

STONE.

INTRODUCTION.

Scope of the report.—This report presents the results of the census of mines and quarries for the year 1919 relating to the stone-quarrying industries. It includes statistics showing: The progress of the industry by comparison of results of the 1919 census with those of the three preceding censuses of mines and quarries; the geographic distribution of the industries by states; the character of organization and the size of operating enterprises; the persons engaged in the industry; the land controlled and form of tenure of mineral land; power equipment and fuel used; statistics in detail for the stone industries in the United States, as a whole, for each industry separately, and for each industry in the states that can be shown without the disclosure of individual operations.

The report on the stone industries does not include statistics relating to the operation of quarries by penal and other governmental institutions. Returns were received from 122 such enterprises operating 87 limestone quarries, 14 granite quarries, 7 sandstone quarries, and 63 basalt quarries from which products valued at \$1,935,640 were obtained in 1919.

Only two operations for development of nonproducing properties were reported for the stone-quarrying industries for the year 1919 and statistics for these are omitted from this report as they would, if combined with data for producing enterprises, impair the value of these, and, if shown separately, would disclose individual operations. The data for the nonproducing enterprises will be combined with those for other nonproducing enterprises and presented in the detail tables for the United States.

Definition of the industries.—The statistics for the stone industries relate to the quarrying of stone of all kinds except operations, as noted in the following paragraphs, which are specifically omitted in order to avoid duplication of statistics for industries not classified as stone quarrying. The numerous varieties of stone have, for the purposes of the census, been assigned to six groups—limestone, granite, sandstone, basalt, slate, and marble—and the statistics on quarry operations are herein presented as for six industries correspondingly designated.

The limestone industry includes the quarrying of limestone, of the related rock dolomite, and of a small amount of other calcareous rock such as tufa, which is, in some places, called marl; but the digging of true calcareous marl is not included with the limestone quarrying. Statistics on the production of a small amount of chert in Arkansas and Florida are included with the statistics on limestone. Limestone is the

rock most used for building stone and constituted approximately one-third of all stone used for that purpose in 1919, but the principal uses of limestone are, first, for fluxing and as refractory materials and otherwise as material in many manufacturing industries; second, as crushed stone, rubble, and riprap used chiefly in road work, concrete, and rough construction work; and third, in agriculture. The quarrying and consumption of limestone in the manufacture of lime and of cement by the producers are not considered in the statistics here presented, as those operations are within the scope of the census of manufactures.

The granite industry includes the quarrying of granite and related granular igneous rocks, and includes a negligible amount of miscellaneous stone reported from Arizona, California, New York, and South Dakota. Granite is the rock principally used for monumental stone and, next to limestone, is the most important building stone; it is also the rock most commonly used for making paving blocks, and, as curbing and flagging, is second in importance to sandstone; three-fourths of the granite output, however, is used as crushed stone and as rubble and riprap.

The sandstone industry includes the quarrying of sandstone and quartzite (which embraces ganister) and some miscellaneous stone, as argillite from Arkansas, New Jersey, and New York; considerable quantities of siliceous mica schist used as ganister and some so-called "greenstones" from Pennsylvania. The sandstone industry as here considered includes the production of crushed sandstone for use as sand, about two-fifths of the output of the industry being used for this purpose in 1919. Other uses of sandstone were as crushed stone, rubble and riprap in rough construction work, as ganister and other refractory materials, as building stone, paving blocks, curbing, and flagging.

The basalt industry includes the quarrying of basalt, commonly known as trap rock, and other related rocks which are for the most part dark, heavy volcanic, rocks, and which are used almost entirely as crushed stone. For convenience in tabulation and in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations, reports for the quarrying of small amounts of miscellaneous stone in California, Idaho, Massachusetts, New York, Oregon, and Rhode Island, have been included in the basalt industry.

The slate industry includes the quarrying of slate for use as roofing, in switchboards and other electrical apparatus, for structural purposes, sanitary ware, grave vaults and covers, blackboards, bulletin boards and school slates, billiard table tops, and as crushed

"granules" for coating roofing felts, etc., and for other minor purposes. Nearly half of the slate output as measured in tons is used as "granules;" aside from this the principal uses are as structural material, roofing, and sanitary slate.

The marble industry includes the quarrying of marble, which is crystalline limestone. The pure white or handsome, variously colored varieties of marble are quarried chiefly for use as monumental and building stone. Other uses of marble are of minor importance. Data on the production of small amounts of serpentine or verde antique in Michigan are included with the statistics on marble.

In addition to excluding the quarrying of limestone for the manufacture of lime and cement, as noted above, the census of mines and quarries also excluded from the stone industries the following: The quarrying of shale for use either as clay or in the manufacture of cement; the quarrying of grits or millstones as this is presented separately as the millstones industry; the quarrying of soapstone which is presented in the talc and soapstone industry; the quarrying of stone of various kinds for use as hones, whetstones, scythe-stones, and rubbing stones which is part of the abrasive materials industry; the quarrying of tripoli, quartzite, and other siliceous rock for use as abrasive materials, or as silica or for other special uses as such operations are included either in the abrasive materials industry or in the silica industry.

Relatively little stone is used rough as obtained from the quarry but at most quarries the stone is broken, crushed, shaped, dressed, ground, or otherwise prepared. The breaking of stone into rubble and riprap, and the crushing of stone for road work, ballast, concrete, or for other construction purposes is quite general and is closely connected with the quarrying operation. Such processes have not been considered as beneficiation, and enterprises practicing them have not been counted as operating dressing mills or beneficiating plants. On the other hand, the cutting, sawing, finishing, and polishing of stone for monumental and building uses and for paving, curbing, and flagging and the fine grinding or pulverizing of stone for use in manufacturing industries and in agriculture are considered processes of beneficiation if carried on in connection with the quarrying. Such beneficiation was practiced by more than one-sixth of the stone-quarrying enterprises in 1919, and the statistics herein presented, relating primarily to stone quarrying, cover also the operation of beneficiating plants at the quarries.

Returns were received from stone producers who subjected their product to operations properly considered as manufacturing and when such operators made separate returns for the two phases of their

business the returns were included, respectively, in the census of mines and quarries and the census of manufactures. But when operators of such enterprises made one report covering the entire business the reports were, so far as possible, revised and segregated in order to be separately tabulated. However, this was generally not practicable and the full reports covering both the quarrying and the manufacturing ends of the business have been included in the census of mines and quarries for the stone industries as well as in the census of manufactures.

Wage earners above and below ground.—Stone of all kinds is quarried almost without exception from open or surface workings, and most of the wage earners in the stone-quarrying industries are classed as employed above ground. There are, however, a few limestone and marble quarries and some of the slate quarries in the United States which are underground workings. In 1919 some limestone enterprises in Alabama and Pennsylvania and slate enterprises in all producing eastern states reported wage earners employed below ground. A number of the slate quarries which reported wage earners below ground are merely deep open pits, but because of the hazards of operating these deep pits the classification of wage earners as employed underground, made by the reporting operators, was accepted.

Method of reporting quantity and value of products.—The statistics on the production of stone were collected in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey. For that purpose a supplemental schedule requesting special information desired by the Survey was provided in addition to the general schedule of the census. The Geological Survey required the quantity only of stone produced in various forms such as rough, dressed, crushed, ground, etc., classified by uses, but the quantity and value of the stone sold or used during 1919 classified in the same detail as the stone produced. In the reports from most of the enterprises the quantity produced and the quantity sold or used were identical, but in many reports they were different. As the census required only the value of stone actually produced—that is, quarried and prepared during the year 1919—the value of products reported by the Census Bureau for enterprises whose sales differed from the quarry output is the value of the stone quarried and prepared during 1919 computed on the basis of the average selling value of stone of like character sold or used. The Geological Survey has tabulated only the quantity and value of stone sold or used in 1919, which quantity may include considerable stone drawn from stock previously quarried, or may exclude stone quarried during the census year 1919 but not used or sold. This accounts for much of the difference in value of

stone products reported by the Bureau of the Census and by the Geological Survey. Another source of discrepancy is in the differences in classification, which are principally of three kinds: First, the Geological Survey has not considered as stone production the output of enterprises classified in the stone industry by the Bureau of the Census. This difference is limited chiefly to the sandstone industry, of which approximately two-fifths of the output is classified as sand by the Geological Survey and not tabulated as stone. Second, miscellaneous varieties of stone separately tabulated by the Geological Survey were included with several of the principal varieties by the Census Bureau. Third, the Geological Survey includes in its tabulation the value of finished stone products, such as monumental and building stone, for some enterprises for which the Bureau of the Census reports only the value of rough stone, the finishing operations having been reported as manufacturing conducted separately. Furthermore, minor differences in value are due to inclusion in the census tabulations of the value of by-products and miscellaneous receipts from quarry operations.

In order to indicate the extent of the differences in the value of products as noted above, the following

statement has been prepared to show the value of products for the stone industries as reported by the Bureau of the Census for 1919 and the value of various kinds of stone marketed in 1919 as reported by the Geological Survey.

INDUSTRY.	Bureau of the Census.	Geological Survey.
Total.....	\$101,684,019	\$102,739,791
Limestone.....	52,943,924	53,171,701
Granite.....	18,279,345	19,345,714
Sandstone.....	10,684,909	5,283,842
Basalt.....	9,657,977	8,944,686
Slate.....	5,720,792	6,030,648
Marble.....	4,397,912	8,042,297
Other stone.....		1,920,603

Tables 1 and 2 are introduced to show in this report data on the quantity and uses of the stone produced in the United States in 1919. Table 1 shows the output of stone in 1919 in the United States, including Alaska, Hawaii, and Porto Rico and also the production by governmental (including penal) institutions as reported by the Geological Survey. The quantity of stone produced for each of the principal uses and classified by kinds is shown in thousands of tons.

TABLE 1.—STONE PRODUCED, BY USES: 1919.

(Based on statistics from United States Geological Survey, Mineral Resources, "Stone in 1919" and "Slate in 1919.")

VARIETY OF STONE.	All uses.	Monu- mental stone.	Building stone.	Paving blocks.	Curbing and flag- ging.	Crushed stone.	Rubble and riprap.	Metallur- gical and refractory uses. ¹	Other manu- facturing uses.	Agri- cultural uses.	All other uses.
	Expressed in thousand tons (2,000 pounds).										
Total.....	65,949	309	1,167	387	229	33,876	2,353	22,376	2,978	1,393	791
Basalt.....	7,411		30	2		7,053	311				15
Granite.....	4,221	305	304	304	51	2,700	477				20
Limestone.....	49,760		894		7	21,762	1,162	21,455	2,978	1,393	609
Marble.....	333	94	85					115			39
Sandstone ²	2,623		151	21	171	1,179	307	783			11
Slate.....	410		170			203					37
Other stone.....	1,191		33			979	96	23			60

¹ Includes limestone and marble for flux; and dolomite, sandstone (ganister), and mica schist as refractory materials.

² Includes roofing slates, other structural slate, and sanitary slate.

³ In addition to the quantities here shown as reported by the Geological Survey, approximately 2,200 thousand tons of sandstone were produced for use as "sand."

⁴ "Granules" for roofing.

In Table 2 the Geological Survey figures on quantity of stone produced have been recast in order to correlate them with the Census Bureau statistics on the quarrying industries. The Geological Survey data on production in Alaska, Hawaii, and Porto Rico, and by governmental institutions have been

excluded, the data on sandstone used as sand have been added, and the data on miscellaneous varieties of stone classified by the Geological Survey as "other stone" have been distributed with the statistics for the principal kinds of stone.

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TABLE 2.—QUANTITY OF STONE PRODUCED, BY STATES: 1919.¹

(Quantities expressed in tons of 2,000 pounds are approximate equivalents of quantities reported in various other units by the quarry operators.)

STATE.	Total.	Limestone. ²	Granite. ³	Sandstone. ⁴	Basalt. ⁵	Marble.	Slate.
(Tons, 2,000 pounds.)							
United States.....	67,844,000	49,715,000	4,420,000	5,224,000	7,745,000	331,000	409,000
Alabama.....	890,000	859,000		21,000		(⁶)	
Arizona.....	516,000	162,000	7 354,000	(⁶)			
Arkansas.....	409,000	7 100,000	7,000	7 299,000		3,000	
California.....	2,852,000	170,000	7 1,009,000	272,000	7 1,399,000	2,000	
Colorado.....	530,000	493,000	3,000	34,000			
Connecticut.....	1,231,000	(⁶)	53,000	24,000	1,204,000		
Delaware.....	89,000		89,000				
District of Columbia.....	6,000		6,000				
Florida.....	129,000	7 123,000					
Georgia.....	298,000		209,000			(⁶)	
Idaho.....	103,000	100,000		3,000	(⁶)		
Illinois.....	5,682,000	4,959,000		723,000			
Indiana.....	1,635,000	1,635,000		(⁶)			
Iowa.....	513,000	513,000					
Kansas.....	680,000	680,000					
Kentucky.....	1,216,000	1,201,000		15,000			
Louisiana.....	(⁶)	(⁶)					
Maine.....	177,000	23,000	150,000				4,000
Maryland.....	903,000	353,000	138,000	67,000	343,000	(⁶)	2,000
Massachusetts.....	1,372,000	54,000	384,000	58,000	7 868,000	8,000	
Michigan.....	7,206,000	7,187,000		19,000	(⁶)	(⁶)	
Minnesota.....	462,000	216,000	75,000	29,000	142,000		
Mississippi.....	(⁶)	(⁶)					
Missouri.....	1,138,000	1,116,000	(⁶)			22,000	
Montana.....	205,000	205,000	1,000	(⁶)			
Nebraska.....	204,000	204,000		(⁶)			
Nevada.....	(⁶)	(⁶)				(⁶)	
New Hampshire.....	105,000		105,000				
New Jersey.....	1,626,000	874,000	34,000	7 23,000	1,195,000	(⁶)	
New Mexico.....	(⁶)	(⁶)		(⁶)		(⁶)	
New York.....	4,187,000	3,393,000	7 58,000	7 70,000	7 543,000	24,000	74,000
North Carolina.....	616,000	69,000	547,000	(⁶)			
North Dakota.....							
Ohio.....	8,180,000	7,703,000		457,000			
Oklahoma.....	662,000	659,000	3,000	(⁶)			
Oregon.....	523,000	36,000	(⁶)		7 487,000	(⁶)	
Pennsylvania.....	14,446,000	10,606,000	216,000	7 2,296,000	1,134,000	(⁶)	134,000
Rhode Island.....	117,000	(⁶)	40,000		7 77,000		
South Carolina.....	404,000		404,000				
South Dakota.....	137,000	13,000	(⁶)	119,000			
Tennessee.....	676,000	630,000		(⁶)		46,000	
Texas.....	599,000	545,000	51,000		(⁶)	(⁶)	
Utah.....	315,000	315,000		(⁶)			(⁶)
Vermont.....	460,000	39,000	133,000			100,000	188,000
Virginia.....	1,620,000	1,447,000	101,000	65,000	(⁶)		7,000
Washington.....	243,000	24,000	8,000	(⁶)	211,000		
West Virginia.....	2,264,000	1,971,000		323,000			
Wisconsin.....	1,515,000	1,142,000	230,000	143,000	(⁶)		
Wyoming.....	118,000	104,000		14,000			
Undistributed.....	554,000	129,000	12,000	150,000	137,000	126,000	

¹ Based on statistics compiled by the United States Geological Survey and tabulated to conform with the Bureau of the Census classification of the stone-quarrying industries.² Includes 21,790 tons of miscellaneous stone.³ Includes 199,140 tons of miscellaneous stone.⁴ Includes 412,370 tons of miscellaneous stone.⁵ Includes 517,540 tons of miscellaneous stone.⁶ Included under "undistributed."⁷ Includes miscellaneous unclassified stone.⁸ Too small to be shown.

PRINCIPAL STATISTICS.

Summary for producing enterprises.—Operators in the stone-quarrying industries in 1919 reported 1,820 producing enterprises working 1,922 quarries in which an average of 42,986 wage earners were employed during the census year. The total value of all products of these enterprises was \$101,684,919. On the bases of total value of products and average number of wage earners employed, the stone industries, as a unit, ranked fifth among the mining industries in the United States in 1919.

The principal statistics for 1919 for the stone industries, as a whole, and for each industry separately are presented in Table 3. This table shows a segregation of the total value of products into the value of the stone produced, which amounted to \$100,423,476, and the value of other products or receipts from operation, which was \$1,261,443; and also gives the ap-

proximate quantity of the stone quarried. In Table 4 the receipts from quarrying operations, other than the value of the principal stone product, are shown in detail for each stone industry.

The rank of the several stone-quarrying industries among the mining industries of the United States, according to value of products and number of wage earners, is shown in the following tabular statement:

INDUSTRY.	VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		WAGE EARNERS.	
	Amount.	Rank among the mining industries.	Average number.	Rank among the mining industries.
Limestone.....	\$52,943,924	7	22,069	5
Granite.....	18,279,345	8	8,049	8
Sandstone.....	10,684,969	10	4,287	11
Basalt.....	9,657,977	13	3,336	13
Slate.....	5,720,792	16	3,513	12
Marble.....	4,397,912	17	1,732	15

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TABLE 3.—PRINCIPAL STATISTICS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	Total.	Limestone.	Granite.	Sandstone.	Basalt.	Slate.	Marble.
Number of enterprises.....	1,820	895	358	255	163	101	43
Number of quarries.....	1,922	925	381	276	174	104	62
Number of enterprises operating mills and dressing plants in connection with quarries.....	354	44	152	66	6	61	25
Mineral land operated..... acres.....	252,242	122,820	30,659	48,729	15,625	5,440	28,969
Persons engaged.....	48,087	24,705	8,951	4,897	3,791	3,852	1,891
Proprietors and firm members, total.....	1,288	633	328	179	77	64	7
Number performing manual labor.....	417	175	145	53	20	21	3
Salaried employees.....	3,813	2,003	674	431	378	275	152
Wage earners (average number).....	42,986	22,069	8,049	4,287	3,336	3,513	1,732
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	376,808	213,717	55,674	33,869	37,307	20,613	15,628
Capital.....	\$148,759,533	\$82,124,367	\$18,823,980	\$18,955,321	\$12,899,171	\$6,923,172	\$9,033,522
Principal expenses:							
Salaries.....	\$7,168,303	\$3,720,593	\$1,196,456	\$830,633	\$751,247	\$409,255	\$254,119
Wages.....	\$45,534,798	\$23,926,332	\$8,587,659	\$4,445,811	\$3,991,307	\$3,128,249	\$1,452,440
Contract work.....	\$995,976	\$565,557	\$118,637	\$54,161	\$41,406	\$95,633	\$20,582
Supplies and materials.....	\$18,441,459	\$10,968,220	\$2,593,040	\$1,064,432	\$2,030,869	\$632,459	\$552,439
Fuel.....	\$5,267,846	\$2,897,432	\$833,636	\$567,353	\$552,827	\$228,954	\$147,644
Purchased power.....	\$2,213,459	\$1,278,958	\$261,185	\$250,909	\$157,161	\$133,505	\$76,741
Royalties and rents.....	\$1,381,290	\$697,751	\$139,202	\$131,970	\$250,169	\$157,738	\$34,380
Taxes.....	\$2,088,170	\$1,119,861	\$377,646	\$195,309	\$198,613	\$73,238	\$122,503
Expenditures for development (included in the above items).....	\$1,241,343	\$764,678	\$156,870	\$96,555	\$131,800	\$60,531	\$30,914
Total value of all products.....	\$101,684,919	\$52,943,924	\$18,279,345	\$10,684,969	\$9,657,977	\$5,720,792	\$4,397,912
Stone produced—value.....	\$100,423,476	\$51,907,290	\$18,247,617	\$10,672,134	\$9,430,528	\$5,720,054	\$4,386,853
Approximate quantity..... tons, 2,000 pounds.....	67,844,000	49,715,000	4,420,000	5,224,000	7,745,000	409,000	331,000
Other products—value.....	\$1,261,443	\$970,634	\$31,728	\$12,835	\$227,449	\$738	\$12,059

TABLE 4.—OTHER PRODUCTS: 1919.

INDUSTRY.	Total.	Mineral products.	Lime. ¹	Unspecified products.	Power sold and work or miscellaneous services for others.
All industries.....	\$1,261,443	\$27,288	\$574,688	\$346,110	\$313,357
Limestone.....	976,634	* 15,106	574,688	148,814	237,936
Granite.....	31,728			6,260	25,478
Sandstone.....	12,835			400	12,435
Basalt.....	227,449	* 33		190,640	36,770
Slate.....	738				738
Marble.....	12,059	* 12,059			

¹ Includes only the lime reported by enterprises of which the principal product was stone and which did not report statistics for lime separately.
² Includes coal, clay, marble, and silica. ³ Fuller's earth. ⁴ Limestone.

Geographic distribution.—The stone-quarrying industry is distributed generally throughout the United States, and forms an important part of the mineral industry in many states. The statistics for the stone industries are presented by states or by the usual geographic divisions without attempt to group or divide states into special regions or districts which are characteristic of the several industries.

Table 5 presents the statistics for the combined quarrying industries by geographic divisions, with per cent distribution for each item.

TABLE 5.—STATISTICS FOR THE COMBINED STONE INDUSTRIES, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

DIVISION.	Number of enterprises.	Number of quarries.	Mineral land operated (acres).	Wage earners (average number).	Power used (aggregate horsepower).	Capital.	Cost of supplies and materials. ¹	Wages.	Value of products.
United States.....	1,820	1,922	252,242	42,986	376,808	\$148,759,533	\$25,922,704	\$45,534,798	\$101,684,919
New England:									
Number or amount.....	268	292	28,584	6,679	57,150	21,003,113	3,313,580	7,478,365	17,363,413
Per cent of total.....	14.7	15.2	11.3	15.5	15.2	14.1	12.8	16.4	17.1
Middle Atlantic:									
Number or amount.....	542	578	77,375	13,402	97,917	43,545,385	8,482,049	15,058,840	30,691,687
Per cent of total.....	29.8	30.1	30.7	31.2	26.0	29.3	32.7	33.1	30.2
East North Central:									
Number or amount.....	311	320	51,441	8,720	120,115	47,857,804	7,047,694	9,623,642	25,911,756
Per cent of total.....	17.1	16.6	20.4	20.3	31.9	32.2	27.2	21.1	25.5
West North Central:									
Number or amount.....	192	201	6,877	2,995	24,149	6,502,359	1,422,627	3,142,820	6,138,502
Per cent of total.....	10.5	10.5	2.7	7.0	6.4	4.4	5.5	6.9	6.0
South Atlantic:									
Number or amount.....	179	186	30,315	5,531	33,427	11,625,076	2,585,110	4,981,539	10,300,473
Per cent of total.....	9.8	9.7	12.0	12.9	8.9	7.8	10.0	10.9	10.1
East South Central:									
Number or amount.....	107	114	8,453	2,684	18,307	5,205,912	1,271,993	2,037,917	4,558,567
Per cent of total.....	5.9	5.9	3.4	6.2	4.9	3.5	4.9	4.5	4.5
West South Central:									
Number or amount.....	59	60	20,850	944	3,277	3,671,152	546,083	847,493	1,936,922
Per cent of total.....	3.2	3.1	8.3	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.9	1.9
Mountain:									
Number or amount.....	78	82	14,082	943	4,679	4,093,684	411,699	1,053,682	2,084,407
Per cent of total.....	4.3	4.3	5.6	2.2	1.2	2.8	1.6	2.3	2.0
Pacific:									
Number or amount.....	84	89	14,265	1,088	12,787	5,354,448	841,929	1,309,991	2,700,839
Per cent of total.....	4.6	4.6	5.7	2.5	3.4	3.6	3.2	2.9	2.7

¹ Includes cost of fuel and purchased power.

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The figures show that the Middle Atlantic and the East North Central divisions, which are the most populous and the most important industrially, are also the most important in the stone industries; the New England division is third in importance, and the South Atlantic is fourth.

Table 6 shows the number of enterprises, the average number of wage earners employed, and the value of products, for each of the stone industries, by states, ranked according to value of products, and it also shows for each industry the per cent distribution among the states of wage earners and of value of products. Pennsylvania was the leading state in four industries, lime-

stone, sandstone, basalt, and slate. Vermont led in the granite and marble industries and was second in the slate industry. More than half of the limestone industry was concentrated in the leading states, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, and New York; of the granite industry, in Vermont, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Wisconsin, and New Hampshire; of the sandstone industry, in Pennsylvania and Ohio; of the basalt industry, in Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and Massachusetts. More than three-fourths of the slate industry was concentrated in Pennsylvania and Vermont and nearly three-fourths of the marble industry in Vermont and Tennessee.

TABLE 6.—STONE INDUSTRIES AND STATES, RANKED BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Number of enterprises.	WAGE EARNERS.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Number of enterprises.	WAGE EARNERS.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
		Average number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.			Average number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
UNITED STATES—All industries.	1,820	42,986	-----	\$101,684,919	-----	GRANITE—Continued.					
LIMESTONE.....	895	22,069	100.0	52,943,924	100.0	New York.....	7	101	1.3	\$173,404	0.9
Pennsylvania.....	184	5,573	25.3	12,881,213	24.3	Arizona.....	3	58	0.7	128,777	0.7
Ohio.....	90	2,262	10.2	6,742,496	12.7	New Jersey.....	4	48	0.6	81,193	0.4
Indiana.....	67	1,800	8.2	4,619,801	8.7	Washington.....	5	42	0.5	74,958	0.4
New York.....	55	1,739	7.9	4,597,942	8.7	Montana.....	3	4	(*)	12,944	0.1
Illinois.....	41	1,244	5.6	3,776,626	7.1	All other states ¹	34	253	3.1	585,343	3.2
Missouri.....	70	1,171	5.3	2,355,736	4.4	SANDSTONE.....	255	4,287	100.0	10,684,969	100.0
West Virginia.....	17	1,003	4.5	1,927,490	3.6	Pennsylvania.....	100	1,673	39.0	3,534,563	33.1
Virginia.....	31	777	3.5	1,610,544	3.1	Ohio.....	21	875	20.4	2,759,352	25.8
Alabama.....	15	835	3.8	1,340,961	2.5	Illinois.....	15	288	6.7	1,329,389	12.4
Kentucky.....	47	676	3.1	1,126,109	2.1	West Virginia.....	15	343	8.0	885,588	8.3
Wisconsin.....	33	382	1.7	1,107,790	2.1	New York.....	22	146	3.4	301,315	2.8
Kansas.....	35	484	2.2	835,147	1.6	Wisconsin.....	12	133	3.1	231,078	2.2
Oklahoma.....	13	278	1.3	567,288	1.1	South Dakota.....	5	89	2.1	140,068	1.3
California.....	13	245	1.1	540,987	1.0	Kentucky.....	5	56	1.3	91,363	0.9
Tennessee.....	21	349	1.6	534,848	1.0	California.....	6	27	0.6	65,074	0.6
Colorado.....	14	228	1.0	526,738	1.0	New Jersey.....	5	20	0.5	46,775	0.4
Iowa.....	25	246	1.1	476,650	0.9	Colorado.....	7	14	0.3	45,723	0.4
New Jersey.....	10	258	1.2	459,059	0.9	All other states ¹	42	623	14.5	1,254,681	11.7
Minnesota.....	10	156	0.7	311,180	0.6	BASALT.....	163	3,336	100.0	9,657,977	100.0
Utah.....	7	148	0.7	291,234	0.6	Pennsylvania.....	29	721	21.6	2,298,791	23.8
Maryland.....	11	149	0.7	241,638	0.5	New Jersey.....	36	637	19.1	1,928,025	20.0
Arkansas.....	6	114	0.5	220,070	0.4	Massachusetts.....	21	547	16.4	1,548,611	16.0
Montana.....	7	87	0.4	191,887	0.4	Connecticut.....	20	363	10.9	1,262,579	13.1
Florida.....	4	111	0.5	177,201	0.3	California.....	16	262	7.9	635,588	6.6
Georgia.....	5	80	0.4	174,821	0.3	Maryland.....	10	183	5.5	369,075	3.8
Arizona.....	4	45	0.2	153,211	0.3	Oregon.....	9	124	3.7	294,812	3.1
Oregon.....	4	69	0.3	138,708	0.3	Washington.....	8	99	3.0	240,742	2.5
Vermont.....	4	40	0.2	76,152	0.1	All other states ²	14	400	12.0	1,079,754	11.2
All other states ¹	52	1,520	6.9	4,940,397	9.3	SLATE.....	101	3,512	100.0	5,720,792	100.0
GRANITE.....	358	8,049	100.0	18,279,345	100.0	Pennsylvania.....	42	1,892	53.9	2,651,533	46.3
Vermont.....	27	1,062	13.2	3,563,734	19.5	Vermont.....	38	1,039	29.6	2,057,388	36.0
Massachusetts.....	42	1,034	12.8	2,405,165	13.2	New York.....	9	134	3.8	445,027	7.8
North Carolina.....	16	959	11.9	1,576,250	8.6	Virginia.....	4	210	6.0	203,068	3.5
Wisconsin.....	14	763	9.4	1,484,979	8.1	Maryland.....	4	85	2.4	76,683	1.3
New Hampshire.....	23	589	7.3	1,427,979	7.8	All other states ³	4	163	4.4	287,093	5.0
Maine.....	42	747	9.3	1,300,090	7.1	MARBLE.....	48	1,732	100.0	4,397,912	100.0
Minnesota.....	27	392	4.9	1,135,391	6.2	Vermont.....	15	570	32.9	2,108,872	48.0
Georgia.....	20	580	7.2	885,663	4.9	Tennessee.....	13	540	31.2	1,088,131	24.7
South Carolina.....	10	322	4.0	747,976	4.1	New York.....	6	100	5.8	249,236	5.7
Rhode Island.....	8	262	3.3	733,083	4.0	All other states ⁴	14	522	30.1	951,623	21.6
California.....	17	162	2.0	563,485	3.1						
Maryland.....	9	235	2.9	495,651	2.7						
Pennsylvania.....	29	197	2.4	435,654	2.4						
Virginia.....	7	157	2.0	259,589	1.4						
Connecticut.....	11	92	1.1	206,546	1.1						

¹ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Connecticut, 1; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 1; Maine, 1; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 11; Nebraska, 8; Nevada, 1; North Carolina, 2; South Dakota, 3; Texas, 12; Wyoming, 8.
² Less than one-tenth of 1 per cent.
³ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Arkansas, 2; Colorado, 8; Delaware, 2; District of Columbia, 3; Missouri, 2; Oklahoma, 6; Oregon, 2; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 8.
⁴ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 7; Connecticut, 3; Idaho, 2; Indiana, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 2; Minnesota, 1; Missouri, 4; Montana, 2; North Carolina, 1; Oklahoma, 2; Tennessee, 2; Utah, 2; Virginia, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 3.
⁵ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Delaware, 1; Idaho, 1; Michigan, 1; New York, 4; Rhode Island, 4; Texas, 1; Wisconsin, 2.
⁶ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Maine, 3; Utah, 1.
⁷ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; California, 3; Georgia, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 3; Michigan, 1; Missouri, 1; Texas, 1.

