2	153.8
Providence.....	100.1	101.1	104.6	115.1	122.1	124.4	127.9	136.5	153.1
Richmond.....	99.7	100.0	105.0	117.5	124.1	126.7	129.3	138.1	158.6
Roanoke, Va.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	121.9	128.0	129.9	131.1	140.0	159.6
Rochester.....	100.0	103.0	108.1	119.6	126.2	127.4	129.5	138.8	157.1
Rockford, Ill.....	(1)	(1)	(1)	123.3	130.6	131.9	134.0	143.1	163.6
Sacramento.....	100.4	100.3	104.3	115.7	123.5	126.6	128.5	136.6	153.5
St. Louis.....	99.5	100.5	105.3	116.8	123.9	125.0	126.6	134.3	152.1
St. Paul.....	100.5	101.2	105.7	114.8	121.2	122.6	123.8	133.9	154.2
San Francisco—Oakland.....	99.4	99.1	103.7	116.3	123.2	125.7	128.1	138.2	155.5
Seattle.....	100.4	101.3	106.6	119.8	126.2	127.3	128.9	137.9	154.8
Spokane.....	100.0	100.8	105.7	118.0	124.5	125.2	127.5	136.7	151.0
Syracuse.....	(1)	(1)	106.3	119.9	126.6	126.5	127.0	135.7	153.6
Toledo.....	98.9	98.4	104.7	117.9	123.6	127.3	130.9	140.2	158.0
Wausau, Wis.....	100.1	101.6	107.2	118.3	124.4	125.9	128.4	137.7	157.0
Wilmington, Del.....	100.0	100.3	106.2	118.7	124.2	124.1	125.1	134.3	150.9
Youngstown.....	99.7	101.6	107.4	118.7	126.1	127.3	130.5	138.2	154.5

¹ Not available.

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

RETAIL PRICE INDEXES

No. 348.—INDEXES OF RETAIL PRICES OF FOODS, BY GROUP: 1929 TO 1948

[1935-39 average=100. See general note, p. 299]

YEAR AND MONTH	All foods	Cereals and bakery products	Meats, poultry, and fish	Dairy products	Eggs	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES				Beverages	Fats and oils	Sugar and sweets
						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	126.7	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	90.6	90.4	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	130.3	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
1944	136.1	108.4	129.9	133.6	153.9	168.2	177.2	129.5	164.4	124.3	123.3	126.5
1945	139.1	109.0	131.2	133.9	164.4	177.1	188.2	130.2	168.2	124.7	124.0	126.5
Jan. 16	137.3	108.7	130.2	133.5	169.6	168.9	177.9	129.7	160.9	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	185.3	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
1946	159.6	125.0	161.3	165.1	168.8	182.4	190.7	140.8	190.4	139.6	152.1	143.9
Jan. 15	141.0	109.4	131.4	136.4	172.4	180.8	192.7	130.5	169.0	124.9	125.5	129.5
Feb. 15	159.6	109.8	131.3	136.6	144.2	181.1	193.0	130.9	169.8	124.9	125.4	129.9
Mar. 15	140.1	110.3	131.3	137.0	139.0	183.4	196.3	129.6	168.9	124.9	125.9	132.4
Apr. 15	141.7	113.3	132.8	137.4	137.7	185.9	199.8	128.7	169.5	124.9	126.1	135.3
May 15	142.6	115.2	133.4	138.6	140.3	185.7	199.6	127.8	171.9	125.4	126.1	135.9
June 15	145.6	122.1	134.0	147.3	147.0	183.5	196.7	127.5	172.5	125.4	126.3	136.2
July 15	165.7	126.1	173.7	179.1	161.0	188.4	202.1	130.9	175.9	126.0	137.9	138.5
Aug. 15	171.2	135.4	186.6	180.1	173.6	178.3	185.8	140.7	189.0	126.6	180.3	140.3
Sept. 15	174.1	137.3	188.5	186.6	193.3	176.4	181.1	148.7	185.6	162.0	161.4	141.5
Oct. 15	180.0	138.5	190.7	202.4	214.6	176.5	178.8	154.6	198.7	166.5	147.9	167.5
Nov. 15	187.7	140.0	203.6	198.5	201.6	184.5	182.3	167.7	251.6	167.8	244.4	170.5
Dec. 15	185.9	141.6	197.8	200.9	201.1	185.0	180.6	172.6	268.0	176.2	207.3	175.3
1947	193.8	155.4	217.1	186.2	200.8	199.4	201.5	166.2	263.5	186.8	197.5	180.0
Jan. 15	183.8	143.4	199.0	190.1	181.7	187.9	184.1	173.6	269.2	178.3	201.9	176.2
Feb. 15	182.3	144.1	196.7	183.2	169.9	191.7	189.3	172.6	269.9	182.8	201.3	178.1
Mar. 15	189.5	148.1	207.6	187.5	174.7	199.6	190.4	162.0	271.3	186.9	219.1	178.6
Apr. 15	188.0	153.4	202.6	178.9	176.3	200.4	200.7	172.6	269.7	189.5	227.8	179.3
May 15	187.6	154.2	203.9	171.5	178.9	207.0	209.5	172.3	268.1	188.9	200.5	179.3
June 15	190.5	154.6	216.9	171.5	183.0	205.0	208.0	169.7	262.6	181.3	188.3	179.7
July 15	193.1	155.0	220.2	178.8	203.0	204.2	204.2	168.5	263.6	180.8	182.0	179.7
Aug. 15	196.5	155.7	228.4	183.8	212.3	199.8	202.1	165.7	263.4	181.7	178.5	179.8
Sept. 15	203.5	157.8	240.6	195.2	235.9	198.2	202.4	167.3	261.2	187.0	176.6	181.1
Oct. 15	201.6	160.3	235.5	190.1	232.7	196.6	201.1	155.2	255.6	190.8	190.0	181.8
Nov. 15	202.7	167.9	227.0	198.4	224.7	199.6	205.0	156.5	251.7	194.7	196.4	183.2
Dec. 15	206.9	170.5	227.3	204.9	236.1	205.3	212.1	157.3	255.4	198.5	208.2	183.7
1948	210.2	170.9	246.5	204.8	208.7	205.2	212.4	158.0	246.8	205.0	195.5	174.0
Jan. 15	209.7	172.7	237.5	205.7	213.6	208.3	215.7	158.0	256.8	201.9	209.3	183.4
Feb. 15	204.7	171.8	224.8	204.4	189.2	213.0	222.0	157.7	256.0	204.0	194.2	176.8
Mar. 15	202.3	171.0	224.7	201.1	186.3	206.9	214.2	157.7	253.9	204.0	191.7	174.4
Apr. 15	207.9	171.0	233.8	205.8	184.7	217.4	228.4	156.4	252.1	204.4	191.4	173.6
May 15	210.9	171.1	244.2	204.8	184.9	218.0	229.4	156.4	250.0	204.6	196.6	173.0
June 15	214.1	171.2	255.1	205.9	194.2	214.9	225.2	157.4	248.0	205.1	200.5	170.6
July 15	216.8	171.0	261.8	209.0	204.3	213.4	223.2	157.7	248.0	205.2	200.8	170.9
Aug. 15	216.6	170.8	267.0	211.0	220.2	199.6	204.8	157.8	249.2	205.3	197.8	172.3
Sept. 15	215.2	170.7	265.3	208.7	226.6	195.8	199.6	159.0	249.1	205.6	196.8	173.2
Oct. 15	211.5	170.0	256.1	203.0	230.0	193.5	197.3	158.9	238.1	205.9	193.0	173.1
Nov. 15	207.5	169.9	246.7	199.5	244.3	189.4	192.4	159.4	230.6	206.4	189.4	173.3
Dec. 15	205.0	170.2	241.3	199.2	217.3	192.3	196.2	159.4	229.8	207.8	184.4	173.0

