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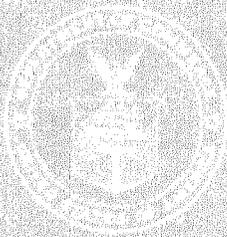
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Comparative Occupation Statistics for the United States, 1870 to 1940.

Estimates of Labor Force, Employment, and Unemployment, in the United States, 1940 and 1930.

## LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,  
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS,  
Washington, D. C., June 1, 1944.

SIR:

I transmit herewith a report on the State of birth of the native population, based on data from the Sixteenth Decennial Census of Population. This census was taken as of April 1, 1940, under the act providing for the Fifteenth and subsequent decennial censuses, approved June 18, 1929.

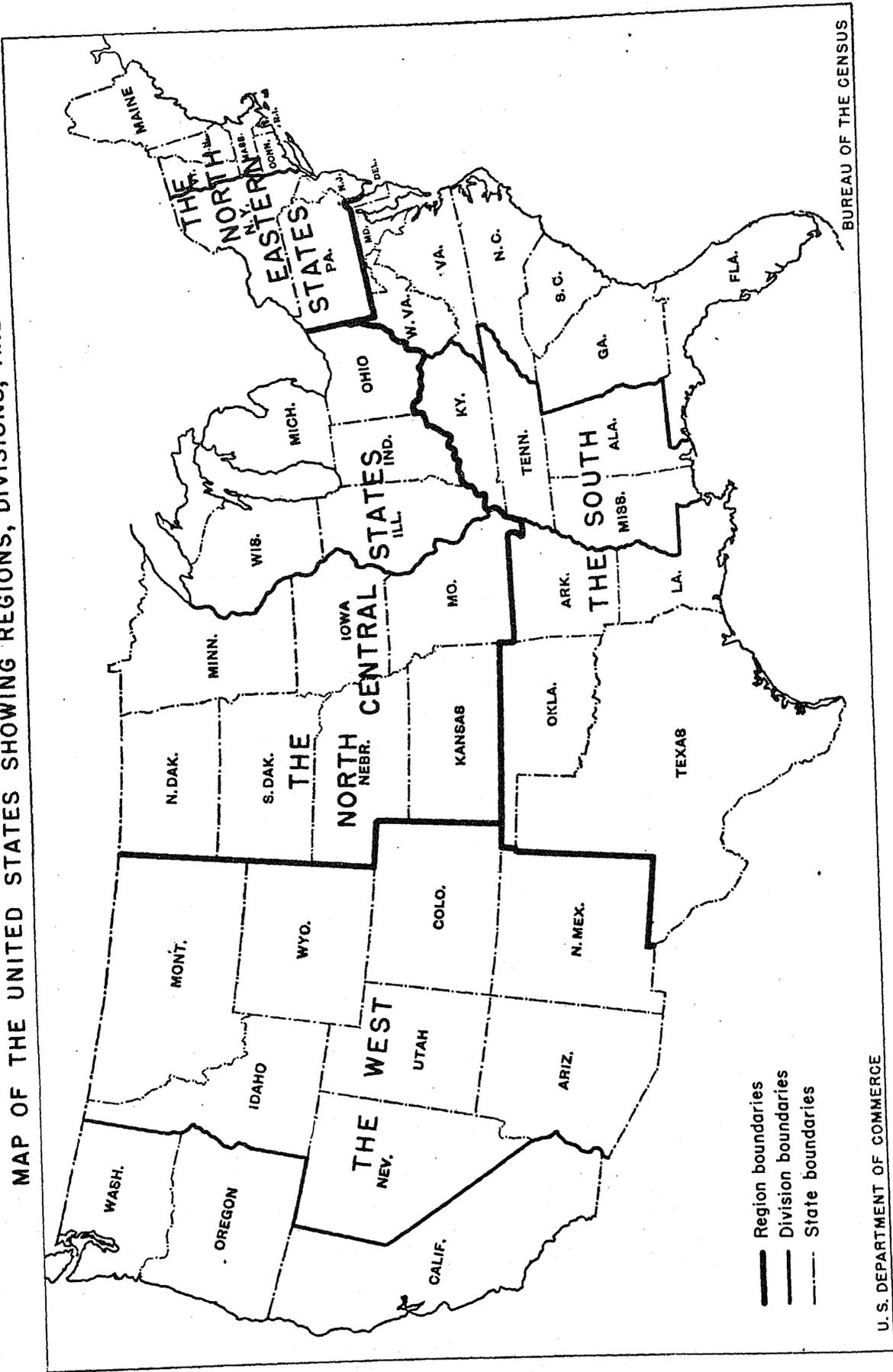
The collection and compilation of these statistics and the preparation of this bulletin were under the supervision of Dr. Leon E. Truesdell, Chief, Population Division, and Mr. Howard G. Brunsman, Assistant Chief, with the assistance of Dr. Henry S. Shryock, Jr., Chief, General Population Statistics, and Robert J. Milliken.