PROGRESS OF THE INDUSTRY.

Comparative summary for producing quarries in the United States: 1889-1919.—Table 7 presents for producing enterprises, in the combined quarrying industries and in each stone industry separately, the prin-

cipal statistics reported at the Fourteenth Census and the three preceding censuses of mines and quarries and gives the percentages of increase or decrease. Although in some industries and over some census periods notable increases are shown for certain items, never-

theless there has been a general decline which was very marked between 1909 and 1919, and is best shown by the decrease in the average number of wage earners employed. The increases shown in the prin-

cipal expenses and in the value of products in 1902 as compared with 1889 and in 1919 as compared with 1909 are in large part due to general price increases and do not mark increase in volume of business.

TABLE 7.—COMPARATIVE SUMMARY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, 1919, 1909, 1902, AND 1889.

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902
ALL STONE INDUSTRIES.							
Number of enterprises.....	1,820	3,988	5,470	(²)	-54.4	-27.1	.....
Number of quarries.....	1,922	4,603	5,764	4,163	-58.2	-20.1	38.5
Persons engaged.....	48,087	87,849	.....	.....	-45.3	.....	.....
Proprietors and firm members, total.....	1,288	4,106	(³)	(³)	-68.6	.....	.....
Number performing manual labor.....	417	1,827	(³)	(³)	-77.2	.....	.....
Salaried employees.....	3,813	4,673	5,279	1,086	-18.4	-11.5	386.1
Wage earners (average number).....	42,986	79,070	71,156	81,288	-45.6	11.1	-12.5
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	376,808	303,442	178,878	(⁴)	24.2	69.6	.....
Capital.....	\$148,759,533	\$132,641,780	(⁵)	\$90,212,433	12.2	.....	.....
Principal expenses:							
Salaries.....	7,168,803	\$5,146,739	\$4,488,339	30,555,877	39.3	14.7	37.5
Wages.....	45,534,798	39,661,871	37,515,907	(⁶)	14.8	5.7	.....
Contract work.....	995,976	469,590	36,931	(⁶)	114.8	(¹)	.....
Supplies and materials.....	18,441,459	8,800,184	10,739,736	7,923,220	109.6	.....	.....
Fuel and purchased power.....	7,481,805	3,482,054	(⁶)	(⁶)	114.9	.....	.....
Royalties and rents.....	1,381,280	1,450,445	1,156,754	(⁶)	-4.0	24.4	.....
Taxes.....	2,088,170	\$496,235	(⁶)	(⁶)	320.8	.....	.....
Value of products.....	101,684,919	75,992,908	70,462,438	53,035,620	33.8	7.8	32.9

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹			1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902
LIMESTONE.														
Number of enterprises.....	895	1,065	3,137	(²)	-46.2	-46.9	.....	163	196	(²)	(²)	-16.8	.....	.....
Number of quarries.....	925	1,916	3,246	1,954	-51.7	-41.0	66.1	174	220	(²)	(²)	-20.9	.....	.....
Persons engaged.....	24,705	33,623	.....	.....	-26.5	.....	.....	3,791	5,744	.....	.....	-34.0	.....	.....
Props. and firm members, total.....	633	1,634	(²)	(²)	-61.3	.....	.....	77	116	(²)	(²)	-33.6	.....	.....
Performing manual labor.....	175	640	(²)	(²)	-72.7	.....	.....	20	22	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Salaried employees.....	2,003	1,700	2,231	433	-17.8	-23.8	415.2	378	372	(²)	(²)	1.6	.....	.....
Wage earners (av. number).....	22,669	30,289	31,547	30,211	-27.1	-4.0	4.4	3,336	5,256	(²)	(²)	-36.5	.....	.....
Power used (aggregate h. p.).....	213,717	125,024	64,500	(⁴)	70.9	93.8	.....	37,307	20,211	(²)	(²)	27.7	.....	.....
Capital.....	\$82,124,367	\$44,089,476	(²)	\$27,022,325	86.3	.....	.....	\$12,899,171	\$8,745,553	(²)	(²)	47.5	.....	.....
Principal expenses:														
Salaries.....	3,726,593	1,717,996	\$1,843,747	10,121,935	116.9	-6.8	63.9	751,247	347,094	(²)	(²)	116.4	.....	.....
Wages.....	23,926,332	14,082,185	14,750,638	(⁴)	69.0	-4.5	.....	3,991,307	2,538,964	(²)	(²)	57.2	.....	.....
Contract work.....	665,557	201,830	36,381	(⁴)	229.7	454.9	.....	41,406	60,204	(²)	(²)	-31.2	.....	.....
Supplies and materials.....	10,968,220	3,754,125	5,403,912	4,227,246	192.2	.....	.....	2,030,869	1,018,090	(²)	(²)	99.5	.....	.....
Fuel and purchased power.....	4,176,390	1,507,628	(⁴)	(⁴)	177.0	.....	.....	719,988	279,082	(²)	(²)	158.0	.....	.....
Royalties and rents.....	667,751	488,919	(⁴)	(⁴)	30.6	15.7	.....	250,199	282,501	(²)	(²)	-11.4	.....	.....
Taxes.....	1,110,801	161,117	(⁴)	(⁴)	595.1	.....	.....	198,613	32,301	(²)	(²)	514.9	.....	.....
Value of products.....	52,943,824	29,812,492	30,441,801	19,035,179	77.5	-2.0	59.4	9,657,977	5,578,317	(²)	(²)	73.1	.....	.....

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹			1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902
GRANITE.														
Number of enterprises.....	358	707	853	814	-40.4	-17.1	4.8	101	185	174	(²)	-45.4	6.3	.....
Number of quarries.....	381	826	906	874	-53.9	-8.8	3.7	104	219	199	(²)	-52.5	10.1	-6.1
Persons engaged.....	8,951	20,304	.....	.....	-56.1	.....	.....	3,852	9,486	.....	.....	-59.4	.....	.....
Props. and firm members, total.....	328	730	(²)	(²)	-55.1	.....	.....	64	221	(²)	(²)	-71.0	.....	.....
Performing manual labor.....	145	318	(²)	(²)	-54.4	.....	.....	21	70	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Salaried employees.....	574	920	1,377	222	-37.6	-33.2	520.3	276	462	437	75	-40.5	5.7	.....
Wage earners (av. number).....	8,049	18,744	18,836	22,091	-57.1	-0.5	-14.7	3,513	8,803	5,920	6,005	-60.1	48.7	-2.9
Power used (aggregate h. p.).....	55,674	61,095	46,986	(⁴)	-8.9	30.0	.....	20,613	29,777	25,454	(⁴)	-30.8	17.0	.....
Capital.....	\$18,823,980	\$25,422,307	(²)	\$10,115,449	-26.0	.....	.....	\$6,923,172	\$12,177,350	(²)	\$10,569,593	-43.1	.....	.....
Principal expenses:														
Salaries.....	1,196,456	1,069,532	\$1,227,885	9,620,485	11.9	-12.9	27.9	409,255	405,479	\$334,879	2,218,982	0.9	21.1	58.3
Wages.....	8,587,659	11,112,195	11,072,998	(⁴)	-22.7	0.4	.....	3,128,249	4,088,653	3,177,459	(⁴)	-23.5	28.7	.....
Contract work.....	118,637	65,744	(⁴)	(⁴)	80.5	.....	.....	95,633	28,962	(⁴)	(⁴)	230.2	.....	.....
Supplies and materials.....	2,503,040	1,921,912	2,493,065	1,446,485	34.9	.....	.....	632,459	521,761	768,361	282,114	21.2	.....	.....
Fuel and purchased power.....	1,094,821	757,078	(⁴)	(⁴)	44.6	.....	.....	417,459	327,397	(⁴)	(⁴)	27.5	.....	.....
Royalties and rents.....	139,202	194,349	194,892	(⁴)	-28.4	-0.3	.....	157,788	271,252	269,267	(⁴)	-41.8	0.7	.....
Taxes.....	377,646	113,097	(⁴)	(⁴)	233.9	.....	.....	73,238	33,192	(⁴)	(⁴)	120.6	.....	.....
Value of products.....	18,279,345	18,997,976	18,257,944	14,464,095	-3.8	4.1	26.2	5,720,792	6,054,174	5,696,051	3,482,513	-5.5	6.3	63.6

See footnotes at end of this table.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

TABLE 7.—COMPARATIVE SUMMARY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, 1919, 1909, 1902, AND 1889—Continued.

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹			1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902
SANDSTONE.														
Number of enterprises.....	255	1,158	1,231	(²)	-78.0	-5.9	.....	48	77	75	74	.....	.....	.....
Number of quarries.....	276	1,314	1,330	1,020	-79.0	-1.2	30.4	62	108	83	103	-42.6	.....	-19.4
Persons engaged.....	4,897	11,774	.....	.....	-58.4	.....	.....	1,801	6,502	.....	.....	-70.9	.....	.....
Props. and firm members, total.....	179	1,356	(²)	(²)	-86.8	.....	.....	7	49	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Performing manual labor.....	53	771	(²)	(²)	-93.1	.....	.....	3	6	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Salaried employees.....	431	606	882	260	-28.9	-31.3	239.2	152	287	352	96	-47.0	-18.5	.....
Wage earners (av. number).....	4,287	9,812	10,783	18,458	-56.3	-9.0	-41.6	1,732	6,166	4,070	4,433	-71.9	51.5	-3.2
Power used (aggregate h. p.).....	33,800	36,556	27,652	(⁴)	-7.4	32.2	.....	15,628	21,779	14,286	(⁴)	-28.2	52.4	.....
Capital.....	\$18,955,321	\$17,058,244	(²)	\$18,412,224	11.1	.....	.....	\$9,033,522	\$20,272,755	(²)	\$15,092,842	-55.4	.....	.....
Principal expenses:														
Salaries.....	830,633	591,967	\$740,807	6,785,214	40.3	-20.1	} 3.8	254,119	333,107	\$841,021	1,809,211	-33.7	12.3	} 41.1
Wages.....	4,448,811	4,760,851	6,302,174	(¹)	-6.0	-24.5		1,452,440	3,079,023	2,212,640	(⁴)	(⁴)	-52.8		39.2
Contract work.....	54,161	79,456	600	(⁴)	-31.8	(¹)	.....	20,582	27,344	.....	(⁴)	-24.7	.....	.....
Supplies and materials.....	1,664,432	1,039,909	1,336,576	1,311,789	60.0	.....	.....	552,439	544,327	7825,822	655,586	1.5	.....	.....
Fuel and purchased power.....	848,202	349,180	(⁴)	(⁴)	142.9	.....	.....	224,385	261,689	(⁴)	(⁴)	-14.3	.....	.....
Royalties and rents.....	131,970	154,613	204,517	(⁴)	-14.6	-24.4	.....	34,380	47,911	65,385	(⁴)	-28.2	-26.7	.....
Taxes.....	195,309	58,146	(⁴)	(⁴)	235.9	.....	.....	123,503	70,616	(⁴)	(⁴)	74.9	.....	.....
Value of products.....	10,684,969	9,290,829	11,022,460	12,505,003	15.0	-15.7	-11.9	4,397,912	6,239,120	5,044,182	3,488,170	-29.5	23.7	44.6

¹ A minus sign (-) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.² Not reported.³ Includes 326 salaried officials and employees which can not be distributed among the several industries.⁴ Comparable figures not available.⁵ Includes \$4,876,095 which can not be distributed among the several industries.⁶ Includes \$631,564 which can not be distributed among the several industries.⁷ Includes cost of fuel.⁸ Includes \$27,767 which can not be distributed among the several industries.

Comparison by geographic divisions: 1919 and 1909.—Table 8 shows for 1919 and 1909 the value of products for the stone industries as a whole and for each industry separately by geographic divisions with percentage of increase or decrease during the census period. Although the significance of the absolute increases or decreases is impaired by the price changes

during the census interval, as mentioned above, the table serves to localize the changes within industries and geographic divisions. Thus it is apparent, considering all industries as a unit, that the general decline was less in the East South Central, South Atlantic, Middle Atlantic, and East North Central than in other divisions.

TABLE 8.—VALUE OF PRODUCTS: 1919 AND 1909.

DIVISION.	ALL INDUSTRIES.			LIMESTONE.			GRANITE.		
	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
United States.....	\$101,684,919	\$75,992,008	33.8	\$52,943,924	\$29,832,492	77.5	\$18,270,345	\$18,997,076	-3.8
New England.....	17,363,413	16,555,050	4.9	139,857	17,580	695.5	9,638,103	9,497,135	1.5
Middle Atlantic.....	30,691,987	19,188,911	59.9	17,938,214	7,570,565	136.9	690,256	1,107,698	-37.7
East North Central.....	25,911,756	16,712,774	55.0	19,866,076	12,594,608	57.7	1,484,979	1,433,105	3.6
West North Central.....	6,138,502	5,562,974	10.3	4,281,292	4,295,879	-0.3	1,293,950	851,309	51.9
South Atlantic.....	10,300,476	6,324,278	62.9	4,206,193	1,332,151	215.7	4,036,836	3,269,355	23.5
East South Central.....	4,556,567	2,793,868	63.1	3,001,918	1,868,734	60.6			
West South Central.....	1,036,922	1,426,989	35.7	1,280,325	939,076	36.3	179,893	197,771	-9.0
Mountain.....	2,084,407	2,373,519	-12.2	1,550,354	845,415	83.4	278,314	230,859	20.5
Pacific.....	2,700,889	5,053,636	-46.6	679,695	368,486	84.5	677,005	2,410,244	-71.9

DIVISION.	SANDSTONE.			BASALT.			SLATE.			MARBLE.		
	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
United States.....	\$10,684,969	\$9,290,829	15.0	\$9,657,977	\$5,578,317	73.1	\$5,720,792	\$6,054,174	-5.5	\$4,397,912	\$6,239,120	-29.5
New England.....	12,918	472,703	-97.3	2,995,604	949,933	215.3	2,344,081	2,088,400	12.2	2,232,850	3,530,208	-36.8
Middle Atlantic.....	3,832,653	3,813,418	1.8	4,835,018	2,561,227	88.8	3,096,560	3,604,985	-14.1	249,286	531,018	-53.1
East North Central.....	4,447,809	2,669,106	66.6	111,083	15,958	596.1				1,809		
West North Central.....	470,806	411,949	14.3		3,337					92,445		
South Atlantic.....	981,018	297,544	229.7	475,743	281,746	68.9	279,751	315,129	-11.2	320,935	828,353	-61.3
East South Central.....	124,702	159,936	-22.0							1,429,947	765,198	88.9
West South Central.....	402,391	210,224	91.4	61,343	79,918	-23.2				12,970		
Mountain.....	247,295	690,864	-64.2	8,044	118,225	-93.2	400				488,156	
Pacific.....	115,877	505,086	-79.6	1,171,142	1,667,973	-25.3		45,660		57,670	96,187	-40.0

¹ A minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION.

The character of organization of enterprises operating producing quarries is shown in Table 9 for the stone industries in the United States as a whole and for each industry for selected states. More than half of all the stone-quarrying enterprises in the United States were operated by corporations, and for the separate stone industries the proportion ranged from 42.5 per cent in the granite industry to 91.7 per cent in the marble industry. Corporations reported 83.2 per cent of all the wage earners in the country employed in quarrying operations and contributed 86 per cent of the total value of products of the stone industries. The table shows that in Pennsylvania, the leading state in the limestone industry, corporations,

although predominant in average number of wage earners employed and value of products reported, were outnumbered by enterprises operated under different forms of organization; in two of the other states shown in the limestone industry this was also true. In the granite industry in all of the leading states, which could be shown, except Minnesota and North Carolina, the number of enterprises operated by corporations was exceeded by the number under the other forms of organization, but the corporations in each state reported more than half the wage earners and the value of products. Among the states shown for the sandstone industry, New York reported most of the enterprises unincorporated, although these were relatively the less important enterprises.

TABLE 9.—CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND SELECTED STATES.	ALL CLASSES.			CORPORATION.						
	Number of enterprises.	Average number of wage earners.	Value of products.	Enterprises.		Wage earners.		Value of products.		
				Num-ber.	Per cent of total.	Average number.	Per cent of total.	Amount.	Per cent of total.	Per enterprise.
UNITED STATES—All industries.....	1,820	42,986	\$101,684,919	975	53.6	35,778	83.2	\$87,467,874	86.0	\$89,711
Limestone.....	895	22,060	52,943,924	462	51.6	18,324	83.0	45,890,005	86.7	99,330
Granite.....	358	8,049	18,279,345	152	42.5	6,392	79.4	14,504,529	79.3	95,425
Sandstone.....	255	4,287	10,684,969	142	55.7	3,574	83.4	9,405,068	88.0	66,233
Basalt.....	163	3,336	9,657,977	104	63.8	2,809	84.2	8,327,873	85.2	80,076
Slate.....	101	3,513	5,720,762	71	70.3	3,007	85.6	5,021,002	87.8	70,719
Marble.....	48	1,732	4,397,912	44	91.7	1,672	96.5	4,318,737	98.2	98,153
LIMESTONE.										
Pennsylvania.....	184	5,573	12,881,213	69	37.5	4,352	78.1	10,611,380	82.4	153,788
Ohio.....	90	2,262	6,742,406	45	50.0	2,087	92.3	6,287,088	93.2	139,713
Indiana.....	67	1,800	4,619,801	35	52.2	1,644	91.3	4,347,674	94.1	124,219
New York.....	55	1,739	4,597,942	36	65.5	1,561	89.8	4,220,582	91.8	117,238
Illinois.....	41	1,244	3,776,626	31	75.6	1,187	95.4	3,678,329	97.4	118,656
Missouri.....	70	1,171	2,355,736	39	55.7	877	74.9	1,921,761	81.6	49,276
West Virginia.....	17	1,003	1,927,400	13	76.5	991	98.8	1,897,479	98.4	145,960
Virginia.....	31	777	1,610,544	19	61.3	483	62.2	954,563	59.3	50,240
Alabama.....	15	835	1,340,961	12	80.0	814	97.5	1,316,980	98.2	109,749
Kentucky.....	47	676	1,126,109	19	40.4	494	71.6	827,054	73.4	43,629
Wisconsin.....	33	382	1,107,700	15	45.5	295	77.2	912,657	82.4	60,844
GRANITE.										
Vermont.....	27	1,062	3,563,734	13	48.1	919	89.5	3,153,017	83.5	242,540
Massachusetts.....	42	1,034	2,405,165	15	35.7	798	77.2	1,744,981	72.6	119,332
North Carolina.....	16	959	1,576,260	10	62.5	935	97.5	1,517,850	98.3	151,785
New Hampshire.....	23	589	1,427,979	7	30.4	317	53.8	727,834	51.0	103,983
Maine.....	42	747	1,300,996	10	23.8	614	82.2	1,061,749	81.6	106,175
Minnesota.....	27	392	1,135,391	14	51.9	287	73.2	845,833	74.5	60,420
SANDSTONE.										
Pennsylvania.....	100	1,673	3,534,563	52	52.0	1,233	74.0	2,733,682	77.3	52,571
Illinois.....	15	288	1,329,389	11	73.3	278	96.5	1,313,757	98.8	119,432
West Virginia.....	15	343	885,588	10	66.7	331	96.5	870,300	98.3	87,036
New York.....	22	146	301,315	8	36.4	88	60.3	186,124	61.8	23,266
BASALT.										
Pennsylvania.....	29	721	2,298,791	16	55.2	660	91.5	2,108,543	91.7	131,784
New Jersey.....	36	637	1,928,025	23	63.9	540	84.8	1,665,957	86.4	72,433
Massachusetts.....	21	547	1,548,611	16	76.2	459	83.9	1,324,967	85.6	82,610
Connecticut.....	20	368	1,262,579	13	65.0	313	86.2	1,134,685	89.9	87,283
SLATE.										
Pennsylvania.....	42	1,892	2,651,533	34	81.0	1,706	90.2	2,451,467	92.5	72,102
Vermont.....	38	1,039	2,057,388	21	55.3	742	71.4	1,605,968	78.1	70,475
New York.....	9	134	445,027	5	55.6	111	82.8	397,183	89.2	70,437
Virginia.....	4	210	203,068	4	100.0	210	100.0	203,068	100.0	60,767
MARBLE.										
Vermont.....	15	570	2,108,872	15	100.0	570	100.0	2,108,872	100.0	140,591
Tennessee.....	13	540	1,088,131	13	100.0	540	100.0	1,088,131	100.0	83,702

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TABLE 9.—CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919—Continued.

INDUSTRY AND SELECTED STATES.	INDIVIDUAL.						FIRM.							
	Enterprises.		Wage earners.		Value of products.			Enterprises.		Wage earners.		Value of products.		
	Number.	Per cent of total.	Average number.	Per cent of total.	Amount.	Per cent of total.	Per enterprise.	Number.	Per cent of total.	Average number.	Per cent of total.	Amount.	Per cent of total.	Per enterprise.
UNITED STATES—All industries.....	1 528	29.0	13,775	8.8	\$7,555,579	7.4	\$14,310	2 317	17.4	2 3,433	8.0	\$36,661,466	6.6	\$21,014
Limestone.....	289	32.3	2,011	9.1	3,705,252	7.0	12,821	144	16.1	1,734	7.9	3,348,067	6.3	23,250
Granite.....	126	35.2	938	11.7	2,109,442	11.5	16,742	80	22.3	719	8.9	1,665,374	9.1	20,817
Sandstone.....	61	23.9	279	6.5	500,761	4.7	8,209	52	20.4	434	10.1	779,140	7.3	14,983
Basalt.....	40	24.5	356	10.7	973,250	10.1	24,331	19	11.7	171	5.1	356,854	3.7	18,782
Slate.....	8	7.9	131	3.7	187,699	3.3	23,462	22	21.8	375	10.7	512,031	9.0	23,274
Marble.....	4	8.3	60	3.5	79,175	1.8	19,794							
LIMESTONE.														
Pennsylvania.....	76	41.3	682	12.2	1,263,417	9.8	16,624	439	21.2	4539	9.7	41,006,416	7.8	25,806
Ohio.....	30	33.3	81	3.6	245,901	3.6	8,197	15	16.7	64	4.2	209,507	3.1	13,967
Indiana.....	21	31.3	83	4.6	142,106	3.1	6,767	11	16.4	73	4.1	130,021	2.8	11,820
New York.....	10	18.2	36	2.1	81,279	1.8	8,128	9	16.4	142	8.2	296,081	6.4	32,898
Illinois.....	10	24.4	57	4.6	98,297	2.6	9,830							
Missouri.....	23	32.9	205	17.5	307,543	13.1	13,371	8	11.4	89	7.6	126,432	5.4	15,804
West Virginia.....								74	23.5	12	1.2	30,011	1.6	7,593
Virginia.....	4	12.9	10	1.3	12,500	0.8	3,125	8	25.8	284	36.6	643,481	40.0	80,435
Alabama.....	3	20.0	21	2.5	23,971	1.8	7,990							
Kentucky.....	20	42.6	113	16.7	152,009	13.5	7,600	8	17.0	79	11.7	147,046	13.1	18,381
Wisconsin.....	13	39.4	66	17.3	137,645	12.4	10,580	5	15.2	21	5.5	57,588	5.2	11,518
GRANITE.														
Vermont.....	14	51.9	143	13.5	410,717	11.5	29,337							
Massachusetts.....	16	38.1	185	17.9	501,836	20.9	31,365	11	26.2	51	4.9	158,348	6.6	14,395
North Carolina.....	3	18.8	20	2.1	48,400	3.1	16,133	3	18.8	4	0.4	10,000	0.6	3,333
New Hampshire.....	9	39.1	69	11.7	131,887	9.2	14,654	7	30.4	203	34.5	568,208	39.8	81,173
Maine.....	18	42.9	93	12.4	163,843	11.8	8,847	14	33.3	40	5.4	85,404	6.6	6,100
Minnesota.....	6	22.2	53	13.5	148,458	13.1	24,743	7	25.9	52	13.3	141,050	12.4	20,150
SANDSTONE.														
Pennsylvania.....	25	25.0	156	9.3	281,979	8.0	11,279	23	23.0	279	16.7	518,902	14.7	22,561
Illinois.....								4	20.7	10	3.5	15,632	1.2	3,903
West Virginia.....								5	33.3	12	3.5	15,228	1.7	3,046
New York.....	7	31.8	29	19.9	66,140	22.0	9,449	7	31.8	29	10.9	49,051	10.3	7,007
BASALT.														
Pennsylvania.....	10	34.5	48	6.7	104,690	7.2	16,469	3	10.3	13	1.8	25,558	1.1	8,519
New Jersey.....	13	36.1	67	15.2	262,008	13.6	20,159							
Massachusetts.....	5	23.8	88	16.1	223,644	14.4	44,729							
Connecticut.....	3	15.0	12	3.3	29,666	2.3	9,889	1	20.0	38	10.5	98,228	7.8	24,557
SLATE.														
Pennsylvania.....	3	7.1	68	3.6	74,715	2.8	24,905	5	11.9	118	6.2	125,351	4.7	25,070
Vermont.....	3	7.9	52	5.0	89,790	4.4	29,930	14	36.8	245	23.6	361,630	17.6	25,831
New York.....								4	44.4	23	17.2	47,844	10.8	11,961
Virginia.....														
MARBLE.														
Vermont.....														
Tennessee.....														

¹ Includes 2 firms in the marble industry to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

² The total for the United States includes 11 enterprises, employing 205 wage earners and reporting products to the value of \$365,735, which were operated under other forms of organization. These enterprises were reported in the stone industries as follows: Limestone, 4; granite, 2; sandstone, 1; basalt, 3; slate, 1. The statistics for 2 firms in the marble industry are excluded to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

³ Includes 2 firms.

⁴ Includes 2 other forms of organization.

⁵ Includes 1 other form of organization.

⁶ Includes 1 firm.

⁷ Includes 2 individuals.

⁸ Includes 1 firm and 2 other forms of organization.

⁹ Includes 1 individual.

SCALE OF OPERATION.

Size of enterprises according to value of products.—Table 10 shows, for the stone industries, as a whole, and for each industry separately, the number of producing enterprises and the value of products, for enterprises classified according to the value of their products, and gives the percentage distribution for each class. The larger enterprises, which were those producing more than \$100,000 worth of product, constituted only 13.6 per cent of the total number of enterprises; but they produced 63.8 per cent of the total value of products. This relation, a majority of the value of products from a few of the enterprises, holds good for

each of the stone industries except slate, in which the class of enterprises producing over \$100,000 worth of product contributed only 46.2 per cent of the total value of products. In the marble industry one-fourth of the enterprises were relatively small, with products valued at not more than \$20,000 worth each. In the basalt and slate industries the small enterprises of this class constituted approximately one-third of the total number, and in the limestone, granite, and sandstone industries they were more than one-half of the total number but contributed less than 10 per cent of the total value of products. Table 11 shows, for selected states in each industry, the same data as given in Table 10 for the industries.

TABLE 10.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		INDUSTRY AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
	Num- ber.	Per cent distribu- tion.	Amount.	Per cent distribu- tion.		Num- ber.	Per cent distribu- tion.	Amount.	Per cent distribu- tion.
ALL INDUSTRIES.....	1,820	100.0	\$101,684,919	100.0	SANDSTONE.....	255	100.0	\$10,684,969	100.0
Less than \$5,000.....	414	22.7	1,035,173	1.0	Less than \$5,000.....	79	31.0	181,820	1.8
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	510	28.0	5,632,581	5.5	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	78	30.6	841,062	7.9
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	649	35.7	30,121,363	29.6	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	72	28.2	3,035,162	28.4
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	223	12.3	43,547,229	42.8	\$100,000 and over ¹	26	10.2	6,616,535	61.9
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000.....	16	0.9	10,405,310	10.2	BASALT.....	163	100.0	9,657,977	100.0
\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000.....	8	0.4	10,943,283	10.8	Less than \$5,000.....	20	12.3	48,034	0.5
LIMESTONE.....	895	100.0	52,643,924	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	40	24.5	490,470	5.1
Less than \$5,000.....	208	23.2	507,078	1.0	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	77	47.2	3,850,020	39.0
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	259	28.9	2,915,675	5.5	\$100,000 and over ¹	26	16.0	5,269,453	54.6
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	310	34.6	14,429,913	27.3	SLATE.....	101	100.0	5,720,792	100.0
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	103	11.5	20,834,355	39.4	Less than \$5,000.....	13	12.9	36,448	0.6
\$500,000 to \$1,000,000.....	10	1.1	6,904,529	13.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	21	20.8	276,824	4.8
\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000.....	5	0.6	7,352,376	13.9	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	55	54.5	2,764,500	48.3
GRANITE.....	358	100.0	13,279,345	100.0	\$100,000 and over ¹	12	11.9	2,043,020	46.2
Less than \$5,000.....	90	25.1	241,003	1.3	MARBLE.....	48	100.0	4,397,912	100.0
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	104	29.1	1,027,383	5.6	Less than \$5,000.....	4	8.3	10,702	0.2
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	110	30.7	4,789,424	26.2	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	8	16.7	81,157	1.8
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	50	14.0	9,344,547	51.1	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	25	52.1	1,255,344	28.5
\$500,000 and over ¹	4	1.1	2,879,898	15.8	\$100,000 and over ¹	11	22.9	3,050,709	69.4

¹ Includes the group "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."² Includes the groups "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000" and "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."³ Includes the group "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000."

TABLE 11.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS, FOR SELECTED STATES: 1919.