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, Serial No.R1172, and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 849.—INDEXES OF RETAIL PRICES OF FOODS, BY CITY: 1929 TO 1948

[1935-39 average=100. Sales taxes included wherever applicable. See general note, p. 299]

REGION AND CITY	1929	1932	1939	1941	1945	1946	1947			1948		
							Avg.	June	Dec.	Avg.	June	Dec.
United States¹	132.5	86.5	95.2	105.5	139.1	159.6	193.8	190.5	206.9	210.2	214.1	205.0
New England:												
Boston.....	137.1	89.3	95.3	103.2	133.6	153.1	184.0	179.6	195.7	194.1	204.1	194.2
Bridgeport.....	127.3	88.1	94.8	104.9	135.9	153.9	188.2	186.9	199.0	200.0	210.3	201.0
Fall River.....	130.8	84.6	96.0	104.9	132.9	152.8	188.4	186.3	199.0	199.8	211.3	200.4
Manchester.....	127.0	82.9	96.1	104.8	135.2	156.6	191.6	190.3	204.7	201.8	213.0	203.6
New Haven.....	128.4	88.2	94.7	103.9	136.0	153.8	186.6	186.4	198.9	195.1	205.4	194.5
Portland, Maine.....	137.3	90.9	95.1	103.8	133.6	153.3	186.3	185.3	195.2	194.3	204.1	195.0
Providence.....	132.9	86.6	94.9	104.6	138.1	159.7	195.9	194.2	210.5	210.1	222.0	209.2
Middle Atlantic:												
Buffalo.....	132.6	85.7	95.9	108.5	136.8	152.7	187.0	187.0	200.3	197.9	211.6	200.0
Newark.....	127.2	89.3	96.7	105.7	141.4	159.2	187.8	184.1	199.4	200.1	209.9	201.2
New York.....	133.4	92.5	96.5	106.0	140.1	162.3	193.1	187.9	206.1	205.3	213.9	204.3
Philadelphia.....	130.3	86.5	94.4	102.4	137.1	156.8	189.3	187.1	201.8	200.4	209.4	199.3
Pittsburgh.....	135.4	83.9	93.5	106.2	138.6	160.8	197.9	196.9	209.6	208.0	219.6	208.0
Rochester.....	131.8	84.6	94.9	106.9	135.6	153.8	186.5	185.2	200.1	195.5	208.8	196.5
Seranton.....	140.6	88.7	94.8	104.9	139.4	159.9	194.9	194.9	210.0	201.6	216.1	201.1
East North Central:												
Chicago.....	133.2	87.5	94.9	106.2	137.8	160.1	197.5	193.9	210.5	207.3	221.3	208.2
Cincinnati.....	135.6	83.9	92.3	105.0	137.6	156.0	195.5	191.1	211.6	205.5	216.3	205.2
Cleveland.....	131.1	82.4	96.3	107.7	143.2	163.9	200.1	198.3	212.3	212.8	223.7	213.0
Columbus.....	131.5	83.6	92.3	102.2	131.5	149.8	181.7	178.4	194.4	188.6	199.2	189.4
Detroit.....	133.9	78.8	93.7	104.9	135.6	156.4	189.2	188.5	202.0	197.3	211.3	198.7
Indianapolis.....	138.3	85.5	93.5	106.3	135.4	156.5	193.1	188.7	208.8	200.9	211.5	204.8
Madison.....	131.6	87.1	93.7	104.0	137.4	156.5	191.8	190.8	204.0	206.5	215.3	205.0
Peoria.....	128.6	81.8	96.0	108.2	143.3	165.5	204.1	201.7	224.1	215.7	227.3	216.8
Springfield.....	131.7	81.7	95.5	105.6	144.2	165.0	206.1	203.5	217.3	214.0	224.4	214.4
West North Central:												
Cedar Rapids ²	(3)	(4)	(3)	104.1	142.5	163.8	201.9	203.2	212.9	211.5	224.3	211.8
Kansas City.....	129.8	82.2	94.3	101.2	133.0	150.7	185.1	180.0	197.3	194.6	204.4	194.7
Minneapolis.....	125.0	80.3	97.2	106.6	132.0	153.0	185.5	182.6	199.3	195.3	206.2	195.6
