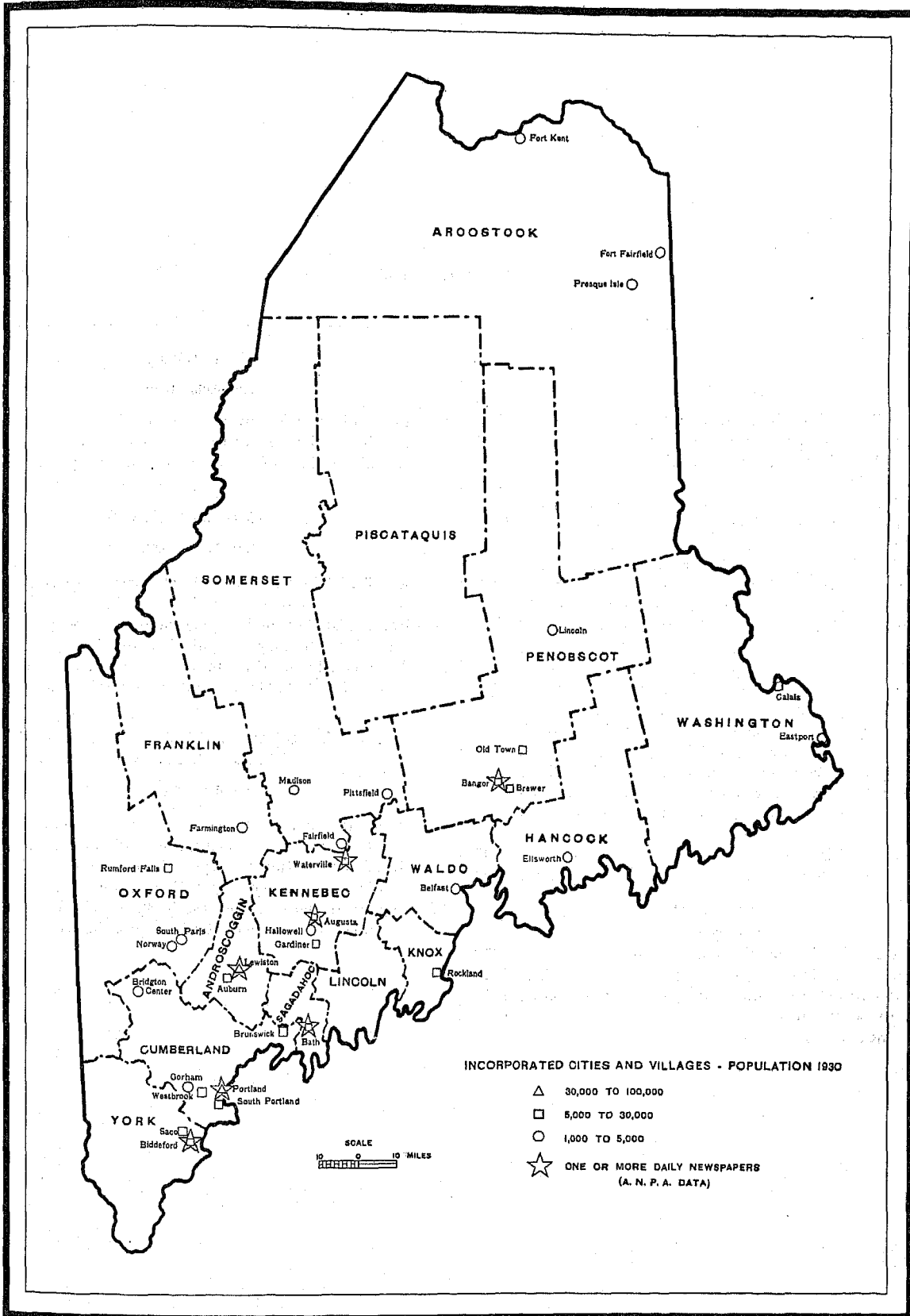


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TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

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KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold—see Table 15)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	11,091	10,379	22,925	5,000	\$28,011,638	\$1,105,911	\$52,549,740	\$307,627,182	100.00
Food group¹.....	3,282	3,035	3,767	1,103	4,357,809	264,128	5,494,620	72,740,891	23.65
Candy and confectionery stores:									
Candy stores—nut stores.....	10	14	14	15	11,668	2,346	4,080	91,421	.03
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	424	449	442	195	370,604	31,610	436,830	4,221,449	1.37
Dairy products stores:									
Dairy products stores (including ice cream) ²	18	10	49	8	54,306	975	17,990	699,453	.23
Egg and poultry dealers.....	3	3	1	—	624	—	2,500	31,250	.01
Milk dealers ²	42	43	129	24	184,093	5,611	9,830	1,510,480	.49
Delicatessen stores.....	7	7	5	2	3,298	190	1,450	34,807	.01
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	133	148	106	56	103,603	13,448	232,350	2,178,807	.71
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1,367	1,013	972	312	1,176,859	78,750	1,941,030	24,573,035	7.99
Combination stores (groceries and meats):									
Grocery stores with meats.....	725	766	1,148	215	1,346,624	50,080	1,862,140	23,797,330	7.74
Meat markets with groceries.....	265	291	576	128	705,610	37,349	790,260	10,867,931	3.33
Meat markets (including sea foods):									
Fish markets—sea foods.....	68	70	88	31	102,373	6,842	38,660	1,171,656	.38
Meat markets.....	98	105	83	24	112,241	6,758	48,970	1,789,730	.58
Bakeries—caterers:									
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	106	104	110	52	129,980	13,766	45,270	1,493,388	.49
Caterers.....	3	4	—	37	5,905	5,905	—	30,241	.01
Other food stores:									
Coffee, tea, spices.....	5	2	23	—	26,713	—	37,010	136,392	.04
Bottled waters and beverages.....	7	5	12	4	23,299	490	—	109,921	.04
General stores.....	840	889	808	179	845,654	43,433	4,814,530	21,068,360	6.85
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	64	68	42	14	38,359	3,052	296,160	1,183,725	.38
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	191	198	98	27	89,464	5,835	657,460	2,665,648	.87
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	585	623	668	138	717,831	34,546	3,860,910	17,218,989	5.00
General merchandise group¹.....	453	367	2,963	611	2,873,924	117,965	6,083,370	26,457,725	8.60
Department stores.....	15	—	1,258	100	1,397,978	33,716	1,799,180	9,709,328	3.16
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:									
Dry goods stores.....	227	214	551	167	560,327	20,000	2,138,540	6,069,100	1.97
Piece goods stores.....	3	2	7	1	7,766	19	27,470	55,035	.02
General merchandise stores:									
With food departments.....	16	15	29	8	35,181	1,665	101,210	843,175	.27
Without food departments.....	65	60	121	78	139,164	11,689	738,170	1,711,228	.56
Army and Navy goods stores.....	4	4	2	4	3,023	423	31,310	56,651	.02
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	121	70	995	193	730,465	40,853	1,228,240	7,999,606	2.60
Automotive group.....	1,892	1,740	4,078	555	5,807,197	159,298	7,270,380	65,380,476	21.25
Motor vehicle dealers:									
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	419	315	2,435	179	3,693,121	57,996	5,532,940	46,639,954	15.16
Used car establishments.....	41	37	88	10	128,795	3,285	121,200	708,855	.25
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	10	9	44	7	52,799	2,137	105,250	702,933	.23
Accessories, tires, and batteries:									
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	31	23	61	9	73,218	2,352	158,360	809,877	.26
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	31	34	35	11	47,100	4,192	63,280	404,788	.13
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	35	26	72	13	120,644	4,965	106,140	1,149,741	.37
Filling stations:									
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	169	150	115	21	119,749	6,051	55,370	1,529,779	.50
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	133	110	162	30	209,087	10,807	171,710	2,525,011	.82
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	369	342	200	78	211,082	10,535	225,630	2,932,970	.95
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:									
Motor cycle dealers.....	3	2	8	1	7,699	150	14,990	87,400	.03
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	4	4	1	—	610	160	3,390	13,212	.01
Bicycle shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Garages and repair shops:									
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	13	14	16	3	17,393	395	9,080	96,090	.03
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	607	651	780	187	1,033,310	55,210	648,100	7,120,406	2.32
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	15	11	40	1	61,345	400	12,960	372,425	.12
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	3	3	4	1	5,140	200	1,550	28,289	.01
Other automotive establishments:									
Aircraft and accessories.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	5	7	17	2	24,495	308	26,470	178,409	.06
Apparel group.....	992	908	2,047	604	2,556,874	121,133	3,988,800	28,830,594	8.72
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:									
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	9	4	14	—	23,524	—	86,460	337,721	.11
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	4	1	5	6	11,416	361	20,520	96,768	.03
Men's furnishings stores.....	51	50	45	14	57,348	2,521	360,790	793,022	.26
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	240	226	453	130	706,158	26,450	3,628,960	8,162,064	2.65
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	104	100	345	97	398,780	19,450	1,209,990	4,496,953	1.46
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	126	115	523	109	614,674	22,907	1,140,850	5,343,362	1.74
Women's accessories stores:									
Corset and lingerie shops.....	20	21	15	10	13,702	1,965	85,030	179,438	.06
Furriers—fur shops.....	8	3	28	8	45,921	2,391	100,250	410,190	.13
Hosiery shops.....	6	1	53	10	53,207	752	29,510	213,226	.07
Knit goods shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores.....	131	130	84	39	98,578	7,909	151,600	872,516	.28
Costume accessories stores, including jewelry, bags, and gloves.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

CENSUS OF DISTRIBUTION

TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

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			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Apparel group—Continued.									
Other apparel stores:									
Children's specialty shops.....	5	4	11	2	\$14,719	\$169	\$43,670	\$84,941	0.03
Custom tailors.....	63	62	129	24	139,364	6,473	75,680	674,564	.19
Dressmakers.....	3	2	10	2	7,479	400	900	36,341	.01
Infants' wear shops.....	4	5	2	3	1,190	312	16,930	30,916	.01
Shoe stores.....	216	181	326	148	405,427	28,549	1,086,150	5,136,606	1.67
Furniture and household group.....	490	310	1,368	241	2,124,132	68,560	4,072,870	13,973,959	4.54
Furniture stores:									
Furniture stores.....	105	76	522	29	871,402	10,157	1,845,880	6,113,670	1.99
Furniture and undertaker.....	32	32	78	30	120,618	5,602	435,340	1,110,489	.36
Furniture and hardware stores.....	16	17	29	12	35,225	1,753	190,590	523,592	.17
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:									
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Floor coverings stores.....	6	4	23	4	28,296	922	79,460	179,593	.06
Household appliances stores:									
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	59	7	277	46	427,168	13,235	369,440	2,051,735	.67
Household appliances stores.....	13	1	87	22	162,415	8,222	161,810	791,872	.28
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	4	2	19		26,500		6,990	131,144	.04
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:									
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	19	20	17	4	30,331	1,145	44,310	134,427	.04
Brushes and brooms.....	3	1	42		69,698			139,583	.04
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, onamelware.....	5	3	12	3	13,532	422	42,160	116,076	.04
Picture and framing stores.....	4	4	1	3	2,557	707	10,550	22,347	.01
Stove and range dealers.....	7	7	11	1	15,343	175	28,360	144,097	.05
Antique shops.....	34	38	29	11	38,774	2,738	390,100	480,322	.16
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	4	4	3		4,050		6,420	38,632	.01
Interior decorators.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores:									
Radio and electrical shops.....	66	58	128	30	171,525	9,420	210,120	1,049,410	.34
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	39	33	78	35	104,382	8,887	246,230	921,291	.30
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	619	672	1,721	326	1,324,595	51,840	212,820	7,820,439	2.54
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:									
Cafeterias.....	11	3	171	5	181,535	1,868	19,980	604,168	.29
Lunch rooms.....	254	280	471	82	337,636	13,005	72,640	2,295,886	.75
Restaurants with table service.....	208	234	992	178	744,630	29,094	93,520	4,054,416	1.32
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:									
Refreshment stands.....	66	68	27	40	12,334	5,247	15,050	202,466	.06
Fountain—lunches.....	3	3	5	4	5,225	849	3,080	30,966	.01
Lunch counters.....	62	68	53	14	41,967	1,129	7,580	304,348	.10
Soft-drink stands.....	15	16	2	3	1,268	648	970	19,189	.01
Lumber and building group.....	390	341	1,696	215	2,423,072	57,846	3,244,450	14,544,219	4.73
Lumber and building material dealers:									
Lumber and building material dealers.....	86	75	555	56	655,441	11,849	1,523,800	5,855,631	1.90
Lumber and hardware.....	37	24	217	26	362,507	7,155	792,900	2,895,088	.94
Roofing.....	5	2	23	1	37,760	200	16,380	110,987	.04
Dealers in any other single building material.....	8	8	10	3	7,141	555	7,350	30,835	.01
Electrical shops (without radio).....	48	40	110	23	169,041	6,804	176,340	830,711	.27
Heating and plumbing shops:									
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	19	13	56	3	98,976	1,037	51,400	586,060	.19
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	131	124	567	83	864,809	24,303	518,540	3,647,833	1.15
Paint and glass stores:									
Glass and mirror shops.....	3	3	3		3,314		9,980	25,520	.01
Paint and glass stores.....	53	52	155	20	223,423	5,943	148,700	600,645	.22
Other retail stores.....	2,140	2,051	4,456	1,148	5,660,391	297,713	2,264,880	58,423,804	18.69
Hardware stores.....	185	170	472	71	649,810	23,861	2,226,810	6,415,349	2.09
Hardware and farm implement stores:									
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	44	51	80	8	101,941	2,336	280,490	1,470,979	.48
Farm implement dealers, with hay, grain, and feed.....	5	6	8	1	8,477	250	35,790	238,515	.08
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	26	21	91	18	133,884	7,386	491,040	1,584,905	.52
Farmers' supplies:									
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	157	103	245	26	323,624	6,444	828,010	8,177,456	2.66
Fertilizer stores.....	18	20	17	2	13,763	154	32,050	438,398	.14
Harness shops.....	26	26	8	4	9,418	700	40,940	175,199	.06
Farmers' supply stores.....	5	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	2	3	16		22,779		39,390	155,792	.05
Cooperage—barrels, boxes, crates, casks.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and feed stores.....	12	11	49	13	59,132	1,820	131,550	1,071,255	.35
Feed stores with groceries.....	163	172	266	26	214,261	6,651	632,610	5,353,367	1.74
Book stores.....	18	17	33	21	31,200	2,802	110,390	384,506	.13
Cigar stores and cigar stands:									
Cigar stores with fountains.....	10	9	14	5	14,521	1,460	21,710	200,983	.07
Cigar stands.....	60	61	42	8	40,910	1,627	35,880	348,863	.11
Cigar stores without fountains.....	53	51	27	11	37,022	3,076	115,960	915,251	.30
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:									
Coal and wood yards.....	223	213	906	234	1,131,689	43,101	978,540	9,633,051	3.13
Ice dealers.....	60	61	255	216	288,262	17,361	75,950	660,462	.21
Drug stores:									
Drug stores.....	151	146	281	61	290,083	17,411	967,820	3,333,047	1.08
Drug stores with fountains.....	227	205	559	134	713,603	33,599	1,582,370	6,982,908	2.25
Florists.....	52	52	163	37	200,021	8,871	141,810	941,392	.31
Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras:									
Toy shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Art and gift shops.....	40	40	49	24	46,049	3,131	168,950	405,639	.13
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	17	17	18	10	23,713	1,268	41,480	135,873	.04
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	5	5	5	5	4,038	1,220	7,010	81,137	.01
Jewelry stores.....	187	197	223	67	280,875	12,158	1,073,350	2,431,655	.79

* Includes some employees engaged in the cutting and storing of ice, the number and pay roll of which are not known.

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Other retail stores—Continued.									
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	7	6	8	3	\$12,179	\$717	\$68,630	\$168,613	0.05
Music stores (without radio).....	14	13	29	12	45,090	1,797	129,230	277,013	.09
News dealers.....	68	63	147	34	134,592	6,509	173,300	1,079,193	.35
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:									
Office and school supplies.....	3	1	6	1	7,425	260	14,610	35,859	.01
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	9	2	70	1	142,726	463	101,210	606,413	.20
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	6	3	26	1	42,828	180	42,020	226,561	.07
Store fixture dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Typewriter dealers.....	1	1	53	—	74,635	—	26,610	235,921	.08
Opticians and optometrists.....	27	23	31	3	53,475	732	61,790	276,438	.09
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:									
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	12	12	16	4	22,842	956	68,790	184,254	.06
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	4	4	6	3	4,481	550	32,290	74,857	.02
Athletic and playground equipment.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail:									
Stationers and printers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Paper and paper products stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Printers and lithographers.....	7	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Stationers and engravers.....	1	7	15	4	13,840	436	40,870	118,375	.04
Monuments and tombstones.....	40	49	53	13	99,644	4,940	207,520	601,130	.16
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	182	195	222	59	297,113	13,115	498,330	2,686,329	.87
Secondhand stores.....									
Tires, accessories, and parts (secondhand).....	8	9	6	0	8,620	2,102	8,910	36,720	.01
Furniture stores (secondhand).....	24	24	9	0	12,043	913	27,690	118,262	.04
Pawn shops (sales).....	8	8	4	—	3,140	—	23,320	64,581	.02
Clothing and shoe stores (secondhand).....	8	9	3	—	2,480	—	21,600	55,995	.02
Building materials and hardware stores (secondhand).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Book stores (secondhand).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Office appliances (secondhand).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other secondhand stores.....	12	12	7	4	7,807	787	34,210	79,404	.03

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
All groups¹.....	11,091	\$28,011,638	\$11,560,745	\$39,572,383	\$28,162,878	22.02	6,143	\$5,672,533	\$202,004,361	2.81
Food group.....	3,282	4,357,809	3,280,603	7,698,412	4,801,417	17.03	1,866	1,063,614	51,113,611	2.08
Candy and confectionery stores:										
Candy stores—nut stores ²	10	11,668	9,324	20,992	17,265	41.85	9	7,923	87,234	9.08
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain) ²	424	370,604	344,383	714,987	494,735	28.66	263	180,573	3,236,548	5.58
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	18	54,306	10,880	65,186	33,419	14.10	13	11,437	595,738	1.92
Egg and poultry dealers.....	3	624	1,872	2,496	906	(x)	—	—	—	—
Milk dealers.....	42	184,093	59,512	243,605	163,599	26.96	10	9,818	558,844	1.76
Delicatessen stores.....	7	3,298	4,354	7,652	6,045	39.35	5	1,500	23,607	6.64
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	133	103,603	125,948	229,551	218,873	20.58	111	90,947	2,010,783	4.52
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1,367	1,176,859	1,144,690	2,321,549	1,564,292	15.81	755	363,125	20,061,951	1.76
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	725	1,346,624	804,814	2,211,438	1,265,844	14.61	370	198,771	13,009,581	1.53
Meat markets with groceries.....	265	705,610	337,560	1,043,170	641,327	15.50	186	123,427	8,195,085	1.51
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods.....	68	102,373	76,020	178,393	115,055	25.05	49	20,609	989,325	2.09
Meat markets.....	98	112,241	133,455	245,696	109,519	19.85	44	26,158	1,224,308	2.14
Bakeries—caterers:										
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries) ²	106	129,989	101,608	231,597	124,218	23.83	64	31,536	902,982	3.49
Caterers.....	3	5,905	4,350	10,261	1,872	(x)	—	—	—	—
Other food stores:										
Coffee, tea, spices.....	5	26,713	2,822	29,035	24,433	39.20	5	5,150	136,892	3.78
Bottled waters and beverages.....	7	23,289	9,505	32,804	19,495	47.53	—	—	—	—
General stores.....	840	845,654	863,411	1,709,065	1,064,842	13.17	188	69,465	5,219,732	1.14
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	64	38,359	57,188	95,547	61,584	13.27	15	4,070	250,666	1.62
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	191	89,484	108,894	208,368	150,253	15.55	40	10,748	750,680	1.43
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	685	717,811	697,329	1,355,100	847,000	12.79	131	44,682	4,218,886	1.06

¹ Group totals may include figures for classifications which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

² Undoubtedly this expense includes some production costs, especially pay roll of some employees engaged both in selling and in making candies and fancy baked goods.

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
General merchandise group	453	\$2,873,924	\$344,452	\$3,218,376	\$3,102,438	24.12	301	\$873,883	\$23,683,451	3.69
Department stores.....	15	1,397,978		1,397,978	1,346,638	28.26	15	277,557	9,709,328	2.80
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores:										
Dry goods stores.....	227	560,327	206,082	766,409	589,912	22.35	149	140,407	5,140,914	2.91
Piece goods stores.....	3	7,786	2,220	10,006	4,726	(x)				
General merchandise stores:										
With food departments.....	10	35,181	17,340	52,521	34,958	10.37	9	4,691	288,027	1.63
Without food departments.....	65	139,184	63,240	202,424	162,875	21.35	30	32,056	929,005	3.45
Army and Navy goods stores.....	4	3,023	5,200	8,223	8,563	(x)	3	2,670	40,767	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	121	730,465	48,510	778,975	1,016,277	22.43	92	405,442	7,535,250	5.38
Automotive group	1,892	5,807,197	2,138,955	7,946,152	6,662,698	20.66	690	699,686	37,191,046	1.88
Motor vehicle dealers:										
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in.....	419	3,693,121	470,205	4,163,326	3,929,066	17.35	220	387,597	28,404,072	1.36
Used-car establishments.....	41	128,795	53,983	182,778	72,485	33.20	20	12,287	240,684	5.11
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	10	52,799	10,359	63,158	49,728	16.06				
Accessories, tires, and batteries:										
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	31	73,218	26,726	99,944	85,377	22.88	24	19,826	727,235	2.73
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	31	47,100	41,684	88,784	49,823	34.24	22	10,352	251,458	4.12
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	35	120,644	41,782	162,426	134,213	25.80	29	28,899	1,053,011	2.74
Filling stations:										
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	169	119,749	148,350	268,099	102,946	24.25	30	26,824	723,020	3.71
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	133	200,087	134,640	334,727	169,783	19.94	53	25,811	962,290	2.71
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	369	211,082	343,020	554,108	194,482	25.52	53	21,836	790,462	2.74
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:										
Motor cycle dealers.....	3	7,699	1,888	9,587	8,476	(x)	3	2,697	87,400	(x)
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	4	610	1,800	2,410	2,170	(x)	3	1,250	6,725	(x)
Garages and repair shops:										
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	13	17,393	14,868	32,261	13,023	47.12	8	3,253	46,872	6.94
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	607	1,033,310	816,354	1,849,664	660,540	35.25	203	134,948	2,915,718	4.63
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	15	61,345	16,784	78,109	74,497	40.98	5	14,920	74,324	20.07
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	3	5,140	3,705	8,845	3,687	(x)	3	1,482	28,289	(x)
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	5	24,495	9,961	34,456	20,877	31.01	4	2,202	177,259	1.24
Apparel group	992	2,566,874	1,107,510	3,674,384	3,455,242	26.54	829	1,104,694	23,753,517	4.65
Men's and boy's clothing and furnishings stores:										
Men's and boy's clothing stores.....	9	23,524	6,720	30,244	32,195	18.49	7	13,590	225,421	6.03
Men's and boy's hat stores.....	4	11,416	2,211	13,627	21,833	(x)	4	18,680	96,768	(x)
Men's furnishings stores.....	51	57,348	60,900	118,248	84,747	25.59	37	30,314	621,129	4.88
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	240	706,156	339,000	1,045,156	1,018,350	25.28	206	258,665	7,250,989	3.67
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's.....	104	398,780	110,000	508,780	599,980	24.66	74	143,731	3,034,620	3.89
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	126	514,674	108,100	622,774	673,432	24.26	112	229,654	4,995,394	4.60
Women's accessories stores:										
Corset and lingerie shops.....	20	13,702	16,422	30,124	29,211	33.07	16	14,416	166,869	8.64
Furriers—fur shops.....	6	45,921	4,665	50,586	58,191	26.52	6	13,262	410,190	3.23
Hosiery shops.....	6	53,207	990	54,197	24,148	36.74	6	6,600	213,226	4.36
Millinery stores.....	131	98,578	140,270	238,848	140,409	43.47	102	84,695	810,209	10.44
Other apparel stores:										
Children's specialty shops.....	5	14,719	5,292	20,011	18,999	45.93	5	5,935	84,941	6.99
Custom tailors.....	63	139,364	63,860	203,224	74,285	48.30	50	32,610	534,725	6.10
Dressmakers.....	3	7,479	1,416	8,895	2,273	(x)	3	1,680	36,341	(x)
Infants' wear shops.....	4	1,190	2,195	3,385	5,517	(x)	3	3,100	18,429	(x)
Shoe stores.....	216	465,427	242,326	707,753	693,027	26.69	186	239,590	4,540,819	5.28
Furniture and household group	420	2,124,132	438,763	2,562,895	2,072,275	33.17	299	367,009	10,440,051	3.58
Furniture stores:										
Furniture stores.....	105	871,402	125,400	996,802	1,032,137	33.19	82	184,890	4,923,874	3.75
Furniture and undertaker.....	32	120,618	47,200	167,818	163,552	29.84	21	26,065	720,852	3.62
Furniture and hardware stores.....	16	35,225	19,618	54,843	56,807	21.08	10	10,980	395,538	2.76
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:										
Floor coverings stores.....	6	28,296	4,760	33,056	30,582	35.43	5	7,333	120,345	6.09
Household appliances stores:										
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	59	427,198	10,332	437,530	284,538	35.19	88	32,389	1,431,769	2.26
Household appliances stores.....	13	162,415	1,772	164,187	105,146	34.01	6	4,784	265,968	1.80
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	4	26,500	2,790	29,290	22,272	(x)	4	3,260	131,144	(x)
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:										
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	19	30,331	34,340	64,671	23,270	65.42	14	8,583	118,582	7.24
Brushes and brooms.....	3	69,898	1,659	71,557	3,012	(x)				
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	5	13,532	3,279	16,811	28,824	39.22	5	9,052	115,076	7.87
Picture and framing stores.....	2	2,587	7,400	9,987	3,743	(x)	3	2,680	20,234	(x)
Stove and range dealers.....	7	15,348	9,653	25,001	9,536	23.97	3	2,010	31,210	6.44
Antique shops.....	34	38,774	47,234	86,008	56,798	29.73	14	8,312	199,642	4.16
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	4	4,050	5,400	9,450	6,471	(x)	4	3,850	38,332	(x)
Radio and music stores:										
Radio and electrical shops.....	66	171,525	73,428	244,953	106,904	33.53	52	24,964	954,234	2.62
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	39	104,382	40,392	144,774	134,731	30.34	32	34,820	806,689	4.30
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	619	1,324,595	442,421	1,767,016	1,196,619	37.13	419	334,720	6,554,896	5.11
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:										
Cafeterias.....	11	181,535	3,162	184,697	164,432	38.61	11	56,779	904,168	6.28
Lunch rooms.....	254	337,636	192,920	530,556	271,841	34.95	193	92,664	1,827,248	5.07
Restaurants with table service.....	208	744,630	168,714	913,344	636,970	38.24	159	166,386	3,451,145	4.82
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:										
Refreshment stands.....	66	12,334	17,612	29,946	23,355	26.33	21	7,092	88,282	8.02
Fountain—lunches.....	3	5,225	2,625	7,850	6,014	(x)	3	2,625	39,966	(x)
Lunch counters.....	62	41,967	52,428	94,395	32,064	41.55	27	8,734	236,787	3.69
Soft-drink stands.....	15	1,268	4,960	6,228	1,943	42.58	5	500	7,230	6.92

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TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
Lumber and building group.....	390	\$2,423,072	\$476,826	\$2,899,898	\$1,471,234	30.05	236	\$139,425	\$7,662,295	1.82
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	86	655,441	87,000	742,441	588,554	22.73	28	26,961	2,272,316	1.19
Lumber and hardware.....	37	302,567	39,312	401,879	262,009	22.95	17	11,522	1,355,597	.85
Roofing.....	5	37,760	3,266	41,026	13,508	49.19	5	1,697	110,987	1.53
Dealers in any other single building material.....	8	7,141	5,272	12,413	7,252	63.77				
Electrical shops (without radio).....	48	169,641	59,200	228,841	99,031	39.47	41	18,205	700,185	2.39
Heating and plumbing shops:										
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	19	98,076	22,737	121,713	76,741	33.81	14	6,403	288,473	2.22
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	131	864,809	153,768	1,048,577	332,188	33.92	95	47,484	2,359,936	2.01
Paint and glass stores:										
Glass and mirror shops.....	3	3,314	3,315	6,629	2,253	(x)				
Paint and glass stores.....	53	223,423	72,956	296,379	89,008	63.33	33	29,953	494,272	5.25
Other retail stores.....	2,140	5,660,391	2,449,484	8,109,875	5,371,475	23.08	1,255	1,007,558	36,085,087	2.79
Hardware stores.....	185	649,819	237,354	887,173	553,446	22.40	111	84,186	3,527,916	2.39
Hardware and farm implement stores:										
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	44	101,941	63,495	165,436	111,239	18.81				
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	5	8,477	6,168	14,645	8,786	9.52	3	797	129,149	.62
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	26	133,854	29,190	163,074	135,317	18.83	15	18,561	1,026,729	1.81
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	157	323,624	133,385	457,009	318,067	9.48	69	29,907	3,232,700	.93
Fertilizer stores.....	18	13,763	16,020	29,783	18,490	11.01	4	2,292	242,070	.95
Harness shops.....	26	9,418	28,340	37,758	16,450	30.94	19	5,004	161,290	3.10
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	5	22,779	4,272	27,051	18,416	29.18	3	4,471	146,542	3.05
Coal and feed stores.....	12	59,132	12,969	72,101	98,848	15.96	4	2,389	329,175	.73
Feed stores with groceries.....	163	214,261	173,376	387,637	259,000	12.08	46	17,682	2,003,379	.88
Book stores.....	18	31,200	14,637	45,837	52,621	25.61	13	13,961	290,902	4.80
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stores with fountains.....	10	14,521	8,388	22,909	27,303	24.98	9	15,570	185,685	8.39
Cigar stands.....	60	40,910	57,035	97,945	49,626	42.30	40	22,893	264,617	8.65
Cigar stores without fountains.....	53	37,022	64,107	101,129	61,564	17.78	35	32,571	652,927	4.99
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:										
Coal and wood yards.....	223	1,131,689	255,813	1,387,502	1,025,604	25.05	101	55,773	6,473,343	.66
Ice dealers ¹	60	288,262	64,782	353,044	137,660	74.28	15	10,247	397,868	2.58
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	151	290,083	172,280	462,363	309,879	23.17	102	79,874	2,345,197	3.41
Drug stores with fountains.....	227	713,603	249,280	962,883	651,807	23.29	186	210,561	5,910,207	3.56
Florists.....	52	200,021	61,100	261,121	169,694	45.76	25	25,884	485,071	5.34
Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras:										
Art and gift shops.....	40	46,049	35,040	81,089	67,808	36.71	31	27,482	334,812	8.21
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	17	23,713	21,199	44,912	22,533	49.64	11	3,955	71,567	5.53
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	5	4,038	2,020	6,058	1,748	27.96				
Jewelry stores.....	187	280,875	237,385	518,260	370,786	36.56	163	134,841	2,145,133	6.29
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	7	12,179	8,598	20,777	18,269	23.16	6	5,550	163,013	3.39
Music stores (without radio).....	14	45,090	19,409	64,499	54,296	42.88	10	11,376	205,566	5.53
News dealers.....	68	134,592	54,873	189,465	111,462	27.88	53	55,376	943,977	5.87
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	3	7,425	1,194	8,619	3,461	(x)	3	1,094	35,859	(x)
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	9	142,726	3,602	146,328	68,312	35.40	8	8,756	605,117	1.45
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	6	42,828	4,920	47,748	28,375	33.60	5	5,921	210,003	2.82
Typewriter dealers.....	6	74,635	1,408	76,043	40,059	49.21	6	5,749	235,921	2.44
Opticians and optometrists.....	27	53,475	39,123	92,598	47,334	50.62	24	20,679	263,418	7.85
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:										
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	12	22,842	16,416	39,258	20,364	32.36	5	7,795	59,629	13.07
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	4	4,481	2,620	7,101	9,374	(x)				
Stationers and engravers.....	7	13,840	6,238	20,078	15,679	30.22	6	5,536	101,652	5.45
Monuments and tombstones.....	46	99,644	87,553	187,207	77,600	52.84	10	3,842	129,087	2.98
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	182	297,113	249,405	546,518	336,021	(x)	87	53,011	1,383,570	(x)
Secondhand stores.....	63	37,990	68,330	106,320	64,538	44.18	42	22,479	300,766	7.47

¹Includes some employees engaged in the cutting and storing of ice, the number and pay roll of which are not known.

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued
STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (including totals shown in Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Other retail stores—Continued.																
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:																
Office and school supplies.....	3	36								2	27	1	8			
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	9	606	3	469			2	86		3	49			1	1	
Office and store furniture and equipment-dealers.....	6	227	1	160			1	37		2	29	1	7	1	3	
Typewriter dealers.....	6	236			3	186				3	50					
Opticians and optometrists.....	27	277					2	74	2	44	2	31	14	106	7	22
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:																
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	12	184			1	61	1	37	1	21	2	36	4	27	3	3
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	4	75					1	36			2	36			1	2
Stationers and engravers.....	7	118			1	52					3	47	3	19		
Monuments and tombstones.....	40	501					3	94	6	149	13	174	8	56	10	29
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	182	2,658	2	349	5	368	16	587	20	468	40	521	35	245	64	155
Secondhand stores.....	68	387					1	39	2	60	11	139	10	66	39	91

TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS
STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES
[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (included in Table 4A)		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES EX- CEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WITH AN NUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH AN- NUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups.....	151	57,985	6	8,577	21	13,774	46	16,550	79	19,085
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	1.36	18.85	.05	2.79	.19	4.48	.41	5.38	.71	6.20
Food group.....	7	2,947			2	1,516	3	979	2	452
Milk dealers.....	2	(x)								
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	3	789					1	337	2	452
Meat market with groceries.....	2	(x)								
General stores.....	3	878					1	308	2	572
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	3	878					1	306	2	572
General merchandise group.....	25	13,798	4	6,322	3	2,124	8	2,966	10	2,386
Department stores.....	9	8,823	4	6,322	2	1,622	1	425	2	464
Dry-goods stores.....	5	(x)								
General merchandise stores with food departments.....	1	(x)								
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores.....	10	3,303			1	502	5	1,814	4	957
Automotive group.....	66	24,599	1	1,076	12	7,784	21	8,088	32	7,651
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in.....	63	23,851	1	1,076	12	7,784	21	8,088	29	6,908
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	1	(x)								
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	1	(x)								
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	1	(x)								
Apparel group.....	8	2,902			2	1,161	2	616	4	925
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	1	(x)								
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	3	(x)								
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	4	1,611			1	595	2	816	1	200
Furniture and household group.....	5	1,455					2	640	3	815
Furniture stores.....	5	1,455					2	640	3	815
Lumber and building group.....	11	3,184					5	1,729	6	1,455
Lumber and building material dealers:										
Lumber and building material dealers.....	6	1,328					3	1,054	3	774
Lumber and hardware.....	3	(x)								
Heating and plumbing shops:										
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	1	(x)								
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	1	(x)								
Other retail stores.....	26	8,223	1	1,179	2	1,189	3	1,026	20	4,839
Hardware stores.....	4	1,323			1	568			3	755
Hardware and farm implement stores:										
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	2	(x)								
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	1	(x)								
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	4	1,531			1	621	2	682	1	226
Coal and feed stores.....	1	(x)								
Feed stores with groceries.....	1	(x)								
Coal and wood yards.....	8	2,802	1	1,179					7	1,683
Drug stores with fountains.....	3	788					1	344	2	444
Jewelry stores.....	1	(x)								

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TABLE 5A.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	11,081	10,379	22,925	5,000	\$28,011,638	\$1,105,911	\$28,162,678	\$62,549,740	\$307,627,182	100.00
Single-store independents.....	9,255	9,612	16,921	3,813	20,482,545	328,532	20,394,330	40,733,130	223,319,814	72.00
2-store independents.....	372	206	1,476	242	1,913,711	40,183	1,975,813	3,572,830	18,937,861	6.16
3-store independents.....	67	30	335	63	487,000	15,875	413,961	555,410	4,058,647	1.32
Local chains.....	152	4	551	39	801,323	12,877	737,361	1,408,890	8,406,861	2.73
Sectional chains.....	316		719	104	916,741	49,533	1,113,734	1,015,320	10,533,945	3.44
National chains.....	320		1,545	379	1,630,643	83,523	1,968,219	1,994,260	21,486,505	6.99
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	22	15	123	1	151,262	55	27,541	16,880	411,418	.13
Roadside markets or stands ¹	15	16	3	8	2,034	1,034	3,716	3,080	46,071	.01
Itinerant vendors.....	21	23	15	12	27,133	5,262	18,707	20,990	315,115	.10
Rolling stores.....	28	28	5	19	12,158	3,870	15,566	11,720	349,536	.11
Industrial stores (including commissaries).....	5		10	1	11,772	104	1,585	30,150	173,606	.06
Leased-department chains.....	9		14	9	12,127	655	22,078	20,760	102,788	.03
Utility-operated retail stores.....	68		248	67	403,977	26,487	309,360	418,880	2,174,660	.71
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	32		194	15	368,631	2,887	208,670	320,220	1,868,910	.61
Cooperative stores ¹	17		75	2	105,388	605	75,526	239,230	1,981,043	.64
Retailers—country buyers ¹	328	370	447	92	407,146	19,218	571,415	1,573,210	9,221,303	3.00
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	64	63	231	38	270,458	7,984	288,125	537,120	3,847,748	1.25
All other types.....	10	12	8	6	7,589	1,227	16,971	18,610	340,751	.11

¹ These classifications are used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 population. The stores are usually independently operated.