INDUSTRY, STATE, AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		INDUSTRY, STATE, AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
	Num- ber.	Per cent distribu- tion.	Amount.	Per cent distribu- tion.		Num- ber.	Per cent distribu- tion.	Amount.	Per cent distribu- tion.
LIMESTONE.					LIMESTONE—continued.				
PENNSYLVANIA.....	184	100.0	\$12,881,213	100.0	VIRGINIA.....	31	100.0	\$1,610,544	100.0
Less than \$5,000.....	45	24.5	110,846	0.9	Less than \$5,000.....	9	29.0	21,315	1.3
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	59	32.1	655,766	5.1	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	4	12.9	37,733	2.3
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	55	29.9	2,391,038	18.6	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	13	41.0	623,535	38.7
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	19	10.3	4,104,544	31.9	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	16.1	927,911	57.6
\$500,000 and over ¹	6	3.3	5,619,019	43.6	ALABAMA.....	15	100.0	1,340,061	100.0
OHIO.....	90	100.0	6,742,496	100.0	Less than \$20,000 ²	4	26.7	40,323	3.0
Less than \$5,000.....	21	23.3	56,573	0.8	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	7	46.7	377,400	28.1
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	28	31.1	315,973	4.7	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	4	26.7	923,178	68.8
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	28	31.1	1,458,040	21.6	KENTUCKY.....	47	100.0	1,126,109	100.0
\$100,000 and over ¹	13	14.4	4,911,910	72.9	Less than \$5,000.....	12	25.5	29,217	2.6
INDIANA.....	67	100.0	4,619,801	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	20	42.6	212,635	18.9
Less than \$5,000.....	21	31.3	62,674	1.1	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	12	25.5	532,194	47.8
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	20	29.9	209,293	4.5	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	8	6.4	352,113	31.3
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	16	23.9	851,761	18.4	WISCONSIN.....	33	100.0	1,107,790	100.0
\$100,000 and over ²	10	14.0	3,506,073	75.9	Less than \$5,000.....	10	30.3	27,513	2.5
NEW YORK.....	55	100.0	4,597,942	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	8	24.2	67,691	6.1
Less than \$5,000.....	7	12.7	17,141	0.4	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	11	33.3	438,504	39.6
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	11	20.0	114,573	2.5	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	4	12.1	574,082	51.8
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	24	43.6	1,080,617	23.5	GRANITE.				
\$100,000 and over ²	13	23.6	3,385,611	73.6	VERMONT.....	27	100.0	3,563,734	100.0
ILLINOIS.....	41	100.0	3,773,625	100.0	Less than \$20,000 ⁴	12	44.4	43,340	1.2
Less than \$5,000.....	6	14.6	11,126	0.3	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	7	25.9	386,503	10.3
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	11	26.8	141,562	3.7	\$100,000 and over ⁵	8	29.0	3,153,901	88.5
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	11	26.8	508,265	13.5	MASSACHUSETTS.....	42	100.0	2,405,165	100.0
\$100,000 and over ²	13	31.7	3,115,672	82.5	Less than \$5,000.....	6	14.3	19,875	0.8
MISSOURI.....	70	100.0	2,355,736	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	10	23.8	88,469	3.7
Less than \$5,000.....	15	21.4	35,789	1.5	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	19	45.2	820,374	34.1
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	24	34.3	265,194	11.3	\$100,000 and over ²	7	16.7	1,476,507	61.4
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	26	37.1	1,147,412	48.7	NORTH CAROLINA.....	16	100.0	1,576,250	100.0
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	7.1	907,341	38.5	Less than \$5,000.....	5	31.2	16,500	1.0
WEST VIRGINIA.....	17	100.0	1,927,490	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	6	37.5	252,984	16.0
Less than \$20,000 ³	5	29.4	31,611	1.6	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	6	37.5	252,984	16.0
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	7	41.2	500,872	26.0	\$100,000 and over ²	5	31.2	1,306,766	82.9
\$100,000 and over ²	5	29.4	1,395,007	72.4					

¹ Includes the group "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."² Includes the group "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000."³ Includes the group "Less than \$5,000."⁴ Includes the group "\$5,000 to \$20,000."⁵ Includes the groups "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000" and "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."

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TABLE 11.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS, FOR SELECTED STATES: 1919—Contd.

INDUSTRY, STATE, AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		INDUSTRY, STATE, AND VALUE OF PRODUCT PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
	Num-ber.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.		Num-ber.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
GRANITE—continued.					BASALT.				
WISCONSIN.....	14	100.0	\$1,484,979	100.0	PENNSYLVANIA.....	29	100.0	\$2,298,791	100.0
Less than \$20,000 ¹	5	35.7	29,798	2.0	Less than \$5,000.....	5	17.2	14,300	0.6
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	3	21.4	118,947	7.9	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	10	34.5	102,425	4.5
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	6	42.9	1,338,236	90.1	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	9	31.0	374,520	16.3
NEW HAMPSHIRE.....	23	100.0	1,427,979	100.0	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	17.2	1,807,546	78.6
Less than \$5,000.....	8	34.8	20,808	1.5	NEW JERSEY.....	30	100.0	1,928,025	100.0
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	4	17.4	49,098	2.8	Less than \$20,000 ¹	14	38.9	168,630	8.7
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	6	26.1	250,020	17.5	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	15	41.7	768,977	39.9
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	21.7	1,117,083	78.2	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	7	19.4	990,418	51.4
MAINE.....	42	100.0	1,300,996	100.0	MASSACHUSETTS.....	21	100.0	1,548,611	100.0
Less than \$5,000.....	17	40.5	47,413	3.6	Less than \$20,000 ¹	4	19.0	23,806	1.5
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	16	38.1	163,614	12.6	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	10	47.6	508,432	32.8
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	4	9.5	192,942	14.8	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	7	33.3	1,016,373	65.6
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	11.9	897,627	68.9	CONNECTICUT.....	20	100.0	1,262,579	100.0
MINNESOTA.....	27	100.0	1,135,391	100.0	Less than \$5,000.....	3	15.0	2,601	0.2
Less than \$5,000.....	3	11.1	6,094	0.6	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	3	15.0	32,952	2.6
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	10	37.0	126,195	11.1	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	11	55.0	586,522	46.5
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	11	40.7	484,477	42.7	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	3	15.0	649,504	50.7
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	3	11.1	517,724	45.6	CALIFORNIA.....	16	100.0	635,588	100.0
SANDSTONE.					Less than \$5,000.....	4	25.0	10,468	1.6
PENNSYLVANIA.....	100	100.0	3,534,563	100.0	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	3	18.8	32,376	5.1
Less than \$5,000.....	26	26.0	73,633	2.1	\$20,000 and over ²	9	56.2	592,744	93.3
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	35	35.0	403,942	11.4	PENNSYLVANIA.....	42	100.0	2,651,533	100.0
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	29	29.0	1,245,790	35.2	Less than \$5,000.....	5	11.9	17,013	0.6
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	10	10.0	1,811,198	51.2	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	5	11.9	54,872	2.1
OHIO.....	21	100.0	2,759,352	100.0	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	25	59.5	1,278,380	48.2
Less than \$5,000.....	4	19.0	13,333	0.5	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	7	16.7	1,301,263	49.1
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	3	14.3	31,057	1.1	VERMONT.....	38	100.0	2,057,388	100.0
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	8	38.1	372,718	13.5	Less than \$5,000.....	3	7.9	7,627	0.4
\$100,000 and over ²	6	28.6	2,342,244	84.9	\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	12	31.6	164,777	8.0
ILLINOIS.....	15	100.0	1,329,389	100.0	\$20,000 and over ²	23	60.5	1,884,984	91.6
Less than \$5,000.....	4	26.7	12,015	0.9	MARBLE.				
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	6	40.0	61,823	4.7	VERMONT.....	15	100.0	2,108,872	100.0
\$20,000 and over ²	5	33.3	1,255,551	94.4	Less than \$20,000 ¹	4	26.7	36,531	1.7
WEST VIRGINIA.....	15	100.0	885,538	100.0	\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	7	46.7	352,875	16.7
Less than \$5,000.....	5	33.3	15,228	1.7	\$100,000 and over ²	4	26.7	1,719,466	81.5
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	4	26.7	45,473	5.1	TENNESSEE.....	13	100.0	1,088,131	100.0
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	3	20.0	132,015	14.9	Less than \$100,000 ⁴	8	61.5	275,415	25.3
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	3	20.0	692,372	78.2	\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	5	38.5	812,716	74.7

¹ Includes the group "Less than \$5,000."² Includes the group "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."³ Includes the groups "\$100,000 to \$500,000," and "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000."⁴ Includes the group "\$5,000 to \$20,000."

Size of enterprises according to average number of wage earners.—Table 12 presents a classification of the producing enterprises, for all quarry industries combined and for each industry separately by states, according to the average number of wage earners per enterprise and shows the distribution of enterprises and wage earners for each class. For all stone industries in the United States combined, 3.2 per cent of the enterprises employed no wage earners; 92.4 per cent of the enterprises had fewer than 101 wage earners each but employed 67.4 per cent of the total average number of wage earners; only 79 enterprises, or 4.3 per cent of the total number, had more than 100 wage earners each and employed 32.6 per cent of the total average number of wage earners. A similar preponderance of small enterprises—those having less than 101 wage earners each—was characteristic of each of the stone industries. In the

limestone, basalt, and marble industries the largest number of enterprises was in the class having 6 to 20 wage earners; in the granite and sandstone industries the greatest number was in the class having 1 to 5 wage earners; and in the slate industry the greatest number was in the class having 21 to 50 wage earners. The larger enterprises, those employing more than 100 wage earners each, were mostly in the limestone and granite industries, although each of the other industries reported a few enterprises of this size. In the limestone industry Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, West Virginia, Michigan, and Alabama reported the largest enterprises; in the granite industry, Vermont, Massachusetts, North Carolina, and Wisconsin; in the sandstone industry, Pennsylvania and Ohio; in the slate industry, Pennsylvania and Vermont; in the basalt industry, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, and New York; and in the marble industry, Vermont.

TABLE 12.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	TOTAL.		ENTERPRISES EMPLOYING—										PER CENT DISTRIBUTION.												
	Enterprises.	Wage earners (average number).	No wage earners.		1 to 5 wage earners.		6 to 20 wage earners.		21 to 50 wage earners.		51 to 100 wage earners.		101 to 500 wage earners.		No wage earners.	1 to 5 wage earners.		6 to 20 wage earners.		21 to 50 wage earners.		51 to 100 wage earners.		101 to 500 wage earners.	
			Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.		Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.		
ALL INDUSTRIES.	1,820	42,986	58	561	1,405	626	7,037	370	11,584	126	8,935	79	14,025	3.2	30.8	3.3	34.4	16.4	20.3	26.9	6.9	20.8	4.3	32.6	
Limestone.	895	22,069	25	283	713	301	3,445	179	5,456	59	4,109	43	8,346	2.8	32.2	3.2	33.6	15.6	20.0	24.7	6.6	18.6	4.8	37.8	
Granite.	358	8,049	20	119	288	117	1,173	60	1,862	28	2,035	14	2,091	5.6	33.2	3.6	32.7	14.6	16.8	23.1	7.8	25.3	3.9	33.4	
Sandstone.	255	4,287	9	105	245	89	1,032	29	942	17	1,249	6	819	3.5	41.2	5.7	34.9	24.1	11.4	22.0	6.7	29.1	2.4	19.1	
Slate.	101	3,513	1	9	32	32	355	39	1,291	14	1,005	6	830	1.0	8.9	0.9	31.7	10.1	38.6	36.7	13.9	28.6	5.9	23.6	
Basalt.	163	3,336	2	36	115	67	782	47	1,502	6	390	5	547	1.2	22.1	3.4	41.1	23.4	28.3	45.0	3.7	11.7	3.1	16.4	
Marble.	48	1,732	1	4	12	20	250	16	531	2	147	5	792	2.1	8.3	0.7	41.7	14.4	33.3	30.7	4.2	8.5	10.4	45.7	
LIMESTONE.																									
Pennsylvania.	184	5,573	2	64	144	59	635	28	790	19	1,415	12	2,589	1.1	34.8	2.6	32.1	11.4	15.2	14.2	10.3	25.4	6.5	46.5	
Ohio.	90	2,262	2	39	87	24	257	18	551	3	228	4	1,139	2.2	43.3	3.8	26.7	11.4	20.0	24.4	3.3	10.1	4.4	50.4	
Indiana.	67	1,800	1	24	56	24	240	9	260	4	252	5	992	1.5	35.8	3.1	35.8	13.3	13.4	14.4	6.0	14.0	7.5	55.1	
New York.	55	1,739	2	10	25	24	276	8	287	8	560	3	591	3.6	18.2	1.4	43.6	15.9	14.5	16.5	14.5	32.2	5.5	34.0	
Illinois.	41	1,244	3	10	30	10	120	11	400	4	298	3	390	7.3	24.4	2.4	24.4	9.6	26.8	32.2	9.8	24.0	7.3	31.8	
Missouri.	70	1,171	1	20	60	29	353	17	491	2	124	1	143	1.4	28.6	5.1	41.4	30.1	24.3	41.9	2.9	10.6	1.4	12.2	
West Virginia.	17	1,003	1	3	8	2	15	4	118	3	223	4	639	5.9	17.6	0.8	11.8	1.5	23.5	11.8	17.6	22.2	23.5	63.7	
Alabama.	15	835	1	8	8	2	36	6	207	1	52	3	532	20.0	13.3	1.0	13.3	4.3	40.0	24.8	6.7	6.2	20.0	63.7	
Virginia.	31	777	1	10	27	8	114	8	239	3	192	2	205	32.3	3.5	25.8	14.7	25.8	30.8	9.7	24.7	6.5	26.4		
Kentucky.	47	676	1	18	53	18	222	9	275	2	126	1	205	38.3	7.8	38.3	32.8	19.1	40.7	4.3	18.6	1.4	12.2		
Kansas.	35	484	1	17	31	11	110	6	190	1	65	1	153	48.6	6.4	31.4	22.7	17.1	39.3	3.0	17.0	2.9	31.6		
Tennessee.	33	382	1	15	29	11	120	6	168	1	65	1	153	45.5	7.6	33.3	31.4	18.2	44.0	3.0	17.0	2.9	31.6		
Wisconsin.	21	349	1	3	2	11	163	7	184	1	65	1	153	14.3	0.6	62.4	46.7	33.3	52.7	3.0	17.0	2.9	31.6		
Oklahoma.	13	278	1	2	5	5	57	4	115	1	65	1	153	7.7	15.4	1.8	38.5	20.6	30.8	41.4	7.7	36.3			
New Jersey.	10	258	1	2	5	5	62	3	113	1	78	1	153	10.0	1.9	50.0	24.0	30.0	48.8	10.0	30.2	7.7	36.3		
Iowa.	25	246	1	9	20	13	137	1	31	1	58	1	133	4.0	36.0	8.1	52.0	55.7	4.0	12.6	4.0	23.6	7.7	64.3	
California.	13	245	1	3	9	7	75	1	28	1	28	1	133	7.7	23.1	3.7	53.8	30.6	7.7	11.4	14.3	62.7	7.7	64.3	
Colorado.	14	228	3	4	15	4	36	1	34	2	143	1	133	21.4	28.6	6.6	28.6	15.8	7.1	14.9	14.3	62.7	7.7	64.3	
Minnesota.	10	156	1	4	10	3	30	2	48	1	62	1	133	40.0	4.0	6.4	30.0	23.1	20.0	30.8	10.0	29.7	1.4	12.2	
Maryland.	11	149	1	4	31	1	16	1	49	1	53	1	133	72.7	20.8	9.1	10.7	9.1	32.9	30.8	9.1	35.6	1.4	12.2	
Utah.	7	148	1	2	6	1	20	4	122	1	53	1	133	28.6	4.1	14.3	13.5	57.1	82.4	2.9	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Arkansas.	6	114	1	1	5	3	46	2	63	1	52	1	133	16.7	4.4	50.0	40.4	35.3	55.3	2.9	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Florida.	4	111	1	1	2	1	17	1	40	1	52	1	133	25.0	1.8	25.0	15.3	25.0	36.0	25.0	46.8	1.4	12.2		
Montana.	7	87	1	2	2	3	30	2	55	1	53	1	133	28.6	2.8	42.9	34.5	28.6	63.2	2.8	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Georgia.	5	80	1	1	1	3	44	1	35	1	53	1	133	20.0	1.2	60.0	55.0	20.0	43.8	2.8	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Oregon.	4	69	1	1	4	1	7	2	58	1	53	1	133	25.0	5.8	25.0	10.1	50.0	84.1	2.8	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Arizona.	4	45	1	1	1	1	14	1	31	1	53	1	133	50.0	25.0	25.0	31.1	25.0	68.9	2.8	10.6	1.4	12.2		
Vermont.	4	40	1	1	1	1	12	1	23	1	53	1	133	25.0	12.5	50.0	30.0	25.0	57.5	2.8	10.6	1.4	12.2		
All other states 1.	52	1,520	5	12	33	15	175	15	451	2	128	3	733	9.6	23.1	2.2	28.8	11.5	28.8	29.7	3.8	8.4	5.8	48.2	
GRANITE.																									
Vermont.	27	1,062	1	11	25	4	51	6	211	2	145	3	630	3.7	40.7	2.4	14.8	4.8	22.2	19.9	7.4	13.7	11.1	59.3	
Massachusetts.	42	1,084	1	14	27	14	160	11	355	2	149	1	343	33.3	2.6	33.3	16.5	28.2	34.3	4.8	14.4	2.4	33.2		
North Carolina.	16	959	1	4	8	2	36	5	154	2	132	2	629	6.2	25.0	0.8	12.5	3.8	31.2	16.1	12.5	13.8	12.5	65.6	
Wisconsin.	14	753	1	4	13	3	32	1	22	3	243	3	443	28.6	1.7	21.4	4.2	7.1	2.9	21.4	32.3	21.4	58.8		
Maine.	42	747	5	21	53	9	96	2	80	2	146	3	372	11.9	50.0	7.1	21.4	12.9	4.8	10.7	4.8	19.5	7.1	49.8	
New Hampshire.	23	589	3	8	14	4	55	3	68	4	285	1	167	13.0	34.8	2.4	17.4	9.3	13.0	11.5	17.4	48.4	4.3	28.4	
Georgia.	20	580	1	8	10	8	89	5	176	4	305	1	167	15.0	1.7	40.0	15.3	25.0	30.3	20.0	52.6	1.4	12.2		
Minnesota.	27	392	1	9	24	9	77	6	167	2	184	3	246	3.7	33.3	6.1	33.3	19.6	22.2	40.1	7.4	34.2	1.4	12.2	
South Carolina.	10	322	1	4	11	2	24	1	41	3	246	1	167	40.0	3.4	20.0	7.5	10.0	12.7	30.0	76.4	1.4	12.2		
Rhode Island.	8	262	1	3	15	2	20	1	46	1	74	1	107	37.5	5.7	25.0	7.6	12.5	17.6	12.5	28.2	12.5	40.8		
Maryland.	9	235	1	1	4	4	62	3	102	1	67	1	107	11.1	1.7	44.4	26.4	33.3	43.4	11.1	28.5	1.4	12.2		
Pennsylvania.	29	197	1	7	20	12	22	2	55	1	67	1	107	24.1	10.2	69.0	61.9	6.9	27.9	2.9	10.6	1.4	12.2		
California.	17	162	3	5	7	6	64	3	91	1	67	1	107	17.6	20.4	4.3	35.3	39.5	17.6	56.2	1.4	12.2			
Virginia.	7	157	1	3	3	2	32	3	67	1	58	1	107	42.9	7.9	28.6	23.8	28.6	68.3	1.4	12.2				
New York.	7	101	1	3	8	2	24	2	69	1	58	1	107	27.3	6.5	63.6	67.4	9.1	26.1	1.4	12.2				
Connecticut.	11	92	1	3	6	7	62	1	54	1	58	1	107	33.3	6.9	66.7	66.7	93.1	1.4						

TABLE 12.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS: 1919—Continued.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	TOTAL.		ENTERPRISES EMPLOYING—										PER CENT DISTRIBUTION.											
	Enterprises.	Wage earners (average number).	No wage earners.	1 to 5 wage earners.		6 to 20 wage earners.		21 to 50 wage earners.		51 to 100 wage earners.		101 to 500 wage earners.		No wage earners.	1 to 5 wage earners.		6 to 20 wage earners.		21 to 50 wage earners.		51 to 100 wage earners.		101 to 500 wage earners.	
				Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.		Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.		
SLATE.																								
Pennsylvania.....	42	1,892	.....	.....	11	117	20	669	7	521	4	585	.....	.....	26.2	6.2	47.6	35.4	16.7	27.5	9.5	30.9	.....	.....
Vermont.....	33	1,089	.....	6	23	15	176	12	378	3	217	2	245	.....	15.8	2.2	39.5	16.9	31.6	36.4	7.9	20.9	5.3	23.6
Virginia.....	4	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	82	2	123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.0	39.0	50.0	61.0	.....	.....
New York.....	9	134	.....	3	9	3	26	3	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33.3	6.7	33.3	19.4	33.3	73.9	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maryland.....	4	85	.....	.....	.....	2	22	2	63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50.0	25.9	50.0	74.1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other states ¹	4	153	1	.....	1	14	.....	.....	2	139	.....	.....	25.0	.....	25.0	9.2	.....	.....	50.0	90.8	.....	.....	.....	.....
BASALT.																								
Pennsylvania.....	29	721	.....	7	13	11	93	7	220	1	55	3	330	.....	24.1	1.8	37.9	12.9	24.1	31.9	3.5	7.6	10.3	45.8
New Jersey.....	36	637	.....	10	41	10	185	8	288	2	123	.....	.....	.....	27.8	6.4	44.4	29.0	22.2	46.2	5.6	19.3	.....	.....
Massachusetts.....	21	547	.....	2	6	9	126	8	260	2	155	.....	.....	.....	9.5	1.1	42.9	23.0	38.1	47.5	9.5	23.3	.....	.....
Connecticut.....	20	363	1	3	7	10	119	5	133	.....	.....	1	104	5.0	1.9	50.0	32.8	25.0	36.6	.....	.....	.....	.....
California.....	16	292	.....	5	13	5	60	6	189	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.2	5.0	31.2	22.9	37.5	72.1	.....	.....	5.0	28.7
Maryland.....	10	183	.....	2	8	5	76	3	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20.0	4.4	50.0	41.5	30.0	54.1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oregon.....	9	124	.....	2	9	5	56	2	59	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22.2	7.3	55.6	45.2	22.2	47.6	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington.....	8	99	1	3	10	3	32	.....	.....	1	57	.....	.....	12.5	37.5	10.1	37.5	32.3	.....	.....	12.5	57.6	.....	.....
All other states ²	14	400	.....	2	8	3	35	8	244	.....	.....	1	113	.....	14.3	2.0	21.4	8.8	57.1	61.0	.....	.....	7.1	28.2
MARBLE.																								
Vermont.....	15	570	.....	2	3	6	71	5	153	.....	.....	2	343	.....	13.3	0.5	40.0	12.5	33.3	26.8	.....	.....	13.3	60.2
Tennessee.....	13	540	.....	.....	.....	5	66	5	179	2	147	1	148	.....	.....	.....	38.5	12.2	38.5	33.1	15.4	27.2	7.7	27.4
New York.....	6	100	.....	.....	.....	5	65	1	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83.3	65.0	16.7	35.0	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other states ³	14	522	1	2	9	4	48	5	164	.....	.....	2	301	7.1	14.3	1.7	28.6	9.2	35.7	31.4	.....	.....	14.3	57.7

¹ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Maine, 3; Utah, 1.
² Includes enterprises in states as follows: Delaware, 1; Idaho, 1; Michigan, 1; New York, 4; Rhode Island, 4; Texas, 1; Wisconsin, 2.
³ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; California, 3; Georgia, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 3; Michigan, 1; Missouri, 1; Texas, 1.

Size of enterprises according to acreage of mineral land.—Table 13 shows producing enterprises, in the combined quarry industries and in each industry separately, classified according to the number of acres of quarry land operated, and gives the number of acres of land and the number of quarries operated in each class, together with the per cent distribution

for enterprises and mineral land. The largest number of enterprises for the quarry industries as a whole was in the class operating from 1 to 50 acres. Large holdings of quarry lands are exceptional in the stone industries, but the very few enterprises which had extensive holdings—500 acres or more—reported more than half of the total acreage of all quarry land.

TABLE 13.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY NUMBER OF ACRES OF MINERAL LAND OPERATED: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND ACRES PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		Number of quarries.	MINERAL LAND OPERATED.		INDUSTRY AND ACRES PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		Number of quarries.	MINERAL LAND OPERATED.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.		Acres.	Per cent distribution.		Number.	Per cent distribution.		Acres.	Per cent distribution.
ALL INDUSTRIES.....	1,820	100.0	1,922	252,242	100.0	BASALT.....	163	100.0	174	15,625	100.0
1 to 50.....	1,297	71.3	1,332	18,271	7.2	1 to 50.....	119	73.0	123	1,680	10.8
50 to 100.....	182	10.0	194	13,824	5.5	50 to 100.....	19	11.7	21	1,386	8.9
100 to 200.....	163	9.0	180	24,381	9.7	100 to 200.....	13	8.0	15	1,947	12.5
200 to 500.....	102	5.6	124	32,260	12.8	200 to 500.....	9	5.5	12	2,912	18.6
500 to 1,000.....	37	2.0	39	27,074	10.7	Over 1,000.....	3	1.8	3	7,700	49.3
Over 1,000.....	39	2.1	53	136,393	54.1	SLATE.....	101	100.0	104	5,440	100.0
LIMESTONE.....	895	100.0	925	122,820	100.0	1 to 50.....	83	82.2	84	1,334	24.5
1 to 50.....	627	70.1	636	8,858	7.2	50 to 100.....	4	4.0	4	310	5.7
50 to 100.....	85	9.5	88	6,491	5.3	100 to 200.....	9	8.9	10	1,408	25.9
100 to 200.....	87	9.7	92	13,242	10.8	200 to 500.....	2	2.0	2	475	8.7
200 to 500.....	57	6.4	66	18,381	15.0	500 to 1,000.....	3	3.0	4	1,913	35.2
500 to 1,000.....	22	2.5	23	16,277	13.3	MARBLE.....	48	100.0	62	28,969	100.0
Over 1,000.....	17	1.9	20	59,568	48.5	1 to 50.....	27	56.2	27	520	1.8
GRANITE.....	358	100.0	381	30,659	100.0	50 to 100.....	3	6.2	3	194	0.7
1 to 50.....	271	75.7	278	3,714	12.1	100 to 200.....	7	14.6	11	991	3.4
50 to 100.....	41	11.5	44	3,184	10.4	200 to 500.....	2	4.2	2	730	2.5
100 to 200.....	22	6.1	25	3,138	10.2	500 to 1,000.....	3	6.2	3	2,330	8.0
200 to 500.....	17	4.7	27	5,145	16.8	Over 1,000.....	6	12.5	16	24,204	83.6
500 to 1,000.....	2	0.6	2	1,478	4.8						
Over 1,000.....	5	1.4	5	14,000	45.7						
SANDSTONE.....	255	100.0	276	48,720	100.0						
1 to 50.....	170	66.7	184	2,165	4.4						
50 to 100.....	30	11.8	34	2,259	4.6						
100 to 200.....	25	9.8	27	3,655	7.5						
200 to 500.....	15	5.9	15	4,653	9.5						
500 to 1,000.....	7	2.7	7	5,076	10.4						
Over 1,000.....	8	3.1	9	30,921	63.5						

PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE INDUSTRIES.

Persons according to class and sex.—Table 14 shows the persons engaged in the stone-quarrying industries by classes, gives the number of males and females in each class, and also the per cent distribution of the three principal classes. Females constituted only 1.1 per cent of the total of all classes of persons engaged, and were employed principally as clerks and other subordinate salaried employees. They numbered more than one-fourth of all the employees in this grade in the stone industries as a whole. The number of proprietors and officials, including the sal-

aried employees of the higher grades, was 7.3 per cent of the total number of persons for all stone industries, and the proportion for the separate industries ranged from 5.1 per cent to 8.9 per cent. The number of clerks and other subordinate salaried employees was 3.3 per cent of the total number of persons engaged in all the stone industries and the proportion for the separate industries ranged from 1.8 to 3.8 per cent. Wage earners constituted 89.4 per cent of the total number of persons in all stone industries and the proportion ranged from 87.5 per cent in the sandstone industry to 91.6 per cent in the marble industry.

TABLE 14.—PERSONS ENGAGED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	All industries.	Limestone.	Granite.	Sandstone.	Basalt.	Slate.	Marble.
All classes.....	48,087	24,705	8,951	4,897	3,701	3,852	1,891
Male.....	47,566	24,452	8,866	4,818	3,742	3,823	1,865
Female.....	521	253	85	79	49	29	26
Proprietors and officials.....	3,532	1,727	696	434	310	269	96
Per cent of all classes.....	7.3	7.0	7.8	8.9	8.2	7.0	5.1
Male.....	3,459	1,691	685	418	305	265	95
Female.....	73	36	11	16	5	4	1
Proprietors and firm members.....	1,288	633	328	179	77	64	7
Male.....	1,249	612	321	172	75	62	7
Female.....	39	21	7	7	2	2	—
Salaried officers of corporation.....	833	376	137	106	85	84	46
Male.....	804	360	133	102	82	82	45
Female.....	29	16	4	4	3	2	1
Superintendents and managers.....	1,307	672	197	143	138	117	40
Male.....	1,302	672	197	138	138	117	40
Female.....	5	—	—	5	—	—	—
Technical employees.....	104	47	34	6	10	4	3
Male.....	104	47	34	6	10	4	3
Female.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Clerks and other subordinate salaried employees.....	1,569	909	206	176	145	70	63
Per cent of all classes.....	3.3	3.7	2.3	3.6	3.8	1.8	3.3
Male.....	1,135	701	133	115	103	45	38
Female.....	434	208	73	61	42	25	25
Wage earners (average number).....	42,986	22,069	8,049	4,287	3,336	3,512	1,732
Per cent of all classes.....	89.4	89.3	89.9	87.5	88.0	91.2	91.6
Male.....	42,972	22,060	8,048	4,285	3,334	3,513	1,732
Female.....	14	9	1	2	2	—	—

1 Segregation based on the ratio between male and female wage earners reported for the representative day.

Proprietors performing manual labor.—Table 15 gives for all the stone industries in the United States, as a whole, and for each industry separately the total number of proprietors and firm members and the number and percentages of these performing manual labor. Enterprises of the size and type operated without the assistance of hired help or with little help appear from the facts brought out by this table to be fairly numerous and especially so in the granite industry. Out of a total of 1,288 proprietors and firm members, 417, or nearly one-third, were personally performing manual labor in or about their quarries.

TABLE 15.—PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY.	Total.	PERFORMING MANUAL LABOR.	
		Number.	Per cent of total.
All industries.....	1,288	417	32.4
Limestone.....	633	175	27.6
Granite.....	328	145	44.2
Sandstone.....	179	53	29.6
Basalt.....	77	20	26.0
Slate.....	64	21	32.8
Marble.....	7	3	42.9

The number of proprietors and firm members working in all stone industries was equivalent to less than 1 per cent of the total average number of wage earners.