Respectfully,

J. C. CAPT,  
Director of the Census.

HON. JESSE H. JONES,  
Secretary of Commerce.

MAP OF THE UNITED STATES SHOWING REGIONS, DIVISIONS, AND STATES



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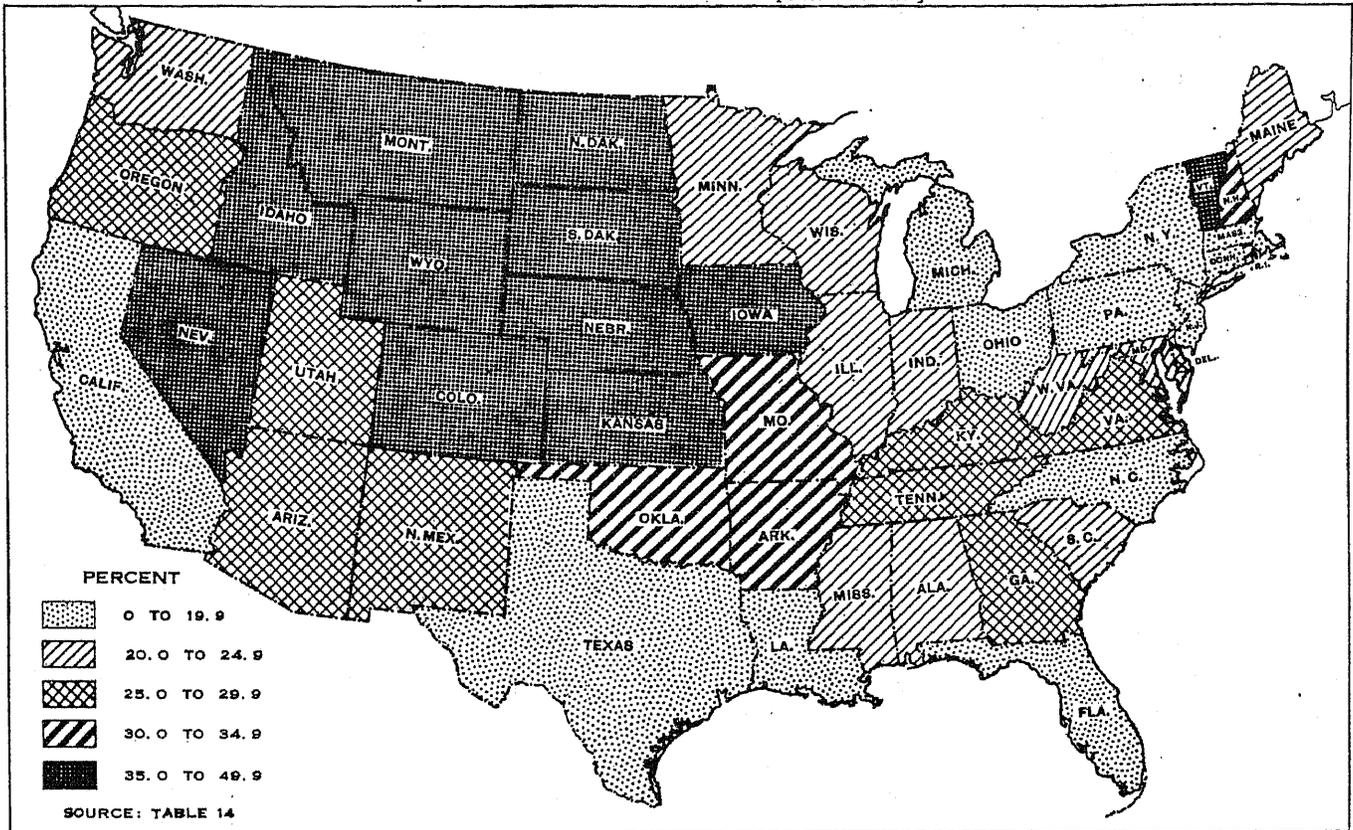
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[District of Columbia, 36.7 percent, not shown separately on the map. The small number of native persons born outside continental United States and persons for whom State of birth was not reported are omitted]