TABLE 5B.—THE STATE—COUNTY DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[See Tables 13 and 14 for detailed county figures]
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

COUNTY	TOTAL		INDEPENDENT STORES			SECTIONAL AND NATIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales
Total	11,091	\$307,627	9,694	\$246,316	80	636	\$32,071	10	761	\$28,240	10
Androscoggin.....	958	30,871	870	25,719	83	54	3,562	12	34	1,590	5
Aroostook.....	1,099	28,212	962	20,952	74	38	2,453	9	99	4,807	17
Cumberland.....	1,868	72,650	1,552	57,615	79	166	9,007	13	145	6,027	8
Franklin.....	252	6,590	214	4,423	67	9	336	5	29	1,326	28
Hancock.....	425	10,632	398	8,803	83	16	756	7	11	1,073	10
Kennebec.....	721	25,939	648	21,815	84	50	2,867	11	23	1,254	5
Knox.....	514	12,486	455	10,493	84	20	805	6	39	1,188	10
Lincoln.....	266	4,858	238	4,172	86	14	422	9	14	264	5
Oxford.....	553	13,217	492	10,852	82	31	1,364	10	30	1,061	8
Penobscot.....	1,364	38,812	1,142	31,307	81	75	3,731	9	147	3,774	10
Piscataquis.....	226	5,226	198	4,344	83	13	488	9	16	394	8
Sagadahoc.....	264	5,340	237	4,440	83	13	582	11	14	309	6
Somerset.....	626	13,395	535	9,509	71	18	971	7	73	2,915	22
Waldo.....	277	5,534	234	3,919	71	9	373	7	34	1,242	22
Washington.....	482	8,663	452	7,361	85	16	944	11	14	858	4
York.....	1,201	25,202	1,067	20,574	82	94	3,410	13	40	1,218	5

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TABLE 6.—THE STATE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independent	2 and 3 store independent systems	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	15	7	1		1	0	
Annual net sales.....	\$9,709,328	\$8,002,958	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.35	(x)		(x)	(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	121	60	2		4	55	
Annual net sales.....	\$7,999,608	(x)	(x)		\$336,374	\$6,058,025	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		4.20	80.98	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	304	270	17	8	4	3	2
Annual net sales.....	\$9,389,575	\$7,317,700	\$814,263	\$897,014	\$171,080	\$81,518	\$108,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.94	8.67	9.55	1.82	.87	1.15
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	104	88	7		6	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$4,496,953	\$3,457,256	\$550,803		\$368,050	\$120,844	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.88	12.25		8.18	2.69	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	126	98	10		7	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,343,362	\$4,221,041	\$569,295		(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.00	10.65		(x)	(x)	
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	216	156	20		19	8	13
Annual net sales.....	\$5,136,606	\$2,903,036	\$747,014		\$819,605	\$130,797	\$636,154
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	56.52	14.54		15.95	2.55	10.44
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	153	131	20				2
Annual net sales.....	\$7,753,751	\$5,780,468	\$1,897,619				\$66,664
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	74.67	24.47				.86
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	105	101	3		1		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,970,701	\$1,888,728	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.84	(x)		(x)		
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	1,367	895	19	9	200	193	51
Annual net sales.....	\$24,573,035	\$7,786,738	\$288,907	\$160,058	\$5,834,012	\$9,824,629	\$678,691
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	31.69	1.18	.65	23.74	39.98	2.76
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	990	897	29	11	2	15	86
Annual net sales.....	\$34,665,261	\$30,373,976	\$1,312,957	\$194,763	(x)	(x)	\$980,963
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	87.62	3.79	.56	(x)	(x)	2.83
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	473	454	17				2
Annual net sales.....	\$7,254,470	\$6,486,675	\$750,086				\$17,109
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.42	10.36				.23
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	123	111	6			4	2
Annual net sales.....	\$1,465,097	\$1,043,810	\$147,706			\$262,081	\$11,500
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	71.25	10.08			17.89	.78
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	671	553	24	31	45	7	11
Annual net sales.....	\$6,987,760	\$4,514,751	\$802,034	\$820,975	\$545,327	\$140,129	\$164,544
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.61	11.48	11.75	7.80	2.01	2.35
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	283	274	5				4
Annual net sales.....	\$10,293,513	\$9,784,599	\$479,687				\$29,227
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.06	4.66				.28
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	378	350	24			4	
Annual net sales.....	\$10,265,955	\$8,602,440	\$1,068,184			\$595,322	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.80	10.40			5.80	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	185	175	7				3
Annual net sales.....	\$6,415,349	\$5,837,029	\$160,750				\$417,570
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.98	2.51				6.51
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	187	182	2				3
Annual net sales.....	\$2,431,655	\$2,291,186	(x)				(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	94.22	(x)				(x)

TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS
[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS										ALL CASH	TOTAL	
	1 to 10 per cent credit	11 to 20 per cent credit	21 to 30 per cent credit	31 to 40 per cent credit	41 to 50 per cent credit	51 to 60 per cent credit	61 to 70 per cent credit	71 to 80 per cent credit	Over 80 per cent credit	Num-ber of stores			Net sales
	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores	Num-ber of stores				
Total, all stores reporting:¹	9,868	4,531	481	521	641	974	362	389	496	1,345	11	288	\$3,685
Number of stores.....	100.00	45.91	4.87	5.28	6.50	9.74	3.67	3.94	5.03	13.63	0.23	19	1,047
Per cent of total sales.....	\$280,135	\$94,311	\$14,789	\$18,890	\$19,400	\$16,609	\$19,377	\$17,974	\$31,327	\$30,622	\$8,993	\$94,311	\$280,135
Amount of net sales.....	100.00	33.67	5.27	6.74	6.92	5.93	6.92	6.42	11.25	10.93	2.71	33.67	100.00
Per cent of total sales.....													
Food group:													
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	15	11	5	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	\$62
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	15	11	5	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	\$62
Delicatessen stores.....	7	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	\$62
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	105	1,101	50	135	135	2	12	22	12	33	30	43	\$293
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1,277	781	18,660	142	1,350	87	510	70	964	33	479	30	\$293
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	682	22,310	107	6,786	352	32	728	69	2,174	49	1,544	66	\$2,638
Grocery stores with meats.....	245	10,229	69	2,639	12	237	17	573	19	23	17	17	\$1,547
Meat markets with groceries.....	56	1,088	29	317	4	4	4	2	3	1	1	1	\$10
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	53	1,360	38	647	6	6	6	5	7	3	3	3	\$63
Fish markets—sea foods.....	96	1,347	54	713	23	375	4	82	4	3	3	3	\$75
Meat markets.....													
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufac-turing bakeries).....	15	7,709	7	2,247	2	1,531	2	2,012	4	2	1,257	3	\$2,419
General merchandise group:													
Department stores.....	188	5,311	120	2,069	37	853	15	521	4	811	3	16	\$209
Dry goods stores.....	16	843	5	181	1	28	1	32	1	192	1	209	\$104
General merchandise stores.....	57	1,571	13	408	2	127	1	12	1	0	1	1	\$10
Without food departments.....	113	7,753	103	7,753	5	79	2	12	1	0	1	1	\$10
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....													
Automotive group:													
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	366	40,033	65	4,702	23	3,343	31	4,095	28	4,028	23	2,601	\$3,317
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	29	696	16	328	3	19	3	83	2	78	1	33	\$155
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	32	943	8	86	1	64	2	64	2	64	2	292	\$141
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....													
Filling stations.....	126	809	93	455	5	79	6	106	6	32	1	4	\$22
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	110	2,179	59	1,021	20	602	10	167	2	110	1	2	\$4
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	301	2,248	218	1,222	27	300	23	181	4	19	5	353	\$12
Filling stations with other merchandise.....													
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, acces-sories).....	552	6,514	176	1,720	74	908	66	779	56	661	21	374	\$385
Apparel group:													
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	8	320	5	247	2	50	4	23	1	23	1	23	\$29
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	43	680	31	446	3	65	2	32	2	32	2	32	\$173
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	220	7,709	91	2,149	46	1,332	13	600	7	398	5	598	\$607
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	92	3,917	28	936	15	467	3	62	4	196	2	285	\$156
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—ap-parel and accessories.....	109	4,968	43	1,177	27	880	8	467	2	159	4	594	\$338
Women's accessories stores.....	6	410	1	91	1	10	1	115	1	79	1	7	\$185
Furriers—fur shops.....	111	765	66	440	26	148	8	31	3	83	1	1	\$7
Millinery stores.....	198	4,768	134	3,213	29	674	14	340	7	187	3	15	\$15
Shoe stores.....													
Furniture and household group:													
Furniture stores.....	102	5,979	18	613	5	39	3	53	9	220	11	519	\$338
Household appliances stores.....	48	1,402	2	54	3	89	3	312	3	312	5	78	\$182
Household appliances stores (electrical).....	12	744	1	2	1	2	1	43	1	118	1	134	\$8
Household appliances stores.....	61	1,019	19	174	6	110	3	34	7	136	3	36	\$164
Radio and musical stores.....	36	868	9	151	5	59	2	14	4	113	2	33	\$96
Radio and musical instrument stores.....													

¹ All stores did not report as to their credit activities or whether they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 1 except for 1,223 stores with sales of \$27,492,822 which failed to report as to their credit activities.

TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS—Continued
 NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
 [Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS										OVER 80 PER CENT CREDIT										
	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	ALL CASH		1 to 10 per cent credit		11 to 20 per cent credit		21 to 30 per cent credit		31 to 40 per cent credit		41 to 50 per cent credit		51 to 60 per cent credit		61 to 70 per cent credit		71 to 80 per cent credit		Over 80 per cent credit		
			Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores
Lumber and building group:	78	\$5,167	13	\$323	6	\$243	4	\$19	4	\$49	1		4	\$74	7	\$197	6	\$468	3	\$160	30	\$3,329	
Lumber and building material dealers	46	527	11	262	3	66	4	97	4	41	3	61	7	68	7	61	7	68	3	51	10	173	
Electrical shops (with out radio)	19	587	5	101	2	291	2	7	2	49	1	\$10	2	49	1	57	1	76	1	9	3	38	
Heating, plumbing, and oil burners	123	3,338	22	534	9	248	12	303	4	31	4	31	3	96	6	87	5	124	9	277	47	1,564	
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating	48	593	14	108	3	26	6	61	1	2	3	55	2	24	2	6	2	24	4	57	10	239	
Paint and glass stores																							
Other retail stores:	176	6,264	45	1,490	17	401	14	628	18	373	28	722	10	441	11	445	14	445	14	808	8	259	
Hardware stores	141	7,692	24	750	22	1,227	8	318	18	670	16	541	20	1,410	8	472	14	472	14	1,029	4	917	
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer)	15	315	7	120	3	33	1	33	1	33	5	5	2	63	2	63	1	63	1	21			
Book stores	47	730	37	519	7	203	2	3	1	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	
Cigar stores without fountains	196	5,724	40	1,279	17	384	17	544	11	304	14	262	18	564	9	1,222	15	975	20	882	35	2,308	
Drug stores	131	2,861	78	1,546	41	1,092	7	181	1	40	3	210	3	43	3	58	5	134	3	183	5	154	
Drug stores with fountains	201	6,265	123	3,626	61	2,046	10	306	4	167	1	1	1	43	3	58	5	134	3	183	5	154	
Florists	48	859	18	172	3	42	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Camera dealers—photographic supplies	5	31	3	24	3	24	7	281	5	88	3	181	2	85	3	263	2	12	2	7	1	7	
Jewelry stores	160	2,176	92	818	25	210	20	262	7	281	5	88	3	181	2	85	3	263	2	12	1	11	
Music stores (without radio)	13	254	3	15	1	13	2	134	2	134	3	13	1	3	1	3	2	60	2	60	1	11	
Music stores (with radio)																							
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers	5	556	1	132	1	3	1	7	1	7	1	41	1	41	1	41	1	41	1	174	2	209	
Office and store mechanical appliances dealers (retail)	5	556	1	132	1	3	1	7	1	7	1	41	1	41	1	41	1	41	1	174	2	209	
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers	5	210	1	151	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	37	1	12	
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment	10	178	4	28	1	10	1	61	1	61	1	17	1	19	1	6	1	6	1	37	1	12	
Sporting goods specialty stores	4	76	1	36	3	49	1	37	1	37	1	17	1	19	1	6	1	6	1	37	1	12	
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery	4	76	1	36	3	49	1	37	1	37	1	17	1	19	1	6	1	6	1	37	1	12	
Stationers and engravers	5	96	3	29	3	49	1	37	1	37	1	17	1	19	1	6	1	6	1	37	1	12	

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TABLE 8.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE	Number of stores reporting credit sales	Total net sales of such stores	Net credit sales of such stores	Ratio of credit sales to total sales in stores reporting credit sales	Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹	TYPE	Number of stores reporting credit sales	Total net sales of such stores	Net credit sales of such stores	Ratio of credit sales to total sales in stores reporting credit sales	Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹
Total.....	5,337	\$185,824,500	\$85,870,354	46.21	\$10,190,399	Other types of operation—Continued.					
Independent stores ²	4,812	161,970,309	74,052,535	45.72	8,330,256	Rolling stores.....	17	\$238,804	\$31,453	13.17	
Local chains.....	78	7,104,908	3,878,084	54.58	462,040	Utility-operated retail stores.....	66	2,108,851	1,382,116	65.54	\$609,136
Sectional chains.....	16	1,303,903	725,539	55.64	534,608	Cooperative stores ³	11	1,317,023	574,430	43.62	
National chains.....	8	658,713	415,273	63.04	183,955	Retailers—country buyers ⁴	203	7,261,488	2,900,600	39.95	
Other types of operation:						Retailers—wholesalers ⁴	44	2,796,431	1,389,548	49.69	
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	7	74,252	44,337	59.71	31,404	All other types.....	11	719,361	415,198	57.72	39,000
Itinerant vendors.....	15	270,517	61,172	22.61							

¹ Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported in places having less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor by any stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Therefore this column can not be related to the credit sales column because it is incomplete. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customer's notes are handled through finance companies.

² Includes single-store independents, 2 and 3 store independents.

³ These classifications are used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 population. These stores are usually independently operated.

TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—REPORTED RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS ¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total.....	17,050	\$6,588,055	Other stores in which meals are served—Continued.		
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	15,470	6,258,140	Grocery stores (without meats).....	80	\$13,384
Cafeterias.....	768	643,631	Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	62	12,598
Lunch rooms.....	4,480	1,047,572	Fish markets—sea foods.....	15	1,050
Restaurants with table service.....	9,654	3,758,440	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	224	37,821
Fountain—lunches.....	16	18,289	Department stores.....	100	21,897
Lunch counters.....	256	190,202	Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	26	9,800
Other stores in which meals are served.....	1,580	329,915	Filling stations with merchandise.....	334	46,076
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	598	143,032	Cigar stores without fountains.....	18	15,300
Delicatessen stores.....	50	5,480	Art and gift shops.....	12	1,423
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	38	14,160	Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	23	7,286

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject is contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be taken into consideration in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE ¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	1,459	\$8,061,638	\$251,502	Automotive group—Continued.			
Food group.....	2	8,825		Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	20	\$140,449	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	1	1,825		Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	16	67,339	
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	2	7,000		Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	7	47,807	\$7,661
General stores.....		1,562		Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	23	161,937	
General stores—groceries with merchandise.....		1,502		Filling stations with other merchandise.....	9	34,184	
General merchandise group.....		500		Motor cycle dealers.....	2	9,800	
General merchandise stores.....		500		Body, fender, and paint shops.....	11	56,577	
Automotive group.....	1,456	5,986,561	251,502	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	486	2,301,687	46,308
Automotive sales rooms—new and used.....	836	2,081,101	97,423	Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	3	18,215	92,439
Used-car establishments.....	26	92,206	7,666	Radiator shops (including repairs).....	4	11,579	
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	3	9,140		Other retail stores.....	1	2,100	
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	10	54,537		Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	1	2,100	
				Secondhand stores.....		2,160	

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

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TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE—Continued

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE ¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total	\$2, 886, 404	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group	44, 488	Household appliances stores.....	\$2, 399
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	17, 189	Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	11, 000
Grocery stores (without meats).....	23, 848	Antique and used furniture dealers.....	26, 111
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	2, 500	Picture and framing stores.....	6, 700
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	929	Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	881
		Radio and electrical shops.....	65, 137
General stores	2, 255	Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6, 018
General stores—groceries with merchandise.....	2, 255	Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	6, 377
		Lunch rooms.....	6, 377
General merchandise group	86, 499	Lumber and building group	959, 598
Department stores.....	60, 022	Lumber and building material dealers.....	29, 430
Dry goods stores.....	1, 250	Lumber and hardware.....	66, 383
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-and-20-dollar stores.....	1, 250	Roofing.....	990
General merchandise stores.....	23, 977	Electrical shops (without radio).....	104, 015
Automotive group	64, 837	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	19, 768
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	11, 282	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	642, 708
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	750	Glass and mirror shops.....	3, 600
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	2, 700	Paint and glass stores.....	92, 759
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	1, 525	Other retail stores	1, 042, 434
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	600	Hardware stores.....	138, 710
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	14, 927	Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	18, 174
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	1, 500	Hardware and farm implement stores.....	5, 300
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	8, 153	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	1, 350
Boats (motor boats, yachts, and canoes).....	23, 400	Harness shops.....	16, 095
		Feed stores with groceries.....	3, 372
Apparel group	232, 028	Coal and wood yards.....	92, 278
Men's furnishings stores.....	6, 084	Ice dealers.....	3, 344
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	6, 237	Drug stores with fountains.....	8, 213
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	2, 585	Art and gift shops.....	32, 922
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	3, 800	Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	7, 000
Corset and lingerie shops.....	516	Jewelry stores.....	247, 494
Furriers—fur shops.....	50, 057	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	4, 656
Hosiery shops.....	11, 926	Music stores (without radio).....	681
Millinery stores.....	3, 190	News dealers.....	3, 637
Custom tailors.....	84, 753	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	47, 522
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	62, 880	Typewriter dealers.....	5, 949
Furniture and household group	231, 787	Opticians and optometrists.....	22, 316
Furniture stores.....	7, 400	Sporting goods specialty stores.....	6, 500
Furniture and undertaker.....	74, 681	Monuments and tombstones.....	16, 456
Furniture and hardware stores.....	14, 075	Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	268, 465
Household appliances stores (electric).....	18, 428	Secondhand stores	10, 148

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

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TABLE 10.—THE STATE—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹
Total	\$1,566,867	\$8,219,282	\$1,013,579	Furniture and household group	\$73,545	\$28,167	\$223,890
Food group	402,743	433,789		Furniture stores.....	7,045		182,437
Candy and confectionery stores—				Household appliances stores—			
Candy stores—nut stores.....	12,202			Household appliances stores (electric).....			11,890
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	196,848	8,758		Household appliances stores.....		8,157	21,709
Dairy products stores—				Other home furnishings and appliances stores—			
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....		71,908		Antique and used furniture dealers.....		1,000	
Milk dealers.....		15,194		Stove and range dealers.....	66,500		
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....		34,195		Antique shops.....		19,000	
Grocery stores (without meats).....	3,090	20,822		Radio and musical instruments stores.....			7,854
Combination stores (groceries and meats)—				Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	53,849		
Grocery stores with meats.....	56,478	105,699		Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms—			
Meat markets with groceries.....	19,773	34,583		Lunch rooms.....	11,770		
Meat markets (including sea foods)—				Restaurants with table service.....	40,579		
Fish markets—sea foods.....		30,060		Fountain—lunches.....	1,000		
Meat markets.....	37,668	22,550		Lumber and building group	346,393	240,498	40,088
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	75,184	84,020		Lumber and building material dealers—			
Bottled waters and beverages.....	2,500			Lumber and building material dealers.....	178,974	187,201	33,352
General stores	1,440	493,324		Lumber and hardware.....	151,929	36,367	2,771
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	1,440	12,963		Electrical shops (without radio).....		5,500	
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....		16,802		Heating and plumbing shops—			
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....		463,559		Heating appliances and oil burners.....			3,965
General merchandise group	10,803	142,475	142,683	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	15,490	9,930	
Department stores.....	10,803		138,123	Paint and glass stores.....		1,500	
Dry goods stores.....			4,560	Other retail stores	402,808	1,668,922	98,504
General merchandise stores—				Hardware stores.....	20,067	192,576	18,127
With food departments.....		138,050		Hardware and farm implement stores—			
Without food departments.....		4,425		Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers.....		162,089	
Automotive group	106,919	3,095,077	366,980	Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	15,000		
Motor vehicle dealers—				Farmers' supplies—			
Automobile sales rooms—new and used.....	90,800	2,804,947	350,094	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	199,743	402,362	6,407
Used-car establishments.....		3,187	9,052	Harness shops.....	5,795		
Accessories, tires and batteries—				Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	10,000	22,835	1,368
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....		123,051		Coal and feed stores.....	29,525	330,970	
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....		24,170		Feed stores with groceries.....	1,000		1,500
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....		22,500	5,763	Book stores.....			
Filling stations—				Cigar stores and cigar stands—			
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....		12,659		Cigar stands.....		1,200	
Filling stations with other merchandise.....		4,000		Cigar stores without fountains.....	1,125	87,898	
Garages and repair shops—				Coal and wood yards—ice dealers—			
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	1,000			Coal and wood yards.....	7,430	259,898	29,816
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	12,919	95,563	2,071	Ice dealers.....		8,847	
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes).....	2,200			Drug stores—			
Apparel group	168,089	119,020	141,434	Drug stores.....	10,250	3,475	
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....		58,770	41,331	Drug stores with fountains.....	12,652	8,769	
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....			15,907	Florists.....		55,397	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....		44,223	62,961	Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras—			
Women's accessories stores—				Art and gift shops.....		20,097	
Furriers—fur shops.....	69,930		8,915	Novelty and souvenir shops.....	1,200	1,285	
Millinery stores.....		11,523		Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	5,000	3,300	
Custom tailors.....	98,139			Jewelry stores.....	2,575	2,015	5,151
Shoe stores.....		4,504	12,320	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	14,000	20,021	
				News dealers.....	1,147	10,661	5,922
				Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....		15,987	30,213
				Opticians and optometrists.....	26,380		
				Stationers and engravers.....	7,745		
				Monuments and tombstones.....	19,297		
				Miscellaneous classifications, (combined).....	12,075	67,330	

¹ Merchandise manufactured on sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of services and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies, and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places of less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no returned goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

TABLE 11 A.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES, BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES

Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power laundry sales include the full amount received for work done. The cleaning and dyeing establishments' sales include both retail and wholesale, the retail sales for the State aggregating \$782,826.]

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929	Number of mills	Net sales 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929	Number of establishments	Net sales 1929
State total.....	99	\$1,974,155	45	\$1,629,158	73	\$2,163,323	24	\$854,102

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TABLE 11 B.—THE STATE—COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING) OF FARM PRODUCTS, BY RETAILERS WHO ARE ALSO ASSEMBLERS

[An (x) indicates the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Retailers who are also country buyers are included in the retail census. That part of their business which is the assembling of farm products is shown below]

COUNTY	TOTAL COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)	COUNTY	TOTAL COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)	COUNTY	TOTAL COUNTRY BUYING (assembling)
State total.....	\$2,070,103	Hancock.....	(x)	Piscataquis.....	(x)
Androscoggin.....	23,880	Kennebec.....	\$5,550	Sagadahoc.....	\$7,155
Aroostock.....	1,176,146	Knox.....	85,739	Somerset.....	188,455
Cumberland.....	7,735	Lincoln.....	6,509	Waldo.....	218,404
Franklin.....	114,285	Oxford.....	30,940	Washington.....	9,200
		Penobscot.....	186,854	York.....	12,400

TABLE 11 C.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹
Total.....	\$8,428,758	\$8,563,353	Groceries and food specialties.....	\$288,833	\$287,833
Amusement and sporting goods.....	(x)	59,421	Groceries (general line).....	223,820	223,820
Automotive.....	2,007,880	2,007,880	Food and grocery specialties.....	65,013	74,013
Automobiles and other motor vehicles.....	1,865,807	1,865,807	Hardware.....	493,682	493,682
Automotive equipment.....	105,923	105,923	Iron and steel scrap and other waste materials; junk and scrap.....	(x)	8,718
Automobile parts (new and used).....	(x)	(x)	Leather and leather goods (except gloves and shoes).....	1,000	1,000
Tires and tubes.....	(x)	(x)	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	66,787	66,787
Chemicals, drugs, and allied products; paints, varnishes, lacquers, and enamels.....	51,951	51,951	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	18,854	18,854
Dry goods and apparel.....	240,325	240,325	Lumber and millwork.....	47,933	47,933
Dry goods (general line).....	(x)	(x)	Machinery, equipment and supplies (except electrical)....	258,878	261,155
Millinery and millinery supplies.....	(x)	(x)	Farm machinery and equipment.....	(x)	(x)
Electrical.....	472,180	477,831	Manufacturing, mining, and drilling machinery, equipment, and supplies.....	155,072	155,072
Electrical goods, (including appliances).....	195,907	195,907	Service equipment and supplies.....	2,652	2,652
Electrical equipment and supplies.....	(x)	18,535	Transportation equipment and supplies.....	(x)	(x)
Radios and radio equipment.....	(x)	263,489	Metals and minerals (except petroleum and scrap); coal.....	653,680	653,680
Farm products (not elsewhere specified).....	194,658	204,875	Paper and paper products; stationery and stationery supplies.....	310,999	310,999
Flowers and nursery stock.....	1,863	1,863	Petroleum and petroleum products.....	100,280	181,404
Grain.....	158,888	158,888	Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies.....	116,610	116,610
Hides, skins, and furs.....	33,907	33,907	Plumbing equipment and supplies.....	(x)	(x)
Livestock (other than horses and mules).....	10,317	10,317	Heating equipment and supplies.....	(x)	(x)
Farm supplies (except machinery and equipment); feed.....	249,343	249,343	Tobacco and tobacco products (except leaf).....	77,975	77,975
Food products (not elsewhere specified).....	446,686	473,995	All other.....	308,831	308,831
Confectionery and soft drinks.....	69,788	69,788	Books, periodicals, and newspapers.....	(x)	(x)
Dairy products.....	30,285	37,285	Rubber goods (general line).....	(x)	(x)
Poultry and poultry products.....	(x)	4,555	Miscellaneous kinds of business.....	202,185	202,185
Fish and sea foods.....	254,719	254,719			
Fruits and vegetables (fresh).....	(x)	28,934			
Meats and meat products.....	74,704	78,704			
Forest products (except lumber).....		817			
Furniture and house furnishings.....	18,041	18,041			
Furniture.....	9,176	9,176			
House furnishings.....	8,865	8,865			

¹ Column 1, "Wholesalers only," includes those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for resale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches. For types of distributors included in "All types of wholesalers," reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to Table 4 therein.

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TABLE 12 A.—THE STATE—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	Number of employees (full time)	Total pay roll (including part time)	Stocks on hand end of year (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	11,091	10,379	22,925	\$28,011,838	\$52,549,740	\$307,627,192	100.00
Proprietorships.....	9,179	10,349	11,502	12,572,934	30,169,690	168,235,775	54.69
Proprietorships which are also members of cooperative associations.....	19	22	38	39,416	141,730	680,750	.22
Corporations.....	1,858	-----	11,056	14,982,069	21,696,550	134,334,103	43.67
Corporations which are also members of cooperative associations.....	6	-----	163	251,588	264,020	1,921,395	.62
Cooperative associations.....	23	-----	162	137,571	271,280	2,280,224	.74
Negro proprietorships ¹	4	-----	2	4,689	2,300	46,917	.02
Oriental mutuals.....	4	-----	32	23,371	4,170	128,018	.04

¹ Table 12 B can not be shown because of disclosure of individual operations.

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins, have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 6.1 per cent)			Department stores: (Commodity coverage, 60.3 per cent)		
Confectionery and nuts.....	54.0	54.0	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.7	2.6
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	29.7	29.7	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	21.7	16.3	Children's wear.....	2.1	1.3
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 75.9 per cent)			Millinery.....	3.5	.8
Bakery products, fresh.....	2.1	.1	Hosiery.....	6.5	6.5
Butter and cheese.....	30.4	1.3	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	17.8	17.8
Milk and cream.....	98.5	98.5	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.1	8.1
Nonfood products.....	(x)	.1	Other apparel (except furs).....	7.0	3.0
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 5.5 per cent)			Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Bottled beverages.....	2.6	2.5	Household appliances, motor-driven.....	.3	.3
Canned goods and other groceries.....	6.8	6.6	Household heating appliances—portable.....	.6	.3
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.5	8.3	Lighting equipment.....	.2	.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	5.1	5.0	Automotive parts and accessories—		
Fruits and vegetables.....	77.6	77.6	Automobile parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	10.9	.5
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 12.1 per cent)			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	6.8	1.7
Bakery products, fresh.....	5.9	4.0	Batteries.....	1.2	.1
Bottled beverages.....	.7	.4	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.8	1.2	Suits.....	1.0	.1
Deli-cesses, ready-to-serve foods.....	2.6	.9	Furnishings.....	5.6	5.6
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	3.7	2.1	Work clothing.....	1.7	.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	9.2	8.2	Other clothing.....	2.1	.2
Groceries—			Dry goods and notions—		
Butter and cheese.....	4.9	4.0	Cotton piece goods.....	3.3	3.2
Eggs.....	3.6	3.6	Linen goods.....	1.8	.9
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.1	2.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.9	.6
Flour.....	5.0	5.0	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	3.3	3.1
Sugar.....	4.1	4.1	Notions and small wares.....	4.4	4.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	28.9	28.9	Other dry goods.....	2.0	.4
Ice cream.....	4.8	.1	Furniture, household.....	3.1	2.6
Meats, including poultry.....	29.7	29.7	Bedroom.....	0.9	
Milk and cream.....	3.8	2.7	Living room, library, and hall.....	.5	
Nonfood products—			Dining room.....	.5	
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.9	1.1	Kitchen.....	.3	
Household supplies.....	1.1	.1	Other household.....	.3	
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.8	Furs and fur goods.....	2.4	1.9
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 25.1 per cent)			Hardware.....	1.2	.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	7.1	3.8	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	1.0	.1
Bottled beverages.....	.3	.1	Home furnishings—		
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.3	.9	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.7	5.7
Deli-cesses, ready-to-serve foods.....	2.9	2.2	Floor coverings.....	3.0	1.9
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	4.7	3.0	Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.1	.7
Fruits and vegetables.....	12.1	11.7	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.0	2.0
Groceries.....	30.5	30.5	Kitchen utensils.....	2.1	1.2
Butter and cheese.....	5.9		Other home furnishings.....	7.3	5.6
Eggs.....	3.4		Infants' wear.....	2.7	2.6
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.2		Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	1.8	1.6
Flour.....	3.1		Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	2.5	2.0
Sugar.....	4.3		Luggage.....	.6	.5
Canned goods and other groceries.....	11.6		Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.3
Ice cream.....	4.5	.2	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.1	.1
Meats, including poultry.....	46.2	46.2	Photographs and records.....	2.3	.4
Milk and cream.....	2.9	1.4	Radio parts and accessories.....	3.0	.2
Nonfood products—			Radio sets.....	1.9	.1
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.7	1.5	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.8	.4
Stationery and school supplies.....	5	.1	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.1	.1
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.4	Service.....	1.7	.3
Fish markets—sea foods: (Commodity coverage, 30.2 per cent)			Shoes and other footwear—		
Canned goods and other groceries.....	25.0	4.2	Boys' and youths'.....	.2	.1
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	82.0	82.0	Women's.....	2.6	1.6
Fruits and vegetables.....	25.2	13.8	Misses' and children's.....	1.0	.5
Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 22.6 per cent)			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	2.1	.1
Butter and cheese.....	2.0	1.4	Stationery, books and magazines—		
Canned goods and other groceries.....	1.6	1.1	Books.....	1.0	.8
Eggs.....	4.4	3.0	Paper and paper goods.....	.2	.2
Fruits and vegetables.....	2.6	.8	Other stationery.....	.8	.6
Meats, including poultry.....	93.7	93.7	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	2.7	.1
			Toilet articles.....	.9	.9
			Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.3	2.0
			Toys and games.....	.9	.8
			Dry goods stores: (Commodity coverage, 24.7 per cent)		
			Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
			Children's wear.....	2.4	1.1
			Millinery.....	1.6	1.2
			Hosiery.....	11.7	11.7

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages shown in the second column are applicable to the total sales shown in Table 1. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

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COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
Dry goods stores—Continued.			Automobile sales rooms: (Commodity coverage, 47.5 per cent)		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—Continued.			Automobiles, parts, and accessories—		
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	37.3	37.3	Passenger automobiles, new.....	40.2	39.2
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	12.3	12.3	Used passenger cars.....	23.4	22.7
Other apparel, except furs.....	4.9	3.9	Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	13.4	6.3
Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'.....	2.8	.9	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	7.8	2.6
Dry goods and notions—			Tractors.....		
Cotton piece goods.....	2.1	1.7	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	7.2	6.7
Linen goods.....	2.0	1.5	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.5	1.0
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	4.4	3.0	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	18.1	10.9
Rayon piece goods.....	2.8	1.6	Used cars sold to dealers.....	2.4	.1
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.5	3.0	Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	6.4	1.2
Notions and small wares.....	4.5	4.5	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	2.0	.6
Other dry goods.....	3.9	2.1	Batteries.....	.8	.4
Furs and fur goods.....	4.3	.3	Gasoline.....	2.3	1.7
Home furnishings—			Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Draperies, and curtains.....	3.9	2.6	Oils and greases.....	.8	.8
Floor coverings.....	1.4	.4	Radio sets.....	3.2	.5
Bedding, pillows, etc.....	1.2	.2	Repairs and service.....	5.8	5.5
China, glassware and crockery.....	2.6	.6	Storage.....	1.7	.1
Other home furnishings.....	4.8	2.3	Used-car establishments: (Commodity coverage, 82.1 per cent)		
Infants' wear.....	6.4	3.7	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes and batteries).....		
Jewelry, costume.....	1.3	.1	Batteries.....	19.4	14.0
Leather goods, gloves and handbags.....	3.5	1.6	Gasoline.....	.6	.2
Paper and paper goods.....	1.0	.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	48.0	19.2
Toilet articles and preparations.....	2.8	.9	Oils and greases.....	(x)	.2
Toys and games.....	.7	.4	Repairs and service.....	4.7	2.0
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: ¹ (Commodity coverage, 14.5 per cent)			Storage.....		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Children's wear.....	2.0	.0	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	4.0	1.5
Millinery.....	5.6	2.7	Used passenger cars.....	45.7	45.7
Hosiery.....	10.0	7.0	Accessory stores with tires and batteries: (Commodity coverage, 47.0 per cent)		
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.6	4.2	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Other apparel.....	4.0	2.8	Batteries.....	55.2	55.2
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Gasoline, oil, and greases.....		
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.6	.2	Radios and equipment.....	11.6	8.6
Lighting equipment.....	.8	.1	Repairs and service.....	26.1	1.2
Incandescent lamps.....	1.0	.8	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	16.2	10.7
Other appliances.....	3.7	3.1	Storage.....	7.7	4.5
Automotive parts and accessories—			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	1.9	.6	Tire shops (including tire repairs): (Commodity coverage, 52.2 per cent)		
Tubes and tire accessories.....	2	.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Batteries.....	1.3	.7	Batteries.....	4.5	2.0
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Gasoline.....		
Hats and caps.....	.3	.1	Oils and greases.....	4.8	1.3
Furnishings.....	10.4	1.7	Radio parts and accessories.....	38.6	38.6
Work clothing.....	.3	.1	Radio sets.....	7.5	7.5
Other clothing.....	4.7	2.5	Repairs and service.....	.5	.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	8.6	2.0	Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	3.9	.4
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.5	.5	Repairs and service.....	6.9	3.8
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	5.8	3.0	Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	10.9	1.2
Hardware—			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....		
Builders' and shelf.....	.7	.2	Filling stations—gasoline and oil: (Commodity coverage, 30.3 per cent)		
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	1.0	.8	Fuel oil.....		
Other hardware.....	4.3	3.6	Gasoline.....	1.6	.2
Home furnishings—			Oils and greases.....		
Draperies and curtains.....	.4	.1	Repairs and service.....	27.0	67.0
Floor coverings.....	1.0	.3	Storage.....	22.6	22.6
China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.4	2.8	Filling stations with tires and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 12.4 per cent)		
Kitchen utensils.....	2.8	2.8	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....		
Other home furnishings.....	1.9	2.0	Gasoline.....	56.7	56.7
Infants' wear.....	5.2	2.6	Oils and greases.....	6.1	6.1
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—			Repairs and service.....		
Clocks.....	.4	.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	12.7	8.5
Watches.....	.2	.1	Storage.....	9.9	1.7
Rings, other than diamond.....	.3	.1	Filling stations with other merchandise: (Commodity coverage, 8.0 per cent)		
Plated silverware.....	.8	.2	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Other jewelry.....	3.4	3.4	Batteries.....	16.1	16.1
Leather goods, bill folds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....			Gasoline.....		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.8	1.2	Oils and greases.....	56.7	6.1
Notions and small wares.....	(x)	14.0	Repairs and service.....	6.1	6.1
Optical goods.....	4.1	4.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	7.9	2.4
Other dry goods.....	4.3	4.3	Used passenger cars.....	18.4	18.4
Painters' supplies.....	2	.2	Filling stations with other merchandise: (Commodity coverage, 8.0 per cent)		
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	2.5	4.4	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Phonograph records.....	1.9	1.9	Batteries.....	46.0	27.6
Radio parts and accessories.....	4.0	2.0	Fuel oil.....	9.2	2.7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	7	.3	Gasoline.....	16.1	4.8
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	3.1	1.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	42.2	42.2
Shoes and other footwear—			Oils and greases.....		
Boys' and youths'.....	.8	.5	Radios and equipment.....	x	4.2
Misses' and children's.....	.9	.3	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	6.2	6.2
Infants'.....	.3	.1	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 7.7 per cent)		
Rubber and other footwear.....	2.3	1.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Stationery, books, and magazines—			Batteries.....		
Books.....	.8	.5	Gasoline.....	31.9	29.5
Paper and paper goods.....	3.0	2.1	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 7.7 per cent)		
Other stationery.....	7.1	3.3	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....		
Toilet articles.....	.5	.5	Batteries.....	2.3	2.0
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	4.1	4.1	Gasoline.....	17.6	12.8
Toys and games.....	5.9	5.9			

¹ Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series Report on Retail Distribution by Variety Chains, for commodity analysis of chain sales.

