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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
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*Washington, D. C., June 6, 1902.*

SIR:

I have the honor to transmit for publication Part II of the Report on Population.

Part I, which constitutes Volume I of the Census Reports, contains the statistics of population, considered in the aggregate and in detail by sex, general nativity, color, place of birth, parentage, citizenship, and years in the United States.

Part II, which constitutes Volume II of the Census Reports, relates to the following subjects: Ages, in detail; school, militia, and voting ages; conjugal condition; school attendance; illiteracy; inability to speak English; occupations; dwellings and families; and proprietorship of homes.

The presentation of occupations contained in this volume is limited to a statement, by sex, of the number of persons engaged in each specified occupation in the several states and territories, and to the number engaged in certain occupation groups in each of the principal cities of the country, it having been deemed desirable to include in a special report the detailed presentation of the number of persons engaged in gainful occupations in 1900, classified according to general nativity and color, age, conjugal condition, parentage, and months unemployed.

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