MAP 2.— PERCENT WHICH POPULATION BORN IN OTHER STATES FORMED OF TOTAL NATIVE POPULATION LIVING IN EACH STATE: 1940

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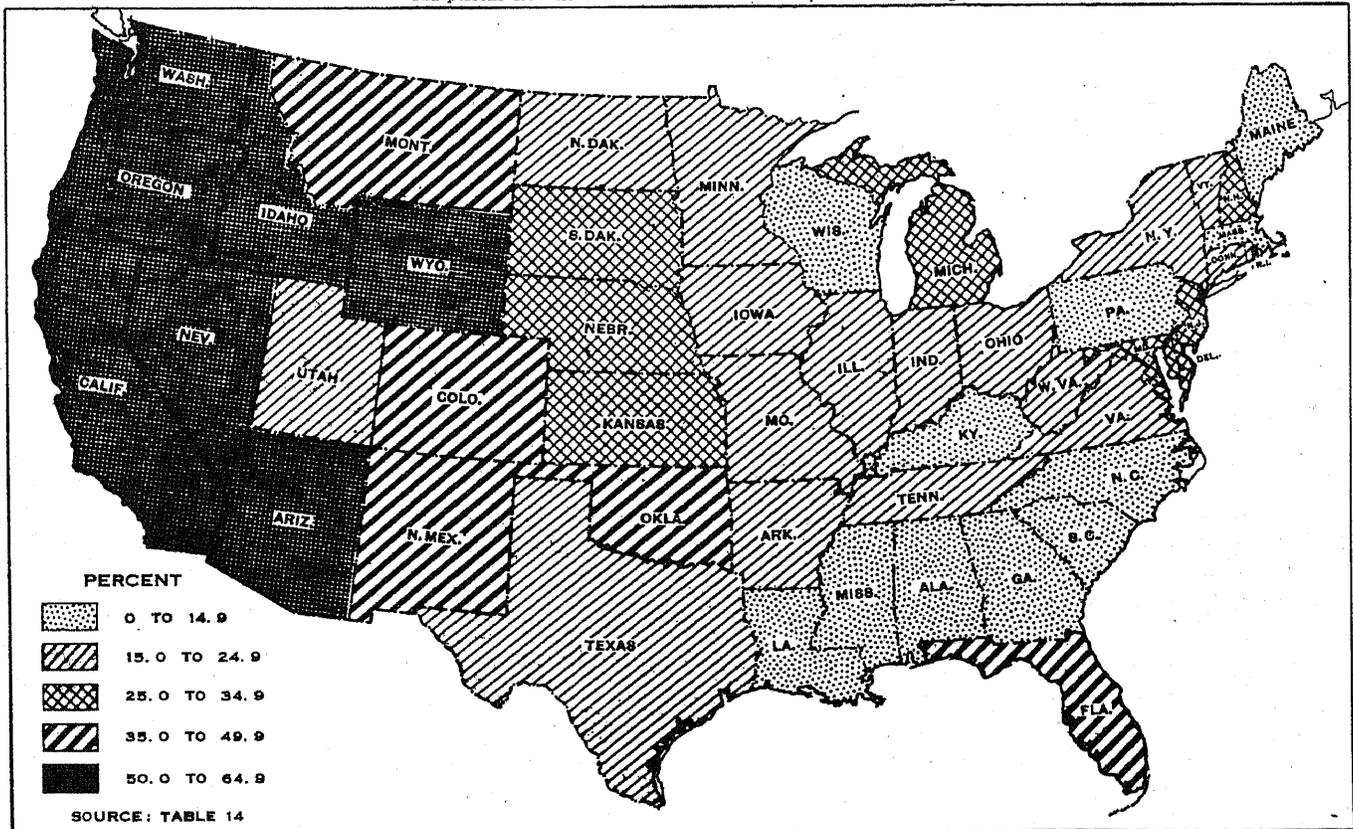
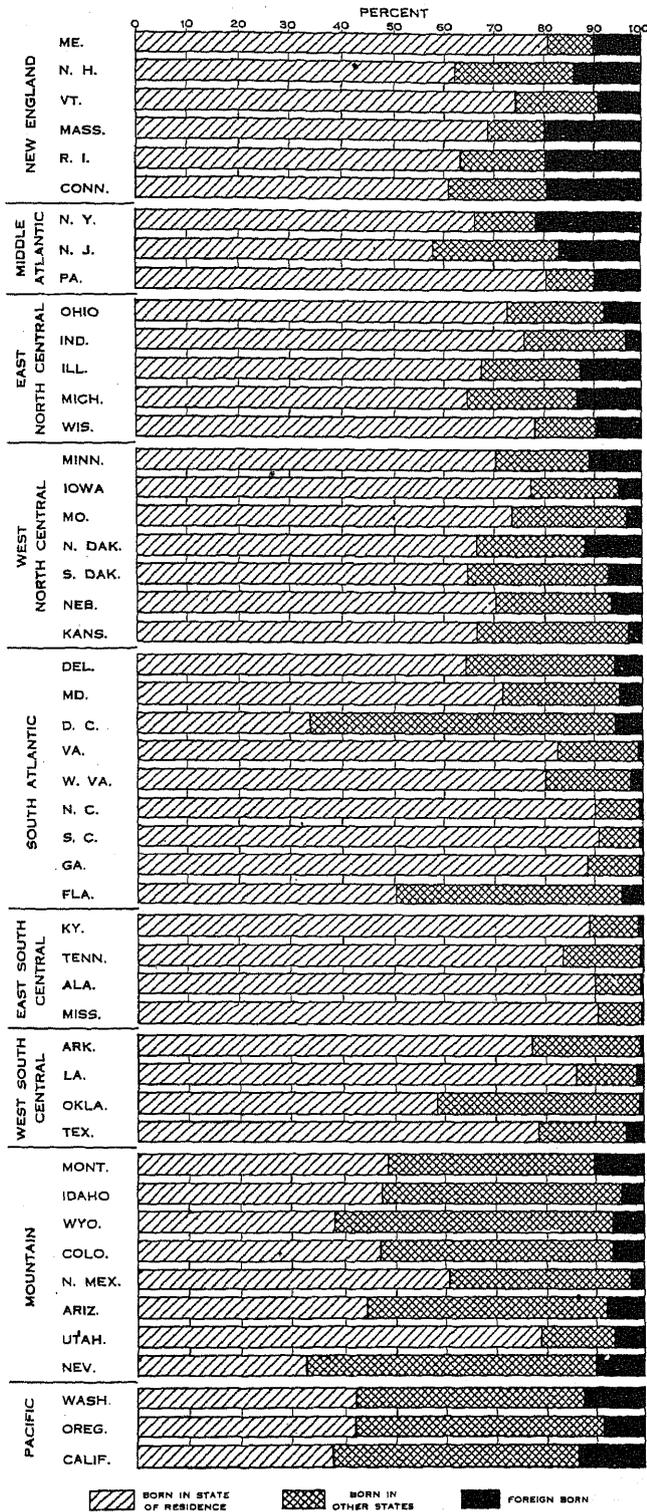