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AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued.		
Garages—Continued.			Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—Continued		
Oils and greases.....	6.2	6.2	Jewelry, costume.....	1.0	0.6
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	20.8	5.7	Leather goods, purses, gloves, and hand bags.....	2.4	1.3
Repairs and service.....	26.0	26.0	Luggage.....	2.4	.3
Storage.....	4.8	.1	Paper and paper goods.....	1.6	.2
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	0.0	2.5	Toilet articles.....	.9	.2
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	17.0	15.0	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	3.1	1.9
Used passenger cars.....	1.1	.2	Toys and games.....	2.4	.3
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots: (Commodity coverage, 41.4 per cent)			Furriers—fur shops: (Commodity coverage, 83.0 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories.....	5.9	2.7	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Gasoline.....	41.1	41.1	Overcoats.....	3.1	1.0
Oils and greases.....	3.2	3.2	Hats and caps.....	5.2	1.8
Repairs and service.....	9.7	5.3	Furnishings.....	2.2	.7
Storage.....	47.7	47.7	Coats, suits, and dresses, women's.....	4.0	3.5
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes): (Commodity coverage, 36.5 per cent)			Furs and fur goods.....		
Boat parts and accessories.....	41.7	41.7	Luggage.....	.9	.3
Boats.....	35.8	35.8	Notions and small wares.....	.4	.2
Radio parts and accessories.....	.7	.5	Services.....	13.3	13.3
Radio sets.....	23.1	22.0	Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 31.1 per cent)		
APPAREL GROUP			Furnishings, men's and boys'.....		
Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 71.6 per cent)			Hosiery, women's.....		
Overcoats.....	28.9	28.9	Millinery.....	6.5	.1
Suits.....	71.1	71.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 84.2 per cent)			Shoes and other footwear—		
Furnishings.....	31.1	13.1	Men's.....	26.1	26.1
Hats and caps.....	86.9	86.9	Boys' and youths'.....	5.9	4.3
Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 33.1 per cent)			Women's.....		
Custom tailoring.....	4.9	1.1	Misses' and children's.....	5.0	3.5
Furnishings.....	25.8	25.8	Infants'.....	.8	.5
Furs and fur goods.....	10.2	.9	Rubber and other footwear.....	7.5	4.3
Hats and caps.....	9.0	8.9	FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
Other clothing.....	13.8	7.0	Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 61.1 per cent)		
Overcoats.....	16.7	10.7	Furniture—		
Shoes and other footwear—			Bedroom.....	16.2	10.2
Men's.....	4.5	2.4	Living room, library, and hall.....	19.2	10.2
Boys' and youths'.....	1.8	.8	Dining room.....	8.7	8.7
Women's.....	10.0	.3	Kitchen.....	5.6	5.6
Misses' and children's.....	6.0	.2	Other household.....	13.8	11.9
Infants'.....	2.0	.1	Office and store.....	1.3	.1
Rubber and other footwear.....	2.0	.6	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	20.6	.6
Suits.....	30.2	30.2	Home furnishings—		
Work clothing.....	6.0	4.9	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	6.8	4.6
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 44.7 per cent)			Floor coverings.....		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	10.4	5.7
Children's wear.....	1.3	.7	China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.8	.7
Millinery.....	3.9	2.9	Other home furnishings.....	2.1	.6
Hosiery.....	2.3	1.6	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	1.3	.3
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	47.3	47.3	Lighting equipment, electric.....	1.9	.2
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.0	2.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Other apparel (except furs).....	1.8	1.4	Office and store equipment.....	2.5	.1
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Phonographs and records.....		
Suits.....	18.7	13.9	Radio parts and accessories.....	1.1	.1
Overcoats.....	11.7	8.8	Radio sets.....	7.0	3.6
Hats and caps.....	3.0	1.7	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	1.9	.4
Furnishings.....	10.3	6.6	Secondhand furniture.....	3.7	1.3
Work clothing.....	4.0	1.7	Service.....	5.0	.6
Other clothing.....	5.6	3.4	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	8.2	4.7
Dry goods.....	7.4	.7	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.3	.3
Furs and fur goods.....	3.3	.9	Toys and games.....	1.9	.2
Infants' wear.....	6.1	.6	Household appliances stores (electrical): (Commodity coverage, 65.1 per cent)		
Jewelry, costume.....	1.4	.1	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	5.8	3.3
Shoes and other footwear.....	27.5	5.1	Construction materials.....	19.4	17.1
Men's.....	1.7	.9	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	18.2	8.0
Boys' and youths'.....	.9	.5	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	16.2	16.2
Women's.....	1.3	.3	Household heating appliances—portable.....	15.2	15.2
Misses' and children's.....	.5	.3	Incandescent lamps.....	7.9	7.8
Infants'.....	.3	.3	Lighting equipment.....	8.4	4.6
Rubber and other footwear.....	.4	.4	Other appliances.....	10.7	4.5
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 56.7 per cent)			Radios and equipment.....		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	13.9	1.1
Custom tailoring, dressmaking.....	15.8	.5	Refrigerators.....	12.5	6.1
Children's wear.....	6.0	2.2	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	17.2	17.0
Millinery.....	10.0	4.9	Service.....	2.7	1.1
Hosiery.....	7.6	5.2	Household appliances stores: (Commodity coverage, 85.9 per cent)		
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	61.5	61.5	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	12.0	8.3	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....		
Other apparel (except furs).....	7.8	4.2	Household heating appliances—portable.....	12.7	10.4
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.2	.2	Lighting equipment.....	3.9	3.2
Dry goods and notions—			Incandescent lamps.....		
Piece goods.....	2.6	.2	Construction materials.....	5.4	4.0
Notions and small wares.....	2.8	.5	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	7.4	6.0
Other dry goods.....	2.1	.2	Range, water heaters, etc.....	28.6	23.3
Furs and fur goods.....	9.9	5.9	Other appliances.....	4.1	3.1
Gift merchandise.....	2.9	.4	Stoves and ranges.....	8.2	6.7
Infants' wear.....	5.0	1.0	Water heaters.....	9.4	7.1
			Other appliances (except refrigerators).....	15.2	15.2
			Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	3.6	3.6
			Service.....	4.2	4.2
				13.0	13.0
				2.8	.2

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Radio and musical instruments stores: (Commodity coverage, 23.2 per cent)			Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer): (Commodity coverage, 17.7 per cent)		
Other musical instruments and accessories.....	1.6	0.5	Building materials—		
Phonographs and records.....	10.7	10.7	Cement.....	3.0	0.6
Pianos and accessories.....	20.4	20.4	Lime, plaster, etc.....	2.5	.1
Radio parts and accessories.....	8.6	8.6	Roofing materials.....	2.4	.2
Radio sets.....	51.5	51.5	Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	2.7	.1
Service.....	3.3	.9	Fertilizers.....	2.6	1.0
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	4.8	3.5	Flour.....	6.9	5.8
Stringed and band instruments.....	0.0	3.9	Grain and feed.....	84.4	84.4
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....		
Cafeterias:			Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
(Commodity coverage, 80.3 per cent)			(x) 1.6		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.4	3.4	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	2.4	.2
Receipts from sale of meals.....	96.6	96.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.8	.1
Restaurants with table service:			Sugar.....		
(Commodity coverage, 10.9 per cent)			14.7		
Canned goods and other groceries.....	.6	.1	Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock:		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.9	1.9	(Commodity coverage, 38.9 per cent)		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	98.0	98.0	Fertilizers.....	8.2	8.2
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Grain and feed.....		
Lumber and building material dealers:			Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....		
(Commodity coverage, 50.5 per cent)			37.5		
Building materials—			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	49.4	49.4
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	2.0	.4	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	1.0	.9
Cement.....	0.2	4.8	Cigar stores without fountains:		
Lime, plaster, etc.....	9.4	3.5	(Commodity coverage, 37.5 per cent)		
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	72.0	60.6	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	76.3	76.3
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	10.7	5.3	Confectionery and nuts.....	11.0	3.4
Wood shingles and shakes.....	3.0	1.4	Magazines and newspapers.....	18.2	5.0
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	9.3	7.1	Smokers' supplies.....	14.4	14.4
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	4.0	2.2	Toilet articles.....	.9	.3
Wall boards (except wood base).....	3.3	2.1	Coal and wood yards:		
Other building materials.....	3.8	1.8	(Commodity coverage, 48.7 per cent)		
Coal.....	35.0	7.5	Building material—		
Flour.....	3.2	.2	Building stone.....	13.2	.5
Glass.....	4.4	.3	Cement.....	2.2	.2
Hay, grain, and feed.....	28.8	1.9	Lime, plaster, etc.....	2.3	.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.6	.1	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	.7	.1
Sugar.....	9.5	.6	Roofing materials.....	1.3	.1
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	1.0	.2	Other building materials.....	4.0	.1
Heating appliances and oil burners:			Fuel—		
(Commodity coverage, 18.7 per cent)			Coal.....		
Heating equipment and supplies.....	80.1	80.1	Coal.....	89.6	89.6
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	14.8	8.9	Fuel oil.....	16.2	2.4
Service.....	27.3	11.0	Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	6.5	5.1
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating:			Ice.....		
(Commodity coverage, 24.1 per cent)			21.7		
Flour coverings.....	.7	.1	Service.....	7.1	.7
Glass.....	1.9	.3	Drug stores with fountains:		
Hardware—			(Commodity coverage, 15.6 per cent)		
Builders' and shelf.....	6.8	2.2	Bottled beverages.....	1.6	.9
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	.8	.2	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	10.4	10.4
Other hardware.....	2.9	.9	Confectionery and nuts.....	5.8	5.1
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	85.7	85.7	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	36.7	30.7
Kitchen utensils.....	.6	.1	Fountain sales, ice cream, lunches.....	14.3	14.3
Painters' supplies.....	1.3	.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 7.5	2.5
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	7.8	1.8	Prescriptions.....	7.5	7.5
Playground equipment.....	1.0	.1	Rubber goods.....	1.2	.8
Service.....	18.7	8.0	Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	1.7	.3
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	2.0	.4	Surgical and hospital supplies.....	3.0	1.8
OTHER RETAIL STORES			Toilet articles and preparations.....		
Hardware stores:			19.7		
(Commodity coverage, 23.1 per cent)			Florists:		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			(Commodity coverage, 25.1 per cent)		
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	4.7	1.3	Art goods, gifts.....	2.9	.9
Household heating appliances—portable.....	2.6	.7	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	80.3	80.3
Lighting equipment.....	3.0	.1	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	30.4	18.8
Incandescent lamps.....	2.3	.4	Jewelry stores:		
Construction materials.....	5.0	.2	(Commodity coverage, 24.6 per cent)		
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	1.7	.3	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	8.9	1.2
Batteries.....	.9	.2	China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.4	2.3
Gasoline.....	2.1	.5	Household heating appliances—portable.....	1.1	.4
Glass.....	2.9	1.1	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Hardware—			Clocks.....	2.7	2.7
Builders' and shelf.....	54.3	54.3	Watches.....	11.0	11.0
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	9.5	9.5	Diamond jewelry.....	20.8	20.8
Other hardware.....	11.1	11.1	Rings, other than diamond.....	12.7	12.7
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	13.9	3.5	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	9.9	9.9
Iron and other building metal.....	1.6	.1	Plated silverware.....	6.4	6.3
Kitchen utensils.....	2.3	.2	Sterling silverware.....	16.1	15.9
Leather goods.....	.5	.1	Other jewelry.....	9.3	2.8
Oils and greases.....	.5	.1	Leather goods.....	6.3	3.9
Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	4.4	.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 9.5	1.8
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	2.3	.8	Service.....		8.3
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	9.0	4.3	Luggage and leather goods stores:		
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.2	.2	(Commodity coverage, 42.8 per cent)		
Roofing materials.....	10.1	2.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	7.0	7.0
Service.....	8.0	.4	Luggage.....	93.0	93.0
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	7.9	4.4	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail):		
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	4.6	1.4	(Commodity coverage, 79.6 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	10.0	1.3	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	36.8	35.8
Wallpaper.....	12.0	.5	Office and store furniture.....	28.3	17.3
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	2.4	.1	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	36.1	13.2
			Service.....	11.3	7.9
			Stationery.....	24.5	8.3
			Typewriters and accessories.....	28.5	17.5

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TABLE 16.—PORTLAND—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS (See Table 19 for commodity analysis)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
All groups	1,226	980	5,388	833	\$7,300,078	\$197,753	\$8,651,912	\$8,088,230	\$66,281,188	100.00
Food group	424	349	881	283	845,618	51,413	850,765	601,680	11,144,504	18.80
Candy and confectionery stores.....	42	42	94	74	92,204	5,240	96,630	34,590	587,948	1.04
Dairy products stores ¹	7	3	95	2	135,236	1,026	118,761	11,860	1,169,617	2.08
Delicatessen stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	28	32	19	8	19,101	1,568	55,466	47,210	441,495	.78
Grocery stores (without meats).....	158	102	112	52	148,352	16,502	195,320	180,680	2,789,181	4.96
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	129	113	286	71	365,055	17,451	302,772	301,080	5,189,618	9.19
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	20	23	29	8	35,879	1,412	25,105	10,670	378,890	.67
Bakeries—caterers.....	37	33	23	48	26,905	8,208	38,812	4,920	487,807	.87
Other food stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
General merchandise group	28	18	882	122	1,001,295	36,987	1,008,087	1,231,040	7,852,870	13.06
Department stores.....	4		650	47	811,401	18,723	749,159	978,820	5,262,824	9.35
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	7	4	11	1	15,152	52	18,080	33,460	97,792	.17
General merchandise stores (includes 2 general stores).....	11	12	13	9	9,399	1,624	11,837	36,230	199,225	.35
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	6		178	65	165,343	15,588	229,011	182,530	1,793,029	3.19
Automotive group	162	83	850	70	1,471,354	22,088	1,262,811	1,284,350	11,708,587	20.80
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	38	10	498	32	935,158	12,521	836,740	1,024,970	8,812,020	15.66
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	22	17	45	9	84,097	3,434	88,433	50,740	484,970	.86
Filling stations.....	58	21	126	19	184,710	4,223	119,066	98,180	1,246,329	2.22
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	4	3	8	2	8,849	300	8,925	15,200	92,393	.16
Garages and repair shops.....	37	27	157	7	235,063	1,302	191,285	71,010	930,763	1.67
Other automotive establishments.....	3	5	10	1	23,477	288	18,432	24,250	128,112	.23
Apparel group	142	101	688	106	900,027	25,005	1,076,817	1,619,220	7,095,065	12.81
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	34	20	134	21	210,131	3,104	288,702	557,870	1,804,529	3.21
Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's.....	18	14	99	8	92,564	1,555	143,698	161,900	902,991	1.61
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	18	13	262	33	267,554	10,460	290,894	321,910	2,195,884	3.90
Women's accessories stores.....	23	12	68	16	102,393	3,934	101,600	101,650	669,763	1.18
Other apparel stores.....	21	19	62	9	73,214	1,310	37,839	38,100	297,771	.53
Shoe stores.....	28	14	91	19	154,171	4,042	214,084	337,790	1,227,127	2.18
Furniture and household group	63	25	380	29	641,027	9,908	693,199	858,740	3,418,123	6.07
Furniture stores.....	16	8	192	5	335,008	1,644	432,343	583,550	2,008,017	3.87
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3		11	1	13,672	78	15,189	19,240	74,905	.13
Household appliances stores.....	10	1	92	3	143,547	433	185,276	106,400	770,867	1.37
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	16	15	51	7	90,046	2,745	33,168	113,580	366,612	.65
Radio and music stores.....	8	1	34	13	58,756	5,008	27,233	35,970	198,322	.35
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	92	105	571	53	477,605	5,611	353,146	37,260	2,392,288	4.25
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	85	98	556	50	401,442	5,308	343,538	35,750	2,812,838	4.11
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	7	7	15	3	16,163	303	9,608	1,510	79,950	.14
Lumber and building group	51	32	312	38	543,230	11,913	311,989	580,090	2,890,123	5.12
Lumber and building material dealers.....	13	6	113	6	168,114	2,442	138,340	390,390	1,414,402	2.51
Electrical shops (without radio).....	4	1	31	1	43,015	300	19,971	23,070	126,368	.23
Heating and plumbing shops.....	27	18	144	27	250,503	8,332	126,353	109,820	1,194,400	2.12
Paint and glass stores.....	7	7	24	2	51,598	830	27,325	36,810	144,944	.26
Other retail stores	246	192	1,008	150	1,401,729	33,813	1,069,663	1,936,840	10,102,786	17.66
Hardware stores.....	7	8	12	7	16,627	1,119	19,647	49,180	143,148	.26
Farmers' supplies.....	9	5	40		55,724		39,852	73,620	703,371	1.25
Book stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	24	19	28	6	33,832	1,840	50,066	62,640	607,052	1.08
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	23	15	237	18	331,788	4,933	202,315	86,720	2,515,058	4.47
Drug stores.....	54	42	195	33	251,863	7,799	189,547	366,810	2,137,334	3.80
Florists.....	12	9	43	13	62,168	4,126	54,269	50,570	292,827	.52
Gifts—novelties, and toys—cameras.....	7	8	7	11	12,013	2,070	25,743	31,340	92,013	.16
Jewelry stores.....	25	28	79	22	100,472	2,464	130,492	657,950	888,088	1.64
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	3	2	12	0	21,455	1,541	26,771	58,140	108,219	.19
News dealers.....	19	9	86	10	38,749	1,747	58,399	60,580	423,704	.75
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	16	1	145	1	250,501	453	120,595	158,890	988,615	1.79
Opticians and optometrists.....	10	9	21	2	32,325	420	27,286	32,920	157,924	.28
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies (at retail).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Stationers and printers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	28	30	76	13	117,013	4,101	88,633	127,200	807,654	1.44
Secondhand stores	27	27	15	4	18,195	1,035	30,365	54,010	191,842	.34

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 17.—PORTLAND—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	1,225	930	6,383	833	\$7,300,078	\$197,763	\$8,851,912	\$3,088,230	\$58,281,188	100.00
Single-store independents.....	927	877	3,770	552	5,075,173	141,863	4,530,780	5,945,860	39,075,100	69.43
2-store independents.....	64	23	442	74	542,522	6,142	489,904	791,530	4,002,098	7.11
3-store independents.....	16	8	142	25	207,468	8,048	138,519	106,990	1,111,509	1.97
Local chains.....	39	1	104	11	252,208	3,014	262,428	275,630	2,144,524	3.81
Sectional chains.....	70	225	42	338,013	6,853	420,840	310,420	2,947,865	5.24	
National chains.....	60	6	88	430,891	28,577	482,857	380,470	4,549,200	8.08	
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	11	4	4	106,918	55	20,290	10,530	280,922	.61	
Itinerant vendors.....	4	4	3			4,567	90	60,914	.11	
Rolling stores.....	11	11	3	10	3,624	2,199	6,093	430	152,787	.27
Leased-department chains.....	4	4	5	2	9,143	293	16,146	16,620	76,481	.14
Utility operated retail stores.....	5	5	54	2	86,545	193	157,893	83,300	587,001	1.04
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	14	120	1	1	247,523	516	121,597	161,360	1,286,787	2.29

TABLE 18.—PORTLAND—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores.....	4	4			
Annual net sales.....	\$5,262,824	\$5,262,824			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00			
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores.....	6	1		5	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,793,029	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores.....	34	24	5	4	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,804,529	\$723,165	\$843,109	\$140,255	\$98,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	40.08	46.72	7.77	5.43
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores.....	18	14	2	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$902,991	\$406,890	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	45.06	(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores.....	18	10	5	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,195,884	\$1,579,859	\$271,844	\$344,181	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	71.95	12.38	15.67	
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores.....	28	15	5	5	3
Annual net sales.....	\$1,227,127	\$412,960	\$188,529	\$426,047	\$199,691
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	33.65	15.36	34.72	16.27
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores.....	16	15	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$2,008,017	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores.....	8	6	1	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$198,322	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores.....	158	97	4	57	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,793,181	\$940,855	\$28,010	\$1,824,316	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	33.68	1.00	65.32	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	129	108	18	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$5,169,618	\$4,364,709	\$530,371	\$268,538	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.43	10.38	5.19	
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	85	77	8		
Annual net sales.....	\$2,312,338	\$1,830,799	\$481,539		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.18	20.82		
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	24	17	4	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$607,052	\$294,505	\$74,617	\$237,930	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.51	12.29	39.20	
Filling stations:					
Number of stations.....	58	24	8	26	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,246,329	\$458,848	\$340,715	\$446,766	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	36.81	27.84	35.85	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards.....	23	22	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$2,515,058	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	54	49	4	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,137,334	\$1,462,428	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.42	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	7	7			
Annual net sales.....	\$143,148	\$143,148			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00			
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	25	23	1		1
Annual net sales.....	\$868,088	\$747,394	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.10	(x)		(x)

TABLE 19.—PORTLAND—SALES BY COMMODITIES^a

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (\$529,430): (Commodity coverage, 49.0 per cent)			Department stores—Continued.		
Confectionery and nuts.....	54.0	54.0	Infants' wear.....	2.7	2.7
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	29.7	29.7	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	1.9	1.7
Receipts from sale of meals.....	21.7	16.3	Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves and handbags.....	2.6	2.2
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats \$2,852,990): (Commodity coverage, 24.9 per cent)			Luggage.....	.5	.4
Bakery products, fresh.....	3.3	1.9	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.8
Bottled beverages.....	.9	.5	Other stationery.....	.8	.7
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	.8	.3	Paper and paper goods.....	.3	.2
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.4	.8	Phonographs and records.....	2.9	.4
Delicatessen ready-to-serve foods.....	4.5	1.2	Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.8	.4
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	4.2	.1	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	.1	.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	15.7	15.7	Service.....	1.7	.9
Groceries—			Shoes, misses' and children's.....	.8	.4
Butter and cheese.....	3.4	3.4	Shoes, women's.....	2.8	1.7
Eggs.....	2.1	2.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.9	.4
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.6	2.5	Toilet articles.....	1.0	1.0
Flour.....	3.0	3.0	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.4	2.0
Sugar.....	4.1	4.1	Toys and games.....	.8	.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	29.1	29.1	Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: ¹ (Commodity coverage, 39.3 per cent)		
Meats, including poultry.....	35.6	35.6	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Milk and cream.....	4.9	2.8	Children's wear.....	2.0	1.0
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries (\$2,318,823): (Commodity coverage, 56.8 per cent)			Millinery.....	4.5	2.4
Bakery products, fresh.....	5.2	.6	Hosiery.....	12.6	6.7
Bottled beverages.....	.4	.1	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	9.1	4.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	11.2	.9	Other apparel.....	3.1	1.6
Delicatessen ready-to-serve foods.....	6.2	.4	Appliances and supplies, electric—		
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	5.3	3.6	Household heating appliances, portable.....	.6	.3
Fruits and vegetables.....	13.5	13.5	Incandescent lamps.....	.8	.8
Groceries.....	29.8	20.8	Other appliances.....	4.2	4.2
Butter and cheese.....	5.3		Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	1.9	1.0
Eggs.....	2.8		Batteries.....	1.8	1.0
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.1		Books.....	.6	.6
Flour.....	1.4		Cameras.....	.1	.1
Sugar.....	3.1		Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	.7	.7
Canned goods and other groceries.....	14.0		Clothing and furnishings, men's, and boys—		
Meats, including poultry.....	50.5	50.5	Hats and caps.....	.3	.1
Milk and cream.....	1.9	.5	Work clothing.....	.3	.2
Nonfood products.....	(x)	.1	Other clothing.....	5.6	2.9
Meat markets (\$147,701): (Commodity coverage, 46.3 per cent)			Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.5	.5
Canned goods and other groceries.....	.5	.3	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	6.7	3.1
Fruits and vegetables.....	2.9	2.7	Home furnishings—		
Meats, including poultry.....	97.0	97.0	Floor coverings.....	1.0	.6
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP			China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.9	2.8
Department stores: (Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)			Kitchen utensils.....	2.4	2.4
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	2.7	2.7	Other home furnishings.....	1.7	1.7
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', and children's—			Infants' wear.....	5.0	2.7
Children's wear.....	2.2	1.4	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	3.4	3.4
Millinery.....	4.7	.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	2.9	1.1
Hosiery.....	6.4	6.4	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	18.0
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	19.1	19.1	Notions and small wares.....	2.3	2.3
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.7	8.7	Optical goods.....	.2	.1
Other apparel, except furs.....	8.2	3.1	Other dry goods.....	5.3	5.3
Appliances and supplies, electric—			Other hardware.....	3.8	3.8
Household appliances, motor-driven.....	.2	.1	Other stationery.....	10.8	5.1
Household heating appliances, portable.....	.4	.2	Painters' supplies.....	.2	.2
Lighting equipment.....	.2	.1	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.5	.2
Books.....	.9	.8	Paper and paper goods.....	.5	.2
Dry goods and notions—			Phonograph records.....	1.0	1.9
Cotton piece goods.....	3.1	3.1	Radio parts and accessories.....	3.1	1.7
Linen goods.....	1.6	.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants and nursery stock.....	.7	.3
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.9	.5	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	3.3	1.5
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	3.3	3.3	Shoes and other footwear—		
Notions and small wares.....	4.8	4.8	Boys' and youths'.....	.6	.3
Other dry goods.....	2.4	.4	Misses' and children's.....	.9	.5
Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	5.4	5.4	Infants'.....	.3	.2
Furniture, household.....	3.1	2.7	Rubber footwear.....	1.3	.7
Furs and fur goods.....	2.3	2.1	Tubes and tire accessories.....	.2	.1
Home furnishings—			Toilet articles.....	.6	.6
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.7	5.7	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	3.8	3.8
Floor coverings.....	3.2	1.9	Toys and games.....	6.3	6.3
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.1	.7	AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.9	1.9	Automobile sales rooms (\$8,450,349): (Commodity coverage, 97.3 per cent)		
Kitchen utensils.....	2.1	1.3	Automobiles, parts and accessories—		
Other home furnishings.....	7.6	5.8	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	24.7	15.5
			Busses sold to dealers.....	1.5	.1
			Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	8.6	1.6
			Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	2.2	.9
			Passenger automobiles, new.....	39.2	37.0

¹ Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series Report on Retail Distribution by Variety Chains for commodity analysis of chain sales.

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the city. The percentages shown in this second column are applicable to the sales shown in Table 16. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

^a Net sales are shown for classifications which do not appear separately in Table 16. For all other classifications apply the per cent in the second column to the sales shown in Table 16.

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TABLE 19.—PORTLAND—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Automobile sales rooms—Continued.			Men's clothing and furnishings stores—Continued.		
Automobiles, parts and accessories—Continued.			Shoes, men's.....	4.4	3.9
Used passenger cars.....	22.1	20.8	Suits.....	26.0	26.0
Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	14.6	4.8	Work clothing.....	7.9	6.8
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	11.2	3.5			
Tractors.....	(x)	.2	Family clothing stores (men's women's children's):		
Automotive parts and accessories, except tires, tubes and batteries.....	7.2	7.1	(Commodity coverage, 43.8 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.0	.7	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Batteries.....	1.0	.5	Children's wear.....	1.0	.1
Gasoline.....	1.2	1.0	Millinery.....	1.5	.8
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2	Hosiery.....	1.0	.3
Oils and greases.....	.6	.5	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	50.1	50.1
Repairs and service.....	5.6	5.5	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	.6	.1
Storage.....	3.8	.1	Other apparel.....	.8	.6
			Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'—		
Used-car dealers (\$361,671):			Suits.....	26.4	20.4
(Commodity coverage, 99.1 per cent)			Overcoats.....	22.8	22.8
Automotive parts and accessories, except tires, tubes, and batteries.....	22.3	18.0	Hats and caps.....	2.3	1.2
Batteries.....	.4	.2	Furnishings.....	5.6	2.9
Gasoline.....	(x)	13.1	Other clothing.....	1.1	.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.3			
Oils and greases.....	5.0	1.4	Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:		
Repairs and service.....	13.2	10.2	(Commodity coverage, 87.9 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	7.4	6.2	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	5.9	.6	Children's wear.....	6.9	2.2
Used passenger cars.....	50.0	60.0	Millinery.....	7.3	2.0
			Hosiery.....	8.1	5.5
Tire shops (including tire repairs) (\$400,364):			Coats, suits, and dresses.....	61.0	61.0
(Commodity coverage, 65.7 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	12.8	8.0
Automotive parts and accessories, except tires, tubes, and batteries.....	4.5	4.5	Other apparel.....	11.4	7.6
Batteries.....	4.4	1.6	Art goods, gifts.....	2.0	.6
Gasoline.....	26.0	26.6	China, glassware and crockery.....	1.2	.4
Oils and greases.....	4.9	4.9	Furs and fur goods.....	10.1	5.9
Repairs and service.....	8.2	8.2	Infants' wear.....	7.4	1.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	54.2	54.2	Jewelry, costume.....	1.3	.6
			Leather goods, bill folds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	2.3	1.2
Filling stations (gasoline and oil) (\$308,651):			Luggage.....	2.4	.5
(Commodity coverage, 45.2 per cent)			Notions and small wares.....	4.0	.8
Gasoline.....	73.9	73.9	Paper and paper goods.....	1.6	.3
Oils and greases.....	25.3	25.3	Toilet articles.....	1.0	.3
Repairs and service.....	1.8	.8	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.6	1.2
			Toys and games.....	2.4	.6
Filling stations (with tires and accessories) (\$359,337):					
(Commodity coverage, 20.1 per cent)			Furriers—fur shops (\$194,644):		
Automotive parts and accessories, except tires and tubes.....	0.2	0.2	(Commodity coverage, 75.2 per cent)		
Gasoline.....	60.1	60.1	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	7.8	7.5
Oils and greases.....	6.6	6.6	Furs and fur goods.....	85.5	85.5
Repairs and service.....	7.8	7.8	Service.....	7.0	7.0
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	15.3	15.3			
Used passenger cars.....	3.0	1.0	Hosiery shops (\$126,630):		
			(Commodity coverage, 33.6 per cent)		
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline oil, accessories) (\$739,289):			Hosiery.....	79.5	79.5
(Commodity coverage, 50.7 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	21.5	20.6
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	36.7	36.7			
Batteries.....	1.1	.9	Family shoe stores—(men's, women's, children's) (\$1,112,033):		
Gasoline.....	8.8	5.3	(Commodity coverage, 55.3 per cent)		
Oils and greases.....	6.4	6.4	Hosiery, women.....	4.0	2.1
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	20.8	8.3	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.2
Repairs and service.....	23.2	23.2	Shoes and other footwear—		
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	9.0	3.6	Men's.....	26.7	26.7
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	18.7	15.6	Boys' and youths'.....	.9	.6
			Women's.....	59.9	59.9
Parking stations, parking garages and lots (\$168,348):			Misses' and children's.....	4.9	3.1
(Commodity coverage, 49.0 per cent)			Rubber and other footwear.....	11.2	7.4
Gasoline.....	30.7	30.7			
Oils and greases.....	2.6	2.6	FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
Repairs and service.....	10.2	9.8	Furniture stores:		
Storage.....	56.9	56.9	(Commodity coverage, 85.1 per cent)		
Boats (motor boats, yachts, canoes) (\$128,112):			Furniture—		
(Commodity coverage, 50.9 per cent)			Bedroom.....	16.4	16.4
Boats.....	35.8	35.8	Living room, library, and hall.....	20.1	20.1
Parts and accessories.....	41.7	41.7	Dining room.....	10.0	10.0
Radio parts and accessories.....	.7	.5	Kitchen.....	5.7	5.7
Radio sets.....	22.5	22.0	Other household.....	13.9	13.9
			Home furnishings—		
APPAREL GROUP			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	11.4	5.6
Men's and boys' hat stores (\$96,768):			Floor coverings.....	23.7	15.6
(Commodity coverage, 84.2 per cent)			Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	21.7	2.9
Furnishings.....	31.1	13.1	Lighting equipment, electric.....	1.5	.1
Hats and caps.....	86.9	86.9	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
			Other home furnishings.....	.9	.2
Men's clothing and furnishings stores (\$1,334,906):			Radio sets.....	6.8	3.2
(Commodity coverage, 85.6 per cent)			Refrigerators.....	1.7	1.1
Furnishings.....	23.4	23.4	Secondhand furniture.....	3.3	1.0
Hats and caps.....	8.2	8.2	Service.....	8.3	1.2
Jewelry, costume.....	3.9	.3	Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	7.0	3.0
Luggage.....	1.2	.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.7	.3
Other clothing.....	22.3	16.0	Toys and games.....	3.6	.2
Overcoats.....	14.0	14.0			
Rubber and other footwear.....	1.0	.6	Household appliance stores—electric (\$503,088):		
Shoes, boys' and youths'.....	1.0	.7	(Commodity coverage, 83.4 per cent)		
			Commercial and industrial appliances.....	14.7	6.4
			Construction materials.....	.3	.2

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Household appliance stores—electric—Continued.			Cigar stores (without fountains) (\$378,133): (Commodity coverage, 90.7 per cent)		
Household appliances, motor-driven.....	16.0	16.0	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	76.4	76.4
Household heating appliances, portable.....	30.9	30.4	Confectionery and nuts.....	11.0	3.4
Incandescent lamps.....	12.2	12.0	Magazines and newspapers.....	18.2	5.6
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	14.6	8.1	Smokers' supplies.....	14.4	14.4
Refrigerators.....	24.0	23.7	Toilet articles.....	.9	.2
Service.....	3.2	3.2			
Household appliance stores (\$186,519): (Commodity coverage, 67.1 per cent)			Coal and wood yards (\$2,340,170): (Commodity coverage, 90.1 per cent)		
Other appliances, gas.....	17.4	16.6	Coal.....	95.2	95.2
Refrigerators.....	2.2	1.9	Fuel oil.....	3.8	.4
Stoves and ranges, gas.....	64.7	64.7	Service.....	1.9	.1
Water heaters, gas.....	16.8	16.8	Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	4.7	4.3
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Drug stores (with fountains) (\$2,050,203): (Commodity coverage, 42.6 per cent)		
Cafeterias (\$446,911): (Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)			Bottled beverages.....	1.8	.9
Bottled beverages.....	.3	.1	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	10.3	10.3
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.0	3.0	Confectionery and nuts.....	6.0	5.5
Confectionery and nuts.....	.2	.1	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	21.8	21.8
Receipts from sale of meals.....	96.8	96.8	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	13.7	13.7
Restaurants with table service (\$1,315,124): (Commodity coverage, 27.0 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 7.4	7.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	.6	.1	Prescriptions.....	.9	.6
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.5	1.5	Rubber goods.....	.7	.1
Other non-food products.....	(x) .1	.1	Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	3.3	2.0
Receipts from sale of meals.....	98.3	98.3	Surgical and hospital supplies.....	12.9	12.9
Lunch counters (\$65,310): (Commodity coverage, 70.8 per cent)			Toilet articles.....	22.0	22.0
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	6.7	6.7	Florists: (Commodity coverage, 23.8 per cent)		
Receipts from sale of meals.....	93.3	93.3	Art goods, gifts.....	3.2	2.9
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	70.0	70.0
Lumber and building material dealers (\$1,342,944): (Commodity coverage, 97.3 per cent)			Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	27.1	27.1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	3.2	.3	Jewelry stores: (Commodity coverage, 58.6 per cent)		
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	2.3	1.1	Art goods, gifts.....	8.9	1.4
Cement.....	13.1	4.9	China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.3	2.0
Lime, plaster, etc.....	18.8	5.1	Clocks.....	3.0	3.0
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	79.9	72.2	Diamond jewelry.....	22.6	22.6
Other building materials.....	1.3	.4	Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	6.9	6.9
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	14.9	7.1	Household heating appliances, portable.....	1.1	.5
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	10.8	6.5	Leather goods.....	5.3	3.7
Wall boards (except wood base).....	2.2	1.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 11.6	6.3
Wood shingles and shakes.....	2.7	1.2	Other jewelry.....	6.6	6.6
Heating appliances and oil burners (\$429,824): (Commodity coverage, 25.5 per cent)			Plated silverware.....	11.6	11.6
Heating equipment and supplies.....	80.1	80.1	Rings, other than diamond.....	9.6	8.3
Household appliances, motor-driven, electric.....	14.8	8.9	Service.....	15.1	15.1
Service.....	27.3	11.0	Starling silverware.....	11.3	11.3
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating (\$764,566): (Commodity coverage, 59.9 per cent)			Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail) (\$589,865): (Commodity coverage, 81.8 per cent)		
Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	.2	.1	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	36.8	35.8
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	98.9	98.9	Office and store furniture.....	28.3	17.3
Service.....	2.5	.5	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	36.1	13.2
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	2.5	.5	Service.....	11.3	7.9
OTHER RETAIL STORES			Stationery.....	23.5	8.3
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer) (\$573,613): (Commodity coverage, 39.8 per cent)			Typewriters and accessories.....	28.5	17.5
Flour.....	6.4	6.2	Typewriter dealers (\$195,853): (Commodity coverage, 30.3 per cent)		
Grain and feed.....	93.4	93.4	Service.....	2.1	2.1
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	.4	.4	Typewriters and accessories.....	97.9	97.9

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TABLE 20.—LEWISTON—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	512	478	1,730	434	\$2,314,852	\$97,388	\$2,247,301	\$3,499,360	\$20,763,193	100.00
Food group.....	183	188	282	100	322,682	28,845	322,087	299,880	4,743,590	22.85
Candy and confectionery stores.....	36	39	51	22	46,358	5,425	56,636	44,770	413,443	1.99
Dairy products stores ¹	5	5	10	1	11,644	83	11,399	1,960	175,198	.84
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	7	8	7	6	8,499	1,627	12,092	7,670	127,543	.62
Grocery stores (without meats).....	63	49	50	24	61,963	4,372	76,332	87,590	1,141,915	5.50
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	69	83	153	44	137,334	15,994	156,776	156,940	2,815,925	13.56
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	3	4	6	3	6,734	1,144	8,832	950	69,556	.34
General merchandise group.....	17	13	294	101	345,453	13,942	373,132	471,790	3,041,976	14.85
Department stores, includes 1 general merchandise store.....	3	1	151	39	211,911	3,277	213,543	234,300	1,541,431	7.42
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	5	6	46	14	50,773	2,090	46,495	126,790	456,171	2.20
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	9	6	97	48	82,769	8,575	113,091	110,700	1,044,374	5.03
Automotive group².....	55	41	230	24	417,806	5,758	432,970	468,530	3,987,212	19.25
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	21	14	213	7	326,402	1,490	343,897	395,140	3,117,273	15.01
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	9	8	18	4	20,547	990	37,760	64,900	414,022	2.00
Filling stations.....	10	6	18	6	21,597	1,066	29,471	7,490	284,950	1.37
Garages and repair shops.....	14	12	30	7	43,060	1,612	21,314	20,570	179,136	.80
Apparel group.....	76	67	182	89	264,181	16,363	368,053	756,690	2,497,278	12.03
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	19	15	47	15	83,950	2,624	113,192	289,140	783,834	3.78
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	9	9	27	10	40,751	1,546	69,651	112,830	484,779	2.33
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	10	10	38	16	37,903	3,045	62,930	76,099	410,359	2.01
Women's accessories stores.....	10	10	9	9	9,919	1,524	19,699	35,410	111,522	.54
Other apparel stores.....	14	14	20	5	26,338	1,784	12,390	15,970	85,504	.41
Shoe stores.....	14	9	41	34	65,290	5,840	90,291	227,280	615,280	2.96
Furniture and household group².....	28	22	165	22	300,897	3,780	220,430	439,460	1,636,364	7.89
Furniture stores.....	13	12	100	15	195,596	2,852	162,169	306,780	1,075,873	5.18
Household appliances stores.....	5	1	41	1	70,820	—	28,580	56,580	322,005	1.55
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	3	3	—	—	—	—	1,102	2,300	7,565	.04
Radio and music stores.....	6	5	24	7	33,981	928	27,696	72,950	224,722	1.08
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	34	34	108	28	101,849	5,592	83,859	10,950	592,624	2.85
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	31	31	108	28	101,849	5,592	82,862	10,690	584,398	2.81
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	3	3	—	—	—	—	997	260	8,226	.04
Lumber and building group².....	24	23	88	9	129,375	3,351	96,183	273,450	1,101,233	5.30
Lumber and building material dealers.....	4	2	26	—	33,999	—	51,290	186,630	613,685	2.96
Electrical shops (without radio).....	3	3	6	1	7,200	500	3,430	8,800	52,890	.25
Heating and plumbing shops.....	15	18	52	8	80,407	2,851	35,023	63,690	400,128	1.93
Other retail stores.....	95	90	331	61	433,409	19,957	350,607	758,610	3,162,918	15.19
Hardware stores.....	6	5	42	9	70,423	4,682	51,364	259,080	748,348	3.60
Farmers' supplies.....	4	1	7	—	8,518	—	4,643	6,470	212,049	1.03
Book stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	8	8	4	—	5,244	—	7,181	7,330	47,811	.23
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	27	30	134	12	164,789	4,672	118,102	67,710	592,175	4.30
Drug stores.....	15	15	35	9	47,330	3,873	49,261	150,480	461,359	2.22
Florists.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Jewelry stores.....	10	10	17	9	22,062	3,837	36,255	105,240	154,534	.74
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Opticians and optometrists.....	3	2	6	—	14,605	—	8,272	7,200	39,275	.19
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Stations and printers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications, including 1 second-hand store (combined).....	12	9	18	16	22,153	2,174	27,172	46,450	135,986	.66

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

² This total includes 1 classification in which the numbers of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 21.—LEWISTON—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	512	478	1,730	494	\$2,314,852	\$97,398	\$2,247,301	\$3,499,360	\$20,763,183	100.00
Single-store independents.....	439	466	1,321	290	1,604,194	64,384	1,638,837	2,703,350	15,275,466	73.67
2-store independents.....	20	11	86	19	166,670	6,361	144,928	212,160	1,098,377	5.29
3-store independents.....	5	1	35	1	48,411	100	59,031	65,250	582,087	2.80
Local chains.....	5		60	3	95,330	588	69,012	80,840	574,800	2.77
Sectional chains.....	17		55	39	86,002	14,934	97,629	126,370	878,642	4.23
National chains.....	17		143	75	143,675	10,135	136,733	199,780	1,983,500	9.55
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	6		18	6	38,275	764	35,518	66,800	203,205	.98
Other types of operation.....	3		22	1	34,356	132	15,613	35,810	167,066	.81

TABLE 22.—LEWISTON—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:						Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	2	1		1		Number of stores.....	69	67		2	
Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)		(x)		Annual net sales.....	\$2,815,926	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)		(x)		Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:						Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	9	5		4		Number of stores.....	31	31			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,044,374	\$43,432		\$1,000,942		Annual net sales.....	\$584,398	\$584,398			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	4.16		95.84		Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00			
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:						Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	19	15	2	2		Number of stores.....	8	7		1	
Annual net sales.....	\$783,834	\$550,872	(x)	(x)		Annual net sales.....	\$47,811	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	70.28	(x)	(x)		Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:						Filling stations:					
Number of stores.....	9	7	2			Number of stations.....	10	3	6	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$484,779	(x)	(x)			Annual net sales.....	\$284,956	(x)	\$286,798	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	83.10	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:						Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of stores.....	10	8	1	1		Number of yards.....	27	26	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$416,359	(x)	(x)	(x)		Annual net sales.....	\$892,175	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)		Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Shoe stores:						Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	14	5	1	4	4	Number of stores.....	15	12	2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$615,250	\$184,700	(x)	\$198,560	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$461,359	\$282,850	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	30.02	(x)	32.27	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.31	(x)	(x)	
Furniture stores:						Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	13	11	2			Number of stores.....	6	6			
Annual net sales.....	\$1,075,873	(x)	(x)			Annual net sales.....	\$748,348	\$748,348			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00			
Radio and music stores:						Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	6	6				Number of stores.....	10	10			
Annual net sales.....	\$224,722	\$224,722				Annual net sales.....	\$154,534	\$154,534			
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00			
Grocery stores (without meats):											
Number of stores.....	63	48		15							
Annual net sales.....	\$1,141,915	\$530,105		\$611,810							
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	46.42		53.58							