Wage earners, by occupations.—Table 16 presents for the combined quarrying industries, and for each industry separately, the number of wage earners employed on a representative day, classified according to occupation, gives the number in each class employed above and below ground, and shows the per cent of the total in each occupational class. The table distinguishes between men engaged in the more peculiarly quarrying occupations; men engaged in other skilled trades such as enginemen, hoistmen, firemen, machinists, electricians, carpenters, and other mechanics; and less skilled and unclassified laborers. Wage earners in open-pit quarries were classed as employed above ground except as noted in the "Introduction" to this report. Wage earners classified as employed below ground numbered 1,511, or only 3.1 per cent of the total number of wage earners of all classes and in all the stone industries on a representative day. These were in the limestone industry, constituting 3.1 per cent of all the wage earners in that industry, and in the slate industry where they consti-

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tuted 18.4 per cent of the wage earners. Of the total number of wage earners reported for all industries combined, 89.3 per cent were employed in actual quarrying operations, and 10.7 per cent in mills and dressing plants. In the limestone and basalt industries the proportion in mills and dressing plants was small, being 3.8 per cent and 1.1 per cent, respectively. In the sandstone industry the proportion was larger,

15.1 per cent, and in the granite, slate, and marble industries the percentages in mills and dressing plants were, respectively, 22.1, 23.5, and 28.5. These ratios are in accord with the data in Table 1, which indicates that for granite, marble, and slate a considerable part of the output was for uses requiring cutting, dressing, or other preparation.

TABLE 16.—WAGE EARNERS, BY OCCUPATIONS, DECEMBER 15 OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

CLASS OF WAGE EARNER.	ALL INDUSTRIES.		LIMESTONE.		GRANITE.		SANDSTONE.		SLATE.		BASALT.		MARBLE.	
	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.	Num-ber of wage earn-ers.	Per-cent distri-bu-tion.
All classes.....	48,707	100.0	25,052	100.0	9,166	100.0	4,861	100.0	3,973	100.0	3,799	100.0	1,856	100.0
Above ground, total.....	47,196	96.9	24,272	96.9	9,166	100.0	4,861	100.0	3,242	81.6	3,799	100.0	1,856	100.0
Foremen, bosses, etc.....	1,876	3.9	957	3.8	379	4.1	197	4.1	133	3.4	144	3.8	66	3.6
Enginemen, hoistmen, firemen, mechanics, etc.....	5,535	11.4	3,278	13.1	858	9.4	405	8.3	371	9.3	473	12.5	150	8.1
Quarrymen, drillmen, and their helpers.....	10,462	33.8	8,433	33.7	3,736	40.8	1,599	32.9	811	20.4	1,120	29.5	763	41.1
Trackmen and men engaged in hauling, tram-ming, etc.....	3,211	6.6	1,930	7.7	544	5.9	304	6.3	200	5.0	192	5.1	41	2.2
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classi-fied.....	14,885	30.6	8,716	34.8	1,621	17.7	1,621	33.3	792	19.9	1,828	48.1	307	16.5
Wage earners employed in mills and dressing plants.....	5,227	10.7	958	3.8	2,028	22.1	735	15.1	935	23.5	42	1.1	529	28.5
Below ground, total.....	1,511	3.1	780	3.1					731	18.4				
Foremen, bosses, etc.....	46	0.1	10						36	0.9				
Enginemen, firemen, mechanics, etc.....	56	0.1	53	0.2					3	0.1				
Quarrymen, drillmen, and their helpers.....	692	1.4	204	0.8					488	12.3				
Trackmen and men engaged in hauling, tram-ming, etc.....	158	0.3	104	0.4					54	1.4				
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classi-fied.....	559	1.1	409	1.6					160	3.8				

Wage earners, by months.—Table 17 shows for each of the stone industries, by states, the number of wage earners employed on the 15th day of each month or the nearest representative day, the average number employed during the year, the months of maximum and minimum employment, and the ratio of the mini-mum to the maximum number. The changes in the number employed from month to month reflect condi-tions prevailing in the stone-quarrying industries dur-ing the census year. The month of maximum employ-ment for the combined stone industries was August, and the month of minimum employment was Febru-

ary, the minimum number employed being two-thirds of the maximum number. The industries are very largely seasonal, not only because of winter's direct interference with quarry operation but also because of lessened demand in winter for structural and paving materials. Except in the slate industry, the figures apparently indicate normal conditions. In the slate industry the numbers employed in the last three months were larger than the average for the sum-mer months because of recovery from the very sub-normal conditions which prevailed earlier in the year 1919.

TABLE 17.—WAGE EARNERS, BY MONTHS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

[The month of maximum employment for each industry and state is indicated by bold-faced figures and that of minimum employment by italic figures.]

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Aver-age num-ber em-ployed during year.	NUMBER EMPLOYED ON 15TH DAY OF THE MONTH OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.												Per-cent mini-mum is of maxi-mum.
		Janu-ary.	Febru-ary.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	Sep-tember.	Octo-ber.	Novem-ber.	Decem-ber.	
UNITED STATES—All industries.....	42,986	33,573	<i>32,990</i>	36,189	41,735	45,061	46,503	48,013	49,378	48,553	47,240	45,242	41,295	66.8
Limestone.....	22,069	18,085	<i>17,398</i>	18,847	21,476	22,992	23,687	24,599	25,655	25,303	23,901	22,538	20,367	67.8
Granite.....	8,049	<i>6,669</i>	5,844	6,504	7,771	8,620	8,945	9,071	9,228	9,024	9,101	8,741	8,070	61.4
Sandstone.....	4,287	3,471	<i>3,306</i>	3,681	4,128	4,411	4,533	4,667	4,961	4,916	4,726	4,598	4,047	66.6
Basalt.....	3,336	<i>2,087</i>	2,087	2,455	3,257	3,680	3,828	3,985	4,087	3,906	3,908	3,710	3,131	49.7
Slate.....	3,513	<i>2,862</i>	2,909	3,060	3,415	3,580	3,764	3,858	3,572	3,594	3,729	3,896	3,927	72.6
Marble.....	1,732	<i>1,469</i>	1,497	1,641	1,688	1,778	1,826	1,833	1,865	1,810	1,875	1,769	1,753	77.8
LIMESTONE.														
Alabama.....	835	808	893	832	853	798	744	790	845	904	861	874	878	80.8
Arizona.....	45	78	54	51	32	42	36	41	42	47	44	45	28	35.9
Arkansas.....	114	73	80	92	96	122	128	131	138	140	131	116	121	52.1
California.....	245	283	240	230	250	253	242	228	237	<i>225</i>	228	261	257	79.5
Colorado.....	228	327	303	274	276	257	208	273	277	243	87	73	78	22.3

TABLE 17.—WAGE EARNERS, BY MONTHS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919—Continued.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Average number employed during year.	NUMBER EMPLOYED ON 15TH DAY OF THE MONTH OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.												Percent minimum is of maximum.
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	
LIMESTONE—continued.														
Florida.....	111	110	108	122	119	122	113	108	100	102	105	115	102	83.6
Georgia.....	80	94	95	90	93	65	93	86	71	63	67	67	82	64.2
Illinois.....	1,244	834	810	1,054	1,279	1,488	1,389	1,401	1,438	1,452	1,401	1,334	985	54.4
Indiana.....	1,800	940	915	1,107	1,583	1,617	2,046	2,249	2,419	2,363	2,170	1,989	2,002	37.8
Iowa.....	246	100	132	166	230	287	288	300	336	343	333	264	169	31.8
Kansas.....	484	416	415	451	532	607	637	506	471	509	536	447	281	44.1
Kentucky.....	676	345	351	468	687	734	773	885	903	879	788	716	583	38.2
Maryland.....	149	130	122	105	144	167	166	173	182	170	153	151	115	54.7
Minnesota.....	156	68	53	105	159	190	217	198	203	201	185	166	143	24.0
Missouri.....	1,171	912	826	926	1,071	1,182	1,211	1,305	1,404	1,414	1,377	1,287	1,137	58.4
Montana.....	87	81	70	83	89	95	115	100	94	83	82	83	69	60.0
New Jersey.....	258	299	288	276	237	222	236	242	258	255	266	253	264	74.2
New York.....	1,739	1,356	1,184	1,409	1,764	2,032	1,955	2,085	2,111	1,989	1,901	1,659	1,423	56.1
Ohio.....	2,262	2,173	1,878	1,902	1,986	2,166	2,415	2,504	2,659	2,569	2,458	2,314	2,060	70.6
Oklahoma.....	278	262	283	269	230	239	228	217	391	387	281	277	282	55.5
Oregon.....	69	40	36	21	19	43	55	75	86	77	119	115	142	13.4
Pennsylvania.....	5,573	5,135	5,061	5,254	5,336	5,237	5,701	5,873	6,181	6,111	5,910	5,091	5,396	81.7
Tennessee.....	349	311	319	380	347	356	334	354	378	376	372	360	360	79.2
Utah.....	148	158	142	164	156	146	144	158	152	166	112	149	129	67.5
Vermont.....	40	40	34	39	36	61	48	41	38	41	35	39	28	45.9
Virginia.....	777	650	611	637	818	892	809	885	862	878	837	762	683	68.5
West Virginia.....	1,003	907	912	1,014	1,039	1,054	994	1,022	1,095	1,063	960	902	984	82.8
Wisconsin.....	382	176	187	232	409	487	509	517	601	477	444	377	266	34.4
All other states.....	1,520	994	1,006	1,088	1,606	1,831	1,778	1,792	1,767	1,776	1,664	1,621	1,317	54.3
GRANITE.														
Arizona.....	58	98	96	112	112	60	28	29	26	26	28	28	36	23.2
California.....	162	146	140	136	141	140	134	142	136	171	201	210	247	54.3
Connecticut.....	92	79	67	88	89	108	111	108	97	94	94	95	94	60.4
Georgia.....	580	441	478	534	547	597	608	651	710	657	604	560	573	62.1
Maine.....	747	261	244	500	763	1,008	1,044	933	951	884	870	833	683	23.4
Maryland.....	235	125	122	154	224	292	280	304	314	303	285	235	182	38.9
Massachusetts.....	1,034	643	656	743	1,056	1,161	1,198	1,212	1,201	1,117	1,201	1,174	1,067	52.4
Minnesota.....	392	353	353	351	361	378	387	413	422	437	444	422	422	75.0
Montana.....	4				4	6	7	7	8	6	6	6	6	25.0
New Hampshire.....	589	260	271	302	479	624	739	747	779	763	780	726	598	33.3
New Jersey.....	48	27	28	51	48	35	35	35	37	37	81	79	72	33.3
New York.....	101	29	26	31	65	126	146	149	158	155	148	104	75	16.5
North Carolina.....	959	843	890	964	935	932	946	903	979	1,026	1,026	1,016	958	82.2
Pennsylvania.....	197	130	129	141	181	214	235	261	251	213	203	208	198	49.4
Rhode Island.....	262	162	202	209	235	272	275	304	302	316	278	287	272	60.8
South Carolina.....	322	307	301	302	311	315	294	320	346	343	324	351	350	83.8
Vermont.....	1,082	856	907	892	1,003	1,060	1,171	1,171	1,185	1,132	1,170	1,098	1,100	72.2
Virginia.....	157	84	90	139	178	183	186	179	188	178	175	162	147	44.7
Washington.....	42	39	49	40	48	43	37	41	51	42	41	39	54	66.7
Wisconsin.....	753	583	608	622	767	778	833	849	821	860	854	809	652	67.8
All other states.....	253	204	208	213	239	255	251	256	277	279	295	281	278	69.2
SANDSTONE.														
California.....	27	14	16	28	20	24	22	30	53	27	28	26	27	26.4
Colorado.....	14	5	8	15	15	15	15	15	18	31	22	15	4	12.9
Illinois.....	288	307	284	269	247	269	276	283	284	297	327	328	285	75.3
Kentucky.....	56	6	23	51	64	70	67	74	69	82	67	57	43	6.1
New Jersey.....	20	7	7	7	30	29	29	29	29	29	22	11	11	23.3
New York.....	146	40	55	82	127	174	185	191	205	211	206	188	88	19.0
Ohio.....	875	701	687	766	900	1,008	971	965	970	977	903	863	789	68.2
Pennsylvania.....	1,673	1,413	1,298	1,404	1,551	1,650	1,780	1,859	1,942	1,877	1,871	1,815	1,646	65.3
South Dakota.....	89	40	43	42	65	76	89	122	141	121	111	127	91	28.4
West Virginia.....	343	325	291	304	294	343	351	330	395	367	357	379	358	73.7
Wisconsin.....	133	60	72	121	131	144	168	168	181	168	151	131	111	33.1
All other states.....	623	554	554	599	684	609	590	592	674	707	661	658	594	78.4
BASALT.														
California.....	262	189	165	229	268	270	249	271	294	283	308	327	301	47.4
Connecticut.....	363	281	277	338	350	380	386	406	405	377	393	395	368	68.2
Maryland.....	183	69	94	96	225	228	249	243	239	216	212	206	119	27.7
Massachusetts.....	547	305	287	266	578	599	613	640	688	708	677	607	496	40.5
New Jersey.....	637	359	362	385	578	750	796	808	779	779	764	715	579	43.6
Oregon.....	124	58	69	70	88	101	108	147	207	214	190	137	99	27.1
Pennsylvania.....	721	499	501	616	755	862	860	833	812	781	763	728	642	57.9
Washington.....	99	55	53	38	36	50	98	134	167	108	168	166	135	19.6
All other states.....	400	222	269	318	379	440	469	503	506	440	433	429	392	43.9
SLATE.														
Maryland.....	85	92	98	98	80	69	79	91	89	84	82	81	77	70.4
New York.....	134	86	78	66	101	122	127	137	160	164	177	191	200	32.5
Pennsylvania.....	1,592	1,373	1,455	1,592	1,865	1,949	2,013	2,070	2,053	2,064	2,106	2,083	2,076	65.2
Vermont.....	1,039	983	976	981	1,039	1,099	1,162	1,189	871	885	976	1,149	1,167	73.8
Virginia.....	210	102	166	189	195	202	234	226	237	234	223	226	226	68.4
All other states.....	153	156	136	156	156	139	149	154	167	163	165	166	181	74.6
MARBLE.														
New York.....	100	51	68	73	76	77	123	128	128	125	125	118	108	39.8
Tennessee.....	540	467	468	502	520	553	568	586	563	564	581	546	568	78.8
Vermont.....	570	606	530	566	585	614	601	572	579	588	600	561	538	82.4
All other states.....	522	436	437	509	507	534	534	547	595	533	569	534	539	73.1

It will be noted that the number of wage earners reported for all enterprises on a representative day, which is presented in several tables, aggregated 48,707, and differs considerably from the number shown for any month in Table 17. The representative day and month selected for reporting wage earners in detail varied with the individual enterprise. Therefore, the aggregate for the representative day differs from the total of the numbers reported by the several enterprises in any month.

Prevailing hours of labor.—Table 18 shows, for all stone industries and for each separately for selected states, the number of enterprises and number of wage earners classified according to the prevailing hours of labor per week reported by each enterprise. For the

combined quarrying industries and for limestone, sandstone, slate, basalt, and marble the hours prevailing for a majority of the enterprises were 54 to 62 per week. These hours were those for 69.8 per cent of all the wage earners in the quarrying industries. For the five industries separately considered the proportion of wage earners working 54 to 62 hours were as follows: Limestone, 81.3 per cent; sandstone, 86 per cent; slate, 61.8; basalt, 77.5; marble, 96.2. The hours per day in these industries were most commonly 10 and the 6-day week was the rule. In the granite industry a majority of the enterprises and 60 per cent of the wage earners were in the class reporting working hours as 44 to 53 per week. The 8-hour day and 6-day week prevailed in the granite industry.

TABLE 18.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS, BY PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	TOTAL.		NUMBER WHERE THE PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR PER WEEK WERE—									
	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	35 and under.		36 to 43.		44 to 53.		54 to 62.		63 and over.	
			Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.
UNITED STATES—All industries.....	1,762	42,086	8	120	55	1,565	511	10,827	1,171	29,992	17	482
Limestone.....	870	22,069	3	57	8	24	187	3,774	663	17,934	9	280
Granite.....	338	8,049	4	45	32	1,195	209	4,829	91	1,948	2	34
Sandstone.....	246	4,287			3	8	49	483	191	3,688	3	108
Slate.....	100	3,513			11	335	14	963	73	2,170	2	45
Basalt.....	161	3,336	1	20	1	3	49	728	110	2,585		
Marble.....	47	1,732					3	50	43	1,607	1	15
LIMESTONE.												
Pennsylvania.....	182	5,573			2	3	22	308	157	5,257	1	5
Ohio.....	88	2,232			2	3	6	467	80	1,792		
Indiana.....	66	1,800					14	682	52	1,118		
New York.....	53	1,739	1	6			11	238	41	1,495		
Illinois.....	38	1,244					7	75	31	1,109		
Missouri.....	69	1,171					22	330	46	698	1	143
West Virginia.....	16	1,003							16	1,003		
Alabama.....	15	835					7	367	8	468		
Virginia.....	31	777					4	62	27	715		
Kentucky.....	47	676	1	43	1	4	4	75	41	554		
Kansas.....	35	484			1	1	22	133	12	350		
Wisconsin.....	33	382					5	40	28	342		
Tennessee.....	21	349	1	8	1	8	7	124	11	176	1	33
Oklahoma.....	12	278					4	51	8	227		
New Jersey.....	10	253					5	114	5	144		
Iowa.....	24	246					5	36	19	210		
California.....	12	245					2	9	9	231	1	5
Colorado.....	11	223					8	183	3	45		
All other states.....	107	2,519			1	5	32	480	69	1,940	5	94
GRANITE.												
Vermont.....	26	1,062			26	1,062						
Massachusetts.....	42	1,034	1	12			34	926	7	96		
North Carolina.....	15	959			3	43	4	423	8	493		
Wisconsin.....	14	753					8	317	6	436		
Maine.....	37	747	1	3	1	11	33	729	2	4		
New Hampshire.....	20	589	1	23			17	564	2	2		
Georgia.....	20	580					14	454	6	126		
Minnesota.....	26	392					23	346	2	16		
South Carolina.....	10	322			1	77	3	174	6	71	1	30
Rhode Island.....	8	262	1	5			6	247	1	10		
Maryland.....	9	235					3	55	6	180		
Pennsylvania.....	29	107			1	2	8	80	19	111	1	4
California.....	14	102					12	141	2	21		
Virginia.....	7	157					1	11	6	146		
New York.....	7	101					4	32	3	69		
Connecticut.....	11	92					10	86	1	6		
Arizona.....	3	58					3	58				
All other states.....	40	347					26	136	14	161		
SANDSTONE.												
Pennsylvania.....	98	1,673					13	209	84	1,448	1	16
Ohio.....	21	875					4	11	16	791	1	73
West Virginia.....	15	343			1	1	2	25	12	317		
Illinois.....	15	288					5	41	10	247		
New York.....	20	146					5	15	14	112	1	19
Wisconsin.....	12	133					2	24	10	109		
South Dakota.....	5	39					1	3	4	86		
Kentucky.....	5	66							5	56		

TABLE 18.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS, BY PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR: 1919—Continued.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	TOTAL.		NUMBER WHERE THE PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR PER WEEK WERE—									
	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	35 and under.		36 to 43.		44 to 53.		54 to 62.		63 and over.	
			Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.	Enter-prises.	Wage earners.
SANDSTONE—continued.												
California.....	5	27					3	10	2	17		
New Jersey.....	5	20							5	20		
Colorado.....	5	14					4	8	1	6		
All other states.....	40	623			2	7	10	137	28	479		
SLATE.												
Pennsylvania.....	42	1,892					12	949	28	898	2	45
Vermont.....	38	1,039			11	335			27	704		
Virginia.....	4	210							4	210		
New York.....	9	134					2	14	7	120		
Maryland.....	4	85							4	85		
All other states.....	3	153							3	153		
BASALT.												
Pennsylvania.....	29	721					4	78	25	643		
New Jersey.....	36	637					10	133	26	504		
Massachusetts.....	21	547					6	75	15	472		
Connecticut.....	19	363							19	363		
California.....	16	262					9	143	7	119		
Maryland.....	10	183	1	20	1	3	3	58	5	102		
Oregon.....	9	124					7	107	2	17		
Washington.....	7	99					7	99				
All other states.....	14	400					3	35	11	365		
MARBLE.												
Vermont.....	15	570							15	570		
Tennessee.....	13	540							13	540		
New York.....	6	100					1	11	5	89		
All other states.....	13	522					2	39	10	468	1	15

1 Exclusive of 58 enterprises employing no wage earners in industries as follows: Limestone, 25; granite, 20; sandstone, 9; basalt, 2; slate, 1; marble, 1.

LAND TENURE.

In the tables relating to acreage the number of acres of mineral land controlled by the mining enterprises is greater than the number of acres reported operated by the amount of acreage leased to other operators and by the idle acreage. "Acres operated" is exclusive of the duplication in "Acres controlled" of acreage reported by both owners and lessees.

Table 19 shows, for the stone-quarrying industries, the number of acres of land controlled by producing enterprises. The table distinguishes mineral land, that is, quarry land or land held for its supply of stone, from timber and other lands, shows the mineral land classified according to the form of tenure, and gives the number of acres operated. The table shows that 65.3 per cent of all the quarry or mineral land controlled was owned by the operating enterprises. In the limestone, granite, sandstone, and slate industries more than two-thirds of the quarry lands were owned by the operators, but in the basalt and marble industry less than one-half was so owned.

TABLE 19.—LAND OPERATED AND CONTROLLED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY.	Mineral land operated (acres).	LAND CONTROLLED (ACRES).					
		Aggregate.	Mineralland.				Timber and other lands.
			Total.	Owned.	Held under lease.	Per cent owned.	
All industries.....	252,242	331,544	253,975	165,872	88,103	65.3	77,569
Limestone.....	122,820	175,985	123,023	84,717	38,306	68.9	62,963
Granite.....	30,659	37,747	30,749	23,709	6,950	77.4	6,995
Sandstone.....	48,729	66,802	50,161	34,726	15,435	69.2	6,841
Basalt.....	15,625	17,514	15,625	7,139	8,486	45.7	1,889
Slate.....	5,440	8,245	5,440	3,673	1,767	67.5	2,805
Marble.....	28,989	36,250	28,977	11,818	17,159	40.8	6,273

Table 20 presents for the United States as a whole and by geographic divisions the enterprises in each stone industry, classified according to tenure of quarry (mineral) land—whether held by ownership, under lease, or held partly by ownership and partly under lease. The table also shows the per cent the total owned acreage is of the aggregate acreage of mineral land and also the per cent which the land under each class of tenure is of the aggregate.

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TABLE 20.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND ACRES OF MINERAL LAND CONTROLLED, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO FORM OF TENURE: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND DIVISION.	ALL CLASSES.				ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY OWNED LAND.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY LAND HELD UNDER LEASE.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING LAND PARTLY OWNED AND PARTLY HELD UNDER LEASE.					
	Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.			Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.				
		Aggregate.	By ownership.	By lease.		Per cent owned is of aggregate.	By ownership.		Per cent of aggregate.	By lease.		Per cent of aggregate.	Total.	By ownership.	By lease.	Per cent of aggregate.
UNITED STATES—All industries.....	1,820	253,975	165,872	88,103	65.3	1,099	155,063	61.0	639	70,190	27.6	82	28,722	10,809	17,913	11.3
LIMESTONE.....	895	123,023	84,717	38,306	68.9	563	78,826	64.1	297	25,910	21.1	35	18,281	5,891	12,390	14.9
New England.....	7	90	87	12	87.9	6	87	87.9	1	12	12.1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Middle Atlantic.....	249	36,042	11,536	25,406	31.2	132	10,615	28.7	109	14,791	40.0	8	11,536	921	10,615	31.2
East North Central.....	242	45,445	43,350	2,095	95.4	176	39,270	86.4	67	1,753	3.9	9	4,422	4,080	342	9.7
West North Central.....	151	4,839	3,325	1,514	68.7	92	3,069	63.4	52	1,202	24.8	7	568	256	312	11.7
South Atlantic.....	70	6,778	4,147	2,631	61.2	38	4,138	61.0	30	2,369	35.0	2	276	14	262	4.1
East South Central.....	89	6,749	6,184	565	91.6	64	5,853	86.7	15	884	5.7	4	512	331	181	7.6
West South Central.....	32	6,023	4,441	1,582	73.7	15	4,431	73.6	16	1,422	23.6	1	170	10	160	2.8
Mountain.....	44	11,124	9,641	1,583	85.8	29	9,321	83.8	12	1,285	11.6	3	518	220	298	4.7
Pacific.....	17	5,024	2,106	2,918	41.9	11	2,047	40.7	5	2,693	53.7	1	279	59	220	5.6
GRANITE.....	358	30,749	23,799	6,950	77.4	233	23,015	74.8	110	6,398	20.8	15	1,336	784	552	4.3
New England.....	153	12,998	12,269	729	94.4	109	11,772	90.6	37	466	3.6	7	760	497	263	5.8
Middle Atlantic.....	40	1,031	894	137	86.7	23	892	86.5	16	125	12.1	1	14	2	12	1.4
East North Central.....	14	712	565	147	79.4	10	445	62.5	3	107	15.0	1	160	120	40	22.5
West North Central.....	30	1,678	1,627	51	97.0	18	1,606	95.7	10	44	2.6	2	28	21	7	1.7
South Atlantic.....	67	8,862	3,878	4,984	43.8	37	3,778	42.6	29	4,978	56.2	1	106	100	6	1.2
East South Central.....	16	738	369	369	50.0	8	335	45.4	6	149	20.2	2	254	34	220	34.4
West South Central.....	14	1,315	896	419	68.1	9	896	68.1	5	419	31.9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain.....	24	3,415	3,301	114	96.7	19	3,291	96.4	4	110	3.2	1	14	10	4	0.4
Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SANDSTONE.....	255	50,161	34,726	15,435	69.2	148	33,823	67.4	96	14,461	28.8	11	1,877	903	974	3.7
New England.....	4	9	3	6	33.3	2	3	33.3	2	6	66.7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Middle Atlantic.....	127	31,792	26,439	5,303	83.3	73	26,044	81.9	52	5,028	15.8	2	720	445	275	2.3
East North Central.....	51	4,859	3,591	1,268	73.9	31	3,359	69.1	16	683	14.1	4	817	232	585	16.8
West North Central.....	10	340	268	72	78.8	6	239	70.3	3	25	7.4	1	76	29	47	22.4
South Atlantic.....	20	9,325	985	8,340	10.6	12	955	10.2	7	8,320	89.2	1	50	30	20	0.5
East South Central.....	9	454	439	15	96.7	5	439	96.7	4	15	3.3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West South Central.....	9	196	82	114	41.8	5	82	41.8	4	114	58.2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain.....	18	3,000	2,791	209	93.0	12	2,631	87.7	5	160	5.6	1	200	160	40	6.7
Pacific.....	7	186	78	108	41.9	2	71	38.2	3	101	54.3	2	14	7	7	7.5
BASALT.....	163	15,625	7,139	8,486	45.7	89	6,798	43.5	67	8,247	52.8	7	580	341	239	3.7
New England.....	45	3,117	2,854	263	91.6	31	2,773	89.0	11	182	5.8	3	162	81	81	5.2
Middle Atlantic.....	69	6,046	1,964	4,082	32.5	30	1,764	29.2	36	3,927	65.0	3	355	200	155	5.9
East North Central.....	3	553	490	63	88.6	2	490	88.6	1	63	11.4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West North Central.....	11	254	205	49	80.7	6	205	80.7	5	49	19.3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
South Atlantic.....	1	160	.....	160	100.0	.....	.....	100.0	1	160	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East South Central.....	1	5	5	.....	100.0	1	5	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West South Central.....	33	5,490	1,621	3,869	29.5	19	1,561	28.4	13	3,866	70.4	1	63	60	3	1.1
Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
SLATE.....	101	5,440	3,673	1,767	67.5	34	3,158	58.1	58	1,092	20.1	9	1,190	515	675	21.9
New England.....	41	2,841	1,761	1,080	62.0	7	1,275	44.9	26	415	14.6	8	1,151	486	665	40.5
Middle Atlantic.....	51	1,502	895	607	59.6	21	895	59.6	30	607	40.4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East North Central.....	8	1,037	957	80	92.3	5	928	89.5	2	70	6.8	1	39	29	10	3.8
South Atlantic.....	1	60	60	.....	100.0	1	60	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West South Central.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mountain.....	48	28,977	11,818	17,159	40.8	32	9,448	32.6	11	14,076	48.6	5	5,458	2,375	3,083	18.8
Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
MARBLE.....	18	9,600	8,530	1,070	88.9	13	8,402	87.5	3	47	0.5	2	1,151	128	1,023	12.0
New England.....	6	107	97	10	90.7	5	97	90.7	1	10	9.3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Middle Atlantic.....	1	40	.....	40	100.0	.....	.....	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
East North Central.....	1	20	20	.....	100.0	1	20	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West North Central.....	3	4,069	2,023	2,046	49.7	1	23	0.6	1	46	1.1	1	4,000	2,000	2,000	98.3
South Atlantic.....	15	1,258	1,003	255	79.7	10	756	60.1	3	195	15.5	2	307	247	60	24.4
East South Central.....	1	13,733	.....	13,733	100.0	.....	.....	100.0	1	13,733	100.0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West South Central.....	1	150	145	5	96.7	2	145	96.7	1	5	3.3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

POWER.

The number and horsepower of the several types of prime movers and of electric motors used by the stone-quarrying industries in 1919 are presented in detail for these industries by states in the table of detailed statistics at the end of this report.

Table 21 shows for the stone-quarrying industries the power equipment used by producing enterprises in 1919 and 1909, and the per cent of increase or decrease in horsepower for each class of equipment used. For all industries combined a considerable increase is shown in the aggregate horsepower used, and this increase was brought about by the large increase in

the horsepower of electric motors operated by purchased current which more than offset a considerable decrease in the horsepower of prime movers used. In 1909, 90 per cent of the aggregate horsepower used was developed by prime movers and only 10 per cent by electric motors operated by purchased current. On the other hand, in 1919, the horsepower of prime movers was only 58.4 per cent, while the horsepower of electric motors operated by purchased current constituted 41.6 per cent of the aggregate horsepower. There was also an appreciable increase in horsepower of electric motors run by current generated by the enterprises reporting them.