Omaha.....	128.8	81.4	94.7	103.7	131.9	154.5	189.0	187.4	202.6	198.0	210.1	203.1
St. Louis.....	128.1	80.4	95.7	107.5	141.4	162.4	201.4	195.8	215.2	212.4	222.0	216.2
St. Paul.....	128.3	82.5	96.1	104.1	130.9	151.4	182.4	178.5	195.9	192.9	203.7	192.1
Wichita ²	(3)	(2)	(3)	105.9	149.6	169.1	203.1	197.3	211.0	219.0	226.4	220.4
South Atlantic:												
Atlanta.....	141.8	86.1	94.3	103.8	140.0	159.0	198.7	193.0	211.1	202.1	209.9	203.3
Baltimore.....	124.1	83.0	96.7	107.0	147.4	166.1	203.7	202.2	217.8	213.5	225.3	214.6
Charleston.....	128.0	84.9	96.4	104.7	136.9	157.1	191.4	188.3	203.1	196.9	208.1	197.1
Jacksonville.....	131.8	84.8	96.7	108.6	148.2	166.5	202.6	199.1	216.6	210.6	222.9	209.9
Norfolk.....	138.0	88.6	94.2	107.4	143.8	164.6	202.9	198.0	216.1	208.7	214.4	209.8
Richmond.....	133.9	85.4	92.9	103.4	136.4	155.1	192.8	185.8	207.6	200.3	205.3	201.5
Savannah.....	133.4	84.1	96.7	109.3	153.7	175.0	212.3	209.4	222.2	215.3	224.5	216.0
Washington.....	134.6	89.2	95.0	105.4	139.9	159.8	193.7	190.9	207.4	202.4	215.4	201.8
Winston-Salem ²	(3)	(2)	(3)	102.0	140.8	163.0	199.3	194.4	211.3	203.7	209.5	206.6
East South Central:												
Birmingham.....	143.5	86.3	92.4	103.3	143.4	164.4	203.5	197.3	217.0	202.0	212.7	204.8
Knoxville ²	(3)	(3)	(3)	111.4	149.7	169.2	207.3	202.7	223.2	209.5	216.7	213.8
Louisville ²	(3)	(3)	(3)	105.8	159.3	183.5	226.8	223.0	243.5	230.0	238.4	233.9
Louisville.....	132.9	80.8	93.9	105.2	132.8	151.3	187.5	183.4	198.9	193.9	203.8	196.6
Memphis.....	138.0	86.8	92.7	103.8	148.1	171.3	211.6	205.1	229.7	217.1	226.7	217.9
Mobile.....	136.5	85.5	96.7	109.0	147.1	164.5	200.2	196.9	216.3	214.5	219.8	211.8
West South Central:												
Dallas.....	137.2	85.1	92.5	101.0	135.9	157.7	195.4	191.4	208.2	207.1	210.8	208.2
Houston.....	130.1	80.3	97.8	108.9	138.7	158.3	201.2	196.2	218.1	215.7	220.0	213.1
Little Rock.....	135.5	79.9	94.8	104.3	135.6	156.5	195.0	189.8	211.8	199.8	210.0	201.6
New Orleans.....	124.3	84.0	98.1	110.7	153.3	173.9	209.0	203.7	222.1	214.4	227.3	216.1
Mountain:												
Butte.....	133.2	84.6	96.0	105.0	136.6	153.6	187.7	185.9	195.8	205.0	214.7	205.7
Denver.....	120.6	81.6	94.6	103.2	138.8	158.3	194.0	191.9	205.6	200.6	216.5	211.0
Salt Lake City.....	128.9	81.7	95.8	106.1	142.9	162.0	194.0	192.6	200.7	211.8	215.8	209.8
Pacific:												
Los Angeles.....	136.2	86.5	96.2	107.7	145.6	166.6	198.6	193.8	211.1	215.5	212.1	214.9
Portland, Oreg.....	128.1	84.7	98.3	111.5	149.5	169.0	203.6	199.7	210.0	224.2	228.2	223.5
San Francisco.....	127.8	89.5	96.0	107.0	148.2	170.1	202.8	196.9	215.7	223.2	221.6	221.1
Seattle.....	129.6	87.4	97.2	110.2	144.4	164.3	198.7	193.3	213.4	214.4	220.3	211.8

¹ Based on costs in 51 cities prior to March 1943, 56 cities thereafter.² Based on June 1940=100.³ Not available.