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TABLE 23.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups¹.....	1,854	1,613	5,357	911	\$8,554,341	\$202,380	\$6,704,702	\$10,741,803	\$66,444,776	100.00
Food group².....	683	609	918	210	1,109,589	57,205	1,209,936	1,166,310	17,666,145	26.59
Candy and confectionery stores.....	80	87	108	30	94,945	8,229	138,837	91,060	1,061,227	1.60
Dairy products stores ³	17	14	19	9	26,598	2,714	31,729	0,980	297,478	.45
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	31	35	57	17	29,692	4,814	51,830	51,170	570,018	.86
Grocery stores (without meats).....	232	163	200	54	247,978	14,413	328,826	313,330	4,726,499	7.11
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	238	255	461	58	547,524	14,630	509,372	623,520	9,223,056	13.88
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	86	37	65	15	100,712	4,887	98,846	25,700	1,255,763	1.89
Bakeries—caterers.....	24	26	29	24	41,646	7,778	29,175	21,080	425,329	.64
Other food stores.....	4	1	9	3	20,494	240	21,035	33,450	105,475	.16
General stores—groceries with apparel or dry goods.....	9	8	6	2	7,454	886	9,881	28,050	165,383	.25
General merchandise group.....	78	49	856	140	747,980	18,603	853,910	1,444,060	6,809,333	10.25
Department stores.....	4		332	43	281,641	6,556	284,653	385,460	1,959,460	2.95
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	35	29	193	44	221,790	6,903	193,140	570,970	1,886,494	2.84
General merchandise stores.....	13	13	30	14	34,416	1,894	42,883	109,689	589,446	.89
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	24	7	301	30	230,133	3,335	333,724	377,950	2,373,933	3.57
Automotive group².....	251	180	885	59	1,258,294	14,416	1,286,215	1,484,690	15,454,844	23.28
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	77	40	592	15	861,082	3,783	991,799	1,204,890	12,047,093	18.13
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	24	20	51	7	71,177	2,043	86,195	102,259	795,851	1.20
Filling stations.....	84	57	110	20	135,801	3,299	102,937	83,900	1,589,334	2.41
Garages and repair shops.....	65	62	132	17	190,234	5,291	104,749	72,940	1,010,600	1.52
Apparel group.....	239	208	805	173	744,126	38,129	1,017,718	2,552,540	7,565,562	11.39
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	67	56	123	38	214,321	7,398	292,074	1,043,680	2,305,121	3.47
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	21	19	130	35	148,590	10,391	239,105	376,450	1,456,677	2.19
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	28	26	128	22	120,690	4,251	172,568	340,620	1,458,517	2.20
Women's accessories stores.....	45	41	79	24	82,302	5,053	94,548	132,060	817,844	.93
Other apparel stores.....	18	19	44	6	46,597	1,084	33,706	61,890	204,188	.31
Shoe stores.....	60	45	95	48	131,626	9,952	185,718	597,840	1,523,215	2.29
Furniture and household group².....	77	49	367	41	553,690	14,798	514,279	952,760	3,441,718	5.18
Furniture stores.....	30	20	161	13	243,722	5,335	295,589	581,370	1,928,878	2.90
Household appliances stores.....	14	3	101	16	174,769	6,067	103,017	183,470	798,856	1.20
Other home (furnishings and appliances) stores.....	11	8	29	1	37,206	150	28,553	42,050	149,992	.23
Radio and music stores.....	20	17	64	9	78,242	2,100	75,644	113,500	498,972	.75
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	94	101	406	58	343,042	10,879	261,790	56,530	1,835,342	2.76
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	80	86	391	54	330,461	10,129	249,300	53,620	1,739,846	2.62
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	14	15	15	4	12,581	760	12,430	2,910	95,496	.14
Lumber and building group.....	80	70	375	59	526,912	12,640	312,447	603,210	2,886,315	4.34
Lumber and building material dealers.....	25	20	149	15	225,632	4,521	182,689	416,760	1,723,455	2.59
Electrical shops (without radio).....	4	4	2	1	2,800	450	4,041	3,260	22,830	.03
Heating and plumbing shops.....	39	35	172	20	238,672	6,812	102,207	140,950	946,105	1.43
Paint and glass stores.....	12	11	62	3	59,808	857	23,510	42,250	194,425	.29
Other retail stores².....	350	325	926	183	1,948,876	33,518	1,218,480	2,427,710	10,492,310	15.79
Hardware stores.....	22	14	108	3	168,273	602	126,509	490,760	1,281,086	1.93
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	7	7	19	2	28,488	936	20,965	66,120	244,288	.37
Farmers' supplies.....	28	24	44	2	52,077	219	63,971	105,200	1,404,063	2.11
Book stores.....	4	4	13	11	15,071	802	17,656	27,630	126,191	.19
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	22	24	7	7	9,531	2,122	23,276	26,500	220,285	.33
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	53	42	267	86	381,179	11,547	355,601	377,880	2,716,261	4.08
Drug stores.....	69	60	171	21	228,507	7,233	223,835	447,620	2,207,101	3.32
Florists.....	23	25	69	14	88,939	2,570	74,212	63,850	417,163	.63
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	9	9	35	6	42,315	283	36,223	67,950	196,094	.30
Jewelry stores.....	42	43	60	16	76,086	3,420	81,862	337,620	608,558	.90
Music stores (without radio).....	3	2	6		12,128		13,629	33,110	65,178	.10
News dealers.....	6	6	18		12,640		14,095	20,750	116,369	.17
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	6	4	17	1	17,494	260	20,578	22,000	110,957	.17
Opticians and optometrists.....	8	6	3	1	6,025	312	7,278	13,750	52,825	.08
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	4	3	8	1	8,688	50	13,451	49,630	99,405	.15
Stationers and printers.....	3	3	10	3	10,325	316	11,775	28,650	74,204	.11
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	40	48	60	9	90,583	2,846	106,885	143,180	640,088	.97
Secondhand stores.....	15	16	13	6	14,376	1,238	20,045	45,040	127,829	.19

¹ These totals include the unincorporated town of Sanford.

² This group includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

³ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

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TABLE 24.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full-time	Part-time	Total (full-time and part-time)	Part-time only			Amount	Percent of total sales
Total	1,854	1,613	5,357	911	\$6,554,341	\$202,360	\$6,704,702	\$10,741,900	\$96,444,776	100.00
Single-store independents	1,504	1,517	3,983	637	4,850,372	142,982	4,831,453	8,296,890	48,922,528	73.63
2-store independents	96	53	414	55	556,670	16,009	690,426	938,420	5,860,038	8.83
3-store independents	24	13	108	25	162,490	5,292	120,143	230,060	1,439,161	2.17
Local chains	22		70	1	122,602	166	92,496	109,630	1,038,814	1.56
Sectional chains	84		185	79	203,681	12,647	277,195	245,990	2,454,185	3.70
National chains	74		453	71	451,943	11,443	560,667	597,020	5,307,812	7.99
Direct selling (house-to-house)	4	1	37		43,302		4,077	4,740	89,439	.13
Itinerant vendors	5	6	12	9	16,048	4,708	4,670	310	113,318	.17
Rolling stores	11	11	1	7	2,942	1,342	4,677	670	142,778	.21
Utility operated retail stores	7		36	12	71,111	5,861	44,941	92,370	372,032	.56
Manufacturer-controlled chains	11		47	8	64,264	1,607		83,650	393,104	.51
Other types of operation	12	12	5	7	9,086	1,303	19,944	22,150	356,617	.54

¹ These totals include the unincorporated town of Sanford.

TABLE 25.—COMBINED CITIES—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multiunits including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores	4	1		3	
Annual net sales	\$1,959,460	(x)		(x)	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores	24	5	2	17	
Annual net sales	\$2,378,933	(x)	(x)	\$2,249,294	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)	(x)	94.75	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores	87	58	8	1	
Annual net sales	\$2,305,121	\$1,864,692	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	80.89	(x)	(x)	
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores	21	14	1	6	
Annual net sales	\$1,456,677	\$1,156,358	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	79.38	(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores	28	25	2	1	
Annual net sales	\$1,458,517	\$1,382,175	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	94.76	(x)	(x)	
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores	60	33	12	9	6
Annual net sales	\$1,523,215	\$727,336	\$423,092	\$160,121	\$212,666
Per cent of total sales	100.00	47.75	27.78	10.51	13.96
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores	30	20	10		
Annual net sales	\$1,028,873	\$882,956	\$1,045,917		
Per cent of total sales	100.00	85.78	54.22		
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores	20	20			
Annual net sales	\$498,972	\$498,972			
Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00			
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores	232	136	6	90	
Annual net sales	\$4,726,499	\$1,382,198	\$155,868	\$3,238,433	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	28.18	3.30	68.52	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores	238	219	11	6	2
Annual net sales	\$9,223,056	\$8,312,453	\$300,849	\$560,456	\$49,298
Per cent of total sales	100.00	90.13	3.26	6.03	.53
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores	80	71	8		1
Annual net sales	\$1,739,846	\$1,461,090	\$264,647		\$14,109
Per cent of total sales	100.00	83.98	15.21		.81
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores	22	22			
Annual net sales	\$220,255	\$220,255			
Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00			
Filling stations:					
Number of stations	84	69	12	13	
Annual net sales	\$1,599,334	\$963,318	\$500,459	\$185,557	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	60.23	31.20	8.48	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards	53	51	2		
Annual net sales	\$2,715,261	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Drug stores:					
Number of stores	69	67	10	2	
Annual net sales	\$2,207,101	\$1,576,932		(x)	
Per cent of total sales	100.00	71.45		(x)	
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores	22	22			
Annual net sales	\$1,281,086	\$1,281,086			
Per cent of total sales	100.00	100.00			
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores	42	40			2
Annual net sales	\$508,553	\$495,908			\$12,645
Per cent of total sales	100.00	97.51			2.49

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TABLE 26.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	7,500	7,368	10,465	2,822	\$11,842,367	\$908,410	\$12,558,763	\$30,225,250	\$164,138,035	100.00
Food group.....	2,012	1,889	1,886	630	2,080,022	116,883	2,419,149	3,426,750	39,186,662	23.87
Candy and confectionery stores.....	270	295	203	87	148,075	15,056	219,997	270,490	2,250,252	1.37
Dairy products stores ¹	34	34	55	17	65,495	2,763	36,035	9,520	588,890	.36
Delicatessen stores.....	5	5	4	2	2,882	190	4,800	1,180	22,057	.01
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	67	73	53	25	46,311	5,439	99,485	126,330	1,039,751	.63
Grocery stores (without meats).....	914	709	610	182	718,506	43,463	963,814	1,359,430	15,911,440	9.69
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	554	606	819	170	964,271	39,360	938,551	1,570,800	17,456,662	10.64
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	107	111	71	29	73,589	6,657	91,791	50,310	1,257,177	.77
Bakeries—caterers.....	48	49	67	17	67,343	3,685	58,203	19,270	610,498	.37
Other food stores.....	7	7	4	1	2,890	250	6,473	19,360	39,940	.03
General stores—groceries with apparel or dry goods.....	829	879	799	175	836,276	42,237	1,053,408	4,782,710	20,866,049	12.71
General merchandise group.....	334	291	934	250	781,120	48,683	933,982	2,919,250	9,300,554	5.66
Department stores.....	5		96	33	115,125	4,950	101,273	205,600	976,693	.59
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	183	177	308	109	280,398	20,569	341,920	1,432,790	3,653,673	2.24
General merchandise stores.....	64	57	111	67	133,377	9,809	151,318	722,800	1,851,911	1.13
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores.....	82	57	419	41	252,220	13,365	339,451	653,000	2,788,272	1.70
Automotive group.....	1,424	1,436	2,062	403	2,859,943	117,051	2,580,833	4,032,790	34,234,833	20.85
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	324	288	1,218	135	1,609,274	43,457	1,829,218	3,029,230	23,432,423	14.28
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	10	9	44	7	52,799	2,137	49,728	105,250	702,933	.43
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	42	38	53	13	50,141	5,042	57,122	109,890	669,563	.41
Filling stations.....	519	518	222	84	197,810	18,205	205,838	264,140	3,867,141	2.35
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	3	3	1	1	610	160	1,638	3,860	20,620	.01
Garages and repair shops.....	622	578	521	162	647,831	48,020	434,399	507,170	5,487,741	3.34
Other automotive establishments.....	4	2	3		2,478		2,890	13,250	54,412	.03
Apparel group.....	535	534	574	236	648,540	41,636	692,653	4,169,350	9,872,689	5.89
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	184	181	213	75	290,012	16,206	463,157	2,206,070	4,406,091	2.74
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	56	58	113	44	116,875	5,958	147,626	648,770	1,652,506	1.01
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	70	66	95	38	88,527	5,211	147,040	402,260	1,272,602	.77
Women's accessories stores.....	89	95	28	21	22,133	2,970	44,757	106,790	841,217	.21
Other apparel stores.....	22	21	26	11	16,603	3,176	17,139	21,220	139,289	.08
Shoe stores.....	114	113	99	47	114,340	8,115	172,934	773,240	1,770,984	1.08
Furniture and household group².....	262	214	446	149	629,018	40,076	644,367	1,821,920	5,477,759	3.34
Furniture stores.....	94	85	176	38	247,921	7,681	362,395	1,000,120	2,740,988	1.67
Household appliances stores.....	47	5	149	49	226,947	19,357	95,083	191,790	1,083,524	.66
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	48	53	35	16	47,213	2,467	68,623	364,300	584,555	.34
Radio and music stores.....	71	68	84	46	104,928	10,271	111,082	233,930	1,043,685	.64
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	399	432	636	187	402,099	29,268	437,824	103,070	3,000,185	1.83
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	277	302	579	133	370,049	22,438	397,483	86,070	2,617,858	1.60
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	122	130	67	54	32,050	6,820	40,341	22,000	382,297	.23
Lumber and building group.....	235	216	921	131	1,233,555	29,942	750,616	1,807,700	7,676,549	4.68
Lumber and building material dealers.....	94	81	517	65	635,164	12,796	499,685	1,346,650	5,140,999	3.13
Electrical shops (without radio).....	37	32	71	20	116,626	5,545	71,589	140,220	629,123	.39
Heating and plumbing shops.....	69	66	255	31	364,203	7,345	145,346	255,480	1,594,151	.97
Paint and glass stores.....	35	37	78	16	107,562	4,256	33,095	65,350	312,275	.19
Other retail stores².....	1,450	1,445	2,193	754	2,578,375	140,425	2,734,031	7,142,020	34,679,749	21.13
Hardware stores.....	150	152	310	59	394,496	17,458	356,035	1,427,790	4,242,767	2.58
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	68	71	160	25	216,814	9,036	228,377	741,800	3,050,131	1.86
Farmers' supplies.....	343	307	453	70	528,105	15,890	623,633	1,535,940	13,128,188	8.00
Book stores.....	11	9	18	9	13,842	1,553	29,260	66,860	227,440	.14
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	69	70	44	11	43,846	2,210	67,970	74,080	589,979	.36
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	180	187	493	330	542,215	39,370	487,046	522,180	4,171,019	2.54
Drug stores.....	240	234	388	132	476,966	32,105	499,143	1,455,280	5,490,161	3.33
Florists.....	16	17	21	10	26,959	1,875	25,915	22,660	184,598	.09
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	42	40	26	19	16,633	2,066	31,890	129,530	268,123	.16
Jewelry stores.....	110	116	77	20	83,255	2,437	128,277	573,530	900,475	.55
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	4	4	1	2	2,420	600	3,351	13,690	50,163	.03
Music stores (without radio).....	8	9	11	3	11,507	256	13,695	37,680	103,618	.06
News dealers.....	41	45	39	23	34,217	4,395	34,637	84,710	493,782	.30
Opticians and optometrists.....	6	6			520		4,498	7,920	26,714	.02
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	10	11	13	4	13,383	940	12,512	37,610	148,318	.09
Stationers and printers.....	3	3	4		2,850		3,402	11,320	28,723	.02
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	148	163	136	39	171,046	10,054	193,685	396,330	1,632,818	1.00
Secondhand stores.....	20	22	4	8	5,419	2,239	11,921	25,690	63,014	.04

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

² This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 27.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Fulltime	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	7,500	7,358	10,455	2,822	\$11,842,387	\$808,410	\$12,558,793	\$30,225,250	\$164,138,035	100.00
Single-store independents.....	6,385	6,749	7,847	2,334	8,862,806	470,303	9,393,260	23,787,030	120,046,720	73.14
2-store independents.....	192	119	234	94	647,949	18,681	650,555	1,580,720	7,988,348	4.85
3-store independents.....	22	8	50	12	68,041	2,435	96,269	153,110	928,910	.86
Local chains.....	36	3	231	24	328,223	9,109	313,427	373,790	4,648,723	2.83
Sectional chains.....	145		254	34	289,045	15,099	313,070	332,540	4,301,303	2.62
National chains.....	169		614	124	599,134	33,368	731,962	816,990	9,645,993	5.88
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	7	8	3		1,042		3,174	1,610	35,057	.02
Roadside markets or stands ¹	15	16	3	8	2,034	1,034	3,716	3,080	46,671	.03
Itinerant vendors.....	12	13	7	2	9,656		9,470	590	140,883	.09
Rolling stores.....	6	6	3	3	7,021	433	4,796	620	53,971	.03
Industrial stores (including commis- saries).....	5		10	1	11,772	104	1,585	60,150	173,606	.11
Utility-operated retail stores.....	45		137	53	213,299	20,433	93,128	207,900	1,058,975	.64
Cooperative stores ¹	17		75	2	105,388	605	75,528	289,280	1,981,043	1.21
Retailers—country buyers ¹	323	370	447	92	407,146	19,218	571,415	1,573,210	9,221,303	5.62
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	64	63	231	38	270,458	7,984	288,125	537,120	3,847,748	2.34
All other types.....	2	3	9	1	18,753	154	4,286	7,610	41,781	.02

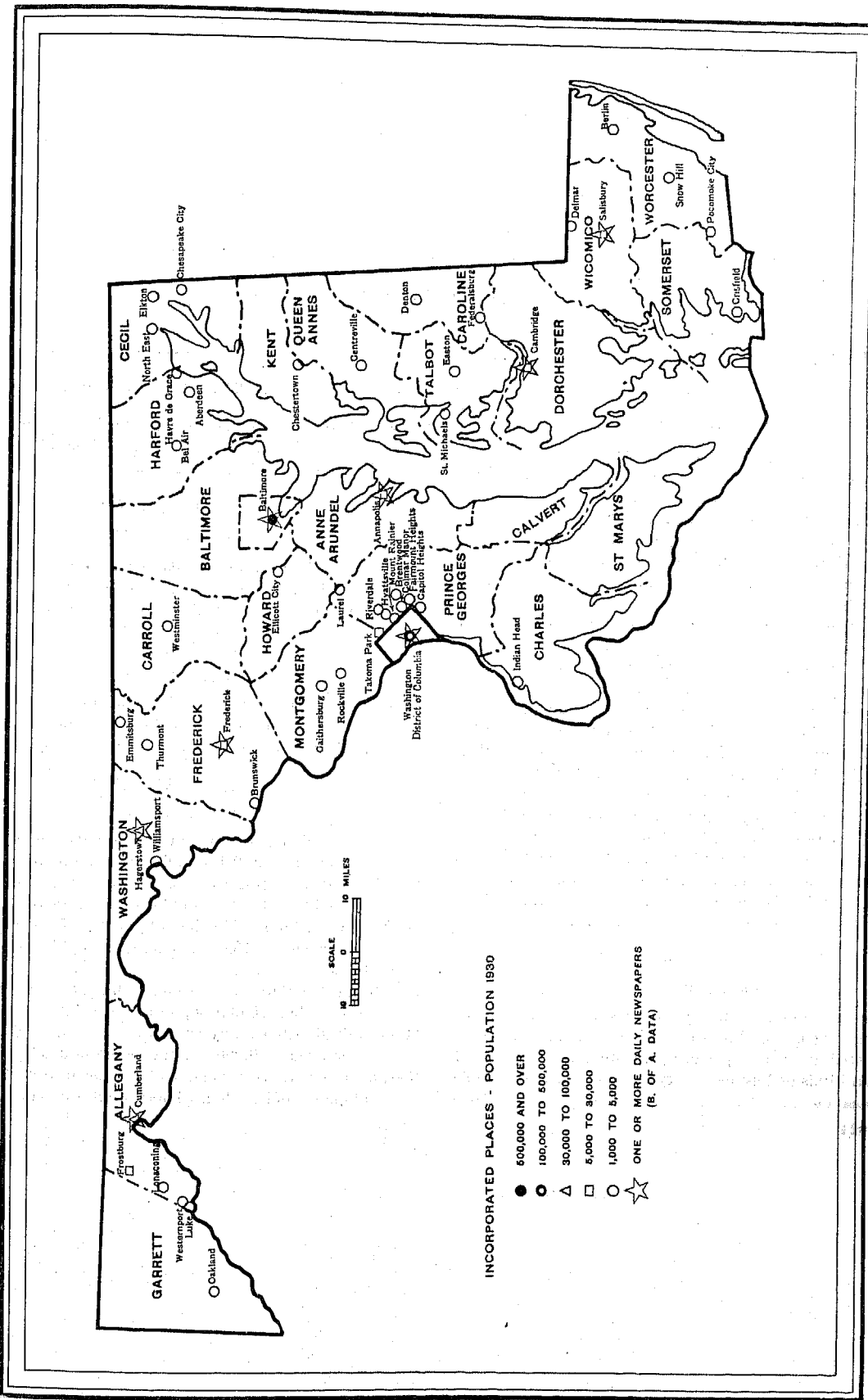
¹ These classifications are used only in rural areas and cities having less than 10,000 population. These stores are usually independently operated.

TABLE 28.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store in- dependents	Local multiunits local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores.....	5	1	1	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$976,693	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores.....	82	49		33	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,788,272	\$528,209		\$2,259,973	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	18.95		81.05	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores.....	184	173	10		1
Annual net sales.....	\$4,496,091	\$4,178,971	\$307,120		\$10,000
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	92.95	6.83		.22
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores.....	56	53	2	1	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,652,508	\$1,592,479	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	96.37	(x)	(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores.....	70	55	11	4	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,272,602	\$947,252	\$203,136	\$122,214	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	74.44	16.06	9.60	
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores.....	114	103	2	9	
Annual net sales.....	\$1,770,934	\$1,578,040	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	89.11	(x)	(x)	
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores.....	94	85	7		2
Annual net sales.....	\$2,740,938	\$2,329,076	\$345,248		\$66,604
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.97	12.60		2.43
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores.....	71	69	2		
Annual net sales.....	\$1,048,085	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores.....	914	614	18	231	51
Annual net sales.....	\$15,911,440	\$4,983,580	\$265,087	\$9,984,082	\$878,691
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	31.32	1.67	62.75	4.26
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	554	503	11	0	4
Annual net sales.....	\$17,456,682	\$15,242,624	\$670,500	\$611,878	\$931,665
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	87.32	3.84	3.50	5.34
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	277	275	1		1
Annual net sales.....	\$2,617,888	\$2,610,388	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	99.71	(x)		(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	69	65	2		2
Annual net sales.....	\$589,979	\$505,390	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	85.66	(x)		(x)
Filling stations:					
Number of stations.....	519	467	29	12	11
Annual net sales.....	\$3,857,141	\$3,044,565	\$545,037	\$102,995	\$164,544
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.93	14.18	2.67	4.27
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards.....	180	175	1		4
Annual net sales.....	\$4,171,019	\$4,058,161	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	97.29	(x)		(x)
Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	240	232	8		
Annual net sales.....	\$5,460,161	\$5,280,230	\$179,931		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	96.70	3.30		
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	150	140	7		3
Annual net sales.....	\$4,242,787	\$3,684,447	\$160,760		\$417,670
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	86.37	3.79		9.84
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	110	109	1		
Annual net sales.....	\$900,475	(x)	(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		

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TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold. See Table 15)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1928)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time		Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	21,082	20,182	63,480	7,492	\$64,281,830	\$1,698,864	\$73,858,140	\$619,573,436	100.00
Food group	9,258	8,851	8,870	2,519	10,900,648	559,031	8,889,130	187,862,518	27.09
Candy and confectionery stores:									
Candy stores—nut stores.....	42	20	96	30	96,111	6,631	32,070	786,640	.13
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,951	1,993	983	229	908,383	53,435	777,610	14,237,851	2.30
Dairy products stores:									
Dairy products stores (including ice cream) 1.....	132	109	138	42	164,049	11,043	63,200	3,125,811	.50
Egg and poultry dealers.....	156	147	115	36	130,797	8,119	106,060	3,273,952	.53
Milk dealers 1.....	34	21	1,069	11	1,792,780	2,940	34,380	15,120,986	2.44
Deli-catessen stores.....	187	167	222	72	222,035	16,887	116,610	2,537,897	.41
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	670	694	255	66	236,301	16,559	87,110	5,715,175	.92
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2,148	1,858	1,300	605	1,603,961	122,363	1,985,380	29,207,096	4.71
Combination stores (groceries and meats):									
Grocery stores with meats.....	2,540	2,279	2,585	938	3,099,285	196,221	2,886,780	60,586,254	9.78
Meat markets with groceries.....	277	303	416	91	492,788	23,240	377,250	9,583,006	1.55
Meat markets (including sea foods):									
Fish markets—sea foods.....	153	161	249	67	233,053	16,599	36,460	2,249,929	.36
Meat markets.....	667	642	645	218	800,424	55,682	244,130	14,728,592	2.38
Bakeries—caterers:									
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufactur- ing bakeries).....	221	193	609	58	852,574	13,898	71,520	3,908,985	.63
Caterers.....	4	2	34	49	43,589	12,870	4,460	204,376	.03
Other food stores:									
Coffee, tea, spices.....	22	5	123	1	186,714	416	59,610	2,152,913	.35
Farm products stores.....	40	43	4	4	4,570	1,250	1,740	251,725	.04
General food stores.....	9	10	8	2	7,720	872	1,140	66,603	.01
Bottled waters and beverages.....	5	4	19	2	26,912	872	3,530	108,827	.02
General stores	1,432	1,642	915	333	865,108	61,117	5,198,250	26,482,075	4.27
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	97	109	42	17	38,315	4,010	248,070	1,406,586	.23
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	608	680	262	108	234,373	17,117	1,684,070	8,252,297	1.33
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	727	853	611	208	592,420	39,990	3,266,110	16,803,092	2.71
General merchandise group 1	750	682	12,647	1,892	12,991,165	242,461	18,487,500	100,612,535	16.24
Department stores:									
With food departments.....	7	1	2,748	240	3,103,556	14,163	3,032,600	19,156,978	3.09
Without food departments (including 1 mail-order house).....	40	22	7,763	402	8,038,167	107,028	10,413,210	59,823,362	9.66
Dry goods stores.....	408	424	432	165	427,797	37,902	2,019,760	6,150,608	.99
General merchandise stores:									
With food departments.....	29	32	52	11	54,891	3,252	201,930	1,040,462	.17
Without food departments.....	112	102	297	86	292,513	16,533	1,400,410	3,888,895	.63
Army and Navy goods stores.....	9	6	19	10	25,830	2,300	108,220	547,019	.08
Variety, 5-and-10 and to-a-dollar stores.....	143	94	1,335	468	1,048,011	61,273	1,307,370	10,183,751	1.64
Automotive group 1	2,399	2,235	7,318	538	9,932,339	137,868	8,847,080	100,672,138	16.26
Motor-vehicle dealers:									
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	414	403	3,943	132	5,745,384	40,778	5,925,370	64,595,340	10.43
Used-car establishments.....	39	37	104	4	125,858	1,130	136,730	1,747,958	.28
Automobile dealers with farm implements and ma- chinery.....	7	6	87	5	112,292	1,560	315,670	1,365,587	.22
Accessories, tires, and batteries:									
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	99	91	280	5	390,704	1,366	537,490	3,106,376	.50
Bakery and ignition shops—brake-repair shops.....	71	79	91	7	114,367	2,705	78,600	671,832	.11
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	96	74	266	15	385,703	4,833	427,670	3,109,934	.50
Filling stations:									
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	340	163	631	67	677,870	9,600	179,020	7,828,024	1.26
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	144	155	212	28	239,865	9,167	210,420	2,696,324	.44
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	455	398	400	128	546,790	21,515	263,250	6,556,990	1.06
Motorcycles, bicycles, and supplies:									
Motorcycle dealers.....	4	4	9	1	11,529	50	18,670	120,565	.02
Bicycles, motorcycles, and supplies stores.....	8	8	15	1	12,115	300	32,250	133,415	.02
Bicycle shops.....	6	7	1	1	300	8	8,200	26,300	.01
Garages and repair shops:									
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	31	31	90	6	156,335	3,576	22,510	406,738	.07
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, acces- sories).....	605	759	1,092	137	1,301,157	40,868	658,880	7,920,445	1.28
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	9	10	15	2	19,235	114	8,540	145,013	.02
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	6	6	45	5	51,670	1,000	7,020	133,873	.02
Aircraft and accessories.....	3	1	35	1	38,095	1,000	19,560	92,304	.01
Apparel group	1,496	1,301	4,144	825	5,230,326	166,685	10,319,140	45,543,873	7.35
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:									
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	51	37	201	18	285,704	5,135	689,430	2,332,302	.38
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	35	21	38	23	74,980	3,804	132,720	625,478	.10
Men's furnishings stores.....	187	175	209	74	271,617	18,546	1,019,070	3,384,048	.55
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	126	139	416	60	731,864	12,447	2,024,360	6,340,750	1.02
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	175	185	536	144	649,691	24,472	1,627,560	6,189,455	1.00
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	174	129	1,252	126	1,289,303	24,560	1,368,890	10,393,489	1.68
Women's accessories stores:									
Corset and lingerie shops.....	17	15	27	2	34,298	175	46,910	259,465	.04
Furriers—fur shops.....	21	22	75	1	126,776	1,000	209,420	924,183	.15
Hosiery shops.....	17	8	102	26	91,062	3,333	60,620	581,976	.09
Knit goods shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores.....	170	140	270	89	300,675	14,332	152,010	2,174,961	.35

See footnotes at end of table.

TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold. See Table 15)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALE (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Apparel group—Continued									
Other apparel stores:									
Children's specialty shops.....	10	11	11	15	\$15,912	\$1,170	\$43,790	\$249,070	0.04
Custom tailors.....	228	236	354	35	485,690	10,954	565,890	3,131,351	.51
Dressmakers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Infants' wear shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Shoe stores:									
Shoe stores—men's.....	21	6	86	17	63,789	3,161	181,810	845,709	.14
Shoe stores—women's.....	22	9	142	58	180,352	12,790	325,200	1,857,200	.30
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	230	193	471	134	623,623	30,791	1,751,760	6,156,536	1.00
Furniture and household group¹	645	576	3,780	211	5,451,477	69,368	6,469,620	35,027,094	5.65
Furniture stores:									
Furniture stores.....	190	185	1,676	66	2,276,360	12,379	3,055,950	16,542,063	2.67
Furniture and undertaker.....	22	27	46	4	47,036	891	172,990	639,103	.10
Furniture and hardware stores.....	8	11	18	1	24,263	120	125,170	431,003	.07
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:									
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	7	8	22	—	23,738	—	46,460	157,121	.02
Floor covering stores.....	9	9	46	3	56,327	464	189,710	524,146	.08
Household appliance stores:									
Household appliance stores (electrical).....	57	21	343	15	450,329	5,771	295,290	1,906,522	.31
Household appliance stores.....	17	2	393	4	565,901	1,384	442,110	3,951,557	.64
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	4	2	61	—	144,846	—	36,120	824,483	.13
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:									
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	19	22	42	6	59,531	2,615	59,640	203,483	.03
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	37	35	47	—	50,302	—	151,490	416,195	.07
Picture and framing stores.....	4	4	13	1	14,901	319	70,450	111,977	.02
Stove and range dealers.....	4	7	60	1	75,370	104	30,020	252,994	.04
Antique shops.....	48	46	70	32	111,105	14,835	329,240	672,598	.11
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	8	9	15	1	27,992	500	4,620	95,035	.02
Interior decorators.....	9	5	239	23	484,080	13,134	373,620	1,727,353	.28
Lamp and shade shops.....	8	6	8	4	10,284	824	23,600	71,433	.01
Radio and music stores:									
Radio and electrical shops.....	182	125	418	40	587,465	11,769	520,240	4,018,387	.65
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	66	52	257	10	388,714	4,259	542,900	2,352,518	.38
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	1,284	1,302	3,859	300	2,930,927	69,994	318,850	16,720,687	2.70
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:									
Cafeterias.....	12	6	310	1	252,912	240	12,180	1,231,938	.20
Lunch rooms.....	610	659	1,171	135	375,881	30,540	104,720	5,554,538	.90
Restaurants with table service.....	323	357	2,025	92	1,521,798	23,601	97,350	7,096,756	1.24
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:									
Refreshment stands.....	81	76	34	8	20,750	2,152	12,770	325,068	.05
Fountain—lunches.....	28	19	116	14	102,917	1,801	59,610	653,529	.11
Lunch counters.....	108	113	187	38	144,093	9,463	25,570	1,076,144	.17
Soft-drink stands.....	74	72	16	12	12,576	2,197	0,670	183,714	.03
Lumber and building group	467	457	3,156	193	4,280,819	53,993	5,426,300	28,701,947	4.43
Lumber and building material dealers:									
Lumber and building material dealers.....	121	110	1,466	55	1,913,878	18,370	3,046,020	14,268,265	2.30
Lumber and hardware.....	40	43	405	39	557,197	7,626	1,162,100	5,624,956	.91
Roofing.....	31	31	102	5	126,470	2,470	39,310	503,753	.08
Dealers in any other single building material.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Electrical shops (without radio).....	39	30	233	10	365,824	4,768	182,450	1,247,748	.20
Heating and plumbing shops:									
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	21	9	152	18	258,921	1,652	126,090	905,579	.14
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	120	135	620	56	822,167	16,441	373,830	3,682,767	.60
Paint and glass stores:									
Glass and mirror shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Paint and glass stores.....	82	86	157	10	221,713	2,666	489,180	2,399,549	.39
Other retail stores	3,100	2,991	8,542	1,154	11,435,739	328,063	15,995,070	95,128,366	15.36
Hardware stores.....	395	429	555	52	603,915	11,207	2,498,950	7,521,114	1.21
Hardware and farm implement stores:									
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	30	28	133	14	192,145	3,091	412,020	1,548,093	.25
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	14	13	67	26	63,012	3,900	129,510	1,169,029	.19
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	61	61	138	21	165,460	5,014	645,290	2,613,990	.42
Farmers' supplies:									
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	100	94	163	27	189,129	4,877	368,930	4,575,775	.74
Fertilizer stores.....	6	3	6	—	8,350	—	75,090	307,410	.05
Harness shops.....	19	22	19	—	25,503	—	67,010	266,691	.04
Irrigation and drainage equipment and supplies (retail).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supply stores.....	8	10	76	1	103,346	500	161,240	990,746	.15
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	8	6	29	9	44,352	3,180	123,890	408,202	.07
Cooperage—barrels, boxes, crates, casks.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and feed stores.....	51	36	203	28	234,470	8,335	449,290	5,132,722	.84
Feed stores with groceries.....	96	111	48	18	41,314	4,728	118,760	1,493,249	.24
Book stores:									
Book stores.....	27	20	94	3	134,766	1,130	166,630	637,681	.10
Circulating libraries.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands:									
Cigar stores with fountains.....	18	20	26	2	25,375	480	35,340	441,727	.07
Cigar stands.....	64	74	51	11	45,245	3,779	18,160	330,711	.05
Cigar stores without fountains.....	169	171	117	14	132,196	3,526	261,560	2,473,189	.40
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:									
Coal and wood yards.....	224	216	1,106	128	1,430,126	46,066	708,610	14,326,035	2.31
Ice dealers.....	42	40	421	15	573,856	4,450	73,870	2,062,870	.33

See footnotes at end of table.

