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ABSTRACT OF THE FOURTEENTH CENSUS.
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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS,
Washington, D. C., December 30, 1921.

SIR:

I transmit herewith Volume IV of the Reports of the Fourteenth Decennial Census, which contains the statistics of occupations. Volume I shows the number and distribution of the population of the United States, by states, counties, incorporated places, and other minor civil divisions. Volume II, the general report, presents statistics, by subjects, covering the various inquiries relating to population, with the exception of occupations. Volume III gives statistics of the composition and characteristics of the population for each state, by counties, principal cities, and places having 2,500 inhabitants or more. Most of the statistics in Volume I and all the statistics in Volumes II and III were published in the form of printed bulletins, each relating to a particular state or to a particular subject, prior to the issuance of the volumes themselves; the occupation statistics, also, are published in bulletin form.

Volume IV, the present volume, presents statistics showing the number and proportion of persons engaged in gainful occupations and the distribution of the gainful workers by sex, color or race, nativity, parentage, age, and marital condition. Chapters I to VII give the statistics for continental United States, for its geographic divisions and states, and for each of its cities having 25,000 inhabitants or more. Chapter VIII contains statistics for Alaska, Hawaii, and Porto Rico.

The collection and compilation of the statistics of occupations and the preparation of the report have been under the supervision of William C. Hunt, chief statistician for population, assisted by Dr. Alba M. Edwards, special agent, who also revised the occupation classification and the index to occupations, and supervised the classification of the occupation returns. The chiefs of division for population during the decennial census period were Edward W. Koch, William B. Cragg, George B. Wetzel, and Henrietta X. Kiernan.

Respectfully,

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Director of the Census.

Hon. HERBERT HOOVER,
Secretary of Commerce.