No. 350.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED FOODS: 1913 TO 1948

[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 combined with 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	36.2	37.7	40.3	44.9	52.7	37.4
1944.....	6.5	6.2	8.8	41.4	28.8	37.3	41.1	35.4	40.0	45.1	50.0	36.0
1945.....	6.4	6.4	8.8	40.6	28.1	37.1	41.1	34.7	40.0	46.6	50.7	35.6
1946.....	7.1	7.5	10.4	52.1	36.6	48.5	53.3	47.8	48.7	52.6	71.0	50.1
Mar. 15.....	6.4	6.5	8.9	40.8	28.3	37.0	40.9	35.9	40.4	45.5	54.8	38.1
June 15.....	6.4	6.8	10.6	41.7	29.0	37.5	41.8	36.2	40.9	49.3	61.0	41.3
Sept. 15.....	7.7	8.4	11.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	58.2	82.9	60.3
Dec. 15.....	8.2	9.0	11.5	64.3	46.3	57.7	75.2	65.3	59.4	67.2	91.5	65.8
1947.....	9.6	9.8	12.5	75.6	51.5	72.1	77.7	67.5	64.2	55.3	80.5	50.0
Mar. 15.....	8.9	9.0	12.1	68.2	46.4	72.1	77.0	70.9	62.0	53.8	82.9	61.1
June 15.....	9.8	9.1	12.5	78.0	50.6	74.2	72.3	66.9	66.3	55.0	70.7	55.2
Sept. 15.....	9.8	10.5	12.6	86.7	58.1	85.0	85.6	75.5	70.3	57.7	91.6	57.5
Dec. 15.....	10.8	11.2	13.6	79.9	56.4	68.0	87.2	65.6	63.8	67.5	95.4	61.4
1948.....	9.8	10.9	13.9	90.5	64.4	77.2	76.9	68.0	71.1	61.3	86.7	65.6
Mar. 15.....	9.9	11.1	13.9	79.1	56.0	69.9	70.8	62.8	62.5	58.7	86.4	63.4
June 15.....	9.7	11.0	13.9	97.2	69.5	78.5	76.9	68.0	78.2	62.6	91.0	66.2
Sept. 15.....	9.6	11.0	13.9	98.9	70.7	91.8	79.0	74.4	74.0	63.2	84.7	68.7
Dec. 15.....	9.6	10.0	13.9	88.3	62.1	67.4	74.6	65.6	68.8	62.8	75.6	64.2

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	8.0	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
1944.....	15.6	54.5	11.3	46.0	5.3	6.9	4.7	12.0	17.0	30.1	18.7	6.7
1945.....	15.6	58.1	10.4	48.5	6.1	6.9	4.9	12.2	17.5	30.5	18.8	6.7
1946.....	17.6	58.6	11.6	40.9	5.9	6.0	4.7	15.0	19.1	34.4	26.3	7.7
Mar. 15.....	15.4	48.3	10.9	44.8	7.6	8.8	5.0	12.9	17.7	30.4	18.7	7.1
June 15.....	16.4	51.0	10.9	50.9	5.5	8.4	5.0	12.5	17.5	30.7	18.8	7.3
Sept. 15.....	19.3	67.0	11.0	57.4	5.4	4.7	4.2	16.7	18.4	40.4	28.2	7.5
Dec. 15.....	20.3	69.8	14.5	42.6	5.4	4.8	4.1	21.1	25.6	44.1	35.1	9.4
1947.....	19.6	69.6	15.1	43.4	7.3	7.4	5.0	19.3	24.7	46.9	31.5	9.7
Mar. 15.....	19.3	60.6	14.9	43.4	6.6	5.2	4.5	21.0	26.3	47.0	38.7	9.7
June 15.....	18.5	63.4	15.1	42.8	7.8	7.4	5.8	20.3	24.9	45.5	27.1	9.7
Sept. 15.....	19.8	81.8	15.2	40.2	6.5	7.8	4.9	17.2	24.1	46.9	27.0	9.8
Dec. 15.....	20.8	81.8	15.6	37.7	9.0	10.8	5.3	16.7	22.3	49.8	36.2	9.9
1948.....	21.8	72.3	15.9	44.7	6.6	10.6	5.6	16.5	21.4	51.4	29.6	9.4
Mar. 15.....	21.2	64.6	15.4	41.0	6.7	16.0	5.9	16.7	21.5	51.3	28.6	9.4
June 15.....	21.2	67.3	15.8	43.8	6.9	10.8	6.3	16.6	20.8	51.4	29.6	9.2
Sept. 15.....	22.7	78.4	16.3	52.9	5.2	6.4	5.0	16.5	20.9	51.6	29.6	9.3
Dec. 15.....	22.6	75.2	16.3	43.4	5.4	6.5	5.0	16.2	22.1	52.1	27.0	9.3

¹ Not available.

Source: Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics; Handbook of Labor Statistics, Serial No. R1172, and Monthly Labor Review.