TABLE 21.—COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, POWER USED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY.	Aggregate horse- power.	PRIME MOVERS.						ELECTRIC MOTORS OPERATED BY PURCHASED POWER.		ELECTRIC MOTORS RUN BY CURRENT GENERATED BY THE ENTERPRISE REPORTING.		
		Total horse- power.	Steam engines.		Internal-combus- tion engines.		Water wheels and turbines.		Number.	Horse- power. ¹	Number.	Horse- power.
			Number.	Horse- power.	Number.	Horse- power.	Num- ber.	Horse- power.				
All industries..... 1919	376,808	219,838	3,420	208,763	440	9,045	18	2,130	3,071	¹ 156,870	490	19,210
..... 1909	308,442	273,090	5,533	257,396	278	6,721	65	8,973	681	30,362	599	17,405
Per cent of increase ²	24.2	-19.5	-38.2	-18.9	58.3	34.6	-72.3	-76.3	483.1	416.8	-18.2	10.4
Limestone..... 1919	213,717	126,387	1,793	120,479	252	5,043	9	865	2,046	87,330	267	11,421
..... 1909	125,024	115,573	2,166	112,390	119	2,911	9	272	206	9,451	170	5,291
Per cent of increase ²	70.9	9.4	-17.2	7.2	111.8	73.2	.....	218.0	893.2	824.0	57.1	115.9
Granite..... 1919	55,674	34,711	747	32,591	84	1,343	4	777	450	¹ 20,963	34	1,520
..... 1909	61,095	54,213	1,346	52,649	65	1,142	6	522	159	6,882	57	1,346
Per cent of increase ²	-8.9	-36.0	-44.5	-38.0	.....	17.6	.....	48.9	183.0	204.6	.....	12.9
Sandstone..... 1919	33,860	21,197	340	19,081	71	2,116	.....	.....	386	12,672	155	4,696
..... 1909	36,556	32,674	821	31,306	61	1,190	2	178	71	3,882	86	2,162
Per cent of increase ²	-7.4	-35.1	-58.6	-39.1	.....	77.3	.....	.....	.....	226.4	.....	117.2
Basalt..... 1919	37,307	22,844	262	22,324	30	520	.....	.....	255	14,463	11	1,049
..... 1909	29,211	21,917	255	20,922	19	995	.....	.....	173	7,294	18	521
Per cent of increase ²	27.7	4.2	2.7	6.7	.....	-47.7	.....	.....	47.4	98.3	.....	101.3
Slate..... 1919	20,613	8,778	193	8,669	1	8	2	101	426	11,835	4	44
..... 1909	29,777	27,769	707	27,255	3	46	14	498	63	2,008	2	50
Per cent of increase ²	-30.8	-68.4	-72.7	-68.2	.....	.....	.....	-78.4	.....	489.4	.....	.....
Marble..... 1919	15,628	6,021	85	5,619	2	15	3	387	408	9,607	19	480
..... 1909	21,779	20,944	238	12,974	11	437	34	7,533	9	835	266	8,035
Per cent of increase ²	-28.2	-71.3	-64.3	-56.7	.....	-96.0	.....	-94.9	.....	1,050.5	-92.9	-94.0

¹ Includes 60 horsepower reported for equipment operated by purchased compressed air.
² A minus sign (-) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.

Table 22 shows, for the stone industries and for selected states in each industry, the average number of wage earners employed, the total horsepower used, and the horsepower used per wage earner. The table shows considerable differences with respect to this item between the industries and between states in the various industries, but the larger figures on horse

power per wage earner are shown in the industries and states producing crushed stone, stone for manufacturing uses, and dressed monumental and building stone in large quantities.¹

¹ See U. S. Geological Survey, Mineral Resources of the United States, Stone in 1919.

TABLE 22.—HORSEPOWER PER WAGE EARNER, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Wage earners (average number).	Power used (aggregate horse- power).	Horse- power per wage earner.	INDUSTRY AND STATE.	Wage earners (average number).	Power used (aggregate horse- power).	Horse- power per wage earner.
ALL INDUSTRIES.....	42,086	376,808	8.8	SANDSTONE.			
Limestone.....	22,069	213,717	9.7	Pennsylvania.....	1,673	10,844	6.5
Granite.....	8,049	55,674	6.9	Ohio.....	875	5,431	6.2
Sandstone.....	4,287	33,860	7.9	Illinois.....	288	3,806	13.2
Basalt.....	3,336	37,307	11.2	West Virginia.....	343	3,488	10.2
Slate.....	3,513	20,613	5.9	BASALT.			
Marble.....	1,732	15,628	9.0	Pennsylvania.....	721	6,058	8.4
LIMESTONE.				New Jersey.....	637	6,340	10.0
Pennsylvania.....	5,573	30,155	5.4	Massachusetts.....	547	4,721	8.6
Ohio.....	2,262	39,881	17.6	Connecticut.....	368	6,254	17.2
Indiana.....	1,800	21,642	12.0	California.....	262	4,792	18.3
New York.....	1,739	22,370	12.9	SLATE.			
Illinois.....	1,244	22,325	17.9	Pennsylvania.....	1,892	9,678	5.1
Missouri.....	1,171	8,305	7.1	Vermont.....	1,039	6,447	6.2
West Virginia.....	1,003	6,373	6.4	MARBLE.			
Virginia.....	777	5,723	7.4	Vermont.....	570	7,354	12.9
Alabama.....	835	5,457	6.5	Tennessee.....	540	3,885	7.2
Kentucky.....	676	4,485	6.6				
Wisconsin.....	382	5,772	15.1				
GRANITE.							
Vermont.....	1,062	10,789	10.2				
Massachusetts.....	1,034	6,580	6.4				
North Carolina.....	959	2,025	2.1				
Wisconsin.....	753	2,850	3.8				
New Hampshire.....	539	4,121	7.0				
Maine.....	747	4,050	5.4				
Minnesota.....	392	3,675	9.4				

METHOD OF OPERATION.

Table 23 presents the principal statistics, for the stone industry as a whole and for each industry separately, for enterprises using quarrying machinery and for those without quarrying machinery. Quarry enterprises were classified, in accordance with the reports of the operators, on the basis of quarrying machinery and power equipment used, into those using quarrying machinery and those operating without quarrying machinery. Small enterprises using a few power drills were not grouped with those using more elaborate quarrying machinery but were tabulated in the class without quarrying machinery. For this reason, and also

because hoisting machinery and the power equipment in crushing plants was reported by enterprises which did not use quarrying machinery, enterprises in the class without quarrying machinery reported considerable power used and expense for fuel and purchase of power. Three-fourths of all enterprises in the stone industries, as shown in Table 23, used quarrying machines. In the sandstone industry the proportion was less but in the slate and marble industries much greater. For all stone industries combined more than 90 per cent of the wage earners and value of products were reported by enterprises using quarrying machinery.

TABLE 23.—STATISTICS FOR PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO USE OF QUARRYING MACHINERY: 1919.

	ALL INDUSTRIES.		LIMESTONE.		GRANITE.		SANDSTONE.		BASALT.		SLATE.		MARBLE.
	Using quarrying machinery. ¹	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery.	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery.	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery.	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery.	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery.	Without quarrying machinery.	Using quarrying machinery. ¹
Number of enterprises.....	1,367	453	677	218	266	92	148	167	134	29	94	7	48
Number of quarries.....	1,460	462	703	222	287	94	167	109	144	30	97	7	62
Proprietors and firm members, total.....	838	450	437	196	207	121	75	104	57	20	55	9	7
Number performing manual labor.....	237	180	114	61	76	69	13	40	14	6	17	4	3
Wage earners (av. number)...	30,259	3,727	19,902	2,167	7,626	423	3,550	737	3,047	289	3,402	111	1,732
Power used (aggregate h. p.)...	350,131	26,677	196,754	10,963	53,474	2,200	30,678	3,191	33,689	3,618	19,908	706	15,028
Capital.....	\$137,453,131	\$11,306,402	\$76,070,711	\$6,053,656	\$17,798,872	\$1,025,108	\$16,403,861	\$2,551,460	\$11,423,057	\$1,476,114	\$6,723,108	\$200,064	\$9,033,522
Wages.....	41,684,178	3,850,620	21,654,621	2,271,711	8,173,446	414,214	3,732,904	715,907	3,636,044	355,268	3,034,724	93,525	1,452,440
Cost of supplies and materials	17,115,618	1,325,841	10,101,192	867,028	2,505,616	87,424	1,461,531	202,901	1,874,713	156,156	620,127	12,332	552,439
Fuel and purchased power...	7,028,332	452,973	3,879,134	297,256	1,054,137	40,684	801,167	47,065	663,870	56,118	406,639	11,820	224,385
Contract work.....	805,627	190,349	510,444	155,113	113,397	5,240	29,055	25,056	40,806	600	91,333	4,300	20,582
Value of products.....	94,202,202	7,482,717	48,482,984	4,460,940	17,468,346	810,999	9,351,090	1,333,879	8,917,856	740,121	5,584,014	136,778	4,397,912

¹ Includes 2 establishments, without quarrying machinery, to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

FUEL USED.

Table 24 shows for producing quarry enterprises in the United States as a whole and for each of the stone industries by states the quantity of the various kinds of fuel used in quarrying operations. Bituminous

coal was the fuel chiefly used in the stone industries. Although small quantities of anthracite and some wood and fuel oils or gasoline were reported by each of the industries, the quantities reported were relatively insignificant.

TABLE 24.—FUEL USED BY PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

INDUSTRY AND STATE.	COAL.		Coke (tons, 2,000 lbs.).	Wood (cords)	Fuel oils (bbls.).	Gasoline and other volatile oils (bbls.).	Natural gas (1,000 cu. ft.).
	An- thra- cite (tons, 2,240 lbs.).	Bitu- minous (tons, 2,000 lbs.).					
ALL INDUSTRIES.....	20,621	1,067,848	2,522	11,888	70,432	16,022	151,890
Limestone.....	5,409	673,989	937	4,765	33,221	11,397	5,887
Granite.....	1,723	115,250	55	4,297	13,164	2,411	.....
Sandstone.....	2,418	128,832	1,530	180	8,621	1,423	145,943
Basalt.....	2,099	84,566	.....	2,139	15,390	620	.....
Slate.....	8,762	34,053	.....	214	36	1	.....
Marble.....	210	31,158	.....	823	.....	170	.....
LIMESTONE.							
Alabama.....	.....	28,640	397	30	.....	.....	.....
Arizona.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	236	17	.....
Arkansas.....	.....	3,301	.....	550	.....	10	.....
California.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,781	368	.....
Colorado.....	.....	2,358	.....	.....	.....	257	.....
Florida.....	.....	390	.....	2,052	.....	.....	.....
Georgia.....	.....	1,710	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois.....	.....	67,618	.....	.....	53	507	.....
Indiana.....	1,366	64,798	10	.....	.....	342	.....
Iowa.....	.....	8,374	.....	115	.....	495	.....
Kansas.....	.....	5,126	.....	.....	3,275	320	.....
Kentucky.....	.....	14,960	.....	70	9	322	.....
Maryland.....	.....	2,603	.....	60	.....	19	.....
Minnesota.....	.....	1,578	.....	30	.....	7	.....
Missouri.....	.....	22,484	.....	194	1,517	306	.....
Montana.....	.....	1,065	.....	42	.....	36	.....
New Jersey.....	160	7,579	139	21	66	102	.....
New York.....	270	34,764	25	.....	261	484	.....
Ohio.....	100	137,879	187	139	120	2,075	1,476
Oklahoma.....	.....	3,615	.....	.....	13,518	275	331
Oregon.....	.....	.....	.....	272	.....	321	.....
Pennsylvania.....	702	130,886	179	237	201	3,408	4,080
Tennessee.....	.....	8,354	.....	28	.....	206	.....
Utah.....	.....	780	.....	.....	736	34	.....
Vermont.....	.....	887	.....	2	.....	2	.....
Virginia.....	61	27,994	.....	518	590	212	.....
West Virginia.....	.....	13,997	.....	50	.....	9	.....
Wisconsin.....	.....	12,066	.....	202	100	468	.....
All other states.....	2,750	70,208	.....	153	5,758	735	.....
GRANITE.							
Arizona.....	.....	.....	.....	36	6,096	251	.....
California.....	5	1	.....	.....	6,890	92	.....
Connecticut.....	22	2,345	.....	100	.....	100	.....
Georgia.....	.....	11,766	.....	30	.....	178	.....
Maine.....	.....	9,097	.....	75	.....	193	.....
Maryland.....	.....	10,157	.....	5	.....	127	.....
Massachusetts.....	37	14,002	50	190	5	56	.....
Minnesota.....	.....	6,315	.....	125	.....	266	.....
Montana.....	.....	5	.....	.....	85	2	.....
New Hampshire.....	50	4,853	.....	124	88	142	.....
New Jersey.....	.....	826	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
GRANITE—continued.							
New York.....	15	1,225	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
North Carolina.....	.....	15,157	5	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pennsylvania.....	.....	3,662	.....	.....	.....	.....	149
Rhode Island.....	15	5,096	.....	.....	.....	.....	125
South Carolina.....	.....	5,288	.....	432	.....	.....	12
Vermont.....	1,561	14,537	.....	140	.....	.....	15
Virginia.....	.....	2,246	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washington.....	.....	673	.....	291	.....	.....	100
Wisconsin.....	15	5,334	.....	1,534	.....	.....	1
All other states.....	.....	2,063	.....	1,215	.....	.....	597
SANDSTONE.							
California.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	.....
Colorado.....	.....	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Illinois.....	.....	32,829	400	.....	.....	240	114
Kentucky.....	.....	2,040	.....	35	.....	.....	.....
New Jersey.....	.....	519	.....	.....	.....	.....	10
New York.....	30	2,255	.....	.....	.....	20	144
Ohio.....	.....	23,954	130	.....	.....	40	110
Pennsylvania.....	2,388	41,648	.....	87	.....	3	285
South Dakota.....	.....	603	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
West Virginia.....	.....	10,383	.....	.....	.....	.....	316
Wisconsin.....	.....	1,196	.....	.....	.....	160	72
All other states.....	.....	13,330	1,000	38	8,110	.....	687
BASALT.							
California.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,309	14
Connecticut.....	26	7,455	.....	35	.....	.....	4
Maryland.....	.....	5,104	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Massachusetts.....	32	6,710	.....	.....	.....	24	.....
New Jersey.....	2,041	22,058	.....	.....	.....	4	228
Oregon.....	.....	280	.....	1,752	.....	4,220	6
Pennsylvania.....	.....	30,847	.....	.....	.....	303	83
Washington.....	.....	534	.....	396	.....	3,180	104
All other states.....	.....	11,608	.....	6	2,350	.....	177
SLATE.							
Maryland.....	.....	965	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New York.....	100	1,419	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pennsylvania.....	8,504	24,106	.....	.....	.....	36	1
Vermont.....	156	3,578	.....	39	.....	.....	.....
Virginia.....	.....	3,637	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
All other states.....	.....	348	.....	175	.....	.....	.....
MARBLE.							
New York.....	4	1,928	.....	.....	.....	.....	18
Tennessee.....	.....	20,704	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Vermont.....	206	2,035	.....	23	.....	.....	.....
All other states.....	.....	6,491	.....	300	.....	.....	151

GENERAL TABLE.

Table 25 presents in detail for 1919 the statistics for producing quarry enterprises in the United States as a whole, for each stone industry separately, and for each state which can be shown in each industry without disclosure of individual operations. As but two quarrying enterprises reported operations for development only, statistics on nonproducing operations can not be shown.

The table gives the number of enterprises and quarries, the number of those operating mills and dressing plants; the acreage of land controlled according to kind, and the tenure of mineral land; the capital invested; the principal expenses of operation and development; the value of products; the persons engaged in the industries by classes and occupations; and the number and horsepower of power equipment.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

TABLE 25.—DETAILED STATISTICS FOR THE STONE-QUARRYING

		LAND CONTROLLED (ACRES).							PERSONS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY.									
		Number of enterprises.	Number of quarries.	Enterprises operating mills and dressing plants.	Mineral land.				Aggregate.	Proprietors and officials.							Clerks and other subordinate salaried employees.	
					Total operated.	Owned.	Hold under lease.	Timber and other lands.		Total.	Proprietors and firm members.		Salaried officers.	Superintendents and managers.	Technical employees.			
											Total.	Per-forming manual labor.						
United States—All industries.		1,820	1,922	354	252,242	165,872	88,103	77,569	48,087	3,532	1,288	417	833	1,307	104	1,135	434	
Limestone.		895	925	44	122,820	84,717	38,308	52,963	24,705	1,727	633	175	375	672	47	701	208	
Granite.		358	381	152	30,669	23,799	6,950	6,998	8,951	698	328	145	137	197	34	133	73	
Sandstone.		255	276	66	48,729	34,726	15,435	6,641	4,897	434	179	53	106	143	6	115	61	
Basalt.		163	174	6	15,625	7,139	8,486	1,889	3,791	310	77	20	85	138	10	103	42	
Slate.		101	104	61	5,440	3,873	1,787	2,805	3,852	269	64	21	84	117	4	45	25	
Marble.		48	62	25	28,969	11,818	17,159	6,273	1,891	96	7	3	46	40	3	38	25	
LIMESTONE.																		
Alabama.		15	15	1	4,171	3,991	180	497	901	37	3	—	6	27	1	27	2	
Arizona.		4	4	—	688	688	—	—	48	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Arkansas.		6	6	1	2,622	2,295	327	1,600	139	23	10	—	7	6	—	2	—	
California.		13	13	—	3,515	887	2,628	1,000	275	19	8	2	6	4	1	9	2	
Colorado.		14	14	—	3,004	2,121	883	—	246	15	8	5	—	7	—	3	—	
Florida.		4	6	—	236	106	130	—	124	11	3	2	3	5	—	1	1	
Georgia.		5	5	—	242	120	122	—	90	14	1	—	7	6	—	5	—	
Illinois.		41	41	1	14,922	14,348	574	37,978	1,448	110	14	3	42	49	5	73	21	
Indiana.		67	71	13	4,825	4,128	697	6	2,106	163	44	22	44	65	10	114	29	
Iowa.		25	25	—	836	704	132	190	307	40	21	7	5	13	1	17	4	
Kansas.		35	35	—	1,208	672	536	20	503	69	45	12	4	9	1	18	2	
Kentucky.		47	50	1	1,984	1,731	253	175	754	67	39	10	13	15	—	8	3	
Maryland.		11	11	—	232	51	181	205	109	11	9	—	—	2	—	6	3	
Minnesota.		10	10	3	371	350	12	—	176	16	8	1	2	5	—	5	—	
Missouri.		70	71	6	1,303	889	414	732	1,327	121	43	13	33	30	6	28	7	
Montana.		7	7	2	1,823	1,680	143	—	99	10	6	2	—	4	—	2	—	
New Jersey.		10	10	—	428	325	103	69	273	10	2	—	2	6	—	2	3	
New York.		55	56	2	5,304	5,046	258	825	1,932	127	31	4	47	49	—	51	15	
Ohio.		90	91	1	9,437	8,849	756	1,154	2,590	196	65	20	36	92	3	102	39	
Oklahoma.		13	13	—	1,090	894	705	—	351	37	9	1	5	21	2	33	3	
Oregon.		4	4	—	1,509	1,219	290	—	72	3	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	
Pennsylvania.		184	200	3	31,175	6,165	25,045	2,221	6,036	334	165	44	49	113	7	91	38	
Tennessee.		21	21	1	594	462	132	—	385	34	12	5	13	8	1	2	—	
Utah.		7	8	—	1,931	1,809	122	—	159	9	9	—	—	9	—	1	—	
Vermont.		4	4	1	80	80	—	—	52	8	3	—	—	4	1	1	3	
Virginia.		31	32	2	3,275	2,793	482	1,776	848	49	21	8	8	20	—	17	5	
West Virginia.		17	17	—	2,585	869	1,716	1,943	1,063	36	8	2	6	21	1	17	7	
Wisconsin.		33	33	3	1,348	1,822	26	232	462	57	23	5	15	18	1	19	4	
All other ¹ .		52	52	3	22,073	20,614	1,459	2,337	1,692	110	30	7	22	52	6	46	16	
GRANITE.																		
Arizona.		3	5	1	232	83	149	50	61	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	
California.		17	18	7	2,944	2,830	114	160	199	27	15	8	8	4	—	8	2	
Connecticut.		11	11	7	410	434	21	85	116	19	9	3	2	7	1	2	3	
Georgia.		20	20	8	5,072	385	4,697	8	631	40	15	3	13	9	3	10	1	
Maine.		42	42	33	2,016	1,609	442	2,075	839	78	50	35	5	19	4	7	7	
Maryland.		9	9	2	306	216	180	412	259	16	3	2	6	7	—	7	1	
Massachusetts.		42	43	23	3,384	3,262	122	576	1,167	91	42	10	23	22	4	28	14	
Minnesota.		27	34	8	1,074	1,027	47	78	445	41	25	18	7	4	5	7	5	
Montana.		3	3	2	425	405	20	—	7	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	
New Hampshire.		23	24	21	4,688	4,655	33	491	657	59	29	17	6	22	2	4	5	
New Jersey.		4	6	—	250	225	25	55	62	4	2	1	1	1	—	—	—	
New York.		7	7	3	301	267	34	10	115	11	3	1	1	6	1	2	1	
North Carolina.		16	18	5	688	654	34	148	1,025	48	10	6	14	20	4	17	1	
Pennsylvania.		29	30	4	480	402	78	9	252	49	37	5	5	7	—	4	2	
Rhode Island.		8	8	2	433	377	56	764	296	24	4	—	3	11	6	4	6	
South Carolina.		10	10	3	2,364	2,310	54	10	355	26	9	2	10	6	1	6	2	
Vermont.		27	31	3	1,987	1,932	55	761	1,138	63	10	7	14	21	2	11	12	
Virginia.		7	7	—	315	300	15	5	176	16	5	—	4	7	—	2	1	
Washington.		5	5	3	157	157	—	32	63	10	5	1	1	4	—	1	—	
Wisconsin.		14	16	9	712	565	147	548	798	26	1	1	10	14	1	11	8	
All other ¹ .		34	34	8	2,331	1,704	627	691	309	52	45	23	1	6	—	2	2	
SANDSTONE.																		
California.		6	7	—	176	73	103	21	34	7	6	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Colorado.		7	8	—	504	461	43	—	19	5	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	
Illinois.		15	15	4	1,327	622	705	114	353	45	13	3	22	10	—	9	11	
Kentucky.		5	5	2	440	437	3	210	66	9	1	—	4	2	2	—	1	
New Jersey.		5	6	1	67	37	30	41	26	6	5	1	—	1	—	—	—	
New York.		22	26	17	246	199	47	403	192	37	22	15	5	9	1	8	1	
Ohio.		21	23	10	2,978	2,689	289	116	968	41	2	—	19	19	1	31	21	
Pennsylvania.		100	107	18	31,469	26,263	5,226	5,424	1,898	168	78	20	34	56	—	40	17	
South Dakota.		5	6	1	128	113	15	—	96	5	—	—	2	3	—	2	—	
West Virginia.		15	16	6	8,878	738	8,140	100	385	33	9	2	8	16	—	7	2	
Wisconsin.		12	12	3	493	220	273	75	154	15	6	—	2	7	—	5	1	
All other ¹ .		42	45	4	2,023	2,884	561	137	706	63	32	8	10	19	2	13	7	

¹ Same number reported for one or more other months.
² Includes enterprises in states as follows: Connecticut, 1; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 1; Maine, 1; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 11; Nebraska, 8; Nevada, 1; North Carolina, 2; South Dakota, 3; Texas, 12; Wyoming, 8.

INDUSTRIES, BY STATES, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

PERSONS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY—continued.																			
Wage earners.			Wage earners, Dec. 15, or nearest representative day.																
Average number.	Number 15th day of—		Total.		Foremen, bosses, etc.		Enginemen, hoistmen, etc.		Quarrymen, drillmen, etc.		Trackmen, men engaged in hauling, etc.		Muckers, laborers, and others not classified.		In mills and dressing plants (above ground).	Under 16 years of age (above ground).	Females (above ground).	Capital.	
	Maximum month.	Minimum month.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.					
42,986	Au 49,378	Fe 32,990	47,196	1,511	1,876	46	5,535	56	16,462	692	3,211	158	14,885	559	5,227	16	15	\$148,759,533	1
22,069	Au 25,655	Fe 17,398	24,272	780	957	10	3,278	53	8,433	204	1,930	104	8,716	409	958	9	10	82,124,387	2
8,049	Au 9,228	Ja 5,689	9,106		379		858		3,736		544		1,621		2,028	2	1	18,823,980	3
4,287	Au 4,961	Fe 3,305	4,861		197		405		1,599		304		1,621		735	1	2	18,955,321	4
3,336	Au 4,097	Ja 2,037	3,799		144		473		1,120		192		1,828		42	2	3	12,899,171	5
3,513	De 3,927	Ja 2,852	3,242	731	133	36	371	3	811	488	200	54	792	150	935	4		6,923,172	6
1,732	Oc 1,875	Ja 1,459	1,856		66		150		763		41		307		529			9,033,522	7
835	Se 904	Jy 730	793	117	24	2	136	33	166	33	171	26	291	23	5			1,039,505	8
45	Ja 78	De 28	28		2		2		16				8					108,810	9
114	Se 140	Ja 73	128		9		19		35				57					737,167	10
245	Ja 283	Se 225	333		11		47		112		14		149					1,323,063	11
228	Ja 327	No 73	285		0		16		92		53		115					730,551	12
111	Mh 122	Se 102	102		5		12		47		6		32					116,374	13
80	Fe 95	Oc 61	102		3		8				11		80					303,980	14
1,244	My 1,488	Fe 810	1,342		62		249		337		118		523		3			8,810,097	15
1,800	Au 2,419	Fe 915	2,481		83		340		703		52		681		622		1	7,156,502	16
246	Se 343	Ja 109	321		17		44		143		10		102					945,783	17
484	Je 637	De 281	507		10		40		235		35		183					788,585	18
676	Au 903	Ja 345	886		31		44		415		195		187		18			975,318	19
149	Au 192	Mh 105	177		31		8		63		13		90					219,873	20
156	Je 217	Ja 52	201		7		21		112		37		37		24			407,018	21
1,171	Se 1,414	Fe 826	1,341		57		139		543		153		399		50			2,447,811	22
87	Je 115	De 69	86		7		7		32		1		24		15			445,631	23
258	Ja 209	My 222	272		11		40		84		10		127					1,586,492	24
1,739	Au 2,111	Fe 1,184	1,801		95		282		440		166		801		17			11,185,460	25
2,262	Au 2,659	Fe 1,878	2,482		94		410		917		100		862		90			10,087,803	26
278	Au 391	Jy 217	397		11		44		72		33		237					699,356	27
69	De 142	Ap 19	158		3		8		57		20		70				1	372,501	28
5,573	Au 6,181	Fe 5,051	5,217	653	194	8	720		1,072	171	400	78	1,769	380	62	5		12,941,066	29
349	Mh 380	No 301	414		21		15		179		49		141		9			350,106	30
148	Se 166	Oc 112	159		7		10		53		7		82					194,530	31
40	My 61	De 28	51		2		4		4		11		28		2			151,061	32
777	My 892	Fe 611	848		42		119		279		62		332		14	1	3	1,825,288	33
1,003	Au 1,095	Ja 907	1,037		38		72		443		35		414					1,275,947	34
382	Jy 517	Ja 178	477		19		42		174		12		219		11	1		2,280,160	35
1,520			1,848		80		371		548		191		646		12	2	6	12,561,539	36
58	Mh 112	Jy 26	82		4		10		13		10		40					62,400	37
162	De 247	Je 134	236		9		33		68		2		57		72			1,027,730	38
92	Je 111	Fe 67	117		9		18		39		28		7		21			367,209	39
580	Au 710	Ja 441	651		24		45		296		25		124		137			882,638	40
747	Je 1,044	Fe 244	964		42		100		318		113		72		319			1,044,000	41
235	Au 314	Fe 122	279		10		36		117		16		91		9			627,625	42
1,034	Jy 1,212	Fe 635	1,181		52		132		387		100		193		316	1		3,140,126	43
392	No 444	Ja 333	436		19		25		313		5		16		58			771,686	44
4	Au 8	No 2	9		1				4		2				2			33,025	45
589	Oc 780	Ja 280	690		18		72		221		13		48		318	1		1,455,786	46
48	Oc 81	Ja 27	72		2		5		29		3		33					80,900	47
101	Au 158	Fe 26	120		5		7		69				13		26			439,047	48
959	Se 1,026	Ja 843	1,015		35		50		206		120		309		205			702,994	49
197	Jy 261	Fe 129	237		12		12		131		18		54		10			475,238	50
262	Se 316	Ja 192	307		17		38		114		5		63		70			553,866	51
322	No 351	Ja 204	363		17		34		194				110		8			994,240	52
1,062	Au 1,185	Ja 855	1,112		62		141		668		23		135		83			3,202,754	53
157	Au 138	Ja 84	177		7		17		61		24		68					368,500	54
42	Au 51	De 34	61		5		6		23				16		11			208,496	55
753	Se 860	Ja 583	772		21		58		304		39		130		220			1,790,740	56
253			285		8		18		161		3		42		53		1	583,084	57
27	Au 53	Ja 14	61		5		3		15				38					113,002	58
14	Se 31	De 4	21		2				17				2					64,450	59
283	No 328	Ap 247	288		19		59		41		33		62		84		2	3,788,504	60
56	Se 82	Ja 5	83		3		8		50				5		17			189,242	61
20	Ap 30	Ja 7	36		4		1		5				23		3			25,000	62
146	Se 211	Ja 40	204		11		11		72		11		45		53			534,031	63
875	My 1,008	Fe 687	818		29		45		338		21		156		239			4,026,782	64
1,673	Au 1,942	Fe 1,208	1,872		77		194		598		168		640		227			8,775,667	65
89	Au 141	Ja 40	101		3		10		16		1		67		4			194,507	66
343	Au 395	Fe 291	427		16		31		145		30		137		68			1,220,569	67
133	Au 181	Ja 60	169		4		9		94				45		16			341,560	68
623			771		24		84		220		40		399		24	1		1,675,347	69

³ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Arkansas, 2; Colorado, 3; Delaware, 2; District of Columbia, 3; Missouri, 2; Oklahoma, 6; Oregon, 2; South Dakota, 1; Texas, 8.

⁴ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 7; Connecticut, 3; Idaho, 2; Indiana, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 2; Minnesota, 1; Missouri, 4; Montana, 2; North Carolina, 1; Oklahoma, 2; Tennessee, 2; Utah, 2; Virginia, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 3.

INDUSTRIES, BY STATES, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919—Continued.