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TABLE 1.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

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KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold. See Table 15)	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALE (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Other retail stores—Continued.									
Drug stores:									
Drug stores.....	232		455	126	\$600,919	\$36,632	\$994,600	\$4,892,617	0.79
Drug stores with fountains.....	422		1,388	376	1,700,682	119,241	1,950,380	14,159,732	2.29
Florists.....	163		307	49	386,622	10,746	103,650	2,075,181	.34
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:									
Toy shops.....	12	12	12	10	8,285	400	41,610	196,550	.03
Art and gift shops.....	24	26	35	10	47,087	1,283	128,340	434,883	.07
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	26	23	26	6	24,034	563	68,930	242,488	.04
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	5	2	37		64,384		64,010	393,896	.06
Jewelry stores—									
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	10	7	216	3	419,843	1,600	456,360	2,046,618	.33
Jewelry stores.....	216	201	569	44	891,355	7,415	2,706,130	5,245,362	.85
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	11	8	69	1	73,524	240	136,320	569,513	.09
Music stores (without radio).....	22	22	33	4	35,243	1,100	66,830	240,931	.04
News dealers.....	48	38	140	15	110,183	1,656	63,950	918,101	.15
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:									
Office and school supplies.....	13	7	285		410,630		369,430	1,805,303	.29
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	13	4	220	1	434,772	466	174,240	1,483,809	.24
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	11	5	122	2	191,122	704	259,980	972,138	.16
Store-fixture dealers.....	6	5	15		22,376		19,000	161,057	.03
Typewriter dealers.....	10	4	83		140,049		49,380	455,812	.07
Opticians and optometrists.....	36	32	121	3	230,297	586	127,090	767,593	.12
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:									
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	19	16	61	1	92,739	156	262,290	779,875	.13
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	10	10	25	3	25,070	700	101,630	336,355	.06
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	10	9	60		79,411		123,810	732,301	.12
Stationers and printers:									
Paper and paper products stores.....	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Printers and lithographers.....	3	2	6		11,738		230	62,920	.01
Stationers and engravers.....	28	34	191	8	246,612	1,620	308,740	1,256,942	.20
Monuments and tombstones.....	46	56	79	19	121,712	4,282	271,430	831,102	.14
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	376	339	735	104	980,900	29,430	820,860	7,637,499	1.23
Secondhand stores.....	311	325	849	37	273,234	10,094	727,200	2,842,303	.46
Tires, accessories, and parts (secondhand).....	32	31	46	8	47,999	3,051	37,740	271,910	.05
Furniture stores (secondhand).....	103	109	40	6	30,597	1,872	68,050	543,598	.09
Fawnshops (sales).....	32	37	51	10	74,000	2,047	338,200	753,045	.12
Clothing and shoe stores (secondhand).....	113	114	28	8	23,244	1,724	33,530	496,745	.08
Building materials and hardware stores (secondhand).....	10	11	53		58,019		145,110	507,602	.08
Office appliances (secondhand).....	1	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Radios, phonographs, musical instruments (secondhand).....	2	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)
Other secondhand stores.....	18	18	30	5	32,345	1,400	54,840	256,421	.04

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

² This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (includes proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense—per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
All groups¹.....	21,082	\$64,291,830	\$31,776,924	\$86,068,754	\$84,940,378	24.37	10,480	\$14,121,684	\$387,700,007	3.64
Food group.....	9,258	10,900,646	9,041,331	19,941,977	11,278,969	18.80	4,307	2,851,488	80,562,339	3.15
Candy and confectionery stores:										
Candy stores—nut stores.....	42	96,111	18,640	114,761	114,695	29.17	37	69,260	790,445	9.11
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,951	906,383	1,729,924	2,635,807	1,694,380	29.67	875	639,621	7,891,011	8.14
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	132	164,640	121,317	285,956	177,339	14.82	71	28,718	1,642,338	1.56
Egg and poultry dealers.....	156	130,797	155,849	287,640	176,047	14.18	79	23,920	1,701,745	1.41
Milk dealers.....	34	1,792,780	35,154	1,827,934	1,293,386	20.64	8	0,549	986,507	6.03
Delicatessen stores.....	187	222,035	154,308	376,343	241,461	24.34	127	110,040	1,824,378	3.58
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	670	236,301	598,228	834,529	392,385	21.47	351	127,814	9,596,327	2.66
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2,148	1,603,961	2,118,120	3,722,081	1,821,845	18.98	961	564,392	21,256,074	2.66
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	2,540	3,099,285	2,559,817	5,658,602	3,359,802	14.89	1,126	886,403	35,416,123	2.51
Meat markets with groceries.....	277	492,785	342,087	834,875	486,314	13.79	152	108,035	5,238,938	2.08
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Fish markets—sea foods.....	153	233,063	139,909	372,962	159,995	23.69	86	22,740	1,096,393	2.99
Meat markets.....	637	800,424	741,510	1,541,934	730,938	15.43	303	145,214	6,207,109	2.34
Bakeries—caterers:										
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	221	852,574	265,761	1,118,335	538,402	42.38	95	68,979	971,720	7.10
Caterers.....	4	43,589	1,808	45,397	15,835	29.96				

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

TABLE 2.—THE STATE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (includes proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense—per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
Food group—Continued.										
Other food stores:										
Coffee, tea, spices	22	\$180,714	\$7,575	\$194,289	\$141,165	15.58	18	\$30,960	\$1,900,711	1.63
Farm products stores	49	4,570	36,600	40,260	15,720	22.24	9	1,627	80,620	1.88
General food stores	9	7,720	9,650	17,370	5,721	34.67	5	3,108	60,891	6.10
Bottled waters and beverages	5	26,912	5,884	32,396	13,030	43.75	3	900	63,486	1.42
General stores	1,432	866,108	1,423,885	2,289,993	1,119,037	12.88	374	132,631	8,264,398	1.61
General stores—groceries with apparel	97	38,315	89,053	127,368	70,587	14.07	36	12,444	586,184	2.12
General stores—groceries with dry goods	608	234,373	563,720	798,093	346,317	13.87	156	49,363	2,504,186	1.57
General stores—groceries with other merchandise	727	592,420	771,112	1,363,532	702,133	12.29	183	70,724	5,164,028	1.57
General merchandise group	750	12,991,165	610,082	13,601,247	16,755,718	29.18	372	2,380,031	79,448,655	2.97
Department stores:										
With food departments	7	3,103,566	1,124	3,104,680	3,261,400	33.23	3	327,186	15,754,012	2.08
Without food departments (including 1 mail-order house)	40	8,038,167	22,682	8,060,849	10,076,569	30.32	27	1,173,340	48,484,741	2.42
Dry goods stores	308	427,797	382,448	810,245	560,128	22.43	163	167,983	3,242,431	6.18
General merchandise stores:										
With food departments	29	54,891	31,776	86,667	60,970	14.11	9	8,004	370,758	2.32
Without food departments	112	292,513	94,758	387,271	354,466	19.07	63	68,768	2,122,749	3.24
Army and Navy goods stores	9	25,330	7,428	32,285	39,497	20.97	8	13,700	338,219	4.05
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores	143	1,048,011	69,466	1,117,477	1,302,620	24.65	97	599,636	9,120,245	6.57
Automotive group	2,399	9,932,389	2,795,055	12,727,444	9,032,869	21.62	1,098	1,509,950	55,862,653	2.70
Motor-vehicle dealers:										
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in	414	5,745,324	583,141	6,328,525	5,281,524	17.97	201	627,522	37,513,905	1.67
Used-car establishments	39	125,853	44,303	170,221	157,029	18.72	25	50,000	1,093,064	3.01
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery:										
Accessories, tires, and batteries:										
Accessory stores with tires and batteries	99	390,704	126,490	517,194	342,982	27.69	61	92,001	2,217,575	4.16
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops	71	114,367	96,933	211,300	80,057	43.37	48	25,289	340,662	7.23
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	96	385,793	105,968	491,671	333,407	26.53	74	88,930	2,378,120	3.74
Filling stations:										
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	340	677,870	172,617	850,487	617,362	18.75	172	219,200	4,723,011	4.64
Filling stations with tires and accessories	144	230,865	168,640	408,505	105,477	22.40	55	41,438	910,504	4.54
Filling stations with other merchandise	455	546,790	522,574	1,069,364	934,935	30.57	100	61,412	1,987,856	4.41
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:										
Motor-cycle dealers	4	11,529	5,124	16,653	8,426	20.80				
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores	8	12,115	6,432	18,547	12,761	23.47	5	4,162	49,073	8.46
Bicycle shops	6	300	2,100	2,400	4,007	25.32				
Garages and repair shops:										
Body, fender, and paint shops	31	150,335	52,607	203,942	60,734	66.30	16	16,535	148,820	11.11
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories)	665	1,301,157	875,886	2,177,043	860,200	38.42	324	262,997	3,793,814	6.93
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots	9	19,265	12,820	32,055	14,662	32.22	3	6,070	50,207	12.06
Radiator shops (including repairs)	6	51,070	6,888	58,558	21,860	60.30	5	4,660	117,368	3.97
Aircraft and accessories	3	38,095	1,088	39,183	11,758	55.19	3	2,445	92,304	2.66
Apparel group	1,496	5,230,328	1,653,251	6,883,577	6,874,362	30.21	1,039	2,509,225	39,287,441	6.58
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores:										
Men's and boys' clothing stores	61	285,704	51,652	337,356	647,842	42.24	44	131,712	2,252,157	5.65
Men's and boys' hat stores	35	74,980	39,333	114,313	128,203	38.77	34	92,728	624,698	14.64
Men's furnishings stores	187	271,617	211,925	483,542	455,612	27.75	120	203,910	2,414,750	8.44
Men's clothing and furnishings stores	126	731,864	240,331	972,195	834,247	28.49	87	242,072	5,220,574	4.63
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's	175	649,691	180,730	830,421	696,121	24.66	122	215,597	4,185,965	5.15
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:										
Women's accessories stores:										
Corset and lingerie shops	17	34,298	19,065	53,363	31,148	32.57	12	14,610	243,749	5.99
Furriers—fur shops	21	120,770	29,136	152,912	185,695	36.75	15	59,250	788,736	7.51
Hosiery shops	17	91,662	6,928	98,590	97,806	33.76	14	51,152	544,182	9.40
Millinery stores	170	300,075	148,540	449,215	424,344	40.16	127	227,936	2,016,735	11.30
Other apparel stores:										
Children's specialty shops	10	15,912	14,740	30,652	25,034	22.36	4	6,859	70,204	8.66
Custom tailors	226	485,690	316,476	802,166	403,621	38.51	130	171,853	2,552,598	6.73
Shoe stores:										
Shoe stores—men's	21	63,789	10,104	73,893	164,387	28.18	18	74,437	841,524	8.85
Shoe stores—women's	22	180,352	10,620	190,972	309,323	26.94	22	137,010	1,357,200	7.38
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's	239	623,623	242,887	866,510	895,622	28.40	140	331,102	4,984,655	6.64
Furniture and household group	645	5,451,477	778,135	6,229,612	5,156,544	32.51	411	842,166	24,180,830	3.49
Furniture stores:										
Furniture stores	190	2,276,360	249,935	2,526,295	2,708,274	31.64	110	345,841	8,904,799	3.86
Furniture and undertaker	22	47,036	27,675	74,711	65,017	22.00	9	11,812	362,840	3.12
Furniture and hardware stores	8	24,253	14,761	39,004	26,614	15.22	3	2,040	146,668	1.39
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:										
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores	7	23,738	8,632	32,370	21,886	34.53	6	11,666	151,121	7.72
Floor covering stores	9	56,327	10,926	67,253	82,971	28.66	6	24,076	449,889	6.36
Household appliance stores:										
Household appliance stores (electrical)	57	450,320	27,216	477,536	227,091	36.96	43	61,256	1,530,157	4.00
Household appliance stores	57	565,901	3,016	568,917	654,101	30.95	9	62,504	3,747,475	1.67
Refrigerator dealers—electric only	4	144,846	4,750	149,596	83,002	28.21	4	11,652	824,483	1.41
Other home furnishings and appliance stores:										
Antique and used furniture dealers	19	59,331	29,810	89,341	26,746	57.05	11	7,290	141,660	5.15
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware	37	50,502	29,416	89,752	65,163	34.34	22	23,385	272,874	8.57
Picture and framing stores	4	14,901	4,084	18,985	14,269	29.69	4	7,120	111,977	6.36

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TABLE 3.—THE STATE—SEASONAL EMPLOYMENT CHARACTERISTICS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting seasonal variation data	SEASONAL VARIATION IN EMPLOYMENT																
		TOTAL EMPLOYEES (full time and part time)		PART-TIME EMPLOYEES (included in total column)		PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)		Ratios at specified dates (total full time and part-time employees) 100 per cent represents year's average				Proportion of part-time employees to total employees (ratio of part-time employees to total full-time and part-time employees at same dates)						
		Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15	Apr. 15	July 15	Oct. 15	Dec. 15			
Other retail stores—Continued.																		
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:																		
Coal and wood yards.....	170	95	5	100		94	6	89	85	109	117	8	8	9	2			
Ice dealers.....	20	100		100		94	6	94	114	106	86		3	3	1			
Drug stores:																		
Drug stores.....	199	84	16	88	12	95	5	99	99	100	102	21	20	21	21	22		
Drug stores with fountains.....	380	81	19	85	15	95	5	99	100	100	101	21	21	22	22			
Florists.....	70	77	23	64	38	73	27	106	94	94	106	13	7	8	13			
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:																		
Toy shops.....	5	84	36	60	40	50	50	75	75	75	175							
Art and gift shops.....	17	35	65	14	86	27	73	91	91	101	117		8	8	11	26		
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	13	62	38	20	80	89	11	92	104	92	112	4	4	4	4	21		
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	4	73	27			100		100	99	99	102							
Jewelry stores:																		
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	10	70	30	100		100		94	95	101	110	7	9	13	12			
Jewelry stores.....	125	78	22	51	49	98	2	90	97	98	109	3	3	4	4	7		
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	8	66	34			100		85	82	83	150							
Music stores (without radio).....	15	76	24	100		100		104	104	99	93	10	10	11	11			
News dealers.....	35	85	15	87	13	90	10	100	100	100	100	9	9	9	9			
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:																		
Office and school supplies.....	13	71	29			100		100	100	99	101							
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	12	76	24		100	100		99	96	102	103	1	1	1	1			
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	11	74	26		100	100		99	99	101	101	1	1	2	2			
Store-fixture dealers.....	5	93	7			100		100	100	100	100							
Typewriter dealers.....	9	81	19			100		100	101	100	99							
Opticians and optometrists.....	22	79	21	67	33	100		99	100	101	100	2	2	2	2			
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:																		
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	13	91	9	100		86	14	92	96	95	117	2	2	2	1			
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	9	82	18	100		100		100	100	100	100	11	11	11	11			
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	8	78	22			100		100	100	100	100							
Stationers and engravers.....	22	59	41	38	62	64	36	100	99	99	102	4	4	4	4			
Monuments and tombstones.....	35	95	5	95	5	97	3	99	103	98	100	20	19	20	18			
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	242	74	26	88	12	88	12	100	99	101	100	12	12	12	12			
Secondhand stores.....	112	94	6	88	12	96	4	101	99	98	102	11	12	13	19			

TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES, BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

(Sales expressed in thousands of dollars)

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (includes Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
All groups ¹	21,082	\$619,573	591	\$80,324	1,440	\$97,751	1,880	\$71,173	1,984	\$47,654	4,443	\$61,725	3,983	\$27,844	6,447	\$14,771
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	100.00	100.00	2.80	12.97	6.85	15.78	8.82	11.49	9.41	7.69	21.07	9.96	18.89	4.40	30.58	2.38
Food group.....	9,258	167,883	148	19,581	504	33,561	704	28,702	788	13,867	2,087	23,420	1,930	13,416	3,092	7,047
Candy and confectionery stores:																
Candy stores—nut stores.....	42	787	2	252			3	112	4	110	15	230	8	60	10	22
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,951	14,268	5	621	15	954	25	964	60	1,647	332	4,421	516	3,527	989	2,124
Dairy products stores:																
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	132	3,126	4	571	11	700	14	533	15	353	28	363	24	175	35	89
Milk dealers.....	84	15,121	3	415	5	303	7	77	3	70	1	13	3	19	6	15
Egg and poultry dealers.....	156	2,274	4	545	16	1,079	2	253	12	297	40	526	39	264	37	102
Delicatessen stores.....	187	2,538	1	125	6	412	11	369	21	502	52	708	45	316	51	110
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	670	5,715	3	313	10	866	26	933	25	596	83	1,124	181	1,261	339	816
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2,148	29,207	9	1,151	130	8,302	137	7,346	121	2,977	305	4,125	402	2,775	992	1,965
Combination stores (groceries and meats):																
Grocery stores with meats.....	2,540	60,586	31	10,500	192	13,391	233	10,545	359	8,554	865	12,099	439	3,099	317	952
Meat markets with groceries.....	277	9,584	9	1,208	47	3,095	48	1,926	47	1,135	71	1,039	33	250	21	59
Meat markets (including sea foods):																
Fish markets—sea foods.....	153	2,250	2	291	8	556	17	630	6	145	18	262	22	219	70	148
Meat markets.....	667	14,728	14	1,851	48	3,044	67	2,494	87	2,056	109	2,743	150	1,044	101	300

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid the disclosure of individual operations.

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES, BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued
STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (includes Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Food group—Continued.																
Bakeries—caterers:																
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	221	\$3,900	1	\$167	7	\$484	11	\$401	14	\$345	52	\$695	47	\$322	87	\$224
Caterers.....	4	204	1	118	1	73					1	11			1	3
Other food stores:																
Coffee, tea, spices.....	22	2,153	9	1,432	5	334	2	79	2	51	2	29			1	4
Farm products stores.....	40	252			2	117					1	10	8	53	29	72
General food stores.....	9	67					1	35			1	10	2	16	5	7
Bottled waters and beverages.....	5	104			1	51			1	28	1	12	1	8	1	4
General stores.....	1,432	26,462	21	2,848	69	4,539	150	5,557	188	4,531	415	5,782	319	2,285	269	731
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	97	1,407			3	179	8	316	11	251	21	331	40	290	14	40
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	608	8,252	2	320	16	955	39	1,400	68	1,660	184	2,476	148	1,040	152	400
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	727	16,803	19	2,528	51	3,405	103	3,841	109	2,620	210	2,975	131	938	103	291
General merchandise group.....	750	100,612	42	5,772	68	4,715	70	2,758	61	1,470	157	2,099	140	943	169	405
Department stores:																
With food departments.....	7	19,157	3	482												
Without food departments (including 1 mail-order house).....	40	59,823	15	2,089	1	78										
Dry goods stores.....	408	6,151	4	473	14	909	26	980	28	660	105	1,377	105	690	124	314
General merchandise stores:																
With food departments.....	29	1,046	1	193	4	311	9	337	3	73	7	100	4	28	1	4
Without food departments.....	112	3,889	2	291	26	1,863	22	900	17	423	21	290	11	72	13	43
Army and Navy goods stores.....	9	347	1	125	1	50	2	91	2	55			3	29		
Variety, 5-and-10 and to-a-dollar stores.....	143	10,184	16	2,119	22	1,504	11	450	11	259	24	326	15	106	31	44
Automotive group.....	2,399	100,672	104	14,579	218	15,245	249	9,894	208	5,013	374	5,145	378	2,683	772	1,765
Motor-vehicle dealers:																
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in.....	414	64,595	77	10,876	110	7,884	45	1,689	30	734	33	470	21	159	13	42
Used-car establishments.....	39	1,748	3	444	5	334	2	72	2	53	5	74	7	54	13	40
Automobile dealers with farm imple- ments and machinery.....	7	1,366	1	114	3	235										
Accessories, tires, and batteries:																
Accessory stores with tires and bat- teries.....	99	3,106	5	729	8	516	16	648	13	318	18	245	12	95	26	56
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	71	672			2	105	2	65	6	146	13	172	15	102	33	81
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	96	3,110	4	623	15	970	10	892	8	183	18	266	23	165	16	40
Filling stations:																
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	340	7,828	8	1,022	39	2,601	42	1,644	52	1,285	60	858	33	232	106	187
Filling stations with tires and acces- sories.....	144	2,696	1	112	7	546	15	577	19	438	32	456	37	261	32	87
Filling stations with other merchan- dise.....	455	6,557			4	272	74	3,251	24	590	76	1,013	88	624	138	405
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:																
Motor-cycle dealers.....	4	121	1	104							1	10			2	6
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	8	134			1	51	1	30	1	24	1	18			4	11
Bicycle shops.....	0	25											2	16	4	9
Garages and repair shops:																
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	31	407			1	99	1	35	5	124	6	90	5	31	13	27
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	665	7,920	4	655	21	1,468	40	1,442	46	1,060	104	1,375	132	926	317	704
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	0	145					1	49	2	49	3	38	1	5	2	4
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	0	133			1	97					2	26	1	6	2	4
Aircraft and accessories.....	3	92			1	67					1	19	1	7		
Apparel group.....	1,496	45,544	43	5,822	125	8,556	163	6,317	175	4,270	312	4,454	273	1,935	371	872
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores:																
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	51	2,332	3	407	8	551	6	220	7	177	10	151	9	68	7	19
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	35	626			1	76	7	266	3	73	11	155	6	42	7	14
Men's furnishing stores.....	137	3,384	1	110	11	640	17	614	28	659	50	706	42	310	37	98
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	126	6,341	4	651	21	1,406	23	909	20	519	29	402	14	96	10	30
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	175	6,189	9	1,196	11	739	29	1,122	34	832	37	513	35	264	13	34
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores— apparel and accessories.....	174	10,304	14	1,833	16	1,227	23	875	19	461	33	468	26	184	30	69
Women's accessories stores:																
Corset and lingerie shops.....	17	250			2	144	1	36			3	40	4	28	7	11
Furriers—fur shops.....	21	924	1	172	4	251	5	185	2	46	3	43	1	8	4	8
Hosiery shops.....	17	582	1	115	4	260	3	135	1	20	2	27	3	19	3	5
Millinery stores.....	170	2,175	1	109	8	567	6	239	4	109	17	235	39	271	93	201
Other apparel stores:																
Children's specialty shops.....	10	249	1	119			1	36			6	89			2	5
Custom tailors.....	226	3,131	1	142	9	646	17	695	15	360	31	441	50	354	102	227
Shoe stores:																
Shoe stores—men's.....	21	846	1	106	8	538	2	76	2	57	4	58	1	7	3	4
Shoe stores—women's.....	22	1,857	2	231	7	497	3	115	3	65	1	19	1	8	2	8
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	239	6,186	4	531	15	1,014	20	794	35	848	74	1,094	38	268	50	135

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TABLE 4A.—THE STATE—SALES, BY SIZE OF BUSINESS—Continued

STORES WITH SALES OF LESS THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES—Continued

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	STATE TOTALS (includes Table 4B)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$100,000 TO \$199,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$50,000 TO \$99,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$30,000 TO \$49,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$20,000 TO \$29,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$10,000 TO \$19,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$5,000 TO \$9,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES LESS THAN \$5,000	
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales
Other retail stores—Continued.																
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:																
Toy shops.....	12	\$197			1	\$56	1	\$31	2	\$50	2	\$32	2	\$17	4	\$12
Art and gift shops.....	24	435	1	\$188			3	112			5	58	10	67	5	10
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	26	242			1	55	1	38	1	20	5	72	6	35	12	23
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	5	394	1	109			1	46					1	6	1	2
Jewelry stores:																
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	10	2,047	5	620							1	19			1	3
Jewelry stores.....	216	5,245	4	491	10	601	20	712	22	557	39	533	40	281	77	201
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	11	560			2	106					2	25	4	27	2	2
Music stores (without radio).....	22	241					2	76	2	44	6	78	3	22	9	21
News dealers.....	48	918	3	366	1	51	4	128	5	126	11	142	10	66	14	40
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:																
Office and school supplies.....	13	1,805	2	226	3	237	2	83			2	30	2	14		
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	13	1,484	1	128	2	145	3	128	1	27	1	18	2	12		
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	11	972	2	250	3	211	1	36	1	23	1	13	2	11		
Store-fixture dealers.....	6	161	1	61	1	30	1	27	3	43						
Typewriter dealers.....	10	456	2	300	2	106			3	39					8	9
Opticians and optometrists.....	36	767			1	62	3	136	2	57	13	178	11	79	5	11
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:																
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	19	780	3	410	1	99	3	126	1	24	7	106	2	12	2	4
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	10	336			3	171	2	90	2	46	1	14	2	15		
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	10	732	1	122			2	74			3	41	1	8	1	4
Stationers and printers:																
Printers and lithographers.....	3	63			1	51			3	73			1	7	1	4
Stationers and engravers.....	28	1,257	5	786	3	242			8	191	9	117	4	30	4	8
Monuments and tombstones.....	46	831			3	183	6	220	8	191	10	135	11	78	8	24
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	376	7,637	9	1,805	27	1,932	23	872	35	813	84	1,212	66	467	129	309
Secondhand stores.....	311	2,842	2	313	8	558	5	197	12	279	41	539	52	341	190	389

TABLE 4B.—THE STATE—SALES BY SIZE OF BUSINESS

STORES WITH SALES OF MORE THAN \$200,000, GROUPED ACCORDING TO AMOUNT OF ANNUAL SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount is withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL (included in State totals Table 4A)		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES EXCEEDING \$1,000,000		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$500,000 TO \$999,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$300,000 TO \$499,999		STORES WITH ANNUAL SALES OF \$200,000 TO \$299,999		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	
All groups.....	334	\$218,331	39	\$108,524	54	\$37,814	104	\$38,834	137	\$33,159	
Per cent of total stores and sales.....	1.58	35.24	.18	17.62	.26	6.10	.49	6.27	.65	5.35	
Food group.....	27	20,281	4	9,924	8	5,942	5	1,987	10	2,438	
Dairy products stores:											
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	1	(x)									
Milk dealers.....	11	14,211	4	9,924	4	3,153	2	854	1	280	
Egg and poultry dealers.....	1	(x)									
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2	(x)									
Combination stores (groceries and meats):											
Grocery stores with meats.....	4	1,446			2	1,019			2	427	
Meat markets with groceries.....	1	(x)									
Meat markets.....	4	1,191						1	427	3	764
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	2	(x)									
Coffee, tea, spices.....	1	(x)									
General stores.....	1	(x)									
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	1	(x)									
General merchandise group.....	43	82,450	16	72,139	6	4,373	9	3,129	12	2,809	
Department stores:											
With food departments.....	4	(x)									
Without food departments (including 1 mail order house).....	24	57,656	11	52,460	3	2,174	6	2,130	4	892	
Dry goods stores.....	2	(x)									
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	13	5,376	1	1,004	2	1,673	3	999	7	1,700	
Automotive group.....	96	46,361	12	15,338	14	8,360	34	12,747	36	8,606	
Motor vehicle dealers:											
Automobile sales rooms, new and trade-in.....	85	42,743	12	15,338	13	8,860	27	10,326	33	8,219	
Used-car establishments.....	2	(x)									
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....		1,017						3	1,017		

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TABLE 5A.—THE STATE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full-time	Part-time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	21,082	20,162	53,480	7,492	\$64,291,530	\$1,698,664	\$64,940,378	\$76,658,140	\$619,573,438	100.00
Single-store independents.....	17,554	18,693	36,590	4,628	42,801,036	1,101,314	42,253,935	56,588,230	415,719,465	67.10
2-store independents.....	733	448	2,824	282	3,594,203	66,401	3,432,512	3,983,440	20,786,017	4.81
3-store independents.....	280	128	1,242	144	1,615,840	43,857	1,246,603	1,656,420	11,946,113	1.83
Local chains.....	516	49	2,415	486	3,600,622	96,808	3,321,270	1,818,490	34,114,979	5.51
Sectional chains.....	474	—	2,957	522	3,555,211	117,995	3,576,064	2,424,390	29,637,568	4.78
National chains.....	660	—	3,716	1,098	4,574,378	166,391	4,938,226	3,748,600	48,477,415	7.82
Other types of operation:										
Mail-order houses.....	3	—	1,236	55	1,247,298	42,856	3,382,159	4,119,880	17,740,340	2.86
Direct selling, house-to-house.....	16	5	276	—	347,527	—	91,904	32,000	890,700	.15
Roadside markets and stands.....	8	—	1	—	780	—	1,003	630	24,298	.00
Itinerant vendors.....	11	12	3	1	2,000	500	5,902	2,050	127,560	.02
Rolling stores.....	3	3	—	—	—	—	4,480	2,820	75,865	.01
Leased department—Independent operators.....	8	5	41	10	30,926	1,542	64,775	28,620	324,284	.05
Leased department chains.....	53	—	300	30	369,091	4,317	410,850	179,800	1,872,023	.30
Utility operated retail stores.....	23	—	380	14	589,900	4,933	639,256	495,830	4,801,456	.70
Manufacturers-controlled chains.....	39	—	523	5	950,149	—	433,091	574,630	4,419,674	.71
Cooperative buying associations ¹	5	—	13	3	14,696	1,047	7,350	16,180	478,986	.08
Retailers—country buyers ¹	622	740	382	163	363,291	32,297	536,204	1,934,910	12,453,446	2.01
Retailers—wholesalers ¹	70	68	888	63	429,383	17,524	339,466	817,620	6,482,346	1.01
All other types.....	4	3	133	—	225,290	—	255,418	234,870	1,300,911	.21

¹ These classifications are used in rural areas and cities of less than 10,000 population. These stores are usually independently operated.

TABLE 5B.—THE STATE—COUNTY DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

(See Tables 13 and 14 for detailed county figures)

An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals

[Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

COUNTIES	TOTAL		INDEPENDENT STORES ¹			SECTIONAL AND NATIONAL CHAINS			OTHER TYPES OF OPERATION		
	Number of stores	Net sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales	Number of stores	Net sales	Per cent of total sales
Total	21,082	\$619,573	18,587	\$456,851	74	1,134	\$76,115	12	1,381	\$84,607	14
Allegany.....	1,015	27,283	918	22,007	81	66	4,157	15	31	1,119	4
Anne Arundel.....	521	13,256	494	11,669	88	17	1,175	9	10	412	3
Baltimore.....	774	19,796	673	13,665	69	32	3,883	20	69	2,248	11
Baltimore city.....	12,285	406,352	11,041	294,305	72	745	52,544	13	499	59,503	15
Calvert.....	96	1,658	66	1,044	63	2	(x)	(x)	28	(x)	(x)
Caroline.....	221	4,853	194	3,844	79	5	256	5	22	763	16
Carroll.....	466	13,094	353	7,524	60	12	556	4	101	4,714	36
Cecil.....	269	5,085	238	3,786	74	15	918	18	6	401	8
Charles.....	168	2,700	154	2,463	91	3	(x)	(x)	1	(x)	(x)
Dorchester.....	376	6,547	285	4,801	74	15	674	10	76	1,012	16
Frederick.....	686	17,600	549	12,728	72	37	2,137	12	100	2,795	16
Garrett.....	162	3,009	157	2,788	98	4	(x)	(x)	1	(x)	(x)
Harford.....	403	9,722	330	7,477	77	8	557	6	65	1,688	17
Howard.....	203	3,360	177	2,752	82	4	135	4	22	473	14
Kent.....	170	4,564	121	2,945	64	5	345	8	44	1,274	28
Montgomery.....	412	12,925	356	9,788	76	34	2,202	17	22	935	7
Prince Georges.....	423	10,658	336	8,095	76	32	2,248	21	5	315	3
Queen Annes.....	185	3,127	159	2,446	76	4	206	7	22	475	15
St. Marys.....	167	2,382	149	1,821	76	1	(x)	(x)	17	(x)	(x)
Somerset.....	306	4,132	230	2,433	59	10	463	11	66	1,236	30
Talbot.....	270	6,080	249	5,245	86	9	487	8	12	348	6
Washington.....	891	24,425	809	20,870	83	42	2,700	11	40	1,355	6
Wicomico.....	346	10,797	283	8,695	80	19	1,016	9	44	1,156	11
Worcester.....	287	6,108	196	3,920	64	13	885	16	78	1,303	21

¹ This classification does not include local chains.

TABLE 6.—THE STATE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Totals	Single-store in- dependents	2 and 3 store in- dependents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	47	34	3		1	8	1
Annual net sales.....	\$78,980,340	\$55,977,400	\$434,300		(x)	2,996,953	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	70.88	.55		(x)	3.79	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	143	73	9	1	13	41	1
Annual net sales.....	\$10,183,751	\$949,138	(x)	(x)	\$1,165,805	\$7,651,124	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	9.32	(x)	(x)	11.45	75.13	(x)
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	399	330	50	6	6	7	
Annual net sales.....	\$12,682,578	\$10,611,180	\$1,166,666	\$302,123	\$306,829	\$295,880	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.67	9.20	2.38	2.42	2.33	
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	175	133	17	16	4	4	1
Annual net sales.....	\$6,189,455	\$4,263,631	\$571,960	\$289,283	\$755,931	\$290,798	\$18,467
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.89	9.23	4.67	12.21	4.70	.30
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—ap- parel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	174	133	17	4	3	11	6
Annual net sales.....	\$10,393,489	\$5,683,444	\$1,689,708	\$95,988	\$351,489	\$2,204,961	\$367,908
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	54.83	16.28	.92	3.38	21.22	3.54
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	282	182	35	8	6	42	9
Annual net sales.....	\$8,888,445	\$3,825,688	\$1,525,252	\$588,848	\$683,379	\$1,728,022	\$537,286
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	43.04	17.16	6.63	7.69	19.44	6.04
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	220	198	8	3	9		2
Annual net sales.....	\$17,612,169	\$12,310,434	\$252,862	\$200,235	\$3,638,171		\$1,210,467
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	69.90	1.43	1.14	20.66		6.87
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	188	178	4	2	3		1
Annual net sales.....	\$6,371,405	\$5,373,222	\$261,262	(x)	\$580,349		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	84.33	4.10	(x)	9.11		(x)
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	2,148	1,692	20	4	120	254	58
Annual net sales.....	\$29,207,096	\$11,559,322	\$848,968	\$122,474	\$3,867,578	\$12,124,078	\$684,681
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	39.58	2.91	.42	13.24	41.51	2.34
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	2,817	2,311	65	104	32	172	73
Annual net sales.....	\$70,170,160	\$44,464,812	\$2,192,555	\$5,766,169	\$2,006,648	\$14,276,210	\$1,468,766
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.37	3.12	8.21	2.86	20.85	2.09
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	945	893	35	11	3	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$14,483,232	\$11,486,346	\$1,848,303	\$476,778	\$243,359	\$428,446	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	79.31	12.76	3.29	1.68	2.96	
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	251	229	19			3	
Annual net sales.....	\$3,245,627	\$2,560,286	\$460,157			\$225,184	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.88	14.18			6.94	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	939	696	16	55	170	39	17
Annual net sales.....	\$17,081,338	\$6,689,121	\$282,746	\$941,209	\$7,770,443	\$697,248	\$700,571
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	39.16	1.66	5.51	45.49	4.08	4.10
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	206	243	14	1	3		5
Annual net sales.....	\$16,888,914	\$12,635,365	\$1,425,095	(x)	\$1,886,381		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.10	8.70	(x)	11.51		(x)
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	654	526	74	42	10	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$19,052,349	\$11,381,120	\$2,679,968	\$3,953,870	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	59.74	14.07	20.75	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	395	373	14	1			7
Annual net sales.....	\$7,521,114	\$5,481,559	\$371,411	(x)			(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	72.88	4.94	(x)			(x)
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	226	201	13	9	1	1	1
Annual net sales.....	\$7,291,980	\$4,474,791	\$1,304,165	\$1,242,549	(x)	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.37	17.88	17.04	(x)	(x)	(x)

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TABLE 7.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES AND AMOUNT OF SALES CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF CREDIT FOR SELECTED KINDS OF BUSINESS
 [Sales expressed in thousands of dollars]

KIND OF BUSINESS	TOTAL		ALL CASH		PROPORTION OF CREDIT BUSINESS										More than 80 per cent credit					
	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	1 to 10 per cent credit		21 to 30 per cent credit		31 to 40 per cent credit		41 to 50 per cent credit		51 to 60 per cent credit		61 to 70 per cent credit		71 to 80 per cent credit			
					Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales	Num-ber of stores	Net sales
Total, all stores reporting: 1	17,080		9,302		1,441		707		689		1,027		570		640		681		1,047	
Number of stores	100.00		54.62		8.46		4.15		4.04		6.03		3.76		3.76		4.06		6.15	
Per cent of total		\$448,128		\$181,989		\$34,058		\$17,847		\$29,832		\$29,336		\$41,658		\$41,658		\$29,349		\$105,420
Amount of net sales		100.00		38.20		6.21		3.26		4.35		5.35		7.00		7.00		3.33		19.23
Per cent of total																				
Food group:																				
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain)	1,378	\$10,803	1,182	\$8,780	64	\$738	26	\$214	11	\$91	25	\$285	10	\$76	13	\$99	4	\$15	9	\$165
Dairy products stores (including ice cream)	130	2,340	70	1,340	4	247	1	10	1	11	4	288	1	10	3	88	1	56		
Delicatessen stores	130	2,340	70	1,340	4	247	1	10	1	11	4	288	1	10	3	88	1	56		
Fruit stores and vegetable markets	439	4,025	402	3,947	6	103	1	16	1	103	8	143	2	46	1	18	3	140	3	42
Grocery stores (without meats)	1,928	27,859	1,019	14,869	194	1,120	73	454	81	764	153	1,285	67	679	91	964	113	1,059	85	1,065
Combination stores (groceries and meats)	2,270	58,083	741	27,133	108	1,704	125	1,887	127	1,882	270	4,973	202	4,261	220	4,989	233	4,378	123	3,151
Grocery stores (with meats)	246	8,698	64	2,167	19	1,385	11	304	16	714	17	1,339	47	1,131	15	358	20	600	21	805
Meat markets (including sea foods)	123	1,786	103	1,152	7	86	1	8	3	23	1	3	2	83	1	99	1	85	2	216
Meat markets	636	12,855	325	6,035	49	1,827	25	600	15	520	19	502	20	703	17	483	26	761	14	1,013
Fish markets	134	2,999	117	1,730	0	102	4	940	2	82	2	68			1	60	1	13	1	4
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufac-turing bakeries)																				
General merchandise group:																				
Department stores	7	19,157	10	3,806	3	1,453	1	1,238	1	150	1	6,065	1	0,822	1	166	2	4,199	2	2,015
With food departments	36	40,510	223	2,649	33	1,792	11	122	4	8,497	3	6,214	3	321	2	13,186	2	4,199	3	5,687
Without food departments	300	4,253	223	2,649	33	1,792	11	122	4	8,497	3	6,214	3	321	2	13,186	2	4,199	7	5,460
Dry goods stores	27	1,035	9	397	4	112	1	7	2	72	2	95	1	20	3	83	3	133	2	108
General merchandise stores	94	3,523	59	1,646	18	640	4	183	5	133	4	246	3	198	2	92	3	133	3	108
With food departments	115	9,748	108	9,642	3	39	1	17	4	246	3	198	2	92	3	83	3	133	3	307
Without food departments																				
Variety, 5-and-10, and 25-and-50 stores	349	52,686	69	7,900	50	4,022	40	4,422	23	2,829	36	10,055	25	2,483	21	4,383	24	4,546	31	7,919
Automotive group:																				
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in	77	2,701	40	1,552	10	469	7	83	2	129	2	24	3	79	1	51	7	146	3	128
Accessories, tires and batteries	75	2,647	31	1,115	3	18	4	61	6	345	4	44	9	265	3	83	3	165	11	413
Accessory stores with tires and batteries																				
Tire shops (including tire repairs)	148	2,180	102	1,601	15	286	7	80	2	118	8	18	1	122	1	28	3	36	1	1
Filling stations—gasoline and oil	128	2,312	67	1,218	14	301	14	186	6	118	8	18	1	122	1	28	3	36	1	1
Filling stations with tires and accessories	313	2,583	163	1,274	45	302	33	231	18	264	10	187	23	219	4	32	2	8	6	23
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, and accessories)	549	6,246	222	2,328	74	825	54	622	60	643	51	797	14	104	11	244	3	15	3	57
Apparel group:																				
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores—Men's and boys' clothing stores	42	2,151	34	1,240	1	9	2	58	3	61	1	16	1	739	1	147	4	142	10	2,138
Men's furnishings stores	106	2,825	138	2,236	7	106	2	25	3	61	2	321	3	3	3	3	1	27	2	62
Men's clothing and furnishings stores	110	3,885	62	1,698	14	438	9	1,063	5	404	4	428	3	948	2	92	2	92	3	318
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, chil-dren's	146	5,603	92	1,902	15	691	6	191	2	182	1	8	1	11	1	147	4	142	10	2,138
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—(apparel and accessories)	147	10,105	81	3,459	11	534	6	404	4	401	4	809	8	831	4	106	7	2,040	5	369
Women's accessories stores—Hatters—fur shops	18	857	6	233	1	37	1	63	1	34	1	8	1	51	1	4	5	369	17	1,092
Milinery stores	147	2,082	124	1,519	8	46	1	6	1	96	3	50	2	10	1	4	2	102	3	248
Shoe stores—Shoe stores, men's	16	790	15	736	1	276	1	93	1	54	1	54	1	137	1	6	1	32	3	436
Shoe stores, women's	19	1,748	15	1,210	1	210	2	20	3	74	2	188	1	4	1	6	1	36	3	436
Shoe stores, men's, women's, children's	194	5,553	160	3,016	16	367	2	20	3	74	2	188	1	4	1	6	1	36	3	436

1 All stores did not report as to their credit activities or whether they sell entirely for cash. This table includes stores in the State which have reported either that they sell entirely for cash or that they sell on credit. The totals agree with Table 1, except for 4,062 stores with sales of \$71,446,536 which failed to report credit information.

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TABLE 8.—THE STATE—CREDIT BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹	TYPE OF OPERATION	STORES REPORTING CREDIT				Installment sales of stores reporting installments (included also in credit sales) ¹
	Number of stores	Total sales	Credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales			Number of stores	Total sales	Credit sales	Ratio of credit sales to total sales	
Total.....	7,728	\$366,139,801	\$204,771,686	55.93	\$50,289,873	Utility-operated retail stores.....	14	\$3,741,450	\$3,161,165	84.40	\$2,921,298
Independent stores ²	7,000	288,429,485	162,481,371	56.33	35,240,621	Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	10	1,874,239	1,553,407	82.88	580,300
Local chains.....	60	19,068,031	15,990,179	83.91	2,031,459	Retailers—country buyers ³	477	9,083,869	2,389,008	24.07	-----
Sectional chains.....	50	7,455,709	4,089,436	54.85	1,041,225	Retailers—wholesalers ⁴	52	5,332,700	2,717,022	50.93	-----
National chains.....	42	10,420,733	8,085,482	77.52	4,775,599	Other types of operation.....	23	20,124,536	4,295,515	21.84	3,720,469

¹ Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported in places having less than 10,000 inhabitants, nor by any stores with total sales of less than \$80,000 annually. Therefore this column can not be related to the credit sales column because it is incomplete. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customers' notes are handled through finance companies.

² Includes single-store independents, 2 and 3 store independents.

³ These classifications were used only in places with less than 10,000 population.

TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS ¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total.....	35,114	\$14,211,571	Other stores in which meals are served—Continued.		
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	31,577	13,173,530	Grocery stores (without meats).....	246	\$22,315
Cafeterias.....	1,820	1,189,222	Combination stores—groceries with meats.....	82	12,495
Lunch rooms.....	13,169	4,523,938	Combination stores—meat markets with groceries.....	14	2,000
Restaurants with table service.....	16,575	6,538,797	Fish markets—sea foods.....	115	26,253
Fountain—lunches.....	843	179,441	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	88	40,518
Lunch counters.....	660	440,532	Department stores with food departments.....	470	152,767
Soft-drink stands.....	10	1,300	Department stores without food departments (including mail-order houses).....	300	170,922
Other stores in which meals are served ¹	3,537	1,039,041	Filling stations with other merchandise.....	234	16,440
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,495	393,108	Cigar stores with fountains.....	69	13,403
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	10	3,000	Cigar stands.....	51	7,500
Delicatessen stores.....	349	171,845	Art and gift shops.....	45	5,387

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE ¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total.....	2,341	\$8,594,746	\$499,184	Automotive group—Continued.			
Food group.....	2	5,950	-----	Motor-cycle dealers.....	1	\$6,361	-----
Grocery stores (without meats).....	2	4,700	-----	Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	3	21,625	-----
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats.....	-----	950	-----	Body, fender, and paint shops.....	67	320,784	-----
Automotive group.....	2,330	8,580,219	499,184	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	680	3,095,783	\$107,853
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	1,345	4,151,300	388,359	Radiator shops (including repairs).....	29	90,191	-----
Used-car establishments.....	5	19,158	-----	Lumber and building group.....		4,800	-----
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	13	28,909	-----	Paint and glass stores.....		4,800	-----
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	43	205,777	-----	Other retail stores.....	5	19,584	-----
Battery and ignition shops—brake-repair shops.....	34	247,025	-----	Hardware stores.....	4	12,584	-----
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	51	209,134	2,972	Miscellaneous classification (combined).....	1	1,000	-----
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	3	12,259	-----	Secondhand stores.....	4	10,462	-----
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	38	93,382	-----				
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	18	58,531	-----				

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

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TABLE 9.—THE STATE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE—Continued
C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total	\$4, 105, 423	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group	7, 040	Stove and range dealers.....	\$27, 785
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	3, 920	Antique shops.....	7, 125
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	3, 120	Interior decorators.....	613, 997
General merchandise group	546, 777	Lamp and shade shops.....	1, 800
Department stores with food departments.....	130, 365	Radio and electrical shops.....	140, 181
Department stores without food departments (including mail-order house).....	407, 412	Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6, 774
Automotive group	39, 491	Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	3, 000
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	1, 040	Lunch rooms.....	3, 000
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	9, 515	Lumber and building group	816, 595
Battery and ignition shops—brake-repair shops.....	840	Lumber and building material dealers.....	33, 981
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	12, 782	Roofing.....	32, 992
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	3, 500	Electrical shops (without radio).....	130, 227
Bicycle shops.....	6, 200	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	32, 900
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	4, 085	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	518, 326
Aircraft and accessories.....	1, 549	Paint and glass stores.....	19, 300
Apparel group	281, 526	Other retail stores	1, 468, 021
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	4, 700	Hardware stores.....	30, 133
Men's furnishings stores.....	8, 500	Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	9, 446
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	4, 186	Hardware and farm implement stores.....	6, 040
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	5, 199	Harness shops.....	4, 000
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	37, 810	Farmers' supply stores.....	30, 500
Furriers—fur shops.....	70, 840	Novelty and souvenir shops.....	17, 076
Millinery stores.....	500	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	43, 012
Custom tailors.....	78, 004	Jewelry stores.....	382, 707
Shoe stores—men's.....	500	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	14, 413
Shoe stores—women's.....	2, 252	Music stores (without radio).....	10, 574
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	69, 026	News dealers.....	2, 000
Furniture and household group	920, 967	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	96, 903
Furniture stores.....	5, 367	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	10, 162
Furniture and undertaker.....	4, 900	Store-fixture dealers.....	13, 000
Furniture and hardware stores.....	1, 750	Typewriter dealers.....	11, 887
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3, 800	Opticians and optometrists.....	46, 372
Household appliance stores (electric).....	42, 906	Sporting goods specialty stores.....	12, 000
Household appliance stores.....	2, 050	Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	5, 800
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	45, 162	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	10, 054
Picture and framing stores.....	7, 000	Monuments and tombstones.....	5, 479
		Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	705, 804
		Secondhand stores	22, 008

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

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TABLE 10.—THE STATE—MERCHANDISE MANUFACTURED BY RETAILERS—SALES TO OTHER RETAILERS—RETURNED GOODS—BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹	KIND OF BUSINESS	Merchandise manufactured on sales premises ¹	Sales to other retailers for use or resale ¹	Returned goods and allowances ¹
Total.....	\$5,454,005	\$7,600,911	\$15,568,176	Furniture and household group—Continued.			
Food group.....	1,185,473	1,943,170		Other home furnishings and appliance stores:			
Candy and confectionery stores:				Antique and used furniture dealers.....	\$2,412		
Candy stores—nut stores.....	3,500			China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....		\$5,853	\$1,800
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	23,928			Antique shops.....		21,571	
Dairy products stores:				Awnings, flags, banners, window shades and tents.....	4,500		
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	18,000	108,407		Interior decorators.....			7,385
Milk dealers.....	114,240	314,500		Lamp and shade shops.....	1,000		
Egg and poultry dealers.....		99,908		Radio and music stores:			
Deli-catessen stores.....	15,000			Radio and electrical shop.....		5,600	76,077
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....		479,748		Radio and musical instruments stores.....			295,065
Grocery stores (without meats).....	67,900	121,314		Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	17,250		
Combination stores (groceries and meats):				Restaurants, cafeterias—			
Grocery stores with meats.....	405,200	27,854		Lunch rooms.....	1,200		
Meat markets with groceries.....	8,520			Restaurants with table service.....	14,050		
Meat markets (including sea foods):				Refreshment stands.....	2,000		
Fish markets—sea foods.....		2,540		Lumber and building group.....	703,440	346,136	195,608
Meat markets.....	193,792	711,544		Lumber and building material dealers:			
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	315,393	65,207		Lumber and building material dealers.....	630,606	239,482	156,150
Farm products stores.....		12,150		Lumber and hardware.....	36,509		
General stores.....	3,750	760,212		Roofing.....	9,850		
General stores, groceries with apparel.....		18,565		Electrical shops (without radio).....	3,000		5,717
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....		276,835		Heating and plumbing shops—			
General stores—groceries with other merchandise.....	3,750	464,812		Heating appliances and oil burners.....			25,528
General merchandise group.....	101,800	19,765	11,483,873	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	23,475	3,825	
Department stores:				Paint and glass stores.....		102,829	8,211
With food departments.....	69,151		3,383,508	Other retail stores.....	2,227,375	1,766,941	764,070
Without food departments (including 1 mail-order house).....	29,649		8,015,319	Hardware stores.....	26,308	40,121	4,811
Dry good stores.....	3,000	15,300	25,021	Hardware and farm implement stores:			
General merchandise stores:				Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....		25,167	23,776
With food departments.....		4,465	54,800	Farm implement dealers with hay, grain and feed.....		3,000	
Without food departments.....			5,025	Farmers supplies:			
Army and Navy goods stores.....				Feed stores (flour, feed grain, fertilizer).....	365,630	285,012	
Automotive group.....	8,100	2,502,781	362,808	Fertilizer stores.....		3,094	
Motor-vehicle dealers—				Harness shops.....	11,100	40,000	1,216
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....		2,406,254	338,583	Farmers' supply stores.....	129,290	69,249	
Used car establishments.....		23,500	19,006	Seeds, bulbs and nursery stock.....		50,895	2,101
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....			21,980	Coal and feed stores.....	204,012	253,031	
Accessories, tires and batteries:				Book stores.....			75,460
Battery and ignition shops (brake repair shops).....		2,197		Cigar stores without fountains.....	37,400	30,900	
Tires shops (including repairs).....		34,393	4,827	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:			
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	4,350			Coal and wood yards.....		156,074	22,501
Garages, (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	3,750	14,457		Ice dealers.....	263,134	558,799	
Apparel group.....	957,898	87,336	349,200	Drug stores.....	4,050	5,600	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:				Florists.....	17,195		
Men's furnishings stores.....	5,400		6,339	Jewelry stores:			
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....			38,547	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....			313,257
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....			71,123	Jewelry stores.....	579,217	82,901	58,279
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....			208,843	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1,050		21,612
Women's accessories stores:				News dealers.....			19,412
Furriers—fur shops.....	97,735	12,478	10,076	Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:			
Millinery stores.....		6,267	14,272	Office and school supplies.....	382,927		
Custom tailors.....	864,761	68,591		Office, and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....		85,177	106,418
Furniture and household group.....	268,921	152,020	2,404,877	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....			13,015
Furniture stores.....	261,009	66,102	1,503,049	Store-fixture dealers.....	40,000		
Floor covering stores.....			12,391	Opticians and optometrists.....			50,473
Household appliance stores:				Sporting goods specialty stores.....			14,235
Household appliance stores (electric).....			93,409	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	20,810	6,321	44,405
Household appliance stores.....		52,894	415,801	Stationers and engravers.....	27,320		8,827
				Monuments and tombstones.....	54,616		
				Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	63,416	121,600	4,272
				Secondhand stores.....		22,550	7,844

¹ Merchandise manufactured on sales premises is a factor in retail distribution in that, like the sale of service and meals, it represents a proportion of total retail business for which there is no corresponding purchase of merchandise in kind. Sales to other retailers include merchandise for their use, such as supplies, and merchandise for resale, which is in the nature of wholesale business. Returned goods and allowances were not reported by stores in cities and places of less than 10,000 population, nor by stores with sales of less than \$60,000 annually. Blanks indicate that no return goods were reported, not necessarily that no goods were returned.

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TABLE 11A.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES, BY CERTAIN MANUFACTURING ESTABLISHMENTS WHICH ARE INCLUDED ONLY IN THE CENSUS OF MANUFACTURES

[Manufacturing bakeries included herein are those which report that 25 per cent or more of their sales are to home consumers. Planing mills included herein are those which report that they sell principally to industrial and home consumers, for utilization rather than for resale. Power laundry sales include the full amount received for work done. The cleaning and dyeing establishment sales include both retail and wholesale, the retail sales for the State aggregating \$1,961,820]

	MANUFACTURING BAKERIES		PLANING MILLS		POWER LAUNDRIES		CLEANING AND DYEING ESTABLISHMENTS	
	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929)	Number of mills	Net sales (1929)	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929)	Number of establishments	Net sales (1929)
Total.....	208	\$5,269,422	45	\$4,852,705	61	\$6,028,564	39	\$2,787,967
Baltimore.....	178	4,382,945	27	2,689,546	33	4,748,015	20	1,162,067

TABLE 11B.—THE STATE—COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING OF FARM PRODUCTS BY RETAILERS WHO ARE ALSO ASSEMBLERS)

[Retailers who are also country buyers are included in the Retail Census. That part of their business which is the assembling of farm products is shown below]

[An (x) indicates the amounts have been withheld to avoid disclosures of individual operations but are included in the totals]

COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING)	COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING)	COUNTY	COUNTRY BUYING (ASSEMBLING)
Total.....	\$3,348,106	Frederick.....	\$401,054	St. Marys.....	\$34,168
Baltimore.....	135,334	Harford.....	161,153	Somerset.....	97,941
Calvert.....	11,279	Howard.....	43,375	Washington.....	484,435
Caroline.....	41,995	Kent.....	161,048	Wicomico.....	309,800
Carroll.....	1,147,820	Montgomery.....	(x)	Worcester.....	230,770
Dorchester.....	76,150	Prince Georges.....	(x)		
		Queen Annes.....	49,986		

TABLE 11C.—THE STATE—RETAIL SALES BY WHOLESALE ESTABLISHMENTS CLASSIFIED BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS		KIND OF BUSINESS	SALES TO ULTIMATE CONSUMERS	
	By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹		By wholesalers only ¹	By all types of wholesalers ¹
Total.....	\$5,804,682	\$7,306,331	Groceries and food specialties.....	\$93,551	\$179,489
Amusement and sporting goods.....	19,042	28,698	Groceries (general line).....	5,000	5,978
Amusement and sporting goods (except cameras and motion-picture equipment and supplies).....	(x)	15,698	Food and grocery specialties.....	88,551	173,511
Cameras and motion-picture equipment and supplies.....	(x)	13,000	Hardware (general line).....	403,890	403,890
Automotive.....	1,879,893	2,093,347	Iron and steel scrap and other waste materials; iron and steel scrap.....	12,089	12,089
Automobiles and other motor vehicles.....	(x)	1,740,871	Jewelry and optical goods.....	1,858	1,858
Automotive equipment.....	293,699	306,753	Jewelry.....	(x)	(x)
Automobile parts (new and used).....	17,867	17,867	Optical goods.....	(x)	(x)
Tires and tubes.....	(x)	27,856	Leather and leather goods (except gloves and shoes); leather and leather belting.....	5,000	5,000
Chemicals, drugs, and allied products; paints, varnishes, lacquers and enamels.....	3,912	3,912	Lumber and building materials (other than metal).....	467,605	467,605
Dry goods and apparel.....	937,850	994,322	Construction and building materials (other than metal and wood).....	448,163	448,163
Clothing and furnishings (other than millinery and footwear).....	925,850	982,322	Lumber and millwork.....	9,442	9,442
Dry goods (general line).....	7,000	7,000	Machinery, equipment, and supplies (except electrical).....	174,952	268,668
Shoes and other footwear.....	5,000	5,000	Commercial equipment and supplies.....	(x)	51,887
Electrical.....	5,600	5,600	Farm machinery and equipment.....	(x)	25,000
Electrical goods, including appliances.....	2,000	2,000	Manufacturing, mining, and drilling machinery, equipment and supplies.....	130,418	160,247
Electrical equipment and supplies.....	3,600	3,600	Transportation equipment and supplies.....	(x)	29,534
Farm products, not elsewhere specified; livestock.....		15,700	Metals and minerals (except petroleum and scrap).....	241,481	241,481
Farm supplies (except machinery and equipment).....	408,787	428,715	Coal.....	124,395	124,395
Feed.....	405,787	425,715	Metals and metal work, other than iron and steel.....	117,086	117,086
Fertilizer and fertilizer materials.....	3,000	3,000	Paper and paper products (general line).....	10,000	10,000
Food products, not elsewhere specified.....	1,059,278	1,428,499	Petroleum and petroleum products.....		118,189
Confectionery and soft drinks.....	10,609	10,609	Plumbing and heating equipment and supplies; plumbing equipment and supplies.....	2,073	2,073
Dairy products.....	251,311	251,311	Tobacco and tobacco products (except leaf).....	177,158	177,158
Poultry and poultry products.....	25,000	58,490	All other.....	83,212	404,678
Dairy and poultry products.....	50,000	67,727	Books, periodicals, and newspapers.....	800	800
Fish and sea foods.....	347,629	578,632	Textile and textile materials (other than dry goods).....	51,413	56,779
Fruits and vegetables (fresh).....	237,080	324,080	Miscellaneous kinds of business.....	31,499	347,499
Meats and meat products.....	137,850	137,850			
Forest products (except lumber); boxes, shooks, and cooperage.....	7,500	7,500			
Furniture and house furnishings; house furnishings.....	20,000	20,000			

¹ Column 1, "Wholesalers only," includes those wholesalers and importers who sell to retailers for resale, although it does not include manufacturers' sales branches. For types of distributors included in "all types of wholesalers," reference should be made to the wholesale census, and especially to Table 4 therein.

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TABLE 12A.—THE STATE—FORMS OF ORGANIZATION

	Number of stores	PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (full time)	TOTAL PAY ROLL	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	21,082	20,162	53,480	\$64,291,830	\$78,658,140	\$619,573,436	100.00
Proprietorships.....	17,960	19,593	22,406	24,575,324	41,384,850	312,033,113	50.36
Proprietorships which are also members of cooperative associations.....	14	20	59	76,954	84,190	880,046	.14
Corporations.....	2,587		30,808	39,236,807	36,962,980	302,751,692	48.87
Corporations which are also members of cooperative associations.....	5		33	55,680	47,000	450,196	.07
Cooperative associations.....	10		51	68,507	39,720	1,164,176	.19
Negro proprietorships.....	515	525	198	164,492	125,700	1,690,747	.27
Oriental mutuals.....	11	24	125	114,066	13,700	685,466	.10

TABLE 12B.—THE STATE—STORES OPERATED BY NEGRO PROPRIETORS

(An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals)

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	PROPRIETORS AND FIRM MEMBERS (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES (full time)	TOTAL PAY ROLL	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
						Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	515	525	198	\$164,492	\$125,700	\$1,690,747	100.00
Food group.....	238	241	41	39,351	64,580	720,792	42.63
Candy and confectionery stores.....	66	67	8	4,450	7,380	130,902	7.74
Grocery stores (without meats).....	96	96	11	6,241	29,450	213,942	12.66
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	44	47	7	3,240	12,100	166,215	9.83
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	11	11	2	1,578	3,490	59,186	3.50
Other food stores.....	19	20	13	23,842	2,160	150,487	8.90
General stores (groceries with apparel or dry goods).....	18	18	4	2,629	18,700	111,092	6.57
Automotive group.....	20	24	12	8,136	5,770	79,568	4.70
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Filling stations.....	6	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Garages and repair shops.....	12	(x)	(x)	2,267	700	24,198	1.43
Other automotive establishments.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Apparel group.....	4	4	2	624	1,470	7,075	.42
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Women's accessories stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other apparel stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Restaurants and eating places.....	120	121	64	\$1,211	8,480	280,287	16.58
Restaurants, cafeterias and lunch rooms.....	99	100	60	29,745	7,070	200,551	11.84
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	21	21	4	1,460	1,410	19,736	1.17
Other retail stores.....	101	101	74	81,825	33,450	458,183	27.10
Household appliances stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radio and music stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Heating and plumbing shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Hardware stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	11	12	4	1,090	600	26,234	1.55
Drug stores.....	44	44	6	3,825	2,130	84,783	5.02
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	15	15	26	21,643	16,500	104,697	6.19
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	25	25	25	27,107	12,320	122,265	7.23
Secondhand stores.....	15	15	1	416	3,250	33,810	2.00

TABLES 13 AND 14.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY COUNTIES AND INCORPORATED PLACES HAVING 1,000 INHABITANTS OR MORE

These tables, which were included in the separate State bulletins, have been withdrawn and are included as Tables 13 and 14 of Volume I, Part 1, Retail Distribution.

TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES, BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			FOOD GROUP—Continued		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 5.8 per cent)			Combination stores—meat markets with groceries—Contd.		
Bakery products, fresh.....	10.1	9.3	Groceries.....	33.9	33.9
Bottled beverages.....	8.6	6.3	Butter and cheese.....	3.9	
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.9	2.4	Eggs.....	3.1	
Confectionery and nuts.....	22.4	22.4	Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	2.9	
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	45.0	45.0	Flour.....	1.4	
Milk and cream.....	7.0	1.1	Sugar.....	2.7	
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.5	Canned goods and other groceries.....	10.9	
Receipts from sale of meals.....	39.2	19.7	Meats, including poultry.....		52.1
Dairy products stores (including ice cream): (Commodity coverage, 39.2 per cent)			Milk and cream.....		62.1
Butter and cheese.....	60.0	60.0	Nonfood products:		1.1
Canned goods and other groceries.....	9.5	3.9	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....		.1
Eggs.....	32.7	32.7	Household supplies.....		.5
Ice cream.....	14.7	1.9	Other nonfood products.....		.4
Milk and cream.....	12.7	1.5			
Egg and poultry dealers: (Commodity coverage, 31.7 per cent)			Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 28.3 per cent)		
Butter and cheese.....	.6	.1	Butter and cheese.....	5.5	1.1
Eggs.....	7	.1	Canned goods and other groceries.....	.6	.1
Poultry.....	99.8	99.8	Eggs.....	4.8	1.0
			Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	2.3	.2
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 35.5 per cent)			Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	3.9	1.1
Bakery products, fresh.....	4.1	4.0	Meats, including poultry.....	95.5	95.5
Butter and cheese.....	4.8	4.7			
Ice cream.....	1.1	.2			
Milk and cream.....	91.1	91.1			
Delicatessen stores: (Commodity coverage, 11.5 per cent)			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Bakery products, fresh.....	3.3	1.4	Department stores with food departments: (Commodity coverage, 97.5 per cent)		
Bottled beverages.....	1.4	.8	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.0	.9
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	5.7	2.5	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Confectionery and nuts.....	2.1	.9	Children's wear.....	1.6	.5
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	43.4	43.4	Millinery.....	1.8	1.6
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	24.4	6.2	Hostery.....	3.5	2.9
Groceries:			Coats, suits, and dresses.....	12.0	10.0
Butter and cheese.....	6.6	6.6	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.7	6.5
Lard.....	2.4	.3	Other apparel, except furs.....	4.9	4.4
Sugar.....	7.3	1.0	Appliances and supplies, electrical.....	1.0	.8
Canned goods.....	17.6	17.6	Bakery products, fresh.....	3.7	.4
Receipts from sale of meals.....	34.3	19.5	Cameras.....	.2	.1
			Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	8.4	8.4
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 15.3 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts.....	.8	.7
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.7	.2	Drugs and drug sundries.....	5.5	.5
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	32.3	7.7	Dry goods and notions:		
Fruits and vegetables.....	92.1	92.1	Cotton piece goods.....	2.4	2.4
			Linen goods.....	2.1	2.1
Combination stores—grocery stores with meats: (Commodity coverage, 6.0 per cent)			Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.2	.2
Bakery products, fresh.....	4.6	1.9	Rayon piece goods.....	.2	.2
Bottled beverages.....	5.9	2.4	Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.2	4.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.3	1.9	Notions and small wares.....	4.0	4.0
Confectionery and nuts.....	5.5	1.7	Other dry goods.....	1.6	1.6
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	5.4	1.4	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	1.2	1.0
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	2.8	.6	Fruits and vegetables.....	7.6	.8
Fruits and vegetables.....	10.3	6.2	Fuel.....	4.6	.5
Groceries.....	60.6	60.6	Furniture, household.....	6.9	3.5
Butter and cheese.....	5.5		Bedroom.....	0.9	
Eggs.....	2.9		Living room, library, and hall.....	1.6	
Lard, cooking fats, etc.....	1.8		Dining room.....	.5	
Flour.....	3.1		Other household.....	.5	
Sugar.....	4.7		Furs and fur goods.....	1.7	1.4
Canned goods and other groceries.....	42.6		Gasoline.....	5.0	.5
Ice cream.....	4.5	.6	Groceries.....	2.3	2.3
Meats, including poultry.....	22.0	22.0	Home furnishings:		
Milk and cream.....	2.0	.5	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	4.4	3.9
Other nonfood products.....	(x)	.2	Floor coverings.....	3.8	3.4
			Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.4	1.2
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 24.9 per cent)			China, glassware, and crockery.....	2.0	1.8
Bakery products, fresh.....	4.1	1.4	Kitchen utensils.....	3.0	1.7
Bottled beverages.....	2.4	.9	Other home furnishings.....	7.3	2.4
Confectionery and nuts.....	1.1	.2	Infants' wear.....	2.6	2.2
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	1.3	.2	Jewelry and silverware.....	1.8	1.8
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	1.8	.5	Plated silverware.....	0.8	
Fruits and vegetables.....	15.1	9.6	Jewelry.....	1.0	
			Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	1.6	1.4
			Luggage.....	.4	.3
			Meats, including poultry.....	10.1	1.0
			Milk and cream.....	2.6	.3
			Optical goods.....	.2	.1
			Photographs and records.....	.2	.1
			Radios and equipment.....	1.8	1.6
			Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.0	.8

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the State. The percentages in this second column are applicable to the sales shown in Table 1. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE SALES, BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Department stores with food departments—Continued.			Department stores without food departments—Continued.		
Services.....	0.0	0.7	Toilet articles.....	0.8	0.6
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	.2	.1	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.8	1.2
Shoes and other footwear—			Toys and games.....	1.2	1.1
Men's.....	.4	.1	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	.9	.1
Women's.....	3.5	3.5			
Misses' and children's.....	.9	.0	Dry goods stores:		
Rubber and other footwear.....	2.1	1.4	(Commodity coverage, 23.2 per cent)		
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	.3	.1	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Stationery and books—			Children's wear.....	4.5	2.0
Books.....	1.6	1.3	Millinery.....	4.0	2.2
Paper and paper goods.....	.8	.7	Hosiery.....	8.4	7.8
Other stationery.....	1.5	.8	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	31.1	24.7
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.0	.2	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	6.7	4.3
Tires and tubes.....	.5	.3	Other apparel.....	8.5	5.1
Toilet articles and preparations.....	2.7	2.2	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Toys and games.....	1.5	1.8	Custom tailoring.....	3.2	1.2
			Suits.....	1.8	.7
Department stores without food departments:			Overcoats.....	3.5	1.4
(Commodity coverage, 96.7 per cent)			Hats and caps.....	.6	.2
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	1.1	.4	Furnishings.....	2.7	1.2
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Work clothing.....	18.0	.7
Children's wear.....	2.5	.9	Other clothing.....	1.4	.6
Millinery.....	2.3	2.2	Dry goods and notions—		
Hosiery.....	4.1	4.0	Cotton piece goods.....	14.0	11.9
Coats, suits, dresses.....	18.0	18.0	Linen goods.....	2.4	1.8
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	5.5	5.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	0.2	5.7
Other apparel, except furs.....	4.0	3.6	Rayon piece goods.....	5.1	4.1
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Silk and velvet piece goods.....	14.8	12.5
Household appliances, motor-driven.....	1.0	.8	Notions and small wares.....	5.0	3.4
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.4	.1	Other dry goods.....	10.2	6.3
Lighting equipment.....	.7	.4	Kitchen utensils.....	5.0	.2
Automotive parts and accessories—			Shoes and other footwear—		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	7.5	.5	Men's.....	4.7	.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	3.6	1.7	Boys' and youths'.....	2.8	.2
Batteries.....	.8	.1	Women's.....	4.7	.4
Bicycles and accessories.....	1.1	.1	Misses' and children's.....	4.7	.4
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—					
Suits.....	8.0	7.7	General merchandise stores with food departments:		
Overcoats.....	2.0	1.7	(Commodity coverage, 23.6 per cent)		
Hats and caps.....	.6	.3	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Furnishings.....	5.5	5.1	Millinery.....	.2	.1
Work clothing.....	.7	.3	Hosiery.....	3.8	1.4
Other clothing.....	.7	.3	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	2.8	1.1
Confectionery and nuts.....	.3	.1	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.1	1.5
Drug sundries.....	.4	.1	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Dry goods and notions:			Household appliances, motor-driven.....	.8	.3
Cotton piece goods.....	2.2	1.5	Household heating appliances—portable.....	.1	.1
Linen goods.....	1.7	1.0	Incandescent lamps.....	.9	.3
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.5	.2	Bakery products, fresh.....	1.4	.9
Rayon piece goods.....	2.8	1.0	Bottled beverages.....	.7	.7
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.4	2.7	Building materials—		
Notions and small wares.....	2.0	2.3	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	.5	.2
Other dry goods.....	2.3	1.1	Cement.....	.7	.2
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	.6	.1	Lime, plaster, etc.....	.1	.1
Furniture:			Iron and other building metal.....	.1	.1
Bedroom.....	4.1	1.8	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	1.2	.9
Living room, library, and hall.....	4.0	1.4	Clocks.....	.2	.1
Dining room.....	2.8	1.0	Confectionery and nuts.....	.6	.4
Kitchen.....	1.1	.6	Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	.7	.2
Other household.....	1.1	.8	Dry goods and notions—		
Office and store.....	1.2	.1	Cotton piece goods.....	1.4	.5
Furs and fur goods.....	1.8	1.5	Rayon piece goods.....	.6	.2
Hardware.....	3.0	.8	Notions and small wares.....	.6	.2
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	6.2	.2	Other dry goods.....	.8	.3
Home furnishings:			Farm and garden equipment and supplies—		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	3.5	2.7	Farm machinery.....	3.3	1.1
Floor coverings.....	3.2	2.4	Farm wagons.....	.2	.1
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	2.0	.5	Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	4.0	1.3
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.4	.8	Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	2.8	2.0
Kitchen utensils.....	1.0	.6	Fertilizers.....	3.5	1.2
Other home furnishings.....	2.7	2.8	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	.6	.2
Infants' wear.....	2.2	1.3	Fruits and vegetables.....	3.8	3.8
Jewelry, silverware, and clocks.....	1.8	1.2	Fuel—		
Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	1.0	.7	Coal.....	.8	.3
Luggage.....	.4	.3	Fuel oil.....	.4	.1
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.5	Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	.1	.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.5	.1	Furniture—		
Radio parts and accessories.....	.8	.2	Bedroom.....	2.7	1.0
Radio sets.....	5.3	2.5	Living room, library, and hall.....	.8	.3
Receipts from sale of meals.....	1.1	.4	Dining room.....	1.9	.7
Services.....	1.4	1.0	Kitchen.....	.5	.2
Shoes and other footwear:			Gasoline.....	5.1	1.7
Men's.....	.8	.4	Grain and feed.....	1.4	.5
Boys' and youths'.....	.5	.1	Groceries—		
Women's.....	4.8	4.1	Butter and cheese.....	2.7	2.7
Misses' and children's.....	1.7	1.3	Eggs.....	1.0	1.0
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	1.6	.5	Lard, cooking, fats, etc.....	.5	.3
Stationery and books—			Lard, cooking, fats, etc.....	3.0	3.0
Books.....	.5	.2	Flour.....	4.8	4.8
Paper and paper goods.....	.7	.3	Sugar.....	19.5	19.5
Other stationery.....	.7	.2	Canned goods and other groceries.....	.3	.1
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	4.2	.3	Hats and caps, men's and boys'.....		

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TABLE 15.—THE STATE—SALES, BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
General merchandise stores with food departments—Contd.			Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores—Continued.		
Hardware—			Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Builders' and shelf.....	1.2	0.8	Household heating appliances—portable.....	0.8	0.1
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	2.0	.7	Incandescent lamps.....	1.8	.2
Other hardware.....	2.6	.9	Construction materials.....	5.1	3.3
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	1.2	.4	Other appliances.....	3.3	1.5
Home furnishings—			Automotive parts and accessories—		
Floor coverings.....	.9	.3	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.5	.4
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	1.7	.7	Tubes and tire accessories.....	1.5	.2
China, glassware, and crockery.....	.3	.1	Bakery products, fresh.....	.7	.1
Kitchen utensils.....	.5	.3	Batteries.....	.2	.1
Other home furnishings.....	2.7	1.0	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Infants' wear.....	1.1	.4	Hats and caps.....	1.4	.1
Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	.4	.1	Furnishings.....	11.0	5.0
Meats, including poultry.....	11.6	11.6	Work clothing.....	6.6	.8
Milk and cream.....	.4	.1	Other clothing.....	5.3	.1
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	8.8	Confectionery and nuts.....	8.2	7.2
Oils and greases.....	.8	.1	Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	18.2	8.9
Painters' supplies.....	.3	.1	Dry goods and notions—		
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	2.0	1.4	Cotton piece goods.....	4.1	.7
Radio parts and accessories.....	1.9	.7	Linen goods.....	.7	.1
Radio sets.....	24.6	13.0	Notions and small wares.....	5.3	5.2
Shoes and other footwear—			Other dry goods.....	7.0	5.8
Men's.....	.3	.1	Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.7	.4
Women's.....	.6	.2	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	5.4	2.0
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	.2	.1	Fruits and vegetables.....	2.4	.8
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.6	.5	Hardware—		
Toys and games.....	2.7	1.0	Builders' and shelf.....	4.1	.1
Wallpaper.....	.3	.1	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	.6	.1
Work clothing.....	.8	.5	Other hardware.....	4.0	3.9
General merchandise stores without food departments:			Home furnishings—		
(Commodity coverage, 25.5 per cent)			Draperies and curtains.....		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's.....	35.1	28.7	Floor coverings.....	1.4	.1
Children's wear.....	1.0	.7	China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.9	3.9
Millinery.....	1.0	.7	Kitchen utensils.....	4.1	1.7
Hosiery.....	7.1	1.8	Other home furnishings.....	1.8	1.5
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	12.6	3.4	Infants' wear.....	3.4	1.5
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	4.2	4.3	Jewelry, costume.....	4.3	4.3
Other apparel.....	2.8	2.5	Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	2.5	1.1
Automotive parts and accessories—			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.6
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	12.1	.2	Musical goods—		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	14.7	.3	Phonograph records.....	2.0	1.9
Bicycles and accessories.....	2.4	.1	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	2.7	1.8
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	29.3	24.4	Other musical goods.....	.6	.1
Suits.....	14.1	.6	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	1.0	.6
Overcoats.....	2.0	.6	Pets (gold fish, etc.).....	.6	.3
Hats and caps.....	2.0	.1	Radio parts and accessories.....	1.0	.1
Furnishings.....	3.7	.1	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	2.0	1.1
Work clothing.....	2.3	.1	Shoes and other footwear.....	5.2	1.6
Other clothing.....	.3	.1	Sporting goods.....	9.0	4.4
Dry goods and notions.....	19.4	13.2	Stationery and books—		
Cotton piece goods.....	4.8	.1	Books.....	.6	.1
Linen goods.....	.2	.1	Paper and paper goods.....	1.4	.7
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.2	.1	Other stationery.....	13.6	.2
Rayon piece goods.....	2.0	.1	Toilet articles.....	1.4	.8
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	4.0	.1	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	5.2	5.1
Notions and small wares.....	2.0	.1	Toys and games.....	5.0	5.5
Furniture—			AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
Bedroom.....	8.7	2.0	Automobile salesrooms:		
Living room, library, and hall.....	8.6	2.6	(Commodity coverage, 60.6 per cent)		
Dining room.....	1.7	.4	Automobiles, parts, and accessories—		
Kitchen.....	2.2	.5	Passenger automobiles, new.....	52.3	48.5
Other household.....	9.1	2.1	Used passenger cars.....	16.4	14.3
Hardware.....	.6	.1	Buses.....	4.4	.9
Home furnishings—			Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	16.4	9.4
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	7.3	1.8	Used commercial cars and trucks.....	2.2	1.2
Floor coverings.....	8.4	2.7	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	7.0	6.4
Other home furnishings.....	15.7	7.6	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	2.1	1.2
Infants' wear.....	7.4	1.5	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	15.5	7.2
Lighting equipment, electric.....	1.7	.1	Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	3.0	.8
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	2.4	.1
Radio parts and accessories.....	6.7	.1	Batteries.....	2.7	1.6
Radio sets.....	4.5	.1	Gasoline.....	(x)	.3
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	1.2	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	1.1	.7
Shoes and other footwear—			Oils and greases.....	7.3	6.5
Men's.....	9.3	3.1	Repairs and service.....	3.4	.7
Boys' and youths'.....	4.2	1.4	Storage.....		
Women's.....	9.9	3.3	Used-car establishments:		
Misses' and children's.....	4.5	1.5	(Commodity coverage, 96.0 per cent)		
Infants'.....	.9	.3	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	27.3	2.1
Rubber and other footwear.....	1.3	.3	Gasoline.....	21.2	1.6
Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	7.3	.1	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	8.2	.2	Oils and greases.....	7.3	.7
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	.6	.1	Repairs and service.....	5.1	.4
Toys and games.....	9.0	1.0	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	40.2	1.4
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:¹			Used cars sold to dealers.....	8.8	.4
(Commodity coverage, 13.8 per cent)			Used commercial cars and trucks.....	93.7	93.2
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Used passenger cars.....		
Children's wear.....	3.5	.4			
Millinery.....	4.9	.5			
Hosiery.....	9.3	5.0			
Wash dresses.....	6.0	.7			
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	6.3	3.2			
Other apparel.....	4.5	2.0			

¹ Many variety chains can not report commodity analyses except for the chain as a whole. See the Merchandising Series report on retail distribution by variety chains for commodity analysis of chain sales.