No. 351.—ANNUAL AVERAGE UNIT VALUES OF IMPORTANT ARTICLES IMPORTED:
1921 TO 1947

[Values required by law to represent values in foreign markets whence exported to United States. "Ton" signifies long ton of 2,240 pounds. Averages obtained by dividing total value of imports of specified article by total quantity. Where, as in some commodities considerable price variations may exist between different grades, methods of packing, etc., and proportions of grades, etc., may vary from year to year, such averages may show actual price movements only roughly]

YEAR	Cheese, per pound	FISH, CURED, PER BARREL (200 POUNDS)		HIDES AND SKINS, PER POUND		Wheat, per bushel	Bana- nas, per bunch	Cocoa, per pound	Coffee, per pound	Tea, per pound
		Herring	Mack- erel	Cattle	Goat					
	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>
1921.....	32.3	11.05	15.32	12.9	37.8	1.54	44.70	7.6	10.6	18.6
1922.....	31.4	10.18	17.34	14.5	40.5	1.15	42.46	9.3	12.9	24.5
1923.....	32.4	9.95	15.91	16.0	43.9	.99	44.91	8.2	13.5	28.2
1924.....	29.2	12.09	17.37	13.1	39.3	1.00	46.59	7.8	17.5	29.3
1925.....	27.8	13.30	15.60	16.0	40.7	1.39	53.52	10.0	22.3	31.2
1926.....	26.9	12.09	12.05	14.7	44.6	1.39	56.33	10.0	21.6	32.7
1927.....	30.7	12.60	13.10	17.4	43.6	1.31	56.17	13.4	18.4	31.6
1928.....	30.3	13.15	13.96	23.1	46.0	1.17	55.02	12.4	21.3	30.3
1929.....	29.2	12.54	15.45	16.0	47.4	1.11	55.34	9.8	20.4	28.9
1930.....	26.7	14.13	12.40	13.0	40.7	.98	55.46	8.4	13.1	26.6
1931.....	23.8	12.39	9.30	8.4	31.6	.64	52.69	5.6	10.0	21.6
1932.....	22.5	9.32	6.66	5.6	20.0	.53	49.94	4.1	9.1	13.1
1933.....	21.9	8.94	8.11	7.8	21.0	.56	51.00	4.0	7.8	14.2
1934.....	22.4	10.02	9.52	7.9	25.4	.78	50.55	4.4	8.7	21.3
1935.....	22.9	10.66	10.86	8.6	24.3	.78	50.95	4.4	7.8	19.9
1936.....	21.2	9.64	10.52	9.9	23.7	.91	49.18	5.2	7.7	21.7
1937.....	21.1	8.38	12.67	12.6	33.0	1.12	47.22	8.5	8.9	22.5
1938.....	21.2	8.74	10.35	8.7	22.6	.67	48.61	4.4	6.9	22.5
1939.....	21.7	9.30	9.45	9.0	23.3	.56	50.91	4.2	6.9	21.6
1940.....	23.0	9.63	10.17	8.8	23.1	.68	55.57	4.4	6.2	22.9
1941.....	19.5	9.63	15.70	10.4	23.0	.72	57.54	5.6	7.9	27.2
1942.....	18.9	12.87	18.95	12.7	29.7	.72	59.49	7.7	12.0	37.0
1943.....	17.4	14.43	27.21	13.3	30.2	1.12	62.26	6.8	12.4	32.4
1944.....	21.6	18.59	23.45	13.9	33.3	1.34	66.45	6.8	12.5	33.5
1945.....	25.1	18.80	27.43	13.1	40.2	1.34	69.32	7.4	12.7	34.9
1946 (prel.).....	39.4	18.76	30.06	20.7	54.7	1.44	78.77	9.5	17.2	36.3
1947 (prel.).....	53.9	20.35	31.60	25.4	67.7	1.45	82.50	25.5	24.1	40.7