PERSONS ENGAGED IN INDUSTRY—continued.																					
Wage earners.					Wage earners, Dec. 15, or nearest representative day.																
Average number.	Number 15th day of—				Total.		Foremen, bosses, etc.		Enginemen, hoistmen, etc.		Quartermen, drillmen, etc.		Trackmen, men engaged in hauling, etc.		Muckers, laborers, and others not classified.		In mills and dressing plants (above ground.)	Under 16 years of age (above ground.)	Females (above ground.)	Capital.	
	Maximum month.	Minimum month.			Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.	Above ground.	Below ground.					
262	No	327	Fe	155	337	14	.....	38	.....	75	.....	36	.....	174	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$1,307,933	70
363	Jy	406	Ja	277	408	17	.....	55	.....	124	.....	20	.....	190	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2,976,339	71
183	Je	249	Ja	69	218	9	.....	13	.....	71	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	336,217	72
547	Se	708	Fe	287	586	17	.....	57	.....	148	.....	24	.....	340	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,026,570	73
637	Jy	808	Fe	352	721	20	.....	91	.....	221	.....	1	.....	374	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	1,373,890	74
124	Se	214	Ja	58	173	9	.....	24	.....	33	.....	35	.....	72	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	477,054	75
721	My	862	Ja	499	710	28	.....	121	.....	212	.....	49	.....	268	.....	32	.....	.....	.....	3,552,049	76
99	Oc	168	Fe	33	153	6	.....	7	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	183,113	77
400	.....	.....	.....	.....	493	18	.....	67	.....	136	.....	27	.....	245	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,606,006	78
85	Fe	98	My	69	84	1	2	13	1	36	11	4	.....	19	7	11	.....	.....	.....	652,142	79
134	De	200	Mh	65	159	11	2	23	.....	18	18	6	.....	45	20	56	.....	.....	.....	461,660	80
1,892	Oc	2,106	Ja	1,373	1,724	48	16	168	.....	321	270	127	33	500	21	560	4	.....	.....	2,829,629	81
1,039	Jy	1,180	Au	871	994	65	8	128	2	404	148	7	.....	160	50	230	.....	.....	.....	2,212,813	82
210	Au	237	Ja	162	155	71	3	19	.....	20	14	49	21	64	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	289,024	83
153	.....	.....	.....	.....	126	51	5	20	.....	12	27	7	.....	4	19	78	.....	.....	.....	477,904	84
100	Au	128	Ja	51	128	7	.....	15	.....	48	.....	20	.....	25	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	416,076	85
540	Jy	586	Fe	462	589	19	.....	22	.....	169	.....	12	.....	157	.....	210	.....	.....	.....	1,604,393	86
570	My	614	Ja	506	599	20	.....	33	.....	341	.....	9	.....	18	.....	178	.....	.....	.....	3,627,551	87
522	.....	.....	.....	.....	540	20	.....	80	.....	205	.....	.....	.....	107	.....	128	.....	.....	.....	3,385,502	88

POWER USED.																	ELECTRIC MOTORS RUN BY CURRENT GENERATED BY THE ENTERPRISE REPORTING.
Expenditures for development (included in principal expenses).	Value of product.	Aggregate horse-power.	Total horse-power.	Prime movers.				Equipment operated by purchased power.									
				Steam engines (not turbines).		Steam turbines.		Internal-combustion engines.		Water wheels and turbines.		Electric motors.					
				Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.
\$1,241,343	\$101,684,919	376,808	219,038	3,397	194,477	23	14,286	440	9,045	18	2,130	3,971	156,870	490	19,210	1	
764,873	52,943,924	213,717	128,387	1,776	109,773	17	10,701	252	5,043	9	885	2,046	87,330	287	11,421	2	
156,870	18,279,345	55,674	34,711	744	30,231	3	2,360	84	1,343	4	777	450	20,963	34	1,520	3	
96,555	10,684,969	33,869	21,197	340	19,081	.....	.....	71	2,116	.....	.....	386	12,672	155	4,696	4	
131,800	9,657,977	37,307	22,844	259	21,099	3	1,225	30	520	.....	.....	255	14,463	11	1,049	5	
60,531	5,720,792	20,613	8,778	193	8,669	.....	.....	1	8	.....	.....	426	11,835	4	44	6	
30,914	4,397,912	15,628	6,021	85	5,619	.....	.....	2	15	.....	.....	397	9,607	19	480	7	
26,230	1,340,961	5,457	3,930	48	3,630	2	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	1,527	4	160	8	
47,580	153,211	255	55	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	55	.....	.....	3	200	.....	.....	9	
.....	220,070	1,158	1,133	12	1,130	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....	3	25	4	7	10	
13,483	540,987	1,778	156	2	80	.....	.....	4	76	.....	.....	40	1,622	.....	.....	11	
45,763	526,738	521	273	4	160	.....	.....	5	113	.....	.....	6	248	.....	.....	12	
.....	177,201	490	325	7	325	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	185	.....	.....	13	
.....	174,821	1,135	435	4	435	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	700	.....	.....	14	
13,483	3,776,626	22,325	11,460	161	9,125	5	1,053	18	282	.....	.....	222	10,965	.....	.....	15	
127,979	4,619,801	21,642	11,161	142	10,836	1	150	11	175	.....	.....	359	10,481	58	1,212	16	
19,001	476,650	3,991	2,485	38	2,433	.....	.....	9	52	.....	.....	30	1,506	.....	.....	17	
3,250	835,147	2,252	1,686	20	1,048	.....	.....	11	640	.....	.....	12	566	15	360	18	
1,500	1,126,109	4,485	3,569	55	3,329	.....	.....	12	240	.....	.....	25	916	4	240	19	
500	241,633	542	390	14	390	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	152	.....	.....	20	
3,324	311,180	1,594	605	14	599	.....	.....	1	6	.....	.....	33	989	.....	.....	21	
31,918	2,355,736	8,305	4,052	69	3,491	.....	.....	16	561	.....	.....	145	4,253	8	218	22	
11,250	191,887	1,200	235	2	125	.....	.....	1	40	.....	.....	15	1,055	.....	.....	23	
8,390	450,059	1,372	1,337	9	637	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	35	18	634	24	
19,577	4,597,942	22,370	10,243	147	9,968	1	800	12	275	.....	.....	237	12,137	18	1,195	25	
14,550	6,742,498	39,881	29,480	357	28,746	.....	.....	43	706	.....	.....	221	10,401	6	36	26	
.....	597,288	2,076	1,876	23	1,545	.....	.....	8	331	.....	.....	3	200	.....	.....	27	
.....	138,708	35	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	10	.....	.....	1	25	.....	.....	28	
199,199	12,831,213	30,155	15,041	378	14,516	1	275	55	800	.....	.....	358	14,514	9	225	29	
3,000	534,843	1,098	1,231	22	1,150	1	80	1	1	.....	.....	11	765	.....	.....	30	
3,000	291,234	360	75	3	60	.....	.....	1	15	.....	.....	3	285	.....	.....	31	
.....	76,182	483	408	6	408	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	75	5	195	32	
16,021	1,610,544	5,723	4,706	55	3,395	3	810	13	109	.....	.....	1	392	17	827	33	
2,530	1,927,490	6,373	2,833	56	2,821	.....	.....	1	12	.....	.....	35	3,540	4	129	34	
23,614	1,107,790	5,772	2,472	34	2,149	.....	.....	8	173	.....	.....	73	3,300	4	145	35	
129,508	4,940,397	19,901	14,225	94	7,349	3	6,333	17	383	.....	.....	2	150	93	5,847	36	

* Includes 60 horsepower for equipment operated by purchased compressed air, distributed as follows: Colorado, 5; Georgia, 30; Massachusetts, 5; Vermont, 20.

* Includes enterprises in states as follows: Connecticut, 1; Idaho, 3; Louisiana, 1; Maine, 1; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 11; Nebraska, 8; Nevada, 1; North Carolina, 2; South Dakota, 3; Texas, 12; Wyoming, 8.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

TABLE 25.—DETAILED STATISTICS FOR THE STONE-QUARRYING

PRINCIPAL EXPENSES.											
Salaries and wages.											
Total.											
Salaried officials, superintendents, managers, and technical employees.											
Clerks and other subordinate salaried employees.											
Wage earners.											
Supplies and materials.											
Cost of fuel.											
Cost of purchased power.											
Royalties and rents.											
Taxes—Federal, state, county, and local.											
Contract work.											
GRANITE.											
37	Arizona.....	\$107,350	\$3,000	-----	\$75,894	\$14,624	\$9,284	\$1,900	\$2,480	\$177	-----
38	California.....	411,528	41,050	\$11,977	167,992	148,179	14,898	18,743	7,785	7,654	\$250
39	Connecticut.....	185,811	33,384	5,115	102,821	18,819	14,153	-----	3,313	5,206	3,000
40	Georgia.....	803,834	47,209	8,883	536,590	84,311	65,909	21,216	34,390	5,317	-----
41	Maine.....	1,110,409	65,385	8,812	805,865	116,060	71,353	17,067	5,242	17,825	2,800
42	Maryland.....	448,659	25,861	6,441	269,741	76,836	49,897	1,232	12,509	3,607	2,535
43	Massachusetts.....	1,852,837	126,987	48,557	1,237,888	237,897	110,504	26,215	12,450	48,204	4,136
44	Minnesota.....	729,831	30,870	10,050	477,028	98,962	55,475	33,074	4,371	17,865	2,136
45	Montana.....	8,861	-----	-----	5,006	2,548	635	-----	600	72	-----
46	New Hampshire.....	1,061,838	76,871	9,541	744,023	110,782	37,956	23,413	1,060	23,672	24,520
47	New Jersey.....	60,708	3,400	-----	42,531	6,480	5,560	-----	2,242	495	-----
48	New York.....	147,045	13,333	2,403	87,561	28,408	6,388	5,861	1,449	1,642	-----
49	North Carolina.....	1,224,809	102,711	15,593	808,657	185,227	90,181	3,119	8,518	10,803	-----
50	Pennsylvania.....	343,621	19,055	4,624	237,481	43,396	20,585	1,730	12,336	3,774	640
51	Rhode Island.....	511,993	46,729	10,846	280,227	122,600	30,999	7,293	5,645	7,754	-----
52	South Carolina.....	634,433	74,137	13,293	278,162	199,372	33,742	24,687	3,762	7,278	-----
53	Vermont.....	2,579,823	127,743	21,109	1,225,256	778,489	135,472	39,379	7,609	182,786	61,980
54	Virginia.....	195,045	18,040	2,200	135,435	18,248	12,252	525	2,434	5,911	-----
55	Washington.....	71,194	4,942	351	50,303	6,110	6,068	1,783	190	847	-----
56	Wisconsin.....	1,194,482	106,245	30,759	759,599	208,146	37,817	23,748	5,067	23,101	-----
57	All other ¹	423,340	15,140	3,810	259,590	87,046	23,908	10,200	12,750	3,656	6,640
SANDSTONE.											
58	California.....	65,533	37	-----	39,041	20,202	669	1,631	2,300	1,653	-----
59	Colorado.....	38,840	-----	-----	14,903	3,791	400	48	804	320	19,065
60	Illinois.....	912,157	142,938	20,260	335,756	182,443	127,258	48,089	9,853	42,029	3,531
61	Kentucky.....	69,176	12,955	600	35,687	11,710	7,383	-----	71	770	-----
62	New Jersey.....	35,661	1,300	-----	27,209	1,218	3,500	-----	2,000	434	-----
63	New York.....	239,078	23,460	7,640	149,051	40,566	9,320	2,124	4,065	2,735	117
64	Ohio.....	1,675,129	136,938	80,042	965,151	288,557	92,720	22,927	15,889	47,991	24,934
65	Pennsylvania.....	3,034,748	101,984	54,583	1,688,074	606,265	215,423	82,522	58,206	75,007	2,484
66	South Dakota.....	158,961	8,710	3,294	98,303	35,850	3,689	6,005	1,175	1,335	-----
67	West Virginia.....	596,157	56,833	8,987	338,156	94,192	30,203	45,357	4,354	3,985	-----
68	Wisconsin.....	231,806	18,715	3,029	133,602	51,923	9,599	1,010	8,003	3,775	1,050
69	All other ²	1,110,832	66,436	21,292	623,278	238,715	88,099	40,596	26,770	9,666	2,980
BASALT.											
70	California.....	601,624	46,737	9,206	334,460	128,746	10,520	39,266	16,938	16,051	-----
71	Connecticut.....	923,263	76,724	15,788	450,960	231,885	45,778	41,565	2,817	38,409	19,337
72	Maryland.....	344,278	18,613	5,542	186,210	92,260	28,492	1,200	3,416	8,545	-----
73	Massachusetts.....	1,265,216	115,160	20,245	719,596	229,244	65,117	40,849	44,188	30,822	-----
74	New Jersey.....	1,601,440	99,084	31,441	759,006	427,846	142,358	10,420	90,054	20,819	19,562
75	Oregon.....	347,152	20,577	4,840	189,123	102,114	21,591	3,121	2,238	3,548	-----
76	Pennsylvania.....	1,853,633	125,504	39,466	792,637	618,769	152,792	10,277	50,635	61,046	2,507
77	Washington.....	186,900	14,539	4,200	102,382	42,498	18,519	940	2,244	1,608	-----
78	All other ³	859,823	81,269	22,362	456,933	167,537	77,660	9,523	36,774	17,765	-----
SLATE.											
79	Maryland.....	79,185	6,235	795	54,533	4,701	7,334	2,821	-----	2,766	-----
80	New York.....	254,843	8,867	1,630	135,826	60,436	10,239	25,765	2,206	6,391	3,483
81	Pennsylvania.....	2,564,734	176,295	32,589	1,655,082	297,941	164,461	42,234	110,931	33,168	52,033
82	Vermont.....	1,538,557	118,074	26,129	976,143	226,644	25,838	97,221	34,103	23,768	10,637
83	Virginia.....	206,304	16,790	2,719	152,491	7,453	16,497	-----	7,831	2,523	-----
84	All other ⁴	270,458	15,226	3,906	154,174	35,284	4,585	20,464	2,717	4,622	29,480
MARBLE.											
85	New York.....	200,556	9,217	6,614	102,097	34,313	17,340	4,952	1,282	5,478	19,263
86	Tennessee.....	855,866	72,555	16,832	407,912	249,623	81,834	6,244	5,201	15,655	-----
87	Vermont.....	950,897	44,413	25,564	553,075	180,320	13,349	37,211	10,700	86,185	-----
88	All other ⁵	654,610	65,201	13,723	389,366	88,183	35,121	28,334	17,197	16,185	1,319

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² Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; Arizona, 2; Arkansas, 7; Connecticut, 3; Idaho, 2; Indiana, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 1; Michigan, 2; Minnesota, 1; Missouri, 4; Montana, 2; North Carolina, 1; Oklahoma, 2; Tennessee, 2; Utah, 2; Virginia, 2; Washington, 1; Wyoming, 3.

INDUSTRIES, BY STATES, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919—Continued.

Expenditures for development (included in principal expenses).	Value of product.	POWER USED.												ELECTRIC MOTORS RUN BY CURRENT GENERATED BY THE ENTERPRISE REPORTING.		
		Aggregate horse-power.	Prime movers.								Equipment operated by purchased power.					
			Total horse-power.	Steam engines (not turbines).		Steam turbines.		Internal-combustion engines.		Water wheels and turbines.		Electric motors.				
				Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	Num-ber.	Horse-power.	
\$8,250	\$128,777	417	252	3	40			6	212			3	165		37	
	503,485	2,479	257	12	201			3	31	1	25	60	2,222		38	
	206,546	1,165	1,165	30	1,150			1	15					5	40	
9,383	885,063	3,863	2,534	25	2,507			4	27			18	1,329		39	
5,095	1,300,996	4,050	3,313	72	3,187			11	126			15	737		41	
	495,651	2,393	2,258	34	1,450	1	750	3	58			4	135	13	775	
6,441	2,405,165	6,580	4,737	149	4,707			2	30			49	1,843		42	
15,735	1,135,391	3,675	1,770	48	1,620			5	150			42	1,905		43	
1,000	12,944	75	75					3	75						44	
14,814	1,427,979	4,121	2,458	64	2,415			4	43			49	1,663		46	
	81,198	195	195	3	195										47	
	173,404	2,208	808	10	803			1	5			18	1,400		48	
5,000	1,576,250	2,025	1,890	35	1,890							4	135	12	155	
18,700	435,654	1,232	852	30	768			9	54			5	350		50	
11,200	733,683	2,460	1,520	49	1,520							21	940		51	
	747,976	2,392	1,057	21	1,020			3	37			18	1,335		52	
25,444	3,563,734	10,789	6,112	88	3,837	1	1,500	2	25	2	750	86	4,077		63	
	259,569	650	600	9	600							1	50		54	
3,000	74,958	246	176	4	136			2	40			6	70		55	
6,892	1,484,979	2,850	1,175	26	1,175							33	1,675	4	650	
25,316	585,343	1,809	1,507	26	1,010	1	110	25	385	1	2	18	1,302		57	
	65,074	585	20					1	20			15	565		58	
	45,723	87	83	2	83							1	4		59	
16,450	1,329,389	3,806	1,916	31	1,774			14	142			70	1,890	8	341	
	91,363	640	640	14	640									2	25	
	46,775	89	89	4	74			1	15						62	
5,625	301,315	1,234	981	16	842			10	139			6	253	8	233	
19,499	2,759,352	5,431	3,529	36	3,419			5	110			47	1,902	96	2,222	
39,411	3,534,563	10,844	8,268	149	7,057			28	1,211			100	2,576	20	1,165	
	140,068	497	90	3	90							13	407		66	
7,877	885,588	3,486	1,260	27	1,220			2	40			81	2,226		67	
6,070	231,078	1,009	909	10	692			4	217			1	100		68	
1,623	1,254,681	6,161	3,412	48	3,190			6	222			52	2,749	21	710	
	635,588	4,792	460	17	425			1	35			88	4,332		70	
6,256	1,202,579	9,254	2,720	26	2,705			2	15			41	3,534	3	4	
	399,075	1,285	1,210	14	1,210							1	75		72	
10,750	1,548,611	4,721	2,165	31	2,165							39	2,556	1	10	
25,995	1,928,025	6,340	5,298	51	5,011	1	125	14	162			20	1,042		74	
	294,812	1,285	692	18	686			1	6			10	593		75	
420	2,298,791	6,058	5,147	53	5,000			6	147			28	911		76	
85,254	240,742	1,020	980	10	845			3	135			2	40		77	
3,000	1,079,754	5,552	4,172	39	3,052	2	1,100	3	20			26	1,380	7	1,035	
	70,683	403	270	7	270							12	133		79	
2,847	445,027	2,022	212	5	212							44	1,810		80	
1,500	2,651,533	9,678	7,393	155	7,385			1	8			95	2,285		81	
36,717	2,057,388	6,447	458	12	357					2	101	237	5,989	4	44	
10,555	203,068	445	445	14	445										82	
2,000	287,093	1,618										38	1,618		84	
6,912																
	249,286	495	275	9	275							8	220		85	
2,500	1,088,131	3,885	3,135	32	3,115			1	3	1	17	15	750	7	200	
500	2,108,872	7,354	910	7	690						220	310	6,444	9	245	
27,914	951,623	3,894	1,701	37	1,539			1	12	1	150	75	2,193	3	35	

* Includes enterprises in states as follows: Delaware, 1; Idaho, 1; Michigan, 1; New York, 4; Rhode Island, 4; Texas, 1; Wisconsin, 2.

* Includes enterprises in states as follows: Maine, 3; Utah, 1.

* Includes enterprises in states as follows: Alabama, 2; California, 3; Georgia, 1; Maryland, 2; Massachusetts, 3; Michigan, 1; Missouri, 1; Texas, 1.

PHOSPHATE ROCK.

INTRODUCTION.

This report presents the results of the census of mines and quarries for the year 1919 relating to the phosphate-rock mining industry. It includes statistics showing the progress of the industry by comparison of results of the 1919 census with those of the preceding censuses of mines and quarries; also, for 1919, statistics showing character of organization of operating enterprises, scale of operation, persons engaged in the industry, acreage of mineral and other lands controlled, power equipment used, and a general table presenting statistics in detail for the United States and for such states as can be shown without disclosure of individual operations.

Definitions and explanations.—Phosphate rock is a natural phosphate of lime which occurs in several forms known in Florida and South Carolina as "hard rock," or "land pebble," and by other names; in Kentucky and Tennessee as "brown rock" and "blue rock;" and also simply as rock phosphate. Phosphate rock is mined principally for use as fertilizer and as an ingredient of manufactured fertilizers. Other uses in metallurgical and chemical industries are relatively unimportant. It is disposed of by the producers, either as crude rock as it is mined, or as washed or otherwise cleaned and selected material, or ground. Some enterprises producing phosphate rock are engaged simply in mining or digging the rock, others operate beneficiating plants also. The statistics herein presented cover both the mining proper and the cleaning or other beneficiation practiced by the operators.

Phosphate rock is obtained by hand digging, by steam-shovel operation, by open-cut quarrying, by dredging, by hydraulic mining, and by underground mining. Underground mining and quarrying are practiced chiefly in the Central and Western states; and the other methods of operation, only in the South Atlantic states.

The phosphate-rock resources of the United States include deposits in the coastal region of South Carolina; the central counties of Florida; western Kentucky and Tennessee; and very extensive bedded deposits in Montana, Idaho, Utah, and Wyoming. The principal sources of production of phosphate rock in the United States have been Florida, South Carolina, and Tennessee. Much of the production has been for export trade, which prior to the war amounted to nearly

half of the total annual domestic output. On account of the war and the discovery or development of foreign phosphate-rock resources, the export trade and the production in the United States have decreased very largely since the preceding census. European demand for phosphate rock was renewed in 1919 and the phosphate-rock mining industry recovered somewhat from the depression of the years 1914 to 1918. In Florida, the leading producing state, long-continued labor troubles during 1919 resulted in decreased production as compared with the preceding year. For the reasons herein set forth the statistics covering the phosphate-rock mining industry during the year 1919 are not fairly representative of that industry.

Method of reporting quantity and value of products.—The statistics on production of phosphate rock were collected in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey, and there was provided, in addition to the general schedule of the Bureau of the Census, a supplemental schedule requesting special information for the Geological Survey. The latter desired the quantity of phosphate rock mined and the quantity and selling value f. o. b. mines of the phosphate rock shipped, that is, sold or used. The Bureau of the Census required only the value of the products mined during the year, and the value of products reported by this bureau is estimated on the basis of the average selling value of the rock shipped. The Geological Survey has tabulated as the value of phosphate rock produced in 1919 the value of the material shipped, that is, the marketed production, which includes considerable phosphate rock from stock previously mined. This largely accounts for the difference in value of products as reported by the Bureau of the Census and the Geological Survey. The difference in quantity mined as reported by the two bureaus is due to different methods in tabulating reports from certain operators who included with mined output the sales of phosphate rock from stock and gave as the value of mined product the combined value of all materials shipped. The Geological Survey has excluded such quantities from its report of rock mined.

Table 1 shows, by states and kinds of rock, the quantity mined and the quantity and value of phosphate rock sold in 1919, as reported by the Geological Survey, and Table 2 presents both the Bureau of the Census and the Geological Survey figures on quantity and value of phosphate rock produced in 1919.

TABLE 1.—PHOSPHATE ROCK MINED AND SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES, BY STATES: 1919.¹

STATE.	MINED.	MINED AND SOLD.		
	Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Value.	Average value per ton.
UNITED STATES.....	1,851,549	2,271,983	\$11,591,268	\$5.10
FLORIDA.....	1,254,609	1,660,200	7,797,929	4.70
Hard rock.....		285,467	2,452,563	8.59
Soft rock.....		14,493	196,318	13.54
Land pebble.....		1,360,235	5,149,048	3.79
SOUTH CAROLINA.....	49,032	60,823	308,968	5.08
Land rock.....		60,823	308,968	5.08
TENNESSEE AND KENTUCKY.....	530,973	534,025	3,414,516	6.39
Brown rock.....		475,475	3,123,565	6.57
Blue rock.....		58,550	290,951	4.97
WESTERN STATES ²	16,935	16,935	69,855	4.12

¹ U. S. Geological Survey, Mineral Resources of the United States: 1919.
² Includes Idaho, Utah, and Wyoming.

TABLE 2.—COMPARISON OF REPORTS ON PRODUCTION, BUREAU OF THE CENSUS AND UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY: 1919.

STATE.	BUREAU OF THE CENSUS.			GEOLOGICAL SURVEY.	
	Total value of all products.	Phosphate rock mined.		Phosphate rock mined and sold.	
		Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Value.	Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Value.
United States	\$10,300,198	1,988,975	\$10,292,990	2,271,983	\$11,591,268
Florida	6,678,888	1,404,299	6,673,888	1,660,200	7,797,929
South Carolina, Tennessee, and Kentucky	3,551,755	537,665	3,549,547	594,848	3,723,484
Western states ¹	69,555	17,011	69,555	16,935	69,855

¹ Includes Idaho and Utah, and in the Geological Survey statistics also Wyoming.

PRINCIPAL STATISTICS.

The phosphate-rock mining industry ranked eleventh among the mining industries of the United States in 1919 on the basis of total value of all products—\$10,300,198; and on the basis of average number of wage earners employed—4,373—the industry ranked tenth. There were 39 operators of producing phosphate-rock mines during the year who reported for 48 enterprises embracing 69 mines. These operators produced 1,988,975 long tons of phosphate rock valued at \$10,292,990 and reported other receipts from mining operations amounting to \$7,208.

Table 3 presents for the United States as a whole, and separately for such states as can be shown, the principal statistics for producing phosphate-rock enterprises in 1919. Only one operation for development without production was reported during the census year, and statistics for this enterprise are not here shown because to combine them with those for the producing enterprises would impair the value of these and to show them separately would disclose the individual

operation. Therefore, the data are not included in this report but will be combined with other nonproducing enterprises in the general tables for the United States.

TABLE 3.—PRINCIPAL STATISTICS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	United States.	Florida.	Tennessee.	South Carolina and Kentucky.	Idaho and Utah.
Number of enterprises.....	48	23	19	3	3
Number of mines.....	69	40	23	3	3
Mineral land operated (acres)	160,447	108,925	23,452	26,785	1,285
Persons engaged.....	4,761	2,585	1,674	459	43
Proprietors and firm members.....	14	5	5	2	2
Salaried employees.....	374	250	101	19	4
Wage earners (average number).....	4,373	2,330	1,568	438	37
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	49,639	40,996	7,168	1,275	200
Capital.....	\$72,733,956	\$55,740,488	\$14,657,494	\$1,665,961	\$670,013
Principal expenses:					
Salaries.....	\$761,423	\$549,971	\$174,803	\$28,729	\$7,920
Wages.....	\$9,900,966	\$2,372,141	\$1,174,759	\$300,033	\$54,033
Contract work.....	\$193,696	\$115,282	\$35,421		\$13,013
Supplies and materials.....	\$2,161,561	\$1,455,370	\$638,533	\$59,800	\$7,798
Fuel and purchased power.....	\$1,319,301	\$1,347,785	\$380,932	\$89,061	\$1,523
Royalties and rents.....	\$209,687	\$128,834	\$70,553	\$10,300	
Taxes.....	\$347,680	\$275,354	\$63,423	\$8,476	\$328
Total value of all products.....	\$10,300,198	\$6,678,888	\$3,139,671	\$412,084	\$69,555
Phosphate rock—Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).....	1,988,975	1,404,299	489,639	78,026	17,011
Value.....	\$10,292,990	\$6,673,888	\$3,137,463	\$412,084	\$69,555

GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION.

Statistics relating to the phosphate-rock mining industry can be shown separately for only the two leading states, Florida and Tennessee. Statistics for South Carolina and Kentucky and for Idaho and Utah are combined in order to avoid disclosure of individual operations. Table 3 shows the principal statistics, and Table 4 the rank, by the per cent distribution of the average number of wage earners and value of products, for these states and groups of states. The South Atlantic region leads in this industry with products valued at more than two-thirds and wage earners numbering more than half of the totals for the United States. Nearly one-third of the industry, as measured by the value of products or number of wage earners, was located in the East South Central region, and a very small remainder in the Western Mountain region.

TABLE 4.—STATES, RANKED BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

STATE.	Number of enterprises.	WAGE EARNERS.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
		Average number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
United States.....	48	4,373	100.0	\$10,300,198	100.0
Florida.....	23	2,330	53.3	6,678,888	64.8
Tennessee.....	19	1,568	35.9	3,139,671	30.5
South Carolina and Kentucky.....	3	438	10.0	412,084	4.0
Idaho and Utah.....	3	37	0.8	69,555	0.7

PROGRESS OF THE INDUSTRY.

Comparative statistics for producing mines in the United States: 1889-1919.—Table 5 presents for producing phosphate-rock mining enterprises in the United States the principal statistics reported at the Fourteenth Census and the three preceding censuses of mines and quarries. This table indicates large

increase in the phosphate-rock mining industry during the two decades 1889-1909. In contrast, the statistics for 1919 and 1909 show decreases in the number of enterprises, mines, persons engaged, and in the value of products; the increase in the principal expenses is merely nominal on account of the general price increases during the decade.

TABLE 5.—COMPARATIVE SUMMARY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919, 1909, 1902, AND 1889.

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919.	1902-1909.	1889-1902.
Number of enterprises.....	48	71	87	(²)	—54.9	33.0	.....
Number of mines.....	69	153	115	(²)	—42.4	.....	.....
Persons engaged.....	4,761	8,260	(²)	(²)	1.1	—5.4	.....
Proprietors and firm members.....	14	17	(²)	(²)	—44.5	31.9	19.2
Salaried employees.....	374	370	391	(²)	—1.8	255.1	.....
Wage earners (average number).....	4,373	7,873	5,971	5,011	137.4	.....	.....
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	49,639	50,526	14,229	(²)	28.8	66.4	.....
Capital.....	\$72,733,956	\$30,642,656	(²)	\$6,131,718	21.3	66.6	.....
Principal expenses:					—35.0	60.0	35.8
Salaries.....	761,423	590,980	\$355,204	1,209,151	140.6	.....	.....
Wages.....	3,900,966	3,215,691	1,930,093	317,159	53.7	.....	.....
Contract work.....	183,696	251,849	157,402	(²)	—38.3	62.7	.....
Supplies and materials.....	2,161,501	898,657	799,414	(²)	300.2	.....	.....
Fuel and purchased power.....	1,819,301	1,360,368	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Royalties and rents.....	209,687	345,598	212,350	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Taxes.....	347,680	86,859	(²)	(²)	.....	.....	.....
Value of products.....	10,300,198	10,781,192	4,922,943	2,937,776	—4.5	119.0	67.6

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.
² Not reported.

³ Comparable figures not available.
⁴ Includes cost of fuel.

Table 6 shows the production of phosphate rock marketed annually from 1889 to 1920 as reported by the United States Geological Survey. These statistics show great progress in the industry until 1913 but a decline during the war period. The depression in the year 1919, as indicated by these statistics, was due to a diminished foreign market and labor difficulties.

