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<p>NEW ENGLAND DIVISION Maine New Hampshire Vermont Massachusetts Rhode Island Connecticut</p> <p>MIDDLE ATLANTIC DIVISION New York New Jersey Pennsylvania</p> <p>EAST NORTH CENTRAL DIVISION Ohio Indiana Illinois Michigan Wisconsin</p> <p>WEST NORTH CENTRAL DIVISION Minnesota Iowa Missouri North Dakota South Dakota Nebraska Kansas</p>	<p>SOUTH ATLANTIC DIVISION Delaware Maryland District of Columbia Virginia West Virginia North Carolina South Carolina Georgia Florida</p> <p>EAST SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION Kentucky Tennessee Alabama Mississippi</p> <p>WEST SOUTH CENTRAL DIVISION Arkansas Louisiana Oklahoma Texas</p>	<p>MOUNTAIN DIVISION Montana Idaho Wyoming Colorado New Mexico Arizona Utah Nevada</p> <p>PACIFIC DIVISION Washington Oregon California</p>

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SIR:

I transmit herewith the volume on Irrigation of Agricultural Lands of the Fifteenth Decennial Census. This report contains the statistics on irrigation obtained at the 1930 census of agriculture, which was taken in conformity with the Act providing for the fifteenth decennial census approved June 18, 1929.

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Respectfully,

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Hon. R. P. LAMONT,
Secretary of Commerce.

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(19 STATES)

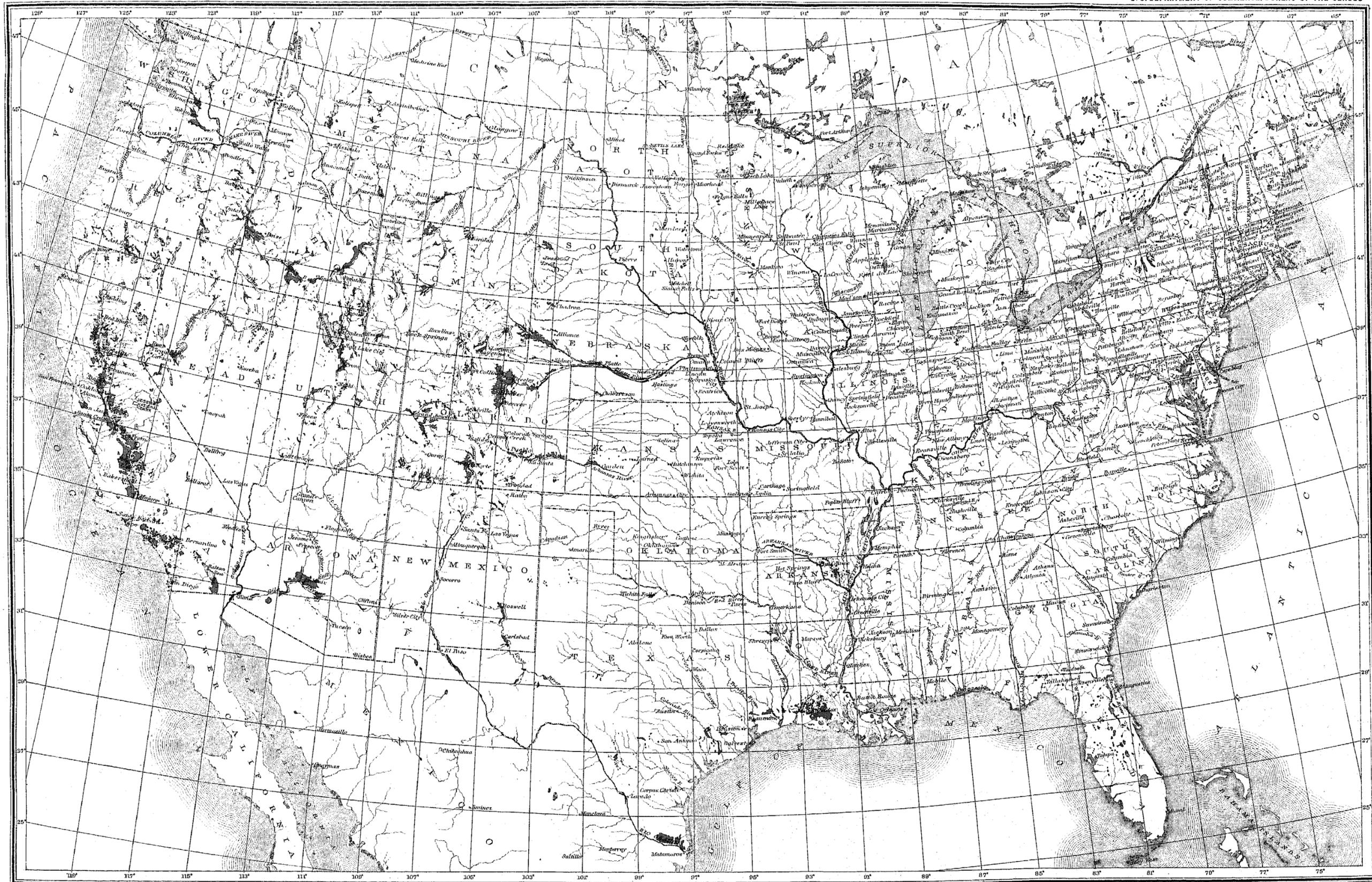
The States in the arid and semiarid portions of the United States and those where rice is irrigated extensively, comprise the group to which this census of irrigation is confined, as follows:

ARIZONA
ARKANSAS
CALIFORNIA
COLORADO
IDAHO

KANSAS
LOUISIANA
MONTANA
NEBRASKA
NEVADA

NEW MEXICO
NORTH DAKOTA
OKLAHOMA
OREGON
SOUTH DAKOTA

TEXAS
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Irrigated areas shown in red

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