YEAR	Cane sugar, per pound	Whis- key, per proof gallon	Wines, per gal- lon ¹	Rub- ber, crude, pound	Shellac, per pound	Copra, per pound	Flax- seed, per bushel	TOBACCO, LEAF, PER POUND		Cotton, unman- ufactured, per pound
								Cigar wrap- pers	Other leaf	
	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Dollars</i>	<i>Cents</i>	<i>Cents</i>
1921.....	3.94	4.58	-----	17.8	48.9	3.9	1.66	2.00	91.71	23.7
1922.....	2.69	4.73	-----	15.1	59.3	3.7	2.09	2.04	74.39	25.6
1923.....	4.93	3.93	2.10	26.7	59.7	4.0	2.01	2.35	80.18	26.4
1924.....	4.39	3.75	1.65	23.7	53.5	4.4	1.81	2.56	97.87	30.3
1925.....	2.76	3.47	1.93	48.4	51.0	5.0	2.40	2.34	80.27	33.7
1926.....	2.47	(*)	2.76	54.6	33.6	5.1	1.84	2.25	75.88	25.5
1927.....	3.06	(*)	2.32	35.6	41.4	4.6	1.74	2.15	64.90	22.2
1928.....	2.68	(*)	2.44	25.0	42.4	4.5	1.78	2.06	62.02	24.9
1929.....	2.14	(*)	2.40	19.1	33.4	4.2	1.92	1.84	65.37	23.9
1930.....	1.85	(*)	2.62	12.9	27.3	3.7	2.11	1.60	52.99	19.7
1931.....	1.77	(*)	2.56	6.6	16.3	2.4	.98	1.47	45.92	9.9
1932.....	1.63	(*)	2.23	3.5	13.3	1.8	.65	1.33	39.22	9.9
1933.....	1.87	(*)	3.75	4.9	9.0	1.4	.98	1.52	34.11	10.6
1934.....	1.96	4.95	3.42	9.8	17.7	1.2	1.06	2.00	39.32	13.4
1935.....	2.26	4.53	3.17	11.4	13.6	2.1	.89	2.18	36.65	14.0
1936.....	2.63	4.18	3.15	14.5	11.7	2.1	1.15	2.19	38.65	13.2
1937.....	2.60	3.76	2.73	18.5	10.8	3.3	1.26	1.97	46.08	12.4
1938.....	2.19	4.15	2.48	14.1	8.9	1.8	1.29	2.03	52.70	9.0
1939.....	2.15	4.22	2.30	16.0	8.0	1.6	1.15	1.67	51.54	8.0
1940.....	1.94	3.98	2.24	17.4	11.9	1.3	1.19	1.56	49.88	8.1
1941.....	2.05	4.03	2.46	18.2	13.6	1.7	.74	1.51	50.69	7.3
1942.....	2.70	4.43	2.49	18.9	25.1	3.7	1.30	1.72	49.26	12.2
1943.....	2.76	4.34	2.25	27.1	28.9	3.6	2.18	1.76	56.15	15.6
1944.....	2.75	4.26	2.35	31.2	29.0	3.4	2.91	2.03	82.24	15.8
1945.....	3.07	4.00	3.02	31.4	29.6	3.0	2.54	2.38	98.69	11.2
1946 (prel.).....	3.70	4.16	3.95	27.3	42.1	3.8	2.33	3.21	104.73	18.9
1947 (prel.).....	4.92	4.68	4.05	20.1	48.7	7.9	6.75	3.12	100.84	25.8

¹ Statistics not available prior to 1923.² No importations.

No. 351.—ANNUAL AVERAGE UNIT VALUES OF IMPORTANT ARTICLES IMPORTED: 1921 TO 1947—Continued

YEAR	Jute and jute butts, per ton	Jute bur-laps, per pound	Flax, per ton	Sisal, per ton	Manila, per ton	WOOL, PER POUND			Silk, raw, per pound
						Carpet	Clothing	Combing	
	Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Cents	Cents	Cents	Dollars
1921.....	93.08	8.7	566.91	118.00	184.71	12	22	20	5.71
1922.....	107.38	9.4	575.03	103.33	124.89	17	25	29	7.21
1923.....	128.33	11.2	511.09	109.19	130.32	21	37	38	7.92
1924.....	114.02	10.3	515.19	142.98	175.54	24	46	47	6.39
1925.....	190.69	13.6	680.59	170.79	290.51	30	46	53	6.21
1926.....	215.06	13.7	478.07	182.86	263.92	26	35	39	5.91
1927.....	131.52	11.8	479.08	153.32	255.49	26	34	37	5.27
1928.....	129.45	12.9	698.47	145.10	202.65	25	44	44	4.87
1929.....	128.35	12.0	579.24	156.58	186.95	27	38	38	4.91
1930.....	107.76	9.1	429.26	138.50	138.08	20	26	25	3.57
1931.....	69.71	6.7	222.45	83.44	95.60	12	24	20	2.28
1932.....	64.19	5.0	216.50	50.10	62.91	9	14	15	1.54
1933.....	56.27	6.1	276.17	56.89	56.99	10	19	18	1.52
1934.....	62.95	7.4	374.08	70.91	66.31	13	24	23	1.27
1935.....	72.82	7.0	490.07	71.03	80.52	14	23	21	1.42
1936.....	82.09	6.4	442.68	104.45	144.99	18	26	27	1.70
1937.....	83.69	6.3	442.63	115.06	177.95	17	33	33	1.84
1938.....	84.35	5.6	613.35	88.43	115.58	19	32	30	1.61
1939.....	100.90	6.3	454.34	72.90	90.83	18	25	24	2.34
1940.....	126.65	9.0	504.55	84.25	94.99	23	22	24	2.79
1941.....	104.78	9.7	495.57	77.62	133.10	21	25	27	2.67
1942.....	157.21	12.2	558.96	117.09	167.22	21	31	29	2.83
1943.....	146.01	12.0	825.38	142.82	213.00	24	31	31	1.75
1944.....	160.53	13.4	639.65	148.79	224.83	10	31	31	-----
1945.....	167.82	14.2	315.20	151.17	225.18	21	32	32	10.41
1946 (prel.).....	160.16	13.8	523.03	173.85	198.34	21	29	30	7.58
1947 (prel.).....	261.83	20.1	596.03	269.33	377.35	23	30	38	6.39

