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SIR: I transmit herewith the report of the Census of Mines and Quarries for 1929, taken as a part of the Fifteenth Decennial Census. Preliminary statistics for the several mining and quarrying industries were issued in the form of press releases during the period from October 31, 1930, to September 11, 1931; a preliminary summary by State was given out under date of August 20, 1931; and later the complete reports were published separately in two series, one for industries and the other for States.

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