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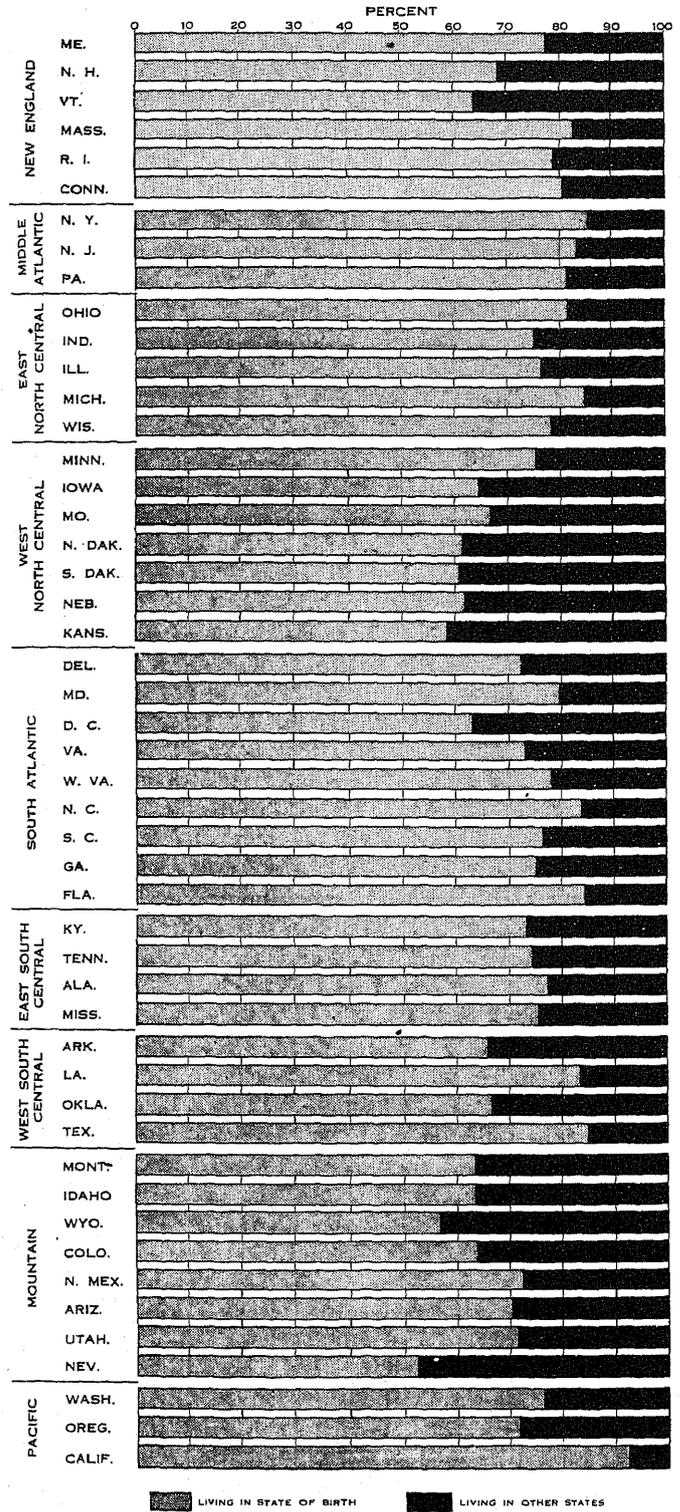
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