YEAR	Boards, planks, deals, per M feet ³	Pulp-wood, per cord	Wood pulp, per ton	News-print paper, per pound	Petro-leum, crude, per gallon	Manga-nese ore, per pound	Copper, pigs, ingots, bars, per pound ⁴	Nickel, pigs, ingots, bars, per pound	Tin, bars, blocks, pigs, per pound	Sodium nitrate, per ton
	Dollars	Dollars	Dollars	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Dollars
1921.....	34.67	14.23	63.30	5.0	1.3	.37	12.6	33.12	30.71	48.71
1922.....	29.54	10.53	56.31	3.5	1.3	.39	12.5	30.31	30.26	48.21
1923.....	31.75	9.95	60.52	3.7	1.6	.90	14.3	21.70	39.56	47.05
1924.....	30.10	10.24	55.71	3.7	2.3	1.00	12.6	20.05	47.32	47.81
1925.....	30.33	10.20	55.09	3.6	2.9	1.17	12.0	20.49	55.40	47.23
1926.....	28.79	10.25	59.01	3.3	3.1	1.41	12.6	26.75	60.63	46.79
1927.....	27.82	10.32	57.37	3.3	3.2	1.86	11.8	26.42	63.30	40.24
1928.....	26.98	10.45	53.27	3.2	2.7	1.13	12.4	25.20	49.80	35.81
1929.....	27.52	10.81	52.75	3.0	2.4	1.15	16.1	25.53	47.06	37.52
1930.....	23.84	10.76	49.63	2.9	2.5	1.08	13.2	25.05	33.31	37.71
1931.....	20.86	10.97	42.72	2.7	2.0	.99	8.5	25.33	24.82	38.34
1932.....	19.29	8.61	35.45	2.4	1.6	.96	5.7	25.06	21.12	29.19
1933.....	22.03	7.41	33.09	1.9	1.3	.95	6.2	24.83	36.36	19.07
1934.....	25.39	7.54	38.34	1.7	1.7	.95	7.0	25.36	50.02	19.32
1935.....	24.54	7.48	36.59	1.7	1.7	.99	6.9	25.28	48.50	20.32
1936.....	24.01	7.84	36.37	1.8	1.7	.95	8.3	25.16	44.30	19.39
1937.....	27.45	8.14	41.04	1.8	1.8	1.03	11.7	24.83	52.84	18.53
1938.....	24.65	8.53	42.55	2.2	1.7	1.30	9.2	25.07	40.30	18.59
1939.....	26.86	8.34	37.45	2.2	1.6	1.19	9.6	25.09	44.95	18.55
1940.....	31.45	8.49	49.15	2.3	1.8	1.31	10.0	25.00	45.89	18.74
1941.....	33.37	8.85	57.03	2.2	2.0	1.52	9.9	25.04	47.40	17.80
1942.....	36.11	9.98	58.72	2.2	2.3	1.50	9.9	25.18	48.91	19.11
1943.....	45.30	11.33	59.05	2.5	2.5	1.60	10.4	25.18	49.00	19.95
1944.....	50.28	12.29	67.47	2.7	2.6	1.95	10.7	25.87	50.37	21.52
1945.....	52.15	13.47	66.00	2.8	2.5	2.00	10.8	27.30	48.43	21.84
1946 (prel.).....	61.41	14.59	75.21	3.5	2.7	2.00	11.7	27.16	53.23	21.61
1947 (prel.).....	74.20	16.67	110.42	4.4	3.9	1.70	18.8	30.13	76.53	27.23

³ Excludes cabinet woods; includes clapboard beginning 1939.

⁴ Unrefined copper.

⁵ Tons of 2,000 pounds, air-dry weight.

⁶ Short tons.

Source: Dept. of Commerce, Bur. of Foreign and Domestic Commerce through April 1941; Bur. of Census, thereafter; basic data through 1945 published in annual report, Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States.

No. 352.—ANNUAL AVERAGE UNIT VALUES OF IMPORTANT DOMESTIC ARTICLES
EXPORTED: 1925 TO 1947

[Values of goods required by law to represent market value at port of exportation. See headnote, table 351]

YEAR	Lard, per lb.	Milk, condensed and evaporated, per lb.	Cheese, per lb.	Eggs, per doz.	Corn, per bu.	Rice, per lb.	Wheat, per bu.	Wheat flour, per bbl.	Sugar, per lb.	To- bacco leaf, per lb.	Cot- ton, per lb. 1	BOARDS, PLANKS, AND SCANTLINGS, PER M BOARD FEET	
												Soft- woods	Hard- woods
1925	Cts. 17.1	Cts. 11.7	Cts. 26.3	Cts. 30.1	Dols. 1.12	Cts. 4.9	Dols. 1.72	Dols. 7.65	Cts. 3.7	Cts. 32.7	Cts. 24.5	Dols. 36.12	Dols. 71.12
1926	15.5	12.1	28.6	28.8	.89	4.2	1.46	7.02	3.5	28.5	17.5	33.18	70.90
1927	13.5	12.3	30.1	27.0	.85	3.8	1.42	6.65	4.1	27.5	17.3	33.01	67.90
1928	13.0	12.2	30.7	30.4	1.02	3.5	1.25	6.23	3.5	26.8	20.4	31.20	68.68
1929	12.7	12.1	27.8	33.8	1.01	3.7	1.24	5.91	3.0	26.2	19.7	32.27	66.45
1930	11.4	11.5	25.7	27.2	.94	3.8	1.00	5.31	2.4	25.8	14.4	29.45	62.50
1931	9.0	10.5	22.4	22.7	.69	2.7	.62	3.87	2.1	21.8	9.0	22.91	50.96
1932	5.8	8.5	18.3	21.7	.36	1.9	.60	3.19	1.6	16.8	7.3	20.95	41.09
1933	5.9	6.8	18.5	20.6	.49	2.4	.54	3.49	1.6	19.5	9.0	22.16	43.98
1934	6.1	7.4	19.5	24.1	.76	3.2	.60	4.04	1.5	29.7	11.8	27.93	54.54
1935	12.3	7.4	22.0	29.7	1.50	3.0	.91	4.53	2.3	35.1	12.4	28.41	50.46
1936	12.1	7.8	23.5	28.0	1.05	3.1	.99	4.78	2.2	33.6	12.5	32.30	50.08
1937	11.8	8.5	24.2	27.4	.67	3.1	1.11	5.67	2.2	32.1	11.9	35.50	54.38
1938	8.9	7.8	20.9	23.7	.64	2.6	.90	4.44	2.1	32.8	9.8	33.78	51.45
1939	7.3	7.0	21.2	25.8	.62	3.0	.58	3.17	2.8	23.5	9.9	33.50	51.87
1940	6.3	7.4	22.2	23.3	.67	2.9	.78	3.70	3.1	20.1	10.9	35.01	57.73
1941	9.8	8.0	20.7	27.2	.87	3.9	.85	4.13	3.1	24.8	13.5	41.21	69.30
1942	13.3	9.5	25.1	38.4	.92	6.1	1.03	4.75	4.6	28.5	18.4	53.88	94.41
1943	16.4	9.9	26.9	48.1	1.20	6.4	1.37	5.87	4.4	43.3	22.4	80.79	109.82
1944	16.8	12.1	30.3	39.9	1.42	6.9	1.63	6.92	5.7	52.5	22.4	66.93	105.16
1945	16.1	13.1	31.9	46.4	1.42	6.8	1.87	7.15	6.1	50.7	21.9	61.53	96.30
1946 (prel.)	19.1	12.4	32.7	44.6	1.80	7.8	2.09	8.63	5.4	64.6	26.6	64.55	116.55
1947 (prel.)	25.8	14.6	38.1	50.2	1.89	9.5	2.56	11.93	7.4	64.7	30.0	81.91	131.19