TABLE 6.—MARKETED PRODUCTION OF PHOSPHATE ROCK: 1889 TO 1920.¹

YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Value.	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,240 pounds).	Value.
1889.....	550,245	\$2,937,778	1905.....	1,947,100	\$6,763,403
1890.....	510,499	3,213,795	1906.....	2,080,957	8,579,437
1891.....	587,988	3,651,150	1907.....	2,265,343	10,653,558
1892.....	681,571	3,296,227	1908.....	2,386,138	11,399,124
1893.....	941,368	4,136,070	1909.....	2,338,264	10,796,456
1894.....	996,949	3,479,547	1910.....	2,654,988	10,917,000
1895.....	1,038,551	3,606,094	1911.....	3,053,279	11,900,693
1896.....	930,779	2,803,372	1912.....	2,973,332	11,675,774
1897.....	1,039,345	2,673,202	1913.....	3,111,221	11,796,231
1898.....	1,303,855	3,453,460	1914.....	2,794,043	9,608,041
1899.....	1,515,702	5,084,076	1915.....	1,835,667	5,413,440
1900.....	1,491,216	5,359,248	1916.....	1,982,385	5,896,993
1901.....	1,433,723	5,316,403	1917.....	2,584,287	7,771,084
1902.....	1,490,314	4,693,444	1918.....	2,490,760	8,214,463
1903.....	1,581,576	5,319,294	1919.....	2,271,933	11,591,268
1904.....	1,874,428	6,580,875	1920.....	4,103,932	25,079,572

¹ U. S. Geological Survey, "Mineral Resources of the United States."

Power per enterprise and per wage earner: 1919 and 1909.—Table 7 presents comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909 regarding the power used and shows that

while there was a slight decrease in the aggregate horsepower used, this was due to decrease in the number of enterprises, as the horsepower per enterprise shows increase. The horsepower per wage earner in the enterprises operated during 1919 was nearly double the horsepower per wage earner in 1909. There is thus indicated some progress in the industry through relatively larger use of mechanical equipment.

TABLE 7.—POWER USED PER ENTERPRISE AND PER WAGE EARNER: 1919 AND 1909.

	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
Number of enterprises.....	48	71	.....
Wage earners (average number).....	4,373	7,873	—44.5
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	49,639	50,526	—1.8
Horsepower per enterprise.....	1,034	712	45.2
Horsepower per wage earner.....	11	6	.....

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.

CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION.

The character of organization of operating enterprises in the phosphate-rock mining industry in the United States as a whole is shown in Table 8. More than four-fifths of the enterprises were corporations, which employed 92.8 per cent of the average number of wage earners and reported 92.7 per cent of the total value of products. Other enterprises conducted by individuals and firms were relatively small.

TABLE 8.—CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION.	Number of enterprises.	Wage earners (average number).	VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		PER CENT DISTRIBUTION.		
			Amount.	Per enterprise.	Enter-prise.	Wage earners (average number)	Value of products
All classes.....	48	4,373	\$10,300,198	\$214,587	100.0	100.0	100.0
Corporation.....	39	4,058	9,546,209	244,775	81.2	92.8	92.7
Individual.....	4	86	187,858	46,964	8.3	2.2	1.8
Firm.....	5	220	566,131	113,226	10.4	5.0	5.5

SCALE OF OPERATION.

Size of enterprises according to value of products.—Table 9 gives, for the United States as a whole and for Florida and Tennessee separately, the number of enterprises and value of products, with per cent distribution, for enterprises grouped according to the value of their products. The largest enterprises, those producing products valued at more than \$500,000, numbered only 7, or one-seventh of the total number, but produced more than half the total value of products.

TABLE 9.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS: 1919.

STATE AND VALUE OF PRODUCTS PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
UNITED STATES.....	48	100.0	\$10,300,198	100.0
Less than \$20,000 ¹	8	16.7	66,217	0.6
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	16	33.3	897,741	8.7
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	17	35.4	4,052,511	39.3
\$500,000 and over ²	7	14.6	5,282,729	51.3
FLORIDA.....	23	100.0	6,678,888	100.0
Less than \$100,000 ³	7	30.4	429,171	6.4
\$100,000 to \$500,000.....	11	47.8	2,417,068	36.2
\$500,000 and over ⁴	5	21.7	3,832,649	57.4
TENNESSEE.....	19	100.0	3,139,671	100.0
Less than \$20,000 ¹	6	31.6	47,544	1.5
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	6	31.6	294,788	9.4
\$100,000 and over ⁴	7	36.8	2,797,344	89.1

¹ Includes the group "Less than \$5,000."
² Includes the group "\$1,000,000 to \$5,000,000."
³ Includes the group "\$5,000 to \$20,000."
⁴ Includes the group "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000."

Size of enterprises according to average number of wage earners employed.—Table 10 shows, for the United States as a whole, and for states and groups of states, the enterprises classified according to the average number of wage earners employed. In the United States as a whole, 1 enterprise employed no wage earners, and 33 had fewer than 101 wage earners each and employed only 26.7 per cent of the wage earners. The larger enterprises, that is, those employing more than 100 wage earners each, numbered 14 and employed 73.2 per cent of the wage earners. These enterprises were in Florida, South Carolina, and Tennessee.

TABLE 10.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS: 1919.

STATE AND WAGE EARNERS PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		WAGE EARNERS (AVERAGE NUMBER).	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.	Number.	Per cent distribution.
UNITED STATES.....	48	100.0	4,373	100.0
No wage earners.....	1	2.1	.....	.....
1 to 5.....	2	4.2	9	0.2
6 to 20.....	10	20.8	122	2.8
21 to 50.....	11	22.9	360	8.2
51 to 100.....	10	20.8	679	15.5
101 to 500.....	14	29.2	3,203	73.2
FLORIDA.....	23	100.0	2,330	100.0
6 to 20.....	3	13.0	41	1.8
21 to 50.....	7	30.4	247	10.6
51 to 100.....	6	26.1	366	15.7
101 to 500.....	7	30.4	1,676	71.9
TENNESSEE.....	19	100.0	1,568	100.0
No wage earners.....	1	5.3	.....	.....
1 to 5.....	2	10.5	9	0.6
6 to 20.....	4	21.1	44	2.8
21 to 50.....	4	21.1	113	7.2
51 to 100.....	3	15.8	246	15.7
101 to 500.....	5	26.3	1,156	73.7
SOUTH CAROLINA AND KENTUCKY.....	3	100.0	438	100.0
51 to 100.....	1	33.3	67	15.3
101 to 500.....	2	66.7	371	84.7
IDAHO AND UTAH.....	3	100.0	37	100.0
6 to 20.....	3	100.0	37	100.0

Size of enterprises according to acreage of mineral land.—In Table 11 the enterprises are classified according to the number of acres of mineral land operated, and for each group the number of mines and the number of acres operated are shown. The largest number of enterprises was in the class operating the largest holdings of mineral land—1,000 acres and over—and the next largest number was in the class operating from 200 to 500 acres each. Practically 80 per cent of the enterprises were in classes operating more than 200 acres each and together they reported 99.5 per cent of the total acreage.

TABLE 11.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY NUMBER OF ACRES OF MINERAL LAND: 1919.

ACRES PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		Number of mines.	MINERAL LAND.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.		Acres.	Per cent distribution.
All classes.....	48	100.0	69	160,447	100.0
1 to 50.....	5	10.4	7	106	0.1
50 to 100.....	2	4.2	2	185	0.1
100 to 200.....	3	6.2	11	459	0.3
200 to 500.....	10	20.8	12	3,430	2.1
500 to 1,000.....	6	12.5	6	4,849	3.0
1,000 and over.....	22	45.8	31	151,418	94.4

PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE INDUSTRY.

Persons according to class and sex.—Table 12 shows the persons engaged in the phosphate-rock

mining industry by classes, showing the number of males and females and the per cent distribution. The salaried employees, numbering 374, constituted only 7.8 per cent of the total number of persons engaged in the industry. Only 31 females, representing seven-tenths of 1 per cent of the total number of persons employed, were reported among the salaried employees. Twenty-three female wage earners, or four-tenths of 1 per cent of all wage earners, were reported working on the representative day.

TABLE 12.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE INDUSTRY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	Number.	Per cent of total.
Persons engaged.....	4,761	100.0
Proprietors and firm members.....	14	0.3
Salaried officers.....	43	0.9
Superintendents and managers.....	106	2.2
Technical employees.....	60	1.3
Clerks—		
Male.....	134	2.8
Female.....	31	0.7
Wage earners (average number).....	4,373	91.9
Wage earners, December 15, or nearest representative day..	5,913	100.0
Male.....	5,890	99.6
Female.....	23	0.4
Wage earners under 16 (included above).....	1	.....

Wage earners, by occupations.—Table 13 shows the number of wage earners, employed on December 15 or the nearest representative day, classified according to occupation, gives the per cent distribution for each occupational class, and also the number in each class employed above ground and below ground. The table distinguishes between men engaged in the more peculiarly mining occupations, such as miners, quarrymen, drillmen, timbermen, trackmen, trammers, and their helpers; men in other skilled trades such as enginemen, hoistmen, firemen, machinists, electricians, carpenters, and other mechanics; and less skilled and unclassified laborers. The table shows that 94.4 per cent of the total number of wage earners were engaged in mining operations proper, and that 5.6 per cent were employed in beneficiating plants. Only 2.5 per cent of the total number were employed below ground.

TABLE 13.—WAGE EARNERS, BY OCCUPATIONS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

CLASS OF WAGE EARNERS.	NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS DEC. 15 OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.			
	Total.	Per cent distribution.	Above-ground.	Below-ground.
All classes.....	5,913	100.0	5,764	149
Foremen, shift bosses, etc.....	294	5.0	291	3
Enginemen, hoistmen, electricians, mechanics, etc.....	1,154	19.5	1,154	.....
Miners, quarrymen, and drillmen, including their helpers.....	1,084	18.3	968	116
Timbermen, trackmen, and men engaged in hauling, tramping, etc.....	450	7.6	443	7
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classified.....	2,600	44.0	2,577	23
Wage earners employed in mills and beneficiating plants.....	331	5.6	331	.....

Wage earners, by months.—Table 14 shows, for the United States as a whole and for states and groups of states, the number of wage earners employed on the 15th day, or the nearest representative day, of each month and the average number of wage earners, and also indicates the months of minimum and maximum employment, and shows the ratio of the minimum to the maximum number. The changes in the number employed from month to month reflect conditions prevailing in the phosphate-rock industry during the census year. The numbers for Florida, which largely affect the totals for the United States, were unusual for the months from May to September and were due to strikes. These statistics for 1919 are therefore not representative of the industry.

It will be noted that the number of wage earners reported for all enterprises on the representative day, which is presented in several other tables, aggregated 5,913, or somewhat more than the number shown in Table 14 for December 15, which was the largest number reported for the 15th day of any month. While for most mines the representative day selected for reporting wage earners in detail was December 15, for other mines for which December was not a representative month, reports were made for some other date. Therefore, the aggregate for the representative day differs from the total of the numbers reported by each enterprise for the month of December.

TABLE 14.—WAGE EARNERS, BY MONTHS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

[The month of maximum employment for each state is indicated by bold-faced figures and that of minimum employment by *italic* figures.]

STATE.	Average number employed during year.	NUMBER EMPLOYED ON 15TH DAY OF THE MONTH OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.												Per cent minimum is of maximum.
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	
United States.....	4,373	4,583	4,865	4,741	4,972	3,259	2,902	3,419	3,873	4,094	4,639	5,358	5,771	50.3
Florida.....	2,330	2,867	2,937	2,852	2,955	1,179	814	1,277	1,649	1,870	2,553	3,190	3,817	21.3
Tennessee.....	1,568	1,501	1,493	1,458	1,577	1,049	1,624	1,057	1,733	1,695	1,577	1,633	1,419	75.1
South Carolina and Kentucky.....	438	596	414	413	421	401	428	448	444	470	463	483	475	82.0
Idaho and Utah.....	37	19	21	18	19	30	36	37	47	59	46	52	60	30.0

MINES AND QUARRIES.

Prevailing hours of labor.—Table 15 shows the producing enterprises classified according to the prevailing hours of labor per week and gives the average number of wage earners employed in each class. In the United States as a whole, for a majority of the en-

terprises and for 84.2 per cent of the wage earners employed, the hours of labor were 54 to 62 per week and the 10-hour day and 6-day week prevailed. The same hours ruled in all states except Idaho and Utah where the hours of labor were 8 per day and 48 per week.

TABLE 15.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS, BY PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR: 1919.

STATE.	TOTAL.		NUMBER WHERE THE PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR PER WEEK WERE—									
	Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).	35 and under.		36 to 43.		44 to 53.		54 to 62.		72 to 84.	
			Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).	Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).	Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).	Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).	Enter-prises.	Wage earners (average number).
United States.....	1 47	4,373	1	5	1	30	6	309	36	3,683	3	346
Florida.....	23	2,330	1	5	1	30	2	247	18	1,737	3	346
Tennessee.....	18	1,568	1	5	1	30	1	25	15	1,503		
South Carolina and Kentucky.....	3	438							3	438		
Idaho and Utah.....	3	37					3	37				

¹ Exclusive of 1 enterprise employing no wage earners.

LAND TENURE AND ROYALTIES.

Land tenure.—Table 16 shows for 1919, the number of acres of land controlled by producing phosphate-rock mining enterprises. The table distinguishes mineral land (that is, land held for its content of phosphate rock) from timber and other lands, and shows the mineral land according to form of tenure. In Table 17 enterprises in the industry are grouped according to form of tenure of mineral land; that is, whether held by ownership, under lease, or partly by ownership and partly under lease. This table shows that 97.5 per cent of the phosphate-rock land controlled by the producing enterprises was owned by

the operators and that, in the East South Central and South Atlantic regions only a relatively small number of acres were operated under lease.

TABLE 16.—LAND CONTROLLED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

STATE.	Aggregate (acres).	MINERAL LAND (ACRES).			Timber and other lands (acres).
		Total.	Owned.	Held under lease.	
United States.....	241,810	160,447	156,418	4,029	81,363
Florida.....	188,002	108,925	106,685	2,240	79,077
Tennessee.....	25,738	23,452	22,073	1,379	2,286
South Carolina and Kentucky.....	26,785	26,785	26,785	410	
Idaho and Utah.....	1,285	1,285	1,285		

TABLE 17.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND ACRES OF MINERAL LAND CONTROLLED, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO FORM OF TENURE: 1919.

STATE.	ALL CLASSES.					ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY OWNED LAND.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY LAND HELD UNDER LEASE.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING LAND PARTLY OWNED AND PARTLY HELD UNDER LEASE.				
	Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.				Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled.			
		Aggregate.	By ownership.	By lease.	Per cent owned is of aggregate.		By ownership.	Per cent of aggregate.		By lease.	Per cent of aggregate.		Total.	By ownership.	By lease.	Per cent of aggregate.
United States.....	48	160,447	156,418	4,029	97.5	35	148,129	92.3	9	2,769	1.7	4	9,549	8,289	1,260	6.0
Florida.....	23	108,925	106,685	2,240	97.9	18	100,285	92.1	4	2,090	1.9	1	6,550	6,400	150	6.0
Tennessee.....	19	23,452	22,073	1,379	94.1	12	20,245	86.3	5	679	2.9	2	2,528	1,828	700	10.8
South Carolina and Kentucky.....	3	26,785	26,375	410	98.5	2	26,314	98.2				1	471	61	410	1.8
Idaho and Utah.....	3	1,285	1,285		100.0	3	1,285	100.0								

Table 18 presents comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909 pertaining to the acreage of mineral land and other lands controlled. There was notable decrease in both mineral and other lands reported, but a particularly large decrease in the acres of mineral land operated under lease. These decreases are in accord with the decrease in the number of mines operated as explained in the discussion of Table 5.

TABLE 18.—COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, LAND CONTROLLED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919 AND 1909.

CHARACTER AND TENURE OF LAND.	ACRES.		
	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
Total land.....	241,810	340,697	-29.0
Mineral land.....	160,447	243,221	-34.0
Owned.....	156,418	230,405	-32.1
Leased.....	4,029	12,816	-68.6
Timber and other lands.....	81,363	97,476	-16.5

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

Royalties.—The census of 1919 did not distinguish between royalties or rents paid for mineral land, and rents of other kinds, but, as these other rents are generally insignificant, statistics presented on royalties and rents may, where mineral lands are leased, be taken to cover only royalties or rents of mineral land. Royalty, which is a compensation for the privilege of mining leased lands, is either a fixed share of the product or a percentage of the value of product.

Table 19, in which the enterprises are classified according to form of land tenure, shows for each class the number of enterprises, the value of products, and the royalties and rents paid. Approximately three-fourths of the enterprises operated only owned land and reported only a small amount of rents, probably for buildings, equipment, easements, or privileges. The enterprises operating on leased land and on land partly owned and partly leased reported royalties amounting to 7.6 per cent of the value of their products.

TABLE 19.—VALUE OF PRODUCTS AND ROYALTIES AND RENTS, FOR PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO TENURE OF MINERAL LAND: 1919.

CLASSES OF ENTERPRISES.	Number of enterprises.	Value of products.	Royalties and rents.
All classes.....	48	\$10,300,193	\$209,687
Enterprises operating:			
Only owned land.....	35	8,197,822	50,917
Only land held under lease.....	9	899,094	139,271
Land partly owned and partly held under lease.....	4	1,233,482	19,499

POWER.

Power equipment used.—The number and horsepower of the several types of prime movers and of electric motors used by the phosphate-rock producing

enterprises in 1919 are presented for the United States as a whole and separately for states, in so far as they can be shown without disclosure, in the table of detailed statistics. Comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909 are presented for the United States as a whole in Table 20 which shows the number and horsepower of the power equipment used by producing enterprises and the per cent of increase or decrease. The table shows a slight decrease in the aggregate horsepower used, which, as indicated in the section on progress of the industry, is due to the decrease in the number of enterprises reporting. This decrease in aggregate horsepower was brought about by a decrease in horsepower of prime movers used, which was nearly offset by the increase in horsepower of electric motors operated by purchased current. A notable increase in the use of electrically driven equipment is shown by the increases in horsepower of electric motors operated by both current purchased and current generated by the enterprise reporting.

TABLE 20.—COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, POWER USED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919 AND 1909.

	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
Power used: Aggregate horsepower.....	49,639	50,526	-1.8
Prime movers (total horsepower).....	46,976	50,426	-6.8
Steam engines—			
Number.....	117	549	-78.7
Horsepower.....	34,891	46,817	-25.5
Internal-combustion engines—			
Number.....	44	32	234.9
Horsepower.....	12,085	3,609	234.9
Equipment operated by purchased power (total horsepower).....	2,663	100	2,563.0
Electric motors—			
Number.....	38	1	2,563.0
Horsepower.....	2,663	100	2,563.0
Electric motors run by current generated by the enterprise reporting:			
Number.....	320	339	-5.6
Horsepower.....	33,107	21,888	54.8

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.

GENERAL TABLE.

Table 21 is a detailed presentation for 1919 of the statistics for phosphate-rock producing enterprises in the United States as a whole and separately by states in so far as they can be shown without disclosure of individual operations. As but one phosphate-rock mining enterprise reported operations for development only, statistics for nonproducing operations can not be shown in this table. The table gives the number of enterprises, and mines, and the number of enterprises operating beneficiating plants; acreage of land controlled according to character and the tenure of mineral land; the capital invested; the principal expenses of operation and development; the persons engaged in the industry by classes and the wage earners according to occupation; and statistics with regard to number and horsepower of power equipment, and with regard to fuel used.

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TABLE 21.—DETAILED STATISTICS FOR THE PHOSPHATE-ROCK MINING INDUSTRY, BY STATES: 1919.

	PRODUCING ENTERPRISES.				
	Total.	Florida.	Tennessee.	South Carolina and Kentucky.	Idaho and Utah.
Number of enterprises.....	48	23	19	3	3
Number of mines.....	69	40	23	3	3
Number of enterprises operating beneficiating plants.....	20	8	10	2	.....
Mineralland operated.....acres.	160,447	108,925	23,452	20,785	1,285
Land controlled, total.....acres.	241,810	188,002	25,738	26,785	1,285
Mineralland owned.....acres.	160,418	109,685	22,073	20,376	1,285
Mineralland held under lease.....acres.	4,029	2,240	1,379	410	.....
Timber and other lands.....acres.	81,363	79,077	2,286	.....	.....
Capital.....	\$72,733,956	\$55,740,488	\$14,657,404	\$1,665,961	\$670,013
Principal expenses.....	\$9,364,154	\$6,244,717	\$2,538,424	\$496,398	\$84,615
Salaries and wages—					
Officers, superintendents, managers, and technical employees.....	\$566,477	\$419,376	\$120,111	\$19,820	\$7,170
Clerks, etc.....	\$194,940	\$130,505	\$54,692	\$8,909	\$760
Wage earners.....	\$3,900,960	\$2,372,141	\$1,174,759	\$300,033	\$54,033
Supplies and materials.....	\$2,181,501	\$1,455,370	\$638,553	\$59,800	\$7,798
Fuel.....	\$1,739,883	\$1,277,999	\$379,182	\$81,817	\$835
Purchased power.....	\$79,468	\$69,786	\$1,760	\$7,244	\$688
Royalties and rents.....	\$209,687	\$128,834	\$70,553	\$10,300	.....
Taxes—Federal, state, county, and local.....	\$347,580	\$276,354	\$68,423	\$8,475	\$328
Contract work.....	\$163,696	\$115,262	\$35,421	.....	\$13,013
Expenditures for development (included in principal expenses).....	\$353,237	\$301,881	\$32,065	\$16,211	\$3,080
Value of products.....	\$10,300,198	\$6,678,888	\$3,139,671	\$412,084	\$69,555
Persons engaged in industry.....	4,791	2,585	1,674	459	43
Proprietors and officials.....	223	149	69	10	5
Proprietors and firm members.....	14	5	5	2	2
Salaried officers.....	43	27	16	.....	.....
Superintendents and managers.....	106	65	31	7	3
Technical employees.....	60	62	7	1	.....
Clerks, etc.—					
Male.....	134	87	38	8	1
Female.....	31	19	9	3	.....
Wage earners (average number).....	4,373	2,330	1,568	438	37
Wage earners, number 15th day of—					
Maximum month.....	Dec. 5,771	Dec. 3,817	Aug. 1,733	Nov. 483	Dec. 60
Minimum month.....	June 2,902	June 814	Jan. 1,301	Jan. 396	Mar. 18
Wage earners by occupations, Dec. 15, or nearest representative day—					
Above ground (total).....	5,764	3,803	1,456	478	27
Below ground (total).....	149	.....	115	.....	34
Foremen, shift bosses, etc.—					
Above ground.....	291	227	48	16	.....
Below ground.....	3	.....	2	.....	1
Engineers, hoistmen, electricians, mechanics, etc.—					
Above ground.....	1,154	918	189	47	.....
Miners, quarrymen, and drillmen, including their helpers—					
Above ground.....	968	603	294	71	.....
Below ground.....	116	.....	90	.....	28
Timbermen, trackmen, and men engaged in hauling, tramming, etc.—					
Above ground.....	443	203	162	78	.....
Below ground.....	7	.....	7	.....	.....
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classified—					
Above ground.....	2,577	1,686	639	225	27
Below ground.....	23	.....	16	.....	7
Wage earners employed in mills and beneficiating plants—					
Above ground.....	331	166	124	41	.....
Number of wage earners under 16 years of age included in those reported above:					
Above ground.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Number of females included in wage earners reported above:					
Above ground.....	23	23	.....	.....	.....
Power used: Aggregate horsepower.....	49,639	40,996	7,168	1,275	200
Prime movers (horsepower, total).....	46,976	38,881	7,070	1,025	.....
Steam engines, not turbines—					
Number.....	100	27	55	18	.....
Horsepower.....	17,140	9,095	7,020	1,025	.....
Steam turbines—					
Number.....	17	17	.....	.....	.....
Horsepower.....	17,751	17,761	.....	.....	.....
Internal-combustion engines—					
Number.....	44	43	1	.....	.....
Horsepower.....	12,085	12,035	50	.....	.....
Equipment operated by purchased power (horsepower, total).....	2,663	2,115	98	250	200
Electric motors—					
Number.....	368	213	5	6	4
Horsepower.....	2,663	2,115	98	250	200
Electric motors run by current generated by the enterprise reporting:					
Number.....	320	253	63	4	.....
Horsepower.....	33,107	31,115	1,792	200	.....
Fuel used:					
Coal, anthracite.....tons, 2,240 pounds..	28	.....	.....	.....	28
Coal, bituminous.....tons, 2,000 pounds..	121,273	19,621	88,029	13,623	.....
Coke.....tons, 2,000 pounds..	146	146	.....	.....	.....
Wood.....cords..	39,961	32,022	5,679	2,260	.....
Fuel oils.....barrels..	667,284	657,039	245	.....	.....
Gasoline and other volatile oils.....barrels..	10,871	10,786	42	.....	43

GYPSUM.

INTRODUCTION.

This report presents the results of the census of mines and quarries for the year 1919 relating to the production of gypsum. It includes statistics showing the progress of the industry by comparison of results of the 1919 census with those of the preceding censuses of mines and quarries; also statistics for 1919 showing the character of organization of operating enterprises, scale of operation, persons engaged in the industry, acreage of mineral and other lands controlled, power equipment used, and a general table presenting statistics in detail for the United States, and separately for such states as can be shown without disclosure of individual operations.

Definitions and explanations.—Gypsum, either in the form of massive or rock gypsum, or the earthy material gypsite, is the raw material mined for use in the manufacture of plaster of Paris; wall plaster; stucco; plaster board and wall board; partition, roof, and other tiles; Portland cement; and as agricultural gypsum. Gypsum is sometimes sold crude; more often sold calcined as plaster; for the most part, however, it is not sold crude, or simply calcined, but is used by the producer in the manufacture of gypsum products and enters the market only in manufactured form. The principal producers of gypsum operate mills or manufacturing plants at the gypsum mines and quarries. The statistics herein presented relate primarily to the gypsum-mining industry with which is included the calcining of gypsum and its preparation for further manufacture. Returns were received from some producers reporting separately the mining activities of the business, and from other producers making combined reports on mining and manufacturing activities. The latter were, so far as possible, segregated so that mining and manufacturing statistics could be separately tabulated. For some establishments insufficient information was available for such segregation, and in these cases the full reports covering both mining and manufacturing activities have been included in the statistics of the gypsum-mining industry.

Gypsum is obtained both by quarrying or mining in open pits and by mining under ground. Either method may be practiced in any region as the thickness of the overburden chiefly determines the method of operation.

The gypsum resources of the United States include deposits in the east in New York, Virginia, Ohio, and Michigan; in the western Mississippi Valley in Iowa, South Dakota, Kansas, Oklahoma, and Texas; and in the western region in Arizona, California, Colorado, Montana, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Utah, and Wyoming.

Method of reporting quantity and value of products.—The statistics relating to the production of gypsum were collected in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey, for which purpose there was provided, in addition to the general schedule for the census, a supplemental schedule requesting special information desired by the Geological Survey. These schedules called for the quantity and value at the mine of gypsum produced and also for the quantity and value at the mill of gypsum in gypsum products manufactured and in gypsum products used or sold. The Census Bureau required the value of products at the mine or plant; the Geological Survey, the total quantity mined and the quantity and value of gypsum sold or used by the producer. The value of products as reported by the two bureaus for 1919 are compared in the following statement:

	Bureau of the Census.	Geological Survey.
United States.....	\$6,805,940	\$15,727,907
New York.....	1,110,463	3,530,743
Iowa.....	1,092,920	2,634,444
All other states ¹	4,602,557	9,562,720

¹ Includes Arizona, California, Colorado, Kansas, Michigan, Nevada, New Mexico, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Virginia, and Wyoming for both bureaus' figures; the Geological Survey figures include also the production of Alaska and Montana and a small quantity of gypsum sold by warehouses.

Practically all of the differences here shown are accounted for by the fact that the Geological Survey reports as value of products the value of gypsum sold as such and gypsum in manufactured products sold or used by the producer, while the Bureau of the Census reports the value to the producer of his output, whether raw or calcined gypsum or gypsum products.

As the Bureau of the Census did not tabulate the quantity of gypsum produced in 1919, available information is limited to that contained in the United States Geological Survey's publication "Mineral Resources of the United States: 1919," from which Table 1 is quoted.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

TABLE 1.—GYPSUM PRODUCED AND SOLD IN THE UNITED STATES, BY STATES: 1919.¹

STATE.	Number of plants reporting.	Total quantity mined (tons, 2,000 pounds).	SOLD WITHOUT CALCINING.				SOLD AS CALCINED PLASTER.		Total value.
			Agricultural gypsum.		For Portland cement, paint, and other purposes.		Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	Value.	
			Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	Value.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	Value.			
United States.....	57	2,420,163	39,978	\$185,566	470,267	\$1,332,637	1,596,020	\$14,209,704	\$15,727,907
Iowa.....	6	421,279	2,405	8,760	66,619	222,672	264,656	2,403,012	2,634,444
Kansas.....	3	78,479	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	² 66,008	² 520,673	520,673
Michigan.....	6	339,125	1,597	10,422	57,157	163,688	250,687	2,216,257	2,390,367
Nevada.....	3	91,756	(²)	(²)	(²)	(²)	² 79,181	² 497,561	497,561
New York.....	8	591,153	5,458	23,984	210,959	596,355	316,767	2,910,404	3,530,743
Ohio.....	3	251,259	1,435	6,363	6,390	20,373	219,900	2,022,987	2,049,723
Oklahoma.....	5	114,313	(²)	(²)	24,761	68,920	² 72,013	² 644,740	708,660
Texas.....	5	176,607	(²)	(²)	10,637	16,442	² 130,656	² 1,064,312	1,080,754
Wyoming.....	3	51,079					37,314	282,587	282,587
All other states ²	15	305,113	24,902	128,840	69,662	198,794	187,101	1,709,761	2,032,395

¹ U. S. Geological Survey, Mineral Resources of the United States: 1919.
² Crude gypsum is included with calcined plaster.
³ Includes Alaska, Arizona, California, Colorado, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, South Dakota, Utah, and Virginia; and also a small quantity sold by warehouses and not accounted for elsewhere.

PRINCIPAL STATISTICS.

Table 2 presents by states and groups of states the principal statistics for producing gypsum mines in 1919. No activities on unproductive properties were reported for that year. On the basis of total value of products—\$6,805,940—this industry ranked fifteenth, and on the basis of average number of wage earners employed—2,191—it ranked fourteenth among the mining industries in the United States in 1919.