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COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Accessory stores with tire and batteries: (Commodity coverage, 53.1 per cent)			Men's clothing and furnishings stores—Continued.		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	62.5	62.5	Overcoats.....	13.2	13.2
Batteries.....	38.1	13.0	Hats and caps.....	8.4	8.2
Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	9.6	1.8	Furnishings.....	23.0	23.0
Gasoline.....	39.4	1.8	Work clothing.....	4.8	2.5
Oils and greases.....	19.4	2.7	Other clothing.....	10.0	1.8
Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	26.9	9.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	3.2
Radio sets.....	25.0	2.5	Shoes and other footwear—		
Repairs and service.....	13.0	5.2	Men's.....	3.9	1.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	14.8	1.9	Boys' and youths'.....	2.2	.8
Used commercial cars and trucks.....	7.5	.2	Women's.....	9.4	2.9
			Misses' and children's.....	.6	.2
Tire shops (including tire repairs): (Commodity coverage, 58.5 per cent)			Family clothing stores—men's, women's and children's: (Commodity coverage, 36.0 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	2.8	.2	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's:		
Batteries.....	2.9	1.1	Children's wear.....	2.9	1.7
Gasoline, oil, and grease.....	20.9	1.0	Millinery.....	6.1	5.1
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1	Hosiery.....	5.8	5.1
Radio sets.....	2.0	.4	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	34.9	32.4
Repairs and service.....	3.8	2.6	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.1	5.8
Tires and tubes sold to dealers.....	9.7	2.5	Other apparel, except furs.....	5.5	4.8
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	92.1	92.1	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
			Suits.....	17.7	12.7
Filling stations—gasoline and oil: (Commodity coverage, 9.9 per cent)			Overcoats.....	8.5	5.1
Gasoline.....	82.4	82.4	Hats and caps.....	1.4	.5
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	3.3	Furnishings.....	21.1	17.0
Oils and greases.....	14.3	14.3	Work clothing.....	.8	.4
			Other clothing.....	5.4	2.0
Filling stations with tires and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 18.8 per cent)			Dry goods and notions.....	10.8	1.2
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	4.8	3.1	Furs and fur goods.....	5.2	.8
Batteries.....	2.0	2.0	Infants' wear.....	1.6	.2
Gasoline.....	67.6	67.6	Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	4.2	.3
Oils and greases.....	20.9	20.9	Service.....	.5	.1
Repairs and service.....	2.9	1.2	Shoes and other footwear:		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	11.4	5.2	Men's.....	4.3	1.1
			Boys' and youths'.....	9.3	1.2
Motorcycle dealers: (Commodity coverage, 86.4 per cent)			Women's.....	4.7	.6
Motorcycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	73.4	73.4	Misses' and children's.....	6.7	1.7
Radios and equipment.....	5.2	5.0	Rubber and other footwear.....	7.3	.7
Secondhand goods.....	15.8	15.5	Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 73.3 per cent)		
Service.....	6.4	6.1	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
			Custom tailoring.....	11.9	.3
Body, fender, and paint shops: (Commodity coverage, 30.6 per cent)			Children's wear.....	5.7	.6
Automotive parts and accessories.....	28.2	23.2	Millinery.....	11.5	6.7
Repairs and service.....	76.8	76.8	Hosiery.....	11.0	8.6
			Coats, suits, and dresses.....	70.3	70.3
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 14.0 per cent)			Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.9	6.2
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	33.6	28.5	Other apparel, except furs.....	4.2	2.7
Batteries.....	11.8	4.4	Costume jewelry.....	1.6	.5
Gasoline.....	13.5	13.1	Furs and fur goods.....	4.2	1.8
Oils and greases.....	3.1	3.0	Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	3.1	.9
Repairs and service.....	40.9	40.9	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Storage.....	45.5	7.4	Service.....	2.6	.4
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	5.3	2.6	Shoes and other footwear:		
Used passenger cars.....	1.2	.1	Boys' and youths'.....	10.0	.1
			Women's.....	9.7	.5
Radiator shops (including repairs): (Commodity coverage, 72.4 per cent)			Toilet articles.....	1.4	.1
Automotive parts and accessories.....	28.7	28.7	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	.8	.1
Repairs and service.....	71.3	71.3	Furriers—fur shops: (Commodity coverage, 63.0 per cent)		
			Furs and fur goods.....	96.0	96.0
APPAREL GROUP			Service.....	8.3	4.0
Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 68.5 per cent)			Hosiery shops: (Commodity coverage, 35.8 per cent)		
Suits.....	73.9	73.9	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	9.0	2.4
Overcoats.....	26.1	26.1	Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	37.2	10.0
			Hosiery.....	87.6	87.6
Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 39.3 per cent)			Custom tailors: (Commodity coverage, 29.9 per cent)		
Furnishings.....	14.4	12.8	Custom tailoring.....	95.5	95.5
Hats and caps.....	87.2	87.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.3
			Overcoats.....	8.6	.8
Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 54.9 per cent)			Service.....	5.0	.4
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Suits.....	34.4	3.0
Custom tailoring.....	2.3	0.8	Women's shoe stores: (Commodity coverage, 92.8 per cent)		
Suits.....	42.0	42.0	Hosiery, women's.....	17.8	11.5
			Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	4.5	.4
			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.5
			Service.....	.7	.1

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APPAREL GROUP—Continued			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued		
Women's shoe stores—Continued.			China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware: (Commodity coverage, 19.6 per cent)		
Shoes and other footwear—			China, glassware, and crockery	38.1	37.4
Boys' and youths'.....	5.6	0.9	Kitchen utensils.....	56.4	56.4
Women's.....	82.1	82.1	Toys and games.....	30.0	6.2
Misses' and children's.....	19.4	3.8	Antique shops: (Commodity coverage, 54.4 per cent)		
Rubber and other footwear.....	2.1	.7	Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	77.4	77.4
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 32.2 per cent)			Furniture—		
Furnishings, men's and boys.....	4.0	2.1	Bedroom.....	6.6	3.0
Hosiery, women's.....	8.2	6.3	Living room, library, and hall.....	14.4	6.4
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1	Dining room.....	0.0	2.9
Shoes and other footwear—			Home furnishings—		
Men's.....	29.0	20.0	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	7.1	4.1
Boys' and youths'.....	1.5	.6	Floor coverings.....	-.7	.3
Women's.....	40.6	49.6	China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.0	1.2
Misses' and children's.....	15.3	10.7	Notions and small wares.....	25.0	4.7
Infants'.....	4.1	1.6	Interior decorators: (Commodity coverage, 95.8 per cent)		
FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP			Antiques, art goods, gifts.....		
Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 66.0 per cent)			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Furniture, household.....	38.5	28.8
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	3.6	.2	Bedroom.....	13.0	
Other appliances.....	14.0	.8	Living room, library, and hall.....	9.9	
Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'.....	1.9	.5	Dining room.....	5.9	
Furniture, household—			Service.....	37.1	37.1
Bedroom.....	22.4	22.4	Wallpaper.....	21.0	2.3
Living room, library, and hall.....	22.3	22.3	Radio and electrical shops: (Commodity coverage, 44.9 per cent)		
Dining room.....	16.3	16.3	Appliances and supplies (electrical)—		
Kitchen.....	5.8	5.8	Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	9.3	.9
Other household.....	8.1	2.4	Household heating appliances—portable.....	5.1	.5
Home furnishings—			Lighting equipment.....	10.3	1.0
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	4.0	1.4	Incandescent lamps.....	2.3	.2
Floor coverings.....	11.9	7.4	Construction materials.....	23.8	2.8
Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	11.4	6.1	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	2.1	.2
China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.1	.1	Other appliances.....	.3	.1
Kitchen utensils.....	1.8	.2	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	2.3	.2
Other home furnishings.....	5.5	1.6	Batteries.....	4.1	.4
Musical instruments and accessories—			Gasoline.....	15.1	1.4
Pianos and accessories.....	2.1	.1	Bicycles and accessories.....	7.6	.4
Phonographs and records.....	1.4	.2	Oils and greases.....	10.1	.6
Other musical instruments and accessories.....	2.6	.1	Home furnishings.....	.9	.1
Radios and equipment.....	15.0	10.0	Radio parts and accessories.....	11.5	11.5
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.4	.6	Radio sets.....	72.6	72.6
Secondhand furniture.....	20.0	.3	Refrigerators, electric.....	31.0	3.7
Service.....	2.3	.1	Service.....	(x)	1.6
Stoves and ranges, gas.....	2.5	.3	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	18.5	1.3
Stoves, ranges, heaters (other than electric or gas).....	5.2	.6	Radio and musical instruments stores: (Commodity coverage, 79.9 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	3.3	.1	Furniture, household.....	16.7	.7
Toys and games.....	1.5	.1	Household heating appliances—motor-driven.....	8.1	.4
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores: (Commodity coverage, 43.0 per cent)			Other musical instruments and accessories.....	4.9	.8
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	45.0	45.0	Pianos and accessories.....	30.1	23.0
Floor coverings.....	40.0	40.0	Phonographs and records.....	9.4	7.5
Other home furnishings.....	16.1	16.0	Radio parts and accessories.....	6.4	6.4
Household appliances stores (electrical): (Commodity coverage, 60.1 per cent)			Radio sets.....	57.6	57.6
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Service.....	18.7	.2
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	72.4	64.0	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	21.4	3.1
Household heating appliances—portable.....	.6	.3	Stringed and band instruments.....	6.2	.3
Lighting equipment.....	20.6	14.0	RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES		
Incandescent lamps.....	1.6	.9	Cafeterias: (Commodity coverage, 88.0 per cent)		
Construction materials.....	9.8	5.0	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.4	3.4
Commercial and industrial appliances.....	.9	.5	Receipts from sale of meals.....	96.6	96.6
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	3.7	1.8	Lunch rooms: (Commodity coverage, 7.8 per cent)		
Other appliances.....	4.0	2.4	Bottled beverages.....	3.3	1.0
China, glassware, and crockery.....	12.0	1.4	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	0.0	5.9
Kitchen utensils.....	12.7	1.5	Confectionery and nuts.....	.8	.2
Plated silverware.....	5.3	2.4	Fountain sales and ice cream.....	2.5	.3
Radio sets.....	4.1	1.6	Receipts from sale of meals.....	92.6	92.6
Refrigerators.....	13.9	1.8	Restaurants with table service: (Commodity coverage, 36.8 per cent)		
Service.....	6.9	2.4	Bakery products, fresh.....	6.6	.7
Household appliances stores: (Commodity coverage, 92.9 per cent)			Canned goods and other groceries.....	5.3	.2
Appliances and supplies (electrical)—			Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	3.5	3.2
Household appliances, motor-driven (except refrigerators).....	17.2	16.6	Deli-catessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	16.0	1.5
Household heating appliances—portable.....	5.7	6.3	Fresh fish and other sea foods.....	35.3	.9
Lighting equipment.....	4.0	4.5	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.9
Incandescent lamps.....	1.6	1.5	Receipts from sale of meals.....	93.4	93.4
Commercial and industrial appliances.....	4.3	3.9	Fountain—lunches: (Commodity coverage, 45.8 per cent)		
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	4.0	3.9	Bottled beverages.....	1.0	.1
Other appliances.....	3.6	3.5	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	6.0	1.9
Appliances and supplies, gas:			Confectionery and nuts.....	19.7	11.7
Stoves and ranges.....	19.4	19.4	Fountain sales and lunches.....	56.3	56.3
Water heaters.....	4.8	4.5			
Other appliances, except refrigerators.....	3.6	3.4			
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	5.7	5.3			
Radios and equipment.....	10.6	10.2			
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	18.6	18.0			

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RESTAURANTS AND EATING PLACES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Lunch counters: (Commodity coverage, 21.6 per cent)			Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 8.5 per cent)		
Bottled beverages.....	12.3	12.1	Appliances and supplies, electrical.....	1.6	0.3
Confectionery and nuts.....	3	3	Household appliances, motor driven.....	7	2
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	2.3	2.1	Household heating appliances—portable.....	1.2	3
Nonfood products:			Lighting equipment.....	7	3
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	8.5	8.2	Incandescent lamps.....	8	3
Other nonfood products.....	(x) .6	.6	Construction materials.....	1.2	3
Receipts from sale of meals.....	76.7	76.7	Other appliances.....	1.1	5
LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP			Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....		
Lumber and building material dealers: (Commodity coverage, 63 per cent)			Cement.....		
Building materials—			Clocks.....	3	1
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	17.5	8.3	Fertilizers.....	2	2
Building stone.....	11.1	.4	Grain and feed.....	1.0	2
Cement.....	15.7	8.2	Hardware—		
Lime, plaster, etc.....	9.4	4.6	Builders' and shelf.....	63.6	63.6
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	66.0	45.1	Carpenters and mechanics' tools.....	4.7	4.7
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	21.4	13.5	Other hardware.....	8.9	4.9
Wood shingles and shakes.....	2.4	1.3	Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	7	2
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	4.6	2.2	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	2.0	5
Iron and other building metal.....	10.6	3.0	Home furnishings—		
Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	2.7	1.1	Floor coverings.....	3.3	.8
Wall boards (except wood base).....	5.4	1.6	China, glassware, and crockery.....	4.0	.9
Other building materials.....	8.9	1.8	Kitchen utensils.....	3.0	.7
Coal.....	42.8	6.0	Other home furnishings.....	3.7	.9
Grain and feed.....	35.0	.5	Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	1.3	.6
Hardware.....	7.1	1	Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	17.4	12.3
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	14.5	1	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	8.3	
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	6.0	2	Glass.....	2.0	
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	4.6	.6	Painters' supplies.....	2.0	
Secondhand goods.....	15.4	.1	Radio and equipment.....	12.1	2.3
Service.....	(x) .9	.7	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	1.7	.6
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	9.0		Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	2.4	.5
Lumber and hardware: (Commodity coverage, 23.5 per cent)			Stoves, ranges, heaters (other than electric or gas).....		
Building materials—			Structural steel (at retail).....		
Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	3.0	.3	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	4.0	.8
Cement.....	2.7	2.4	Toys and games.....	1.0	.5
Lime, plaster, etc.....	4.0	1.3	Wall paper.....	.8	.2
Lumber (rough and dressed).....	61.2	61.2	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	.7	.3
Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	20.2	19.1	Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers: (Commodity coverage, 57.7 per cent)		
Wood shingles and shakes.....	3.6	3.1	Farm machinery.....	44.0	30.2
Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	2.0	1.4	Farm wagons.....	4.0	2.8
Wall boards.....	2.4	1.8	Fertilizers.....	3.3	2.9
Construction materials, electric.....	4.3	.2	Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	37.2	37.2
Glass.....	1.2	.6	Roofing materials.....	7	1
Grain and feed.....	11.2	.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	23.0	15.8
Hardware:			Service.....	.6	.1
Builders' and shelf.....	2.6	2.6	Tractors.....	57.7	7.5
Carpenters and mechanics' tools.....	.8	.8	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	5.0	3.4
Other hardware.....	9.7	1.4	Hardware and farm implement stores: (Commodity coverage, 12.2 per cent)		
Kitchen utensils.....	2.1	1	Farm machinery.....	15.7	15.7
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .1	.1	Hardware.....	62.9	62.9
Painters' supplies.....	.5		Iron and other building metal.....	1.0	.9
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	4.1	3.0	Other building material.....	1.8	1.6
Electrical shops (without radio): (Commodity coverage, 31.1 per cent)			Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....		
Commercial and industrial appliances.....	17.0	7.3	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	15.9	15.7
Construction materials.....	33.6	24.5	Service.....	3.4	3.2
Household appliances, motor driven.....	3.4	.7	Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer): (Commodity coverage, 32.2 per cent)		
Incandescent lamps.....	9.0	3.8	Cement.....	.5	.1
Iron and other building metal.....	32.7	6.9	Fertilizers.....	11.5	3.9
Lighting equipment.....	(x) 29.4	29.4	Flour.....	35.9	3.2
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 6.9	6.9	Grain and feed.....	74.7	74.7
Other appliances.....	42.0	17.9	Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	23.5	15.1
Service.....	12.2	2.6	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) 4	.4
Heating appliances and oil burners: (Commodity coverage, 30.2 per cent)			Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....		
Heating equipment and supplies, including ranges, etc.....	95.6	95.6	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	7.1	1.5
Oils and greases.....	8.1	.5	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	.5	.1
Service.....	8.3	3.9	Farmers' supply stores: (Commodity coverage, 34.6 per cent)		
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating: (Commodity coverage, 37.3 per cent)			Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....		
Appliances and supplies, gas—			Fertilizers.....	112.8	.9
Stoves and ranges, gas.....	.5	.1	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	14.7	1.2
Water heaters.....	1.5	.3	Service.....	21.3	1.8
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	86.8	86.8	Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock: (Commodity coverage, 49.4 per cent)		
Kitchen utensils.....	1.6	.1	Fertilizers.....	11.9	9.9
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	.7	.1	Grain and feed.....	19.3	16.1
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.0	.2	Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	24.1	24.1
Service.....	14.8	0.2	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	47.5	47.5
Stoves, ranges, heaters (other than electric or gas).....	22.2	3.2	Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	2.9	2.4
Paint and glass stores: (Commodity coverage, 72.2 per cent)			Coal and feed stores: (Commodity coverage, 22.0 per cent)		
Glass.....	14.4	12.5	Building materials.....		
Iron and other building metal.....	20.0	.9	Cement.....	1.6	1.0
Other building materials.....	40.0	1.4	Lime, plaster, etc.....	1.1	.7
Painters' supplies.....	20.4	19.8	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	5.8	.9
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	64.6	64.2	Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	.6	.1
Wall paper.....	68.0	1.2	Roofing materials.....	1.5	1.1
			Farm wagons.....	.6	.1
			Fertilizers.....	9.9	9.1
			Fuel—		
			Coal.....	18.0	18.0
			Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	6.9	.6

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Coal and feed stores—Continued.			Luggage and leather goods stores:		
Grain and feed.....	56.6	56.5	(Commodity coverage, 71.9 per cent)		
Hardware.....	8.1	8.4	Apparel, women's, misses', children's.....	0.7	0.6
Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	6.6	4.2	Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	.7	.6
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.3	Jewelry—costume.....	11.3	11.3
Other farm and garden equipment and supplies.....	1.6	.7	Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags.....	49.0	49.0
Paints, varnishes, and lacquers.....	.6	.1	Luggage.....	32.5	32.5
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	4.8	2.8	Notions and small wares.....	2.5	2.5
Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	1.5	.9	Service.....	3.8	3.5
Cigar stores with fountains:			News dealers:		
(Commodity coverage, 30.3 per cent)			(Commodity coverage, 8.0 per cent)		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	73.1	73.1	Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	45.7	6.6
Confectionery and nuts.....	6.9	6.9	Magazines and newspapers.....	91.9	91.9
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	10.0	10.0	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.5
Receipts from sale of meals.....	12.1	10.0	Office and school supplies:		
Cigar stores without fountains:			(Commodity coverage, 92.9 per cent)		
(Commodity coverage, 36.8 per cent)			Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.8
Bottled beverages.....	22.2	.1	Office and store equipment.....	20.0	13.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	84.0	84.0	Office and store furniture.....	21.6	5.0
Confectionery and nuts.....	12.2	3.6	Other stationery.....	41.7	20.6
Magazines and newspapers.....	43.3	2.9	Paper and paper goods.....	58.5	58.5
Smokers' supplies.....	9.1	9.1	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail):		
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	1.3	.3	(Commodity coverage, 90.6 per cent)		
Coal and wood yards:			Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	33.1	22.2
(Commodity coverage, 79.9 per cent)			Office and store furniture.....	4.0	1.6
Cement.....	11.7	.3	Other office and store mechanical appliances.....	65.0	64.4
Coal.....	96.5	94.7	Secondhand goods.....	18.1	.2
Fuel oil.....	7.6	2.1	Service.....	10.0	6.9
Gasoline.....	13.4	.3	Stationery.....	24.5	10.1
Ice.....	6.8	.1	Typewriters and accessories.....	21.0	8.6
Lime, plaster, etc.....	6.6	.1	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers:		
Oils and greases.....	4.9	.1	(Commodity coverage, 84.3 per cent)		
Wood, coke, and other fuels.....	5.6	2.2	Adding and calculating machines and accessories.....	20.7	1.8
Ice dealers:			Art goods, gifts.....	12.0	6.3
(Commodity coverage, 82.8 per cent)			Books.....	1.5	.9
Coal.....	26.6	26.6	Leather goods.....	2.0	1.0
Ice.....	73.4	73.4	Office and store furniture.....	41.5	41.0
Drug stores with fountains:			Other office and store equipment.....	(x)	17.2
(Commodity coverage, 12.1 per cent)			Other stationery.....	15.3	3.4
Bottled beverages.....	1.4	.1	Paper and paper goods.....	31.1	21.6
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....	16.0	13.0	Sporting goods.....	1.5	.8
Confectionery and nuts.....	5.0	1.9	Toys and games.....	8.0	4.2
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.....	37.4	37.4	Typewriters and accessories.....	20.7	1.8
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	22.8	22.8	Typewriter dealers:		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	2.5	(Commodity coverage, 11.5 per cent)		
Prescriptions.....	17.6	17.6	Service.....	5.3	5.3
Rubber goods.....	3.4	.4	Typewriters and accessories.....	94.7	94.7
Stationery, books, periodicals, etc.....	2.6	.4	Sporting goods specialty stores:		
Toilet articles and preparations.....	3.9	3.9	(Commodity coverage, 60.1 per cent)		
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	2.6	.4	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	16.0	1.5
Toilet articles.....	1.3	.3	Leather goods.....	2.5	.3
Florists:			Shoes and other footwear.....	9.0	.9
(Commodity coverage, 37.3 per cent)			Sporting goods, gymnasium and playground equipment.....	97.3	97.3
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	96.1	96.1	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail:		
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	34.8	3.9	(Commodity coverage, 82.6 per cent)		
Camera dealers—photographic supplies:			Professional and scientific instruments and equipment.....	45.2	45.2
(Commodity coverage, 88.7 per cent)			Surgical, dental, and hospital supplies.....	68.6	54.8
Cameras.....	15.1	15.1	Stationers and engravers:		
Photo-finishing sales.....	11.4	7.8	(Commodity coverage, 62.0 per cent)		
Photographic supplies.....	76.0	76.0	Art goods, gifts.....	29.5	11.0
Stationery.....	1.7	1.1	Books.....	3.5	.8
Jewelry stores (installment credit):			Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	6.0	1.4
(Commodity coverage, 98.9 per cent)			Office and store furniture.....	20.8	6.7
Clocks.....	3.4	3.2	Other stationery.....	47.2	47.2
Diamond jewelry.....	35.1	35.1	Paper and paper goods.....	37.4	28.6
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	4.1	4.1	Religious goods.....	11.5	2.7
Optical goods.....	3.6	4.3	Toys and games.....	6.9	1.6
Other jewelry.....	5.1	1.1	SECONDHAND STORES		
Plated silverware.....	6.6	5.7	Hardware stores (secondhand): (\$507,602 ¹)		
Rings, other than diamond.....	14.1	14.1	(Commodity coverage, 95.5 per cent)		
Service.....	2.7	2.1	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Sterling silverware.....	2.0	6.6	Construction materials.....	2.1	1.7
Watches.....	33.7	33.7	Commercial and industrial appliances.....	6.5	5.4
Jewelry stores:			Other appliances.....	1.0	.8
(Commodity coverage, 89.0 per cent)			Appliances and supplies, gas.....	1.0	.8
Clocks.....	3.8	3.6	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	7.9	2.8
Diamond jewelry.....	46.6	46.6	Hardware—		
Gold and gold-filled jewelry.....	5.6	5.6	Builders' and shelf.....	17.4	17.4
Optical goods.....	3.7	.2	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	21.3	21.3
Other jewelry.....	5.2	1.5	Other hardware.....	8.1	8.1
Plated silverware.....	2.5	2.0	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	15.0	12.3
Rings, other than diamond.....	6.4	6.4	Machinery, retail.....	2.1	1.7
Service.....	8.2	6.3	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	14.2	9.0
Sterling silverware.....	13.0	11.8	Roofing materials.....	9.1	9.8
Watches.....	16.0	16.0	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	16.1	2.8
			Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	2.2	1.8

¹ Net sales are shown for classifications which do not appear separately in Table 16. For all other kinds of business, apply the per cent in second column to sales shown in Table 1.

RETAIL DISTRIBUTION IN MARYLAND: 1929

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TABLE 16.—BALTIMORE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
 NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold; see Table 23)	Number of stores	Propri- etors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total, full time and part time	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	12, 285	11, 105	38, 907	4, 061	\$47, 973, 477	\$984, 568	\$48, 222, 590	\$406, 851, 968	100. 00
Food group.....	8, 323	5, 759	6, 016	1, 490	7, 730, 182	337, 275	3, 843, 480	114, 117, 180	28. 08
Candy and confectionery stores:									
Candy stores—nut stores.....	34	16	73	28	68, 817	6, 497	17, 750	575, 751	. 14
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1, 526	1, 541	708	98	651, 284	21, 910	522, 240	10, 752, 505	2. 55
Dairy products stores:									
Dairy products stores (including ice cream) ¹	114	94	116	32	136, 823	8, 583	54, 360	2, 614, 507	. 64
Egg and poultry dealers.....	124	113	98	28	118, 228	6, 628	94, 340	2, 613, 777	. 64
Milk dealers ¹	17	5	959	1	1, 648, 256	260	29, 450	13, 884, 359	3. 42
Deli-catessen stores.....	179	156	203	72	216, 955	16, 587	108, 300	2, 412, 199	. 59
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	621	633	210	50	196, 558	12, 768	60, 250	4, 827, 287	1. 19
Grocery stores (without meats).....	913	686	604	300	897, 753	59, 043	851, 560	14, 844, 292	3. 65
Combination stores (groceries and meats):									
Grocery stores with meats.....	1, 721	1, 515	1, 421	534	1, 748, 746	115, 536	1, 601, 040	37, 261, 536	9. 17
Meat markets with groceries.....	155	165	226	46	268, 985	9, 554	201, 710	5, 027, 456	1. 24
Meat markets (including sea foods):									
Fish markets—sea foods.....	109	107	157	36	173, 414	8, 591	19, 116	1, 606, 003	. 40
Meat markets.....	553	514	489	163	623, 123	43, 753	189, 720	11, 859, 025	2. 92
Bakeries—caterers:									
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	191	162	544	50	798, 228	13, 107	54, 850	3, 468, 008	. 85
Caterers.....	4	2	34	49	43, 589	12, 570	4, 460	204, 376	. 05
Other food stores:									
Coffee, tea, spices.....	19	5	85	1	117, 671	416	30, 930	1, 911, 444	. 47
Farm products stores.....	29	31	2	—	1, 120	—	740	84, 205	. 02
General food stores.....	9	10	8	—	7, 720	—	1, 140	66, 603	. 02
Bottled waters and beverages.....	5	4	19	2	26, 912	872	8, 530	103, 827	. 02
General stores.....	13	13	5	1	3, 020	250	13, 600	137, 683	. 03
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	4	4	2	1	1, 500	250	1, 500	36, 370	. 01
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	9	9	3	—	1, 520	—	11, 100	101, 313	. 02
General merchandise group ².....	474	438	11, 019	839	11, 338, 881	162, 269	14, 324, 050	84, 046, 426	20. 68
Department stores (includes 1 mail-order house).....	29	11	9, 809	568	10, 335, 421	97, 483	12, 088, 620	71, 887, 756	17. 69
Dry goods stores.....	306	315	146	89	150, 410	15, 108	1, 002, 270	3, 455, 051	. 85
General merchandise stores:									
With food departments.....	14	16	29	7	32, 495	2, 471	70, 580	571, 822	. 14
Without food departments.....	40	37	71	10	77, 214	1, 900	283, 810	1, 030, 936	. 25
Army and Navy goods stores.....	5	6	8	—	9, 388	—	61, 060	199, 417	. 05
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	70	52	956	225	733, 953	45, 307	816, 710	6, 892, 445	1. 70
Automotive group ³.....	903	580	3, 990	149	5, 949, 971	29, 003	4, 132, 150	52, 668, 452	12. 98
Motor vehicle dealers:									
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	85	51	1, 936	12	3, 194, 967	5, 650	2, 770, 140	32, 195, 656	7. 92
Used car establishments.....	23	22	65	2	93, 558	430	99, 800	1, 503, 379	. 37
Accessories, tires, and batteries:									
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	73	67	241	3	349, 345	788	444, 920	2, 708, 052	. 67
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	52	54	65	3	80, 198	755	37, 320	403, 159	. 10
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	58	46	179	7	290, 053	3, 104	280, 720	2, 080, 920	. 51
Filling stations:									
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	169	43	448	45	493, 122	4, 012	94, 570	5, 813, 046	1. 43
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	41	47	87	5	105, 649	1, 949	40, 290	1, 076, 079	. 27
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	74	15	186	52	306, 312	5, 280	47, 880	2, 685, 295	. 66
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies:									
Motor cycle dealers.....	3	3	8	—	10, 679	—	17, 370	110, 213	. 03
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	5	5	4	1	5, 094	50	18, 510	61, 893	. 01
Bicycle shops.....	4	4	—	—	—	—	6, 300	18, 500	—
Garages and repair shops:									
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	20	19	58	—	112, 662	—	13, 600	281, 045	. 07
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	182	203	602	19	767, 127	6, 987	192, 590	3, 084, 470	. 76
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	6	6	9	—	10, 384	—	3, 490	69, 616	. 02
Radiator shops (including repairs).....	4	4	42	—	47, 513	—	4, 990	114, 263	. 03
Aircraft and accessories.....	3	1	35	—	38, 095	—	19, 550	92, 304	. 02
Apparel group.....	1, 104	922	3, 359	581	4, 322, 080	122, 599	7, 448, 700	35, 546, 356	8. 75
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:									
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	45	31	198	17	283, 509	5, 035	677, 080	2, 271, 427	. 56
Men's and boys' hat stores.....	35	21	38	23	74, 980	3, 804	132, 720	625, 478	. 16
Men's furnishings stores.....	164	146	190	68	249, 957	16, 611	903, 220	3, 014, 627	. 74
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	52	48	245	12	504, 925	2, 669	999, 320	3, 538, 005	. 87
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's.....	106	96	353	85	449, 300	14, 615	848, 630	3, 925, 745	. 97
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	120	88	1, 065	81	1, 101, 363	17, 440	1, 037, 380	8, 269, 319	2. 04
Women's accessories stores:									
Corset and lingerie shops.....	15	18	24	—	30, 798	—	40, 110	220, 949	. 05
Furriers—fur shops.....	20	20	75	1	126, 776	175	297, 420	923, 783	. 23
Hosiery shops.....	14	7	89	23	70, 710	3, 275	58, 320	539, 293	. 13
Knit goods shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Millinery stores.....	114	90	210	53	250, 496	10, 036	99, 540	1, 697, 442	. 42
Other apparel stores:									
Children's specialty shops.....	8	8	8	13	13, 182	795	30, 470	219, 858	. 06
Custom tailors.....	184	195	300	28	432, 052	8, 240	499, 680	2, 762, 049	. 68
Dressmakers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Infants' wear shops.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Shoe stores:									
Shoe stores—men's.....	20	6	34	17	60, 985	3, 161	169, 350	816, 534	. 20
Shoe stores—women's.....	22	9	142	59	180, 352	12, 790	325, 200	1, 857, 200	. 46
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, children's.....	180	139	384	99	483, 304	23, 038	1, 300, 580	4, 795, 747	1. 18

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CENSUS OF DISTRIBUTION

TABLE 16.—BALTIMORE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, PAY ROLL, STOCKS, AND SALES—Continued

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KIND OF BUSINESS (Not synonymous with commodities sold; see Table 23)	Number of stores	Propri- etors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total, full time and part time	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Furniture and household group.....	371	312	3,022	118	\$4,406,855	\$45,955	\$4,616,340	\$26,968,485	6.64
Furniture stores.....	111	94	1,363	25	1,889,192	5,954	2,182,340	13,184,025	3.24
Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:									
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	6	8	15		15,301		11,200	89,499	.02
Floor covering stores.....	7	7	40	3	50,061	464	178,640	409,597	.12
House appliance stores:									
Household appliance stores (electrical).....	29	15	210		268,484		165,760	920,013	.23
Household appliance stores.....	6	2	323		528,545		365,110	3,594,010	.88
Refrigerator dealers—electric only.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other home furnishings and appliances stores:									
Aluminumware.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	11	11	33	3	50,496	1,680	29,800	169,038	.04
Brushes and brooms.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware.....	33	31	89		42,869		118,810	354,678	.09
Picture and framing stores.....	4	4	13	1	14,901	319	70,450	111,977	.03
Stove and range dealers.....	4	3	58		74,330		24,990	235,768	.06
Antique shops.....	32	28	61	32	103,052	14,835	284,800	581,291	.14
Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	5	6	12	1	24,816	500	2,690	75,727	.02
Interior decorators.....	9	5	239	23	484,080	13,134	373,620	1,727,353	.43
Lamp and shade shops.....	8	6	8	4	16,284	824	23,600	71,433	.02
Radio and music stores:									
Radio and electrical shops.....	66	59	271	18	397,014	4,267	330,840	2,648,687	.65
Radio and musical instruments stores.....	36	33	209	8	318,088	3,978	423,600	1,844,114	.45
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	784	782	3,088	132	2,365,732	34,047	197,550	12,887,928	3.17
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:									
Cafeterias.....	10	4	299		247,455		11,830	1,197,307	.30
Lunch rooms.....	391	408	926	62	688,792	15,089	52,670	4,113,089	1.01
Restaurants with table service.....	216	235	1,631	48	1,245,652	12,893	67,780	6,221,451	1.53
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.:									
Refreshment stands.....	33	24	26	1	15,784	156	4,900	206,154	.05
Fountain—lunches.....	17	11	81	2	75,969	351	49,890	420,980	.10
Lunch counters.....	47	50	109	15	80,729	4,366	6,730	678,364	.14
Soft-drink stands.....	59	47	14	6	11,351	1,192	3,800	149,975	.04
Lumber and building group¹.....	213	199	1,873	80	2,581,425	17,609	2,836,480	15,882,234	3.79
Lumber and building material dealers:									
Lumber and building material dealers.....	44	38	893	11	1,173,459	6,211	1,729,220	7,650,829	1.89
Lumber and hardware.....	9	12	109	4	150,712	910	242,170	1,448,986	.36
Roofing.....	12	11	70	1	91,033	520	27,060	344,472	.08
Electrical shops (without radio).....	24	19	178	1	280,279	554	148,640	897,164	.22
Heating and plumbing shops:									
Heating appliances and oil burners.....	15	7	133	14	220,907	724	98,300	792,455	.20
Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	54	59	345	27	451,887	7,740	170,910	2,085,611	.52
Paint and glass stores.....	53	51	128	2	193,386	944	413,420	2,084,213	.51
Other retail stores.....	1,939	1,798	6,309	656	8,882,186	205,977	10,114,370	61,895,882	15.23
Hardware stores.....	285	307	237	33	289,920	7,031	1,179,470	3,670,916	.90
Hardware and farm implement stores:									
Farm implements, machinery and equipment dealers.....	5	1	99		143,537		253,220	948,404	.23
Farm implement dealers with hay, grain, and feed.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies:									
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	23	24	58	8	70,398	952	140,410	967,140	.24
Harness shops.....	11	14	14		20,099		48,330	225,059	.06
Farmers' supply stores.....	4	5	69		89,016		127,700	792,608	.20
Seeds, bulbs, and nursery stock.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cooperage—barrels, boxes, crates, casks.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Coal and feed stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Feed stores with groceries.....	3	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Book stores.....	24	17	91	3	182,428	1,180	148,830	607,412	.15
Cigar stores and cigar stands:									
Cigar stores with fountains.....	13	16	11	1	9,686	260	28,620	323,007	.08
Cigar stands.....	16	18	8	3	7,070	1,045	2,690	31,107	.02
Cigar stores without fountains.....	130	129	93	9	109,199	2,644	219,720	2,127,396	.52
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:									
Coal and wood yards.....	153	134	899	71	1,210,786	28,851	566,020	12,116,571	2.98
Ice dealers.....	27	25	386	5	526,179	1,327	61,280	1,858,999	.46
Drug stores:									
Drug stores.....	132	128	266	97	356,938	27,676	422,840	2,561,388	.63
Drug stores with fountains.....	305	262	1,061	293	1,307,500	93,311	1,319,390	10,580,344	2.60
Florists.....	138	144	234	23	315,127	5,266	77,410	1,726,940	.42
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:									
Toy shops.....	10	10	6		4,225		27,450	131,210	.03
Art and gift shops.....	15	17	30	5	36,447	870	106,520	372,072	.09
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	16	14	17	1	14,949	294	50,940	160,582	.04
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	4	1	36		63,784		63,910	337,896	.08
Jewelry stores:									
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	9	7	214	3	416,747	1,600	444,270	2,026,897	.50
Jewelry stores.....	141	129	462	13	757,176	2,769	2,137,270	4,108,478	1.01
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	9	8	68	1	72,723	240	128,410	551,093	.14
Music stores (without radio).....	13	17	31	2	34,243	600	62,080	227,756	.06
News dealers.....	26	19	84	3	79,353	269	32,880	521,448	.13
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:									
Office and school supplies.....	12	6	280		406,855		353,270	1,763,870	.43
Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	13	4	220	1	434,772	466	174,240	1,483,809	.36
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	10	5	118	2	186,842	704	250,670	949,189	.23
Store fixture dealers.....	5	4	15		22,876		17,500	149,057	.04
Typewriter dealers.....	6	4	74		131,528		44,870	423,197	.10
Opticians and optometrists.....	31	26	118	3	228,373	588	122,010	730,515	.18

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			Full time	Part time	Total, full time and part time	Part time only		Amount	Per cent of total sales
Other retail stores—Continued.									
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:									
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	15	11	55	1	\$38,355	\$156	\$242,100	\$707,927	0.17
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	5	4	12	2	14,248	600	48,630	204,300	.05
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.	10	9	60		79,411		123,810	732,301	.18
Stationers and printers:									
Printers and lithographers.....	3	2	6		11,738		230	62,920	.02
Stationers and engravers.....	19	22	163		205,834	1,440	219,440	912,852	.22
Monuments and tombstones.....	25	34	46	6	81,716	2,966	182,110	532,446	.13
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	261	218	642	57	855,373	18,024	641,800	5,764,291	1.42
Secondhand stores.....	281	292	228	57	253,363	9,584	696,870	2,700,461	.67
Tires, accessories, and parts (secondhand).....	26	24	33	8	34,979	3,051	20,690	229,151	.00
Furniture stores (secondhand).....	89	94	36	4	31,466	1,362	49,470	481,040	.12
Pawnshops (sales).....	29	33	50	10	75,400	2,947	335,160	736,545	.18
Clothing and shoe stores (secondhand).....	106	107	23	8	22,124	1,724	77,630	470,090	.12
Building material and hardware stores (secondhand).....	10	11	53		53,019		146,110	507,602	.13
Office appliances (secondhand).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Radios, phonographs, musical instruments (secondhand).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other secondhand stores.....	18	18	30	5	32,345	1,400	54,840	256,421	.06

1 Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

2 This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

TABLE 17.—BALTIMORE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
All groups 1.....	12,285	\$47,873,477	\$12,382,049	\$60,255,526	\$49,502,050	27.01	6,724	\$11,069,018	\$276,802,792	4.00
Food group.....	6,323	7,730,182	6,100,764	13,830,946	8,152,129	19.26	3,076	2,130,282	56,528,809	3.77
Candy and confectionery stores:										
Candy stores—nut stores.....	34	68,817	13,664	32,481	93,394	30.55	32	63,060	569,976	11.06
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1,526	651,284	1,369,949	2,021,233	1,253,087	30.45	675	522,478	5,732,550	9.12
Dairy products stores:										
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	114	186,823	103,964	240,787	143,729	14.71	66	26,110	1,425,868	1.83
Milk dealers.....	17	1,648,256	8,590	1,656,846	1,151,324	20.23	4	4,919	670,810	.72
Egg and poultry dealers.....	124	116,228	126,334	242,582	134,270	14.42	72	21,664	1,558,425	1.39
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	179	210,955	149,136	360,091	226,195	24.31	122	103,369	1,723,460	6.00
Grocery stores (without meats).....	621	190,558	530,151	728,709	322,019	21.72	323	103,577	2,940,510	3.52
Combination stores (groceries and meats):										
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,721	1,748,746	1,740,785	3,489,481	2,179,639	15.21	730	609,252	19,966,284	3.05
Meat markets (including sea foods):										
Meat markets.....	155	268,085	189,420	458,405	253,368	14.26	78	57,048	2,053,251	2.81
Fish markets—sea foods.....	109	173,414	112,350	285,764	129,957	25.89	69	28,480	949,702	3.00
Meat markets.....	553	623,123	609,090	1,232,213	590,116	15.37	249	118,160	4,317,843	2.74
Bakeries—caterers:										
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	191	798,228	233,766	1,031,994	481,190	43.63	84	61,981	775,357	7.99
Caterers.....	4	43,589	1,808	45,397	15,835	29.90				
Other food stores:										
Coffee, tea, spices.....	19	117,671	8,895	124,566	100,092	11.75	15	27,840	1,659,242	1.68
Farm products stores.....	29	1,120	17,390	18,430	4,227	26.97	6	1,188	26,200	4.53
General food stores.....	9	7,720	9,650	17,370	5,721	34.67	5	3,108	60,891	5.10
Bottled waters and beverages.....	5	26,912	5,484	32,396	13,030	43.75	3	900	63,485	1.42
General stores.....	13	3,020	7,063	10,083	8,329	13.37	9	4,000	78,483	5.10
General stores—groceries with apparel.....	4	1,500	2,500	4,000	2,900	18.97				
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	9	1,520	4,563	6,083	5,429	11.36	7	2,620	56,118	4.67
General merchandise group.....	474	11,338,891	404,672	11,743,563	14,267,387	30.95	205	2,014,792	70,694,014	2.85
Department stores (including 1 mail-order house).....	29	10,335,421	11,852	10,346,773	12,757,941	32.15	19	1,413,546	61,239,410	2.31
Dry goods stores.....	306	150,410	292,005	442,415	824,438	22.20	104	116,932	1,840,593	6.30
General merchandise stores:										
With food departments.....	14	32,495	16,560	49,055	35,925	14.86	5	4,704	171,148	2.75
Without food departments.....	40	77,214	39,257	116,471	122,015	23.13	21	24,848	616,810	4.03
Army and Navy goods stores.....	5	9,388	7,044	16,432	24,972	20.76	4	8,100	190,617	4.25
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	79	733,953	37,440	771	1,001,780	25.73	51	447,446	6,016,441	6.76

See footnotes at end of table.