YEAR	COAL, PER TON		Petroleum, crude, per gal.	Motor fuel, gasoline, and naphtha, per gal.	Kerosene, per gal.	Lubricating oils, per gal.	Iron and steel scrap, per ton	Tin plate and terneplate, per lb.	Copper, re- fined, per lb.	Motor- trucks, busses, and chassis, per unit	Pas- senger cars, per unit
	An- thra- cite	Bitu- mi- nous									
1925	Dols. 11.19	Dols. 4.39	Cts. 4.4	Cts. 15.3	Cts. 9.5	Cts. 22.6	Dols. 18.68	Cts. 5.1	Cts. 14.5	Dols. 643.13	Dols. 756.78
1926	11.42	4.95	4.4	14.8	10.9	22.3	17.11	5.1	14.2	705.37	739.03
1927	11.09	4.44	3.9	11.5	9.8	22.2	15.74	5.1	13.6	665.01	746.07
1928	10.96	4.12	3.4	10.7	10.2	20.3	12.82	4.7	14.8	658.37	715.60
1929	10.71	4.22	3.4	10.6	10.1	23.2	13.91	4.9	18.0	566.85	690.21
1930	10.76	4.17	3.2	9.4	9.0	21.9	15.51	5.0	13.4	600.92	692.36
1931	10.75	4.01	1.9	5.9	6.6	18.9	14.38	4.1	9.4	521.16	611.14
1932	10.37	3.77	2.4	5.6	5.2	17.1	8.17	3.7	6.1	468.82	572.76
1933	9.79	3.54	2.1	5.3	5.2	16.3	8.89	3.6	6.8	462.14	498.87
1934	9.57	4.16	2.9	5.6	5.2	18.5	10.46	4.1	7.6	476.95	540.49
1935	9.18	4.05	2.8	5.7	5.6	17.7	10.15	4.3	7.7	510.64	547.66
1936	9.19	4.06	3.1	6.1	5.3	18.1	11.60	4.4	9.2	517.70	572.49
1937	8.66	4.16	3.4	6.7	5.7	19.0	18.91	4.9	13.0	604.50	587.46
1938	8.59	4.07	3.4	6.0	5.3	17.6	15.10	5.3	10.0	624.19	623.94
1939	8.61	4.13	3.1	6.2	4.7	18.3	15.40	4.7	11.0	606.15	614.06
1940	8.91	4.14	3.1	7.7	6.1	21.8	16.87	5.2	11.5	850.44	644.71
1941	9.18	4.64	3.4	8.5	5.5	21.4	18.74	5.4	11.3	1,007.19	742.58
1942	9.66	5.13	3.5	9.9	5.5	26.8	23.39	5.3	11.3	1,643.73	946.15
1943	10.24	5.43	3.7	11.8	6.5	23.4	18.66	5.2	10.5	1,060.71	1,159.25
1944	10.86	5.69	4.0	15.2	6.3	28.0	18.12	5.3	10.0	2,284.07	1,688.50
1945	11.06	5.93	3.9	13.5	4.6	30.3	17.38	5.3	10.7	2,448.40	1,200.15
1946 (prel.)	11.01	6.47	4.1	6.6	5.9	25.1	19.17	5.5	13.5	1,950.99	1,047.07
1947 (prel.)	10.60	7.70	5.1	8.7	7.6	33.0	29.18	7.0	20.4	1,617.46	1,253.73

¹Excludes linters.

²Includes mineral spirits not reported separately since 1940.

Source: Department of Commerce, Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce through April 1941; Bureau of Census, thereafter; basic data through 1945 published in annual report, Foreign Commerce and Navigation of the United States.