TABLE 2.—PRINCIPAL STATISTICS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	United States.	New York.	Other eastern states. ¹	Iowa.	Western states. ²
Number of enterprises.....	47	6	8	5	28
Number of mines.....	48	6	8	5	29
Mineral land operated, acres.	41,703	2,471	5,733	1,519	31,930
Persons engaged.....	2,477	440	694	487	850
Proprietors and firm members, total.....	4	1			3
Number performing manual labor.....	3	1			2
Salaried employees.....	282	45	73	43	121
Wage earners (average number).....	2,191	400	621	444	726
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	15,032	1,706	5,179	2,057	6,090
Capital.....	\$13,541,548	\$1,559,514	\$4,818,157	\$2,124,006	\$5,041,871
Principal expenses:					
Salaries.....	555,450	78,923	152,766	85,487	238,304
Wages.....	2,478,391	515,050	709,035	495,747	757,959
Contract work.....	3,747				3,747
Supplies and materials.....	1,530,338	263,914	421,754	206,180	638,490
Fuel and purchased power.....	680,420	84,486	171,786	132,600	271,548
Royalties and rents.....	69,403	31,916	14,032	21,021	2,404
Taxes.....	81,983	9,576	23,976	7,546	40,885
Value of all products.....	6,805,940	1,110,463	1,857,633	1,092,920	2,744,924

¹ Includes enterprises in states listed in order of value of products as follows: Michigan, 4; Virginia, 2; Ohio, 2.
² Includes enterprises in states listed in order of value of products as follows: Nevada, 3; Texas, 3; Wyoming, 4; Oklahoma, 5; Kansas, 3; Utah, 2; New Mexico, 1; Oregon, 1; Arizona, 1; South Dakota, 2; Colorado, 2; California, 1.

There were 25 operators during the census year who reported for 47 enterprises and 48 mines. Three operators reported a majority of the enterprises, and each of these three operated in various parts of

the United States. As the industry is so largely controlled by a few operators, analysis of the statistics can not be presented in detail without disclosure of individual operations.

GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION.

Statistics can be shown separately for only the two leading states, New York and Iowa; other producing states are grouped as "Other eastern states" and as "Western states." Table 2 shows the principal statistics for these states and groups of states, and Table 3 shows the rank by the per cent distribution of the value of products and average number of wage earners for these states and groups. On the basis of value of products New York and Iowa, with six and five enterprises, respectively, each accounted for approximately one-sixth of the production. Measured either by value of products or by average number of wage earners, the region west of the Mississippi River was the most important in the industry, reporting 56.4 per cent of the total value of products and 53.4 per cent of the total average number of wage earners.

TABLE 3.—STATES, RANKED BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

STATE.	Number of enterprises.	WAGE EARNERS.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
		Average number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
United States.....	47	2,191	100.0	\$6,805,940	100.0
New York.....	6	400	18.3	1,110,463	16.3
Iowa.....	5	444	20.3	1,092,920	16.1
Other eastern states ¹	8	621	28.3	1,857,633	27.3
Western states ²	28	726	33.1	2,744,924	40.3

¹ Includes states listed in order of value of products as follows: Michigan, Virginia, Ohio.
² Includes states listed in order of value of products as follows: Nevada, Texas, Wyoming, Oklahoma, Kansas, Utah, New Mexico, Oregon, Arizona, South Dakota, Colorado, California.

PROGRESS OF THE INDUSTRY.

Comparative statistics for producing enterprises in the United States: 1889-1919.—Table 4 presents, for producing gypsum enterprises in the United States as a whole, the principal statistics reported at the Fourteenth Census and the three preceding censuses of mines and quarries. This table indicates large increase in the gypsum-mining industry during the two decades 1889 to 1909. The average number of wage earners in 1909 was more than four times the number in 1889 and the value of products increased nearly 700 per cent. In contrast to this progress, the statistics show decreases, during the decade 1909 to 1919, in the number of enterprises, mines, persons engaged,

and power used; the increases shown for wages, cost of supplies and materials and fuel and power, and value of products are in accord with these decreases because they are less than sufficient to offset the general price increases during the decade. These figures should be interpreted, not as indicating an actual decline in the industry, but rather as a measure of the effect on the gypsum industry of business depression during the census year. The Geological Survey's annual figures on the production of gypsum, as presented in Table 5, show a large growth in the industry from 1889 up to 1917, when it was checked by the war's effect on construction work in which gypsum products are largely used.

TABLE 4.—COMPARATIVE SUMMARY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919, 1909, 1902, AND 1889.

	1919	1909	1902	1889	PER CENT OF INCREASE. ¹		
					1909-1919	1902-1909	1889-1902
Number of enterprises.....	47	78	45	(²)			
Number of mines.....	48	222	62	(²)	-78.4		
Persons engaged.....	2,477	3,899			-36.5		
Proprietors and firm members, total.....	4	6	(²)	(²)			
Number performing manual labor.....	3	4	(²)	(²)			
Salaried employees.....	282	431	249	(²)	-34.6	73.1	
Wage earners (average number).....	2,191	3,462	1,472	761	-36.7	135.2	93.4
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	15,032	17,685	7,319	(²)	-15.0	141.6	
Capital.....	\$13,541,548	\$10,213,284	(²)	\$2,473,175	32.6		
Principal expenses:							
Salaries.....	555,450	551,889	\$300,420	249,200	0.6	83.7	
Wages.....	2,478,391	1,820,877	759,258	10,031	36.1	139.8	
Contract work.....	3,747	16,658	406	128,854	-77.4		
Supplies and materials.....	1,530,338	989,658	\$341,700		55.1		
Fuel and purchased power.....	669,420	573,459	(²)	(²)	15.2		
Royalties and rents.....	69,403	74,916	49,912	(²)	-7.4	50.1	
Taxes.....	81,953	39,062	(²)	(²)	109.9		
Value of products.....	6,805,940	5,812,810	2,089,341	764,118	17.1	178.2	173.4

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100. ² Comparable figures not available.
³ Not reported. ⁴ Includes cost of fuel.

TABLE 5.—CRUDE GYPSUM MINED IN THE UNITED STATES: 1889 TO 1919.¹

YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).	YEAR.	Quantity (tons, 2,000 pounds).
1889.....	267,769	1895.....	265,503	1900.....	594,462	1905.....	1,043,202	1910.....	2,379,057	1915.....	2,447,611
1890.....	182,995	1896.....	224,254	1901.....	633,791	1906.....	1,540,585	1911.....	2,323,970	1916.....	2,767,730
1891.....	208,126	1897.....	238,932	1902.....	816,478	1907.....	1,751,748	1912.....	2,500,757	1917.....	2,696,226
1892.....	259,259	1898.....	291,635	1903.....	1,041,704	1908.....	1,721,829	1913.....	2,599,508	1918.....	2,057,015
1893.....	253,615	1899.....	459,235	1904.....	940,917	1909.....	2,252,785	1914.....	2,476,465	1919.....	2,420,163
1894.....	239,312										

¹ U. S. Geological Survey, Mineral Resources of the United States.

Power per enterprise and per wage earner: 1919 and 1909.—Table 6 presents comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909 in regard to power used. Although there was a decrease in the average number of wage earners and in the aggregate horsepower used in the gypsum industry in 1919 as compared with 1909, the horsepower per enterprise and the horsepower per wage earner increased 41 and 40 per cent, respectively, during that decade. Progress or development in the industry is indicated by increased use of mechanical equipment.

TABLE 6.—POWER USED PER ENTERPRISE AND PER WAGE EARNER, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919 AND 1909.

	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
Number of enterprises.....	47	78	
Wage earners (average number).....	2,191	3,462	-36.7
Power used (aggregate horsepower).....	15,032	17,685	-15.0
Horsepower per enterprise.....	320	227	41.0
Horsepower per wage earner.....	7	5	

¹ A minus sign (—) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.

constituted only 11.4 per cent of the total number of persons engaged in the industry. Only 60 females were reported in all grades and they constituted less than 3 per cent of the total number of persons employed.

TABLE 11.—PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE INDUSTRY, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

	Number.	Per cent distribution.
Persons engaged.....	2,477	100.0
Proprietors and firm members, total (male).....	4	0.2
Number performing manual labor.....	3	0.1
Salaried officers (male).....	28	1.1
Superintendents and managers—		
Male.....	65	2.6
Female.....	1	(¹)
Technical employees (male).....	5	0.2
Clerks—		
Male.....	135	5.4
Female.....	48	1.9
Wage earners (average number).....	2,191	88.5
Wage earners, Dec. 15, or nearest representative day—		
Male.....	2,545	
Female.....	11	

¹ Less than one-tenth of 1 per cent.

Wage earners, by occupations.—Table 12 shows the number of wage earners employed in the gypsum industry on December 15, 1919, or the nearest representative day, classified according to occupation, gives the per cent distribution by occupational classes, and the number in each class employed above and below ground. Wage earners in quarries or open-pit mines were classed as employed above ground. The table distinguishes between men engaged in the more peculiarly mining occupations, such as miners, quarrymen, drillmen, timbermen, trackmen, trammers, and their helpers; men in other skilled trades such as engineers, hoistmen, firemen, machinists, electricians, carpenters and other mechanics; and less skilled and unclassified laborers. Forty-six per cent of the total number of wage earners were employed below ground; exclusive of those in beneficiating plants, 67.5 per cent of the number in all classes were employed below ground. Of the total number of wage earners reported, 68 per cent were engaged in actual mining operations; 32 per cent being employed in mills or beneficiating plants in which the gypsum was calcined or further prepared for manufacture.

TABLE 12.—WAGE EARNERS, BY OCCUPATIONS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

CLASS OF WAGE EARNERS.	NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS DEC. 15, OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.			
	Total.	Per cent distribution.	Above ground.	Below ground.
All classes.....	2,556	100.0	1,381	1,175
Foremen, shift bosses, etc.....	77	3.0	37	40
Engineers, hoistmen, electricians, mechanics, etc.....	145	5.7	105	40
Miners, quarrymen, and drillmen, including their helpers.....	604	23.6	159	445
Timbermen, trackmen, and men engaged in hauling, tramping, etc.....	233	9.1	25	208
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classified.....	681	26.6	239	442
Wage earners employed in mills and beneficiating plants.....	816	31.9	816	

Wage earners, by months.—Table 13 shows for the United States as a whole, and for the principal states and groups of states, the number of wage earners employed on the 15th day or nearest representative day of each month, the average number, the months of minimum and maximum employment, and the ratio of the minimum to the maximum number. The changes in the number employed from month to month reflect conditions prevailing in the gypsum industry during the census year. The month of maximum employment for the industry was November, and the month of minimum employment January, and the minimum number employed was 58 per cent of the maximum number.

It will be noted that the number of wage earners reported for all enterprises on a representative day, which is presented in several other tables, aggregated 2,556, or somewhat more than the number shown for December 15 in Table 13. While for most mines the representative day selected for reporting wage earners in detail was December 15, for other mines December was not a representative month and reports were made for some other date. Therefore, the aggregate for the representative day differs from the total of the numbers reported by each enterprise for the month of December.

TABLE 13.—WAGE EARNERS BY MONTHS, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

[The month of maximum employment for each state is indicated by bold-faced figures and that of minimum employment by italic figures.]

STATE.	Average number employed during year.	NUMBER EMPLOYED ON 15TH DAY OF THE MONTH OR NEAREST REPRESENTATIVE DAY.												Per cent minimum is of maximum.
		January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	
United States.....	2,191	<i>1,674</i>	1,649	1,782	1,918	2,078	2,092	2,350	2,327	2,582	2,713	2,715	2,512	58.0
New York.....	400	350	359	378	372	383	366	368	340	435	475	504	470	67.5
Iowa.....	444	<i>293</i>	240	272	330	389	453	540	545	611	619	613	483	37.6
Other Eastern states.....	621	<i>484</i>	498	522	562	613	604	666	666	674	754	725	684	64.2
Western states.....	726	<i>607</i>	552	610	654	693	669	776	776	862	865	873	875	57.9

CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION.

The character of organization of operating enterprises in the gypsum-mining industry in the United States as a whole is shown in Table 7. Forty-three of the 47 enterprises were operated by corporations which employed 99.3 per cent of the average number of wage earners and reported 99.7 per cent of the total value of products; the other enterprises were conducted by individuals and were small.

TABLE 7.—CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

CHARACTER OF ORGANIZATION.	Number of enterprises.	Wage earners (average number).	VALUE OF PRODUCTS.		PER CENT DISTRIBUTION.		
			Total.	Per enterprise.	Enterprises.	Wage earners (average number).	Value of products.
All classes.....	47	2,191	\$6,805,940	\$144,807	100.0	100.0	100.0
Corporation.....	43	2,176	6,782,826	157,740	91.5	99.3	99.7
Individual.....	4	15	23,114	5,779	8.5	0.7	0.3

SCALE OF OPERATION.

Size of enterprises according to value of products.—In Table 8 the gypsum-producing enterprises in the United States in 1919 are grouped according to the value of their products, and the value of products and the per cent distribution is given for each group. The largest enterprises, although less than one-half the total number of enterprises, produced 85.1 per cent of the total value of products.

TABLE 8.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY VALUE OF PRODUCTS: 1919.

VALUE OF PRODUCTS PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		VALUE OF PRODUCTS.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.	Amount.	Per cent distribution.
All classes.....	47	100.0	\$6,805,940	100.0
Less than \$5,000.....	3	6.4	5,042	0.1
\$5,000 to \$20,000.....	5	10.6	69,164	1.0
\$20,000 to \$100,000.....	18	38.3	941,020	13.8
\$100,000 and over ¹	21	44.7	5,970,114	85.1

¹ Includes the group "\$500,000 to \$1,000,000."

Size of enterprises according to the average number of wage earners employed.—Table 9 shows, for the United States as a whole, and separately for the leading states and groups of states, the enterprises classified according to the average number of wage earners employed. In the United States as a whole, 41 of the total of 47 enterprises had fewer than 101 wage earners each and employed 55.9 per cent of the total average number of wage earners. Six enterprises had more than 100 wage earners each and employed 44.1 per cent of the total average number of wage earners. The larger enterprises—that is, those employing an average of more than 100 wage earners each—were in Iowa, New York, and other eastern states.

TABLE 9.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS: 1919.

STATE AND WAGE EARNERS PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		WAGE EARNERS.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.	Average number.	Per cent distribution.
UNITED STATES.....	47	100.0	2,191	100.0
1 to 5.....	4	8.5	11	0.5
6 to 20.....	14	29.8	190	8.7
21 to 50.....	15	31.9	506	23.1
51 to 100.....	8	17.0	518	23.6
101 to 500.....	6	12.8	906	44.1
NEW YORK.....	6	100.0	400	100.0
1 to 5.....	1	16.7	1	0.2
6 to 20.....	1	16.7	15	3.8
21 to 50.....	1	16.7	40	10.0
51 to 100.....	1	16.7	59	14.8
101 to 500.....	2	33.3	285	71.2
IOWA.....	5	100.0	444	100.0
1 to 5.....	1	20.0	9	2.0
6 to 20.....	2	40.0	78	17.6
21 to 50.....	2	40.0	357	80.4
OTHER EASTERN STATES.....	8	100.0	621	100.0
1 to 5.....	1	12.5	19	3.1
6 to 20.....	2	25.0	86	13.8
21 to 50.....	3	37.5	182	30.9
51 to 100.....	2	25.0	324	52.2
WESTERN STATES.....	28	100.0	726	100.0
1 to 5.....	3	10.7	10	1.4
6 to 20.....	11	39.3	147	20.2
21 to 50.....	10	35.7	302	41.6
51 to 100.....	4	14.3	267	36.8

Size of enterprises according to acreage of mineral land.—Table 10 shows, for the United States as a whole, the enterprises classified according to the number of acres of mineral land controlled and shows for each class the number of mines and the number of acres controlled. The largest number of enterprises was in the group operating from 100 to 200 acres, and this group, constituting 29.8 per cent of the total number of enterprises, operated only 5.3 per cent of the total acreage. The group controlling more than 1,000 acres per enterprise was the next largest, embracing 25.5 per cent of the total number of enterprises and controlling 76.6 per cent of the total number of acres of mineral land reported.

TABLE 10.—SIZE OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES, BY NUMBER OF ACRES OF MINERAL LAND: 1919.

ACRES PER ENTERPRISE.	ENTERPRISES.		Number of mines.	MINERAL LAND.	
	Number.	Per cent distribution.		Acres.	Per cent distribution.
All classes.....	47	100.0	48	41,703	100.0
1 to 50.....	2	4.3	2	26	0.1
50 to 100.....	4	8.5	4	314	0.8
100 to 200.....	14	29.8	14	2,202	5.3
200 to 500.....	8	17.0	8	2,556	6.1
500 to 1,000.....	7	14.9	7	4,065	11.2
1,000 and over.....	12	25.5	13	31,940	76.6

PERSONS ENGAGED IN THE INDUSTRY.

Persons according to class and sex.—Table 11 gives the persons engaged in the gypsum industry by classes, showing the number of males and females and the per cent distribution for each class of employees. The number of salaried employees—282—

Prevailing hours of labor.—Table 14 shows the enterprises classified according to the prevailing hours of labor per week and gives the average number of wage earners employed in each class. In the industry as a whole, for a majority of the enterprises and for 60 per cent of the wage earners employed, the hours of labor were 54 to 62 per week, that is, the 10-hour day and 6-day week prevailed. In Iowa, however, the prevailing hours of labor were 44 to 53 per week, and the 8-hour day and 6-day week was the rule.

TABLE 14.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND AVERAGE NUMBER OF WAGE EARNERS, BY PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR: 1919.

STATE.	TOTAL.		NUMBER WHERE THE PREVAILING HOURS OF LABOR PER WEEK WERE—							
	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	36 to 43.		44 to 53.		54 to 62.		63 to 71.	
			Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.	Enterprises.	Wage earners.
United States.....	47	2,191	1	1	12	830	32	1,317	2	43
New York.....	6	400	.....	.....	1	143	5	257	.....	.....
Iowa.....	5	444	.....	.....	5	444	.....	.....	.....	.....
Other eastern states.....	8	621	.....	.....	1	161	7	460	.....	.....
Western states.....	28	726	1	1	5	82	20	600	2	43

LAND TENURE AND ROYALTIES.

Land tenure.—Table 15 shows for 1919 the number of acres of land controlled by producing enterprises. The table distinguishes mineral land (that is, land held

for its content of gypsum) from timber and other lands, and shows the mineral land according to form of tenure. Approximately 90 per cent of the gypsum land controlled in the United States was held by ownership, but in New York, on the contrary, the larger part of the operated land was held under lease.

TABLE 15.—LAND CONTROLLED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919.

STATE.	Aggregate (acres).	MINERAL LAND (ACRES).			Timber and other lands (acres).
		Total.	Owned.	Held under lease.	
United States.....	42,193	41,703	36,581	5,122	490
New York.....	2,471	2,471	759	1,712	.....
Iowa.....	1,519	1,519	1,160	359	.....
Other eastern states.....	6,273	5,783	4,022	1,761	490
Western states.....	31,930	31,930	30,640	1,290	.....

In Table 16 the enterprises are classified according to form of tenure of mineral land—whether held by ownership, under lease, or partly held by ownership and partly under lease. The table also shows the per cent the total owned acreage is of the aggregate of mineral land, and also the per cent which the total under each class of tenure is of the aggregate acreage of mineral land. In New York and in Iowa, most of the land was held under mixed form of tenure, whereas in other states the control of mineral land was chiefly by ownership.

TABLE 16.—NUMBER OF PRODUCING ENTERPRISES AND ACRES OF MINERAL LAND CONTROLLED, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO FORM OF TENURE: 1919.

STATE.	TOTAL.					ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY OWNED LAND.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING ONLY LAND HELD UNDER LEASE.			ENTERPRISES OPERATING LAND PARTLY OWNED AND PARTLY HELD UNDER LEASE.			
	Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled—				Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled—		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled—		Number of enterprises.	Acres controlled—		
		Aggregate.	By ownership.	By lease.	Per cent owned is of aggregate.		By ownership.	Per cent of aggregate.		By lease.	Per cent of aggregate.		Total.	Per cent of aggregate.	By ownership.
United States.....	47	41,703	36,581	5,122	87.7	31	34,198	82.0	7	2,277	5.5	9	5,228	12.5	2,383
New York.....	6	2,471	759	1,712	30.7	2	135	5.5	1	422	17.1	3	1,914	77.5	624
Iowa.....	5	1,519	1,160	359	76.4	1	160	10.5	3	334	22.0	1	1,025	67.5	1,000
Other eastern states.....	8	5,783	4,022	1,761	69.5	5	3,822	66.1	2	1,361	23.5	1	600	10.4	200
Western states.....	28	31,930	30,640	1,290	96.0	23	30,081	94.2	1	100	0.5	4	1,689	5.3	559

Table 17 presents comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909, showing the acreage of mineral land and timber and other lands controlled. There was a slight increase in the number of acres of owned mineral land

operated, but large decrease in the other classes of land shown. These changes are in accord with the decrease in the number of mines operated, as shown in Table 4.

TABLE 17.—COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, LAND CONTROLLED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919 AND 1909.

CHARACTER AND TENURE OF LAND.	ACRES.		
	1919	1909	Percent of increase. ¹
Total land.....	42,193	54,215	-22.2
Mineral land.....	41,703	52,900	-21.2
Owned.....	36,581	35,592	2.8
Leased.....	5,122	17,308	-70.4
Timber and other lands.....	490	1,315	-62.7

¹ A minus sign (-) denotes decrease.

Royalties.—The census of mines and quarries, 1919, did not distinguish between royalties or rent paid for mineral land and rents of other kinds, but as these other rents are known to be insignificant in amount the statistics presented for royalties and rents may be taken to represent only royalties or rent of mineral land. Royalty, which is a compensation for the privilege of mining leased lands, is either a fixed share of the product or a percentage of the value of product.

Table 18 shows the enterprises classified according to form of land tenure, and gives the value of products and the royalties and rents paid. Thirty-one enterprises operated only owned land, produced approximately 60 per cent of the total value of products, and reported a negligible amount of rent; 7 enterprises operated leased lands only, reported products amounting to 17 per cent of the total and royalties amounting to 3 per cent of the value of their products; and 9 enterprises operated land partly owned and partly held under lease, but which, as shown in Table 16, was more than half leased land, and reported royalties amounting to 2.5 per cent of the value of their products.

TABLE 18.—VALUE OF PRODUCTS AND ROYALTIES AND RENTS, FOR PRODUCING ENTERPRISES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO TENURE OF MINERAL LAND: 1919.

CLASSES OF ENTERPRISES.	Number of enterprises.	Value of products.	Royalties and rents.
All classes.....	47	\$6,805,940	\$69,403
Enterprises operating:			
Only owned land.....	31	4,290,600	480
Only land held under lease.....	7	1,144,989	35,021
Land partly owned and partly held under lease.....	9	1,370,351	33,902

POWER.

Power equipment used.—The number and horsepower of the several types of prime movers and of electric motors used by the gypsum-mining enterprises in 1919 are presented for the United States as a whole and separately for states, in so far as they can be shown without disclosure, in the table of detailed statistics. Comparative statistics for 1919 and 1909 are presented for the United States in Table 19, which shows the number and horsepower

of power equipment used by producing enterprises and the per cent of increase or decrease in horsepower for each class of equipment used. A decrease is shown in the aggregate horsepower used which, as indicated in the section on progress of the industry, is largely due to a decrease in the number of operating enterprises because of depressed business conditions. In contrast to the general decrease, an increase of 200 per cent is shown in horsepower of electric motors operated by purchased power. In 1909, 85 per cent of the aggregate horsepower used was generated by prime movers and only 15 per cent furnished by electric motors operated by purchased current. On the other hand, in 1919, the horsepower of prime movers was only 46.8 per cent, while the horsepower of electric motors operated by purchased current constituted 53.2 per cent of the aggregate horsepower. An increase is also shown in the number of electric motors operated by current generated by the enterprises reporting them.

TABLE 19.—COMPARATIVE STATISTICS, POWER USED, PRODUCING ENTERPRISES: 1919 AND 1909.

	1919	1909	Per cent of increase. ¹
Power used: Aggregate horsepower.....	15,032	17,635	-15.0
Prime movers (total horsepower).....	7,038	15,025	-53.2
Steam engines—			
Number.....	47	90	.....
Horsepower.....	6,132	13,399	-54.2
Internal-combustion engines—			
Number.....	9	18	.....
Horsepower.....	572	681	-16.0
Water wheels and turbines—			
Number.....	3	10	.....
Horsepower.....	334	945	-64.7
Equipment operated by purchased power (total horsepower).....	7,994	2,660	200.5
Electric motors—			
Number.....	290	81	.....
Horsepower.....	7,994	2,660	200.5
Electric motors run by current generated by the enterprise reporting:			
Number.....	103	49	.....
Horsepower.....	1,447	1,333	8.6

¹ A minus sign (-) denotes decrease. Percentages are omitted where base is less than 100.**GENERAL TABLE.**

Table 20 presents in detail for 1919 the statistics of gypsum mines in the United States as a whole, in the two leading states, and in all other producing states grouped as "Other eastern states" and "Western states." The table gives the number of enterprises and mines, and the number of enterprises operating beneficiating plants; acreage of land controlled according to kind and the tenure of mineral land; the capital invested; the principal expenses of operation and development; the persons engaged in the industry, by classes and the wage earners according to occupation; and detailed statistics with regard to number and horsepower of power equipment, and with regard to fuel used. As all the gypsum-mining activities reported in 1919 were confined to productive operations, there are no statistics for nonproducing enterprises.

TABLE 20.—DETAILED STATISTICS FOR THE GYPSUM-MINING INDUSTRY, BY STATES: 1919.

	PRODUCING ENTERPRISES.				
	Total.	New York.	Iowa.	Other eastern states. ¹	Western states. ²
Number of enterprises.....	47	6	5	8	28
Number of mines.....	48	6	5	8	29
Number of enterprises operating beneficiating plants.....	27	2	3	4	18
Mineral land operated..... acres..	41,703	2,471	1,519	5,783	31,930
Land controlled..... acres..	42,193	2,471	1,519	6,273	31,950
Mineral land owned..... acres..	39,581	759	1,160	4,022	30,640
Mineral land held under lease..... acres..	5,122	1,712	359	1,781	1,290
Timber and other lands..... acres..	490			490	
Capital.....	\$13,541,548	\$1,559,514	\$2,124,006	\$4,816,157	\$5,041,871
Principal expenses.....	\$5,379,732	\$984,495	\$948,561	\$1,493,339	\$1,953,337
Salaries and wages—					
Officers, superintendents, managers, and technical employees.....	\$275,145	\$43,455	\$33,687	\$63,504	\$134,499
Clerks, etc.....	\$280,305	\$35,468	\$51,780	\$89,252	\$103,805
Wage earners.....	\$2,478,391	\$515,650	\$495,747	\$709,035	\$757,959
Supplies and materials.....	\$1,530,338	\$263,914	\$206,180	\$421,754	\$638,490
Fuel.....	\$516,148	\$36,719	\$119,679	\$130,660	\$220,190
Purchased power.....	\$144,272	\$47,767	\$13,021	\$32,125	\$51,358
Royalties and rents.....	\$69,403	\$31,946	\$21,021	\$14,032	\$2,404
Taxes—Federal, state, county, and local.....	\$81,983	\$9,576	\$7,546	\$23,976	\$40,885
Contract work.....	\$3,747				\$3,747
Expenditures for development (included in principal expenses).....	\$12,050		\$8,000	\$3,250	\$800
Value of products.....	\$6,805,940	\$1,110,463	\$1,092,020	\$1,857,633	\$2,744,924
Persons engaged in industry.....	2,477	446	487	694	850
Proprietors and officials (total).....	103	20	10	17	56
Proprietors and firm members (total).....	4	1			3
Number performing manual labor.....	3	1			2
Salaried officers.....	28	5	1	5	17
Superintendents and managers.....	69	10	9	12	35
Technical employees.....	5	4			1
Clerks, etc.—					
Male.....	135	19	25	42	49
Female.....	48	7	8	14	19
Wage earners (average number).....	2,191	400	444	621	726
Wage earners 15th day of—					
Maximum month.....	Nov. 2,715	Nov. 504	Oct. 619	Oct. 754	Dec. 875
Minimum month.....	Jan. 1,574	Aug. 340	Jan. 233	Jan. 484	Jan. 507
Wage earners by occupation, Dec. 15, or nearest representative day—					
Above ground (total).....	1,381	167	171	331	712
Below ground (total).....	1,175	304	355	353	163
Foremen, shift bosses, etc.—					
Above ground.....	37	2	2	10	23
Below ground.....	40	8	12	15	5
Enginemen, hoistmen, electricians, mechanics, etc.—					
Above ground.....	105	11	17	37	40
Below ground.....	40	18	1	18	3
Miners, quarrymen, and drillmen, including their helpers—					
Above ground.....	150			2	157
Below ground.....	445	97	109	124	115
Timbermen, trackmen, and men engaged in hauling, tramming, etc.—					
Above ground.....	25	1	5	2	17
Below ground.....	208	43	80	58	16
Muckers, loaders, laborers, and others not classified—					
Above ground.....	239	50	21	41	127
Below ground.....	442	133	147	138	24
Wage earners employed in mills and beneficiating plants—					
Above ground.....	816	103	126	239	348
Number of females included in wage earners reported above—					
Above ground.....	11			9	2
Power used: Aggregate horsepower.....	15,032	1,706	2,057	5,179	6,090
Prime movers (horsepower, total).....	7,038	725	1,256	2,190	2,867
Steam engines—					
Number.....	47	3	4	13	27
Horsepower.....	6,132	707	1,256	2,065	2,104
Internal-combustion engines—					
Number.....	9	1		1	7
Horsepower.....	572	18		125	429
Water wheels and turbines—					
Number.....	3				3
Horsepower.....	334				334
Equipment operated by purchased power (horsepower, total).....	7,994	981	801	2,989	3,223
Electric motors—					
Number.....	290	25	40	116	109
Horsepower.....	7,994	981	801	2,989	3,223
Electric motors run by current generated by the enterprise reporting:					
Number.....	103	41	21	21	20
Horsepower.....	1,447	392	551	318	186
Fuel used:					
Coal, bituminous..... tons, 2,000 pounds..	76,086	10,835	18,360	29,734	17,157
Coke..... tons, 2,000 pounds..	1,534	428	495	641	43
Wood..... cords..	43				
Fuel oils..... barrels..	62,893				62,893
Gasoline and other volatile oils..... barrels..	1,752	3		93	1,656

¹ Includes enterprises in states as follows: Michigan, 4; Ohio, 2; Virginia, 2.² Includes enterprises in states as follows: Arizona, 1; California, 1; Colorado, 2; Kansas, 3; Nevada, 3; New Mexico, 1; Oklahoma, 5; Oregon, 1; South Dakota, 2; Texas, 3; Utah, 2; Wyoming, 4.