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TABLE 17.—BALTIMORE—OPERATING EXPENSES, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS—Continued

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Total pay roll reported	Value of proprietors' services at same rate as that paid full-time employees	Total wage cost (including proprietors' services)	All other reported expenses (includes rent)	Total operating expense—per cent to total sales	RENTAL COST (Included in "All other expenses" column)			
							Number of stores in leased premises	Rent paid for leased premises	Net sales of stores in leased premises	Per cent of rent to sales in leased premises
Other retail stores.....	1,939	\$3,882,188	\$2,281,312	\$1,153,480	\$7,496,123	30.13	1,073	\$1,990,992	\$44,783,766	4.45
Hardware stores.....	285	280,920	366,558	656,478	361,554	27.73	103	84,791	1,321,489	6.42
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	5	143,537	1,450	144,987	123,462	28.31	5	14,277	948,404	1.51
Farmers' supplies:										
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	23	70,396	28,728	90,124	74,506	17.95	13	8,115	334,767	2.42
Harness shops.....	11	20,099	20,099	40,198	31,957	32.06	5	3,090	178,295	1.73
Farmers' supply stores.....	4	89,016	6,745	95,761	135,682	29.20	2	3,620	92,421	3.92
Feed stores with groceries.....	3	5,438	5,438	5,488	2,351	35.00				
Book stores.....	24	132,428	24,531	156,959	79,891	35.99	16	24,191	563,501	4.29
Cigar stores and cigar stands:										
Cigar stores with fountains.....	13	9,686	13,712	23,398	21,771	13.98	10	12,796	267,792	4.78
Cigar stands.....	16	7,070	13,554	20,624	8,076	35.39	11	3,868	44,672	8.06
Cigar stores without fountains.....	130	109,199	147,834	267,038	156,179	19.42	76	83,581	1,597,346	5.23
Coal and wood yard—ice dealers:										
Coal and wood yards.....	153	1,210,786	176,210	1,386,996	1,173,351	21.13	85	96,662	8,678,820	1.11
Ice dealers.....	27	526,179	34,000	560,179	174,465	39.54	11	9,510	1,752,782	.64
Drug stores:										
Drug stores.....	132	356,938	158,464	515,402	236,812	29.48	55	74,312	1,382,405	5.38
Drug stores with fountains.....	305	1,307,500	298,680	1,606,180	1,355,012	28.04	190	508,172	8,210,836	6.19
Florists.....	138	315,127	190,656	506,763	232,168	42.73	71	62,402	953,746	6.54
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:										
Toy shops.....	10	4,225	7,040	11,265	13,740	19.06				
Art and gift shops.....	15	36,447	20,162	50,609	46,937	27.83	14	24,048	365,600	6.68
Novelty and souvenir shops.....	16	14,949	12,068	27,017	22,870	31.07	10	12,263	138,932	8.83
Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	4	63,734	1,770	65,504	50,966	30.93	4	12,000	387,896	3.09
Jewelry stores:										
Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	9	416,747	13,580	430,327	376,032	39.78	9	105,154	2,026,897	5.19
Jewelry stores.....	141	757,176	210,657	967,833	643,486	39.21	89	178,658	3,328,619	5.37
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	9	72,728	6,396	79,124	97,477	32.05	8	33,820	546,003	6.19
Music stores (without radio).....	18	34,243	18,445	52,688	43,177	42.09	14	20,718	192,809	10.74
News dealers.....	26	79,353	17,379	97,232	98,882	37.61	21	61,796	602,866	12.29
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:										
Office and school supplies.....	12	406,885	8,718	415,603	229,447	36.57	12	53,959	1,763,870	3.06
Office and store mechanical-appliance dealers (retail).....	13	434,772	7,896	442,668	114,646	37.56	18	35,938	1,483,809	2.42
Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	10	186,842	7,885	194,727	97,322	30.77	9	36,619	808,685	4.53
Store fixture dealers.....	5	22,876	6,100	28,976	22,066	34.26	3	6,000	75,000	8.00
Typewriter dealers.....	5	131,523	3,554	135,077	57,607	45.53	5	14,080	423,197	3.32
Opticians and optometrists.....	31	228,373	50,180	278,553	112,194	63.49	20	51,256	371,786	18.79
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment:										
Sporting goods specialty stores.....	15	88,355	17,644	105,999	104,238	29.70	11	41,830	674,707	6.20
Sporting goods stores with toys and stationery.....	5	14,248	4,584	18,832	24,320	21.12	4	14,000	195,900	7.04
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	10	79,411	11,916	91,327	151,989	33.23	7	12,000	477,981	2.61
Stationers and printers:										
Printers and lithographers.....	3	11,738	3,912	15,650	850	25.79				
Stationers and engravers.....	10	205,834	27,538	233,372	129,997	39.81	14	51,133	762,478	6.68
Monuments and tomb stones.....	25	81,716	58,298	139,924	70,424	39.51	10	12,018	309,202	4.21
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	261	855,373	284,272	1,139,645	783,406	(x)	132	208,081	3,259,078	(x)
Secondhand stores.....	281	253,333	282,568	535,931	349,652	32.79	186	135,536	1,664,185	7.27

¹ Group totals may include figures for stores which are omitted from the detail to avoid disclosure of individual operations.
² Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

TABLE 18.—BALTIMORE—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	12,285	11,105	38,907	4,061	\$47,873,477	\$964,568	\$49,502,050	\$48,222,590	\$406,351,968	100.00
Single-store independents.....	10,222	10,580	25,983	2,890	31,073,445	596,169	31,181,576	32,920,490	263,407,498	64.82
2-store independents.....	570	390	2,340	202	2,634,035	48,485	2,827,113	3,056,700	22,782,970	5.61
3-store independents.....	249	115	1,016	118	1,365,748	29,359	1,027,709	1,294,720	9,152,439	2.25
Local chains.....	369	40	2,085	388	3,145,671	78,000	2,879,050	1,267,940	29,212,096	7.19
Sectional chains.....	325		2,248	305	2,661,521	64,994	2,865,809	1,597,220	21,026,570	5.17
National chains.....	420		2,542	578	3,180,567	99,078	3,628,232	2,620,450	31,519,149	7.76
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house to house).....	10	1	261		323,065		88,021	26,690	832,225	.21
Leased departments—Independent operators.....	8	5	41	10	30,926	1,542	64,775	26,620	324,284	.08
Leased-department chains.....	44		261	19	338,725	2,705	332,825	181,000	1,477,868	.36
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	30		458	5	865,257	882	402,770	540,010	4,234,998	1.04
All other types.....	8		1,663	56	1,954,517	43,356	4,204,170	4,714,750	22,381,871	5.51

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TABLE 19.—BALTIMORE—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single store independents	2 and 3 store independents	Local chains	Sectional chains	National chains	Other types
Department stores:							
Number of stores.....	29	24	3			1	1
Annual net sales.....	\$71,887,765	\$51,919,417	(x)			(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	72.23	(x)			(x)	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:							
Number of stores.....	79	47	6		9	17	
Annual net sales.....	\$6,892,446	\$402,217	\$235,300		\$950,576	\$5,238,352	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	6.71	3.41		13.88	70.00	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:							
Number of stores.....	296	230	48	5	6	7	
Annual net sales.....	\$9,449,537	\$7,395,754	\$1,151,001	\$290,983	\$500,829	\$295,880	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.26	12.18	3.18	3.25	3.13	
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:							
Number of stores.....	108	79	17	7	2		1
Annual net sales.....	\$3,925,745	\$2,708,468	\$419,585	\$138,693	(x)		(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.99	10.69	3.53	(x)		(x)
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:							
Number of stores.....	120	94	10		1	11	4
Annual net sales.....	\$8,269,319	\$4,377,432	\$1,401,933		(x)	(x)	\$166,788
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	52.94	16.95		(x)	(x)	2.02
Shoe stores:							
Number of stores.....	222	134	30	8	5	36	9
Annual net sales.....	\$7,469,481	\$2,910,520	\$1,201,474	\$588,848	\$657,966	\$1,513,417	\$537,256
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.97	16.89	7.88	8.81	20.26	7.19
Furniture stores:							
Number of stores.....	111	95	10		6		
Annual net sales.....	\$13,184,025	\$8,173,149	\$1,463,329		\$3,549,147		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.98	11.10		26.92		
Radio and music stores:							
Number of stores.....	102	90	2	1	3		
Annual net sales.....	\$4,492,801	\$3,748,922	(x)	(x)	\$580,349		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	83.44	(x)	(x)	12.92		
Grocery stores (without meats):							
Number of stores.....	913	662	8	2	68	173	
Annual net sales.....	\$14,844,292	\$4,667,499	(x)	(x)	\$1,796,356	\$7,651,379	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	31.44	(x)	(x)	12.10	51.55	
Combination stores (groceries and meats):							
Number of stores.....	1,876	1,593	37	132	10	95	
Annual net sales.....	\$42,288,992	\$29,118,621	\$1,226,464	\$4,146,000	\$1,099,367	\$6,698,540	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	68.86	2.90	9.80	2.60	15.84	
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:							
Number of stores.....	617	569	32	11	2	3	
Annual net sales.....	\$11,631,847	\$8,642,903	\$1,760,223	\$476,778	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	74.95	15.26	4.13	(x)	(x)	
Cigar stores and cigar stands:							
Number of stores.....	159	141	16			2	
Annual net sales.....	\$2,531,510	\$1,923,973	(x)			(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.00	(x)			(x)	
Filling stations:							
Number of stations.....	284	93	3	31	140	17	
Annual net sales.....	\$9,574,420	\$1,898,074	\$129,200	\$549,727	\$6,758,858	\$238,500	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	19.83	1.35	5.74	70.59	2.49	
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:							
Number of yards.....	180	166	12		2		
Annual net sales.....	\$13,974,670	\$10,836,240	(x)		(x)		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.54	(x)		(x)		
Drug stores:							
Number of stores.....	437	338	65	29	3	2	
Annual net sales.....	\$13,111,932	\$7,095,756	\$2,255,023	\$3,356,958	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	54.12	17.20	25.60	(x)	(x)	
Hardware stores:							
Number of stores.....	285	276	9				
Annual net sales.....	\$3,670,916	\$3,523,657	\$147,259				
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	95.99	4.01				
Jewelry stores:							
Number of stores.....	150	131	10	6	1	1	1
Annual net sales.....	\$6,136,375	\$3,502,468	\$1,199,094	\$1,167,328	(x)	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	57.08	19.49	19.02	(x)	(x)	(x)

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TABLE 21.—BALTIMORE—CREDIT BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES AND PER CENT OF SALES FOR CASH, ON OPEN ACCOUNT, AND ON INSTALLMENT, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES			KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores reporting credit sales ¹	PER CENT OF REPORTING STORES' SALES		
		For cash	On open account	On installment ²			For cash	On open account	On installment ³
Total	3,085	38.15	42.65	19.20					
Food group	1,729	34.93	65.07		Furniture and household group	219	12.73	28.51	58.76
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	109	59.09	40.31		Furniture stores.....	84	9.93	19.23	70.84
Dairy products stores:					Floor coverings, draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores:				
Dairy products stores (including ice cream).....	11	69.25	30.75		Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3	21.17	78.82	
Milk dealers.....	11	20	99.80		Floor-covering stores.....	3	0.03	98.97	
Egg and poultry dealers.....	23	42.47	57.53		Household-appliance stores:				
Delicatessen stores.....	13	62.80	37.20		Household-appliance stores (electric).....	10	13.75	17.52	68.73
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	21	59.51	40.49		Household-appliance stores.....	6	15.84	3.52	80.64
Grocery stores (without meats).....	218	50.31	49.69		Other home furnishings and appliance stores:				
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					Antique and used furniture dealers.....	4	19.45	80.55	
Grocery stores with meats.....	1,040	43.06	56.94		China, glassware, crockery, enamelware.....	4	12.19	87.81	
Meat markets with groceries.....	107	45.47	54.53		Antique shops.....	14	7.10	62.90	
Meat markets (including sea foods):					Awnings, flags, banners, window shades, and tents.....	3	87.17	12.83	
Fish markets—sea foods.....	9	30.78	63.22		Interior decorators.....	7	2.40	97.60	
Meat markets.....	134	55.72	44.28		Radio and music stores:				
Bakeries—caterers:					Radio and electrical shops.....	49	22.81	34.00	43.19
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	11	88.56	16.44		Radio and musical instruments stores.....	24	14.56	0.52	76.92
Caterers.....	3	3.34	96.66		Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	21	83.12	16.88	
Other food stores:					Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:				
Coffee, tea, spices.....	15	21.73	78.27		Lunch rooms.....	7	83.15	10.85	
Bottled waters and beverages.....	3	20.75	79.25		Restaurants with table service.....	11	83.33	16.67	
General stores	7	50.20	49.80		Lumber and building group	118	11.85	81.82	6.33
General stores—groceries with dry goods.....	6	50.50	49.50		Lumber and building material dealers:				
General merchandise group	78	54.05	24.89	21.06	Lumber and building material dealers.....	33	6.36	62.75	.89
Department stores.....	20	43.26	32.94	23.80	Lumber and hardware.....	7	28.48	71.52	
Dry goods stores.....	30	58.33	41.67		Roofing.....	8	6.09	60.03	27.88
General merchandise stores:					Electrical shops (without radio).....	12	13.06	86.94	
With food departments.....	8	45.30	42.37	12.33	Heating and plumbing shops:				
Without food departments.....	12	27.76	40.97	31.27	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	10	26.85	23.48	49.67
Automotive group	207	47.63	9.87	42.50	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	28	9.87	60.81	23.32
Motor vehicle dealers:					Paint and glass stores.....	19	16.83	84.17	
Automobile sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	52	47.40	3.79	48.81	Other retail stores	478	30.02	62.23	7.76
Used-car establishments.....	17	38.98	9.25	51.77	Hardware stores.....	53	58.61	41.39	
Accessories, tires and batteries:					Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	5	17.42	76.45	6.13
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	23	64.72	33.42	1.80	Farmers' supplies:				
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	11	64.40	35.60		Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer).....	13	28.02	71.98	
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	26	36.11	63.55	.34	Harness shops.....	5	29.65	70.35	
Filling stations:					Farmers' supply stores.....	4	9.52	36.73	53.75
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	3	80.09	19.91		Book stores.....	7	26.91	57.30	15.79
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	3	50.26	49.74		Cigar stores without fountains.....	13	39.14	60.86	
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	5	81.03	18.97		Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:				
Garages and repair shops:					Coal and wood yards.....	67	23.69	76.58	.74
Body, fender, and paint shops.....	8	43.28	56.72		Ice dealers.....	8	34.39	65.61	
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	52	58.24	41.76		Drug stores:				
Parking stations, parking garages, and lots.....	3	41.70	58.30		Drug stores.....	12	50.40	49.60	
Apparel group	213	38.89	49.38	10.73	Drug stores with fountains.....	38	90.36	9.64	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					Florists.....	44	26.24	73.76	
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	5	41.29	58.71		Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras:				
Men's furnishings stores.....	12	64.58	35.42		Art and gift shops.....	8	26.74	73.26	
Men's clothing and furnishings stores.....	12	43.33	48.48	8.19	Camera dealers—photographic supplies.....	3	27.61	72.08	.31
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	29	21.95	13.47	64.58	Jewelry stores:				
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	45	40.49	59.51		Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	9	13.06	.14	86.80
Women's accessories stores:					Jewelry stores.....	47	34.37	65.63	
Corset and lingerie shops.....	3	58.28	41.72		Music stores (without radio).....	5	53.20	46.80	
Furriers—fur shops.....	12	39.75	60.25		Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers:				
Millinery stores.....	12	29.38	70.62		Office and school supplies.....	10	21.09	78.91	
Custom tailors.....	58	15.08	84.92		Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	8	6.36	84.54	9.10
Shoe stores:					Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	4	8.95	81.22	9.83
Shoe stores—women's.....	4	76.97	23.03		Store fixture dealers.....	4	31.61	29.28	39.01
Family shoe stores—men's, women's and children's.....	14	71.67	28.33		Opticians and optometrists.....	6	63.00	37.00	
					Sporting goods specialty stores.....	7	58.36	41.64	
					Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	6	15.80	84.20	
					Stationers and engravers.....	9	15.83	84.17	
					Monuments and tombstones.....	8	18.97	80.62	.41
					Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	54	39.89	60.11	
					Secondhand stores	27	54.86	44.99	.15

¹ Total sales of these stores are \$236,308,701.² Includes the initial cash payment which is usually a consideration in installment selling. Installment sales were not reported by stores with total sales of less than \$60,000 annually. The open account sales include any installment business that may have been done by these smaller stores. Installment dealers frequently did not report as installment sales those transactions in which the customers' notes are handled through finance companies.³ Classifications showing insignificant amounts have been eliminated from this table but are included in the totals.

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TABLE 22.—BALTIMORE—RECEIPTS OTHER THAN FROM THE SALE OF MERCHANDISE

A.—RECEIPTS FROM THE SALE OF MEALS¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals	KIND OF BUSINESS	Normal seating capacity	Receipts from sale of meals
Total	24, 481	\$11, 713, 424	Other stores in which meals are served	2, 005	\$637, 750
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	22, 476	10, 875, 674	Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	702	281, 328
Cafeterias.....	1, 715	1, 160, 222	Delicatessen stores.....	222	144, 092
Lunch rooms.....	9, 017	3, 697, 321	Grocery stores (without meats).....	5	3, 120
Restaurants with table service.....	11, 127	6, 610, 934	Fish markets—sea foods.....	115	26, 253
Fountain—lunches.....	132	105, 994	Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	88	40, 518
Lunch counters.....	475	399, 903	Department stores (including 1 mail-order house).....	770	323, 689
Soft-drink stands.....	10	1, 300	Cigar stores with fountains.....	68	13, 403
			Art and gift shops.....	35	5, 347

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from the sale of meals. Not all stores selling meals replied in detail. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of food sales.

B.—RECEIPTS FROM AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS AND STORAGE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of repair employees	Receipts from repair service	Receipts from storage (incidental to merchandise sales)
Total	1, 263	\$4, 745, 012	\$318, 559	Automotive group—Continued.			
Automotive group.....	1, 261	4, 735, 862	318, 559	Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	2	\$16, 125	-----
Automotive sales rooms—new and trade-in.....	604	2, 055, 695	219, 700	Body, fender, and paint shops.....	45	234, 668	-----
Used-car establishments.....	3	12, 008	-----	Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	370	1, 738, 809	\$98, 783
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	34	182, 096	-----	Radiator shops (including repairs).....	28	83, 496	-----
Battery and ignition shops—brake repair shops.....	27	209, 487	-----	Lumber and building group.....		4, 800	-----
Tire shops (including tire repairs).....	30	138, 460	-----	Paint and glass stores.....		4, 800	-----
Filling stations—gasoline and oil.....	2	6, 800	-----	Secondhand stores.....	2	4, 550	-----
Filling stations with tires and accessories.....	19	30, 967	-----				
Filling stations with other merchandise.....	6	10, 700	-----				
Motor-cycle dealers.....	1	6, 361	-----				

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from automotive repairs and storage. Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of automotive repairs and storage.

C.—RECEIPTS FROM OTHER REPAIRS AND SERVICE¹

KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)	KIND OF BUSINESS	Receipts from other repairs and service (except automotive)
Total	\$3, 371, 145	Furniture and household group—Continued.	
Food group.....	4, 160	Interior decorators.....	\$613, 997
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain).....	1, 040	Lamp and shade shops.....	1, 500
Bakeries—bakery goods stores (except manufacturing bakeries).....	3, 120	Radio and electrical shops.....	114, 437
General merchandise group.....	548, 777	Radio and musical instruments stores.....	6, 624
Department stores (including one mail order house).....	548, 777	Lumber and building group.....	486, 325
Automotive group.....	21, 049	Lumber and building material dealers.....	52, 167
Accessory stores with tires and batteries.....	9, 515	Roofing.....	29, 876
Bicycles, motor cycles, and supplies stores.....	1, 000	Electrical shops (without radio).....	96, 480
Bicycle shops.....	5, 500	Heating appliances and oil burners.....	18, 836
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories).....	3, 485	Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating.....	280, 616
Aircraft and accessories.....	1, 540	Paint and glass stores.....	8, 400
Apparel group.....	211, 471	Other retail stores.....	1, 237, 951
Men's and boys' clothing stores.....	1, 700	Hardware stores.....	13, 905
Men's furnishings stores.....	1, 600	Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers.....	746
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	1, 699	Harness shops.....	2, 600
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	37, 819	Novelty and souvenir shops.....	17, 676
Furriers—fur shops.....	70, 840	Jewelry stores (installment credit).....	43, 012
Millinery stores.....	500	Jewelry stores.....	291, 716
Custom tailors.....	62, 829	Luggage and leather goods stores.....	14, 413
Shoe stores—men's.....	500	Music stores (without radio).....	9, 089
Shoe stores—women's.....	2, 252	News dealers.....	2, 000
Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	31, 832	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail).....	96, 993
Furniture and household group.....	845, 327	Office and store furniture and equipment dealers.....	10, 162
Furniture stores.....	6, 187	Store-fixture dealers.....	13, 000
Draperies, curtains, and upholstery stores.....	3, 800	Typewriter dealers.....	7, 827
Household appliance stores (electric).....	24, 360	Opticians and optometrists.....	44, 072
Antique and used furniture dealers.....	89, 637	Sporting goods specialty stores.....	10, 000
Picture and framing stores.....	7, 000	Scientific and medical instruments and supplies, at retail.....	10, 054
Stove and range dealers.....	27, 785	Monuments and tombstones.....	4, 379
		Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	645, 839
		Secondhand stores.....	18, 085

¹ This table is based upon replies to a question as to the total receipts from repairs and service (except automotive). Additional data on this subject are contained in the commodity table. Both tables should be considered in any study of repairs and service (except automotive).

TABLE 28.—BALTIMORE—SALES BY COMMODITIES

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
FOOD GROUP			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP		
Confectionery stores (candy and fountain): (Commodity coverage, 6.9 per cent)			Department stores: (Commodity coverage, 53.2 per cent)		
Bakery products, fresh	19.4	10.2	Antiques, art goods, gifts	1.1	0.4
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	1.2	.2	Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—		
Confectionery and nuts	22.0	22.0	Children's wear	2.4	1.0
Fountain sales and ice cream	46.1	46.1	Millinery	2.2	2.1
Receipts from sale of meals	39.2	21.5	Hosiery	4.1	4.0
Dairy products stores (including ice cream): (Commodity coverage, 43.8 per cent)			Coats, suits, and dresses	17.8	17.8
Butter and cheese	61.3	61.3	Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.	6.0	5.3
Canned goods and other groceries	9.5	4.2	Other apparel, except furs	4.1	3.8
Eggs	31.5	31.5	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Ice cream	14.7	2.1	Household appliances, motor driven	1.6	.8
Milk and cream	8.5	.9	Household heating appliances—portable	.5	.1
Egg and poultry dealers: (Commodity coverage, 39.7 per cent)			Lighting equipment	.7	.4
Butter and cheese	6	.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes)	7.0	.4
Eggs	.7	.1	Bicycles and accessories	1.2	.1
Poultry	99.8	99.8	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—		
Milk dealers: (Commodity coverage, 90.7 per cent)			Suits	7.4	7.1
Bakery products, fresh	4.1	4.1	Overcoats	2.4	1.5
Butter and cheese	4.8	4.8	Hats and caps	2.6	.3
Ice cream	1.1	.2	Furnishings	5.9	6.4
Milk and cream	90.9	90.9	Work clothing	.4	.2
Fruit stores and vegetable markets: (Commodity coverage, 13.7 per cent)			Confectionery and nuts	.3	.1
Fresh fish and other sea foods	41.0	9.2	Drug sundries	.4	.1
Fruits and vegetables	90.8	90.8	Dry goods and notions—		
Combination stores—groceries with meats: (Commodity coverage, 7.2 per cent)			Cotton piece goods	2.4	1.7
Bakery products, fresh	4.1	1.5	Linen goods	1.7	1.1
Bottled beverages	9.0	3.1	Wool and wool-mixed goods	.5	.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	10.9	2.5	Rayon piece goods	2.7	1.6
Confectionery and nuts	6.7	2.0	Silk and velvet piece goods	4.4	2.8
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods	6.2	1.8	Notions and small wares	2.9	2.3
Fresh fish and other sea foods	3.4	.7	Other dry goods	2.2	1.1
Fruits and vegetables	11.8	6.8	Fountain sales and ice cream	.6	.1
Groceries	60.0	60.0	Furniture		
Butter and cheese	3.5		Bedroom	4.1	1.8
Eggs	2.6		Living room, library, and hall	4.3	1.5
Lard, cooking fats, etc.	1.3		Dining room	2.9	1.0
Flour	2.3		Kitchen	1.1	.6
Sugar	4.2		Other household	1.1	.8
Canned goods and other groceries	46.1		Office and store	1.6	.1
Ice cream	8.8	1.0	Furs and fur goods	1.8	1.6
Meats, including poultry	20.1	20.1	Hardware	2.4	.6
Milk and cream	1.7	.3	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	4.0	.2
Other nonfood products	(x)	.2	Home furnishings—		
Combination stores—meat markets with groceries: (Commodity coverage, 41.3 per cent)			Draperies, upholstery, and curtains	3.5	2.8
Bakery products, fresh	4.3	1.6	Floor coverings	3.4	2.6
Bottled beverages	2.6	1.0	Bedding, mattresses, springs	2.2	.5
Confectionery and nuts	1.2	.2	China, glassware, and crockery	1.5	.9
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods	1.0	.1	Kitchen utensils	1.7	.6
Fresh fish and other sea foods	1.7	.6	Other home furnishings	3.8	2.9
Fruits and vegetables	15.8	10.5	Infants' wear	2.3	1.3
Groceries	33.2	33.2	Jewelry, silverware, and clocks—		
Butter and cheese	4.9		Gold and gold-filled jewelry	1.1	.2
Eggs	2.3		Plated silverware	.5	.2
Lard, cooking fats, etc.	2.3		Other jewelry	.7	.5
Flour	1.0		Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags	1.0	.7
Sugar	2.0		Luggage	.4	.3
Canned goods and other groceries	20.7		Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	.5
Meats, including poultry	51.6	51.6	Paints, varnishes, lacquers	.4	.1
Milk and cream	1.2	.1	Radio parts and accessories	1.5	.1
Nonfood products—			Radio sets	5.5	2.7
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	1.4	.1	Receipts from sale of meals	1.1	.5
Household supplies	14.2	.6	Service	1.4	1.1
Other nonfood products	(x)	.4	Shoes and other footwear—		
Meat markets: (Commodity coverage, 30.0 per cent)			Men's	.4	.2
Butter and cheese	2.6	.4	Boys' and youths'	.3	.2
Canned goods and other groceries	.6	.1	Women's	4.9	4.2
Eggs	5.2	.7	Misses' and children's	1.7	1.3
Lard, cooking fats, etc.	4.9	.9	Sporting goods, gymnasium and play ground equipment	1.6	.5
Meats, including poultry	97.9	97.9	Stationery and books—		
			Books	.5	.2
			Paper and paper goods	.7	.3
			Other stationery	.8	.4
			Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas)	3.6	.2
			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories	3.1	1.5
			Toilet articles	.8	.6
			Toiletries and cosmetics	1.9	1.3
			Toys and games	1.2	1.1
			Wire fencing, gates, and posts	1.2	.1

NOTE.—Both columns of percentages apply strictly to the kind of business designated. Sales of similar commodities in other kinds of stores are reported separately. Not all stores of any given classification sell every commodity listed thereunder. Thus the first percentage column represents the importance of the commodity in all of the stores of a given kind which report sales of that commodity, and in no other kind of store. The second percentage column shows the relative importance of each commodity, in relation to the total sales of all stores (included in the classification) which reported their sales by commodities. The commodity coverage shows the degree to which the total sales of the stores included in the commodity breakdown are representative of the sales of all stores (of the same kind) in the city. The percentages in this second column are applicable to the sales shown in Table 16. Commodities reported in the form of indented items, with percentages shown in short, are a further breakdown of the principal classification under which they are indented. That form of presentation indicates that a greater proportion of sales was reported under the principal classification (without further detail) than was reported in detail. Always the further detail represents a substantial sample but less than 50 per cent of the principal commodity classification. Several classifications in these commodity tables represent a small degree of coverage. They are included reluctantly and for the purpose not only of showing the data available but also the small degree of availability of commodity data in these kinds of business. Such percentages should be used with caution. (See General Definitions, p. 7 of this report.)

(x) Indicates that a percentage for this classification is of no specific use and it has not been computed.

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TABLE 23.—BALTIMORE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY <small>(Read note carefully for explanation of terms)</small>	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued			GENERAL MERCHANDISE GROUP—Continued		
Dry goods stores: <small>(Commodity coverage, 14.9 per cent)</small>			Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores—Continued.		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's:			Paper and paper goods.....	1.4	0.6
Millinery.....	5.0	2.1	Pets (goldfish, etc.).....	.6	.3
Hosiery.....	12.9	10.3	Phonograph records.....	2.1	2.1
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	32.9	13.9	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock.....	2.0	1.2
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	8.8	1.1	Sheet music, music books, etc.....	3.2	1.8
Dry goods and notions—			Shoes and other footwear.....	6.6	1.6
Cotton piece goods.....	31.4	18.1	Sporting goods.....	9.0	5.1
Linen goods.....	5.3	1.4	Toilet articles.....	1.0	.6
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	12.9	11.3	Toiletries and cosmetics.....	5.5	5.5
Rayon piece goods.....	7.8	3.6	Toys and games.....	5.9	5.9
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	37.6	25.4			
Notions and small wares.....	10.0	1.3	AUTOMOTIVE GROUP		
Other dry goods.....	37.9	7.5	Automobile sales rooms: <small>(Commodity coverage, 92.6 per cent)</small>		
Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	17.5	2.2	Automobiles, parts, and accessories—		
Shoes and other footwear.....	16.0	1.9	Automobiles, new, sold to dealers.....	17.5	8.5
			Commercial cars and trucks, new, sold to dealers.....	3.6	1.1
General merchandise stores without food departments: <small>(Commodity coverage, 50.7 per cent)</small>			Passenger automobiles, new.....	52.6	47.9
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's.....	24.9	21.6	Used passenger cars.....	15.7	13.3
Hosiery.....	1.2		Buses.....	5.9	1.4
Coats, suits and dresses.....	19.4		Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	17.9	10.3
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	1.0		Used commercial cars and trucks.....	2.5	1.4
Clocks.....	.5	.1	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	7.5	5.8
Clothing and furnishings, men's and boys'—			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	1.6	.9
Suits.....	16.7	14.6	Batteries.....	.6	.1
Overcoats.....	3.3	1.9	Gasoline.....	2.0	1.1
Hats and caps.....	3.2	1.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Furnishings.....	6.5	3.7	Oils and greases.....	1.0	.6
Work clothing.....	1.4	.8	Repairs and service.....	7.7	6.8
Other clothing.....	.7	.4	Storage.....	3.3	.7
Dry goods and notions	13.8	6.9			
Cotton piece goods.....	0.8		Used-car establishments: <small>(Commodity coverage, 100.0 per cent)</small>		
Linen goods.....	.8		Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	13.7	.6
Wool and wool-mixed goods.....	.8		Gasoline.....	29.8	1.2
Rayon piece goods.....	.9		Oils and greases.....	2.1	.1
Silk and velvet piece goods.....	1.8		Repairs and service.....	7.3	.8
Notions and small wares.....	.8		Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	6.8	.2
Furniture			Used commercial cars and trucks.....	9.2	.1
Bedroom.....	8.7	3.8	Used passenger cars.....	97.3	97.0
Living room, library, and hall.....	8.5	4.0			
Dining room.....	1.8	.8	Accessory stores with tires and batteries: <small>(Commodity coverage, 59.4 per cent)</small>		
Kitchen.....	2.3	1.0	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	62.1	62.1
Other household.....	9.4	4.1	Batteries.....	58.4	13.8
Hardware.....	.5	.1	Commercial cars and trucks, new.....	9.6	.1
Home furnishings—			Gasoline.....	28.4	1.9
Floor coverings.....	4.1	1.8	Oils and greases.....	12.4	2.8
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	.9	.4	Parts and accessories sold to dealers.....	28.9	9.8
Other home furnishings.....	21.4	15.3	Radio sets.....	25.0	2.6
Infants' wear.....	.5	.1	Repairs and service.....	12.9	5.1
Paper and paper goods.....	.4	.1	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	12.9	1.6
Shoes and other footwear—			Used commercial cars and trucks.....	7.5	.2
Men's.....	14.0	6.0			
Boys' and youths'.....	4.7	2.0	Tire shops (including tire repairs): <small>(Commodity coverage, 69.7 per cent)</small>		
Women's.....	8.9	3.8	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	3.6	.3
Misses' and children's.....	5.1	2.2	Batteries.....	2.0	.6
Infants'.....	.9	.4	Radio sets.....	2.0	.5
Rubber and other footwear.....	1.9	.8	Repairs and service.....	2.0	1.2
Toys and games.....	10.0	1.6	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	97.4	97.4
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores: <small>(Commodity coverage, 17.6 per cent)</small>			Filling stations—gasoline and oil: <small>(Commodity coverage, 8.1 per cent)</small>		
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Gasoline.....	77.6	77.6
Hosiery.....	10.8	4.7	Oils and greases.....	22.4	22.4
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	6.3	2.7			
Other apparel.....	4.2	1.6	Filling stations with tires and accessories: <small>(Commodity coverage, 85.6 per cent)</small>		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—			Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	5.1	2.7
Construction materials.....	5.8	3.6	Batteries.....	2.4	2.4
Other appliances.....	4.1	1.8	Gasoline.....	69.9	69.9
Bakery products, fresh.....	.7	.2	Oils and greases.....	23.3	23.3
Batteries.....	.2	.1	Repairs and service.....	3.6	.9
Confectionery and nuts.....	8.2	8.2	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	2.7	.8
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....	18.2	10.3			
Dry goods and notions—			Motor-cycle dealers: <small>(Commodity coverage, 94.6 per cent)</small>		
Cotton piece goods.....	8.4	.4	Motor cycles, bicycles, and accessories.....	73.4	73.4
Notions and small wares.....	5.6	5.6	Radios and equipment.....	3.0	5.0
Other dry goods.....	7.0	6.7	Secondhand goods.....	15.5	15.5
Flowers, wreaths, etc.....	.7	.4	Service.....	6.1	6.1
Fountain sales and ice cream.....	5.4	2.3			
Fruits and vegetables.....	2.4	.9	Body, fender, and paint shops: <small>(Commodity coverage, 35.2 per cent)</small>		
Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	11.5	4.4	Automotive parts and accessories.....	25.1	25.1
Hardware.....	4.4	4.4	Repairs and service.....	74.9	74.9
Home furnishings—					
China, glassware, and crockery.....	3.9	3.0			
Kitchen utensils.....	4.2	2.6			
Other home furnishings.....	1.7	1.7			
Infants' wear.....	2.9	1.1			
Jewelry.....	4.6				
Leather goods, billfolds, purses (often includes gloves and handbags).....	2.4	.9			
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	1.7			
Novelties.....	1.0	.1			
Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	.9	.6			

TABLE 23.—BALTIMORE—SALES BY COMMODITIES—Continued

COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification	COMMODITY (Read note carefully for explanation of terms)	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of stores selling such commodity	Per cent of each commodity sold to total sales of all stores in same classification
AUTOMOTIVE GROUP—Continued			APPAREL GROUP—Continued		
Garages (repairs and storage, gasoline, oil, accessories): (Commodity coverage, 33.6 per cent)			Furriers—fur shops: (Commodity coverage, 63.0 per cent)		
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries).....	33.6	28.5	Furs and fur goods.....	96.0	96.0
Batteries.....	12.0	4.4	Service.....	8.3	4.0
Gasoline.....	16.4	12.2	Hosiery shops: (Commodity coverage, 37.3 per cent)		
Oils and greases.....	3.1	2.8	Hosiery.....	87.6	87.6
Repairs and service.....	41.5	41.5	Coats, suits, and dresses.....	9.0	2.4
Storage.....	47.9	7.7	Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	37.2	10.0
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	5.3	2.8	Custom tailors: (Commodity coverage, 30.0 per cent)		
Used passenger cars.....	1.2	.1	Custom tailoring.....	95.2	95.2
Radiator shops (including repairs): (Commodity coverage, 84.6 per cent)			Suits.....	34.4	3.4
Automotive parts and accessories.....	28.7	26.7	Overcoats.....	8.6	.9
Repairs and service.....	71.3	71.3	Service.....	5.0	.5
Aircraft and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 72.9 per cent)			Women's shoe stores: (Commodity coverage, 92.8 per cent)		
Airplanes and gliders.....	58.8	88.8	Hosiery, women's.....	17.8	11.5
Airplane parts and accessories.....	5.2	5.2	Leather goods, gloves, and hand bags.....	4.5	.4
Gasoline, oil, and grease.....	3.7	3.7	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .7	.5
Service.....	2.3	2.3	Service.....	.1	.1
APPAREL GROUP			Shoes and other footwear—		
Men's and boys' clothing stores: (Commodity coverage, 70.2 per cent)			Boys' and youths'.....	5.6	.9
Overcoats.....	26.1	26.1	Women's.....	82.0	82.0
Suits.....	73.9	73.9	Misses' and children's.....	18.4	3.9
Men's and boys' hat stores: (Commodity coverage, 39.3 per cent)			Rubber and other footwear.....	2.1	.7
Furnishings.....	14.4	12.8	Family shoe stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 38.6 per cent)		
Hats and caps.....	87.2	87.2	Furnishings, men's and boys'.....	4.0	2.3
Men's clothing and furnishings stores: (Commodity coverage, 70.0 per cent)			Hosiery, women's.....	8.2	6.8
Coats, suits, and dresses, women's, misses', children's.....	8.3	1.0	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .1	.1
Custom tailoring.....	2.7	1.1	Service.....	1.5	.1
Furnishings.....	22.7	22.7	Shoes and other footwear—		
Hats and caps.....	9.3	9.0	Men's.....	29.2	29.2
Overcoats.....	13.8	13.8	Boys' and youths'.....	1.5	.6
Shoes and other footwear.....	10.8	3.9	Women's.....	48.9	48.9
Suits.....	45.1	45.1	Misses' and children's.....	14.9	10.1
Work clothing.....	6.2	2.5	Infants'.....	4.8	1.6
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's: (Commodity coverage, 39.2 per cent)			Rubber and other footwear.....	3.9	.1
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP		
Children's wear.....	3.9	1.9	Furniture stores: (Commodity coverage, 78.2 per cent)		
Millinery.....	5.8	5.4	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Hosiery.....	4.7	3.9	Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	3.7	.2
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	35.6	35.4	Other appliances.....	14.0	.8
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	7.0	5.1	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys').....	20.5	.4
Other apparel, except furs.....	5.2	3.6	Furniture—		
Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')—			Bedroom.....	22.8	22.8
Suits.....	23.1	13.6	Living room, library, and hall.....	22.7	22.7
Overcoats.....	10.7	5.5	Dining room.....	16.8	16.8
Hats and caps.....	4.1	.6	Kitchen.....	5.9	5.9
Furnishings.....	23.1	16.6	Other household.....	5.0	1.8
Work clothing.....	.7	.2	Home furnishings—		
Other clothing.....	9.3	1.4	Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	5.0	1.5
Furs and fur goods.....	5.2	1.2	Floor coverings.....	12.2	7.4
Leather goods, billfolds, gloves, and handbags.....	4.2	.4	Bedding, mattresses, springs.....	11.9	6.2
Service.....	.5	.1	China, glassware, and crockery.....	1.0	.1
Shoes and other footwear.....	18.4	5.0	Kitchen utensils.....	1.9	.2
Men's.....	1.0	.1	Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	2.1	.5
Boys' and youths'.....	1.2	.1	Other home furnishings.....	5.7	1.6
Women's.....	.2	.1	Radio sets.....	33.7	9.8
Misses' and children's.....	2.6	.1	Secondhand furniture.....	20.0	.3
Toys and games.....	1.2	.1	Service.....	2.3	.1
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories: (Commodity coverage, 85.2 per cent)			Stoves and ranges, gas.....	2.4	.3
Apparel and accessories, women's, misses', children's—			Stoves, ranges, heaters, etc. (other than electric or gas).....	3.9	.4
Custom tailoring.....	3.5	.5	Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	3.3	.1
Children's wear.....	2.9	.6	Toys and games.....	1.5	.1
Millinery.....	11.3	6.3	Household appliances stores (electric): (Commodity coverage, 54.0 per cent)		
Hosiery.....	11.5	9.0	China, glassware, and crockery.....	12.0	3.2
Coats, suits, and dresses.....	71.0	71.0	Household appliances, motor driven.....	86.6	86.6
Underwear, negligees, corsets, etc.....	9.5	6.7	Kitchen utensils.....	12.7	3.4
Other apparel, except furs.....	2.9	1.8	Other appliances.....	10.0	2.7
Costume jewelry.....	1.4	.4	Plated silverware.....	5.3	1.4
Furs and fur goods.....	3.6	1.5	Service.....	8.1	2.7
Infants' wear.....	1.3	.1	Household appliances stores: (Commodity coverage, 98.9 per cent)		
Leather goods, gloves, and handbags.....	3.3	.9	Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x) .1	.1	Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	17.6	17.2
Service.....	2.6	.5	Household heating appliances—portable.....	5.7	5.6
Shoes, women's.....	34.6	.4	Lighting equipment.....	4.9	4.8
Shoes, misses' and children's.....	4.2	.1	Incandescent lamps.....	1.6	1.6
Toiletries and cosmetics.....	.8	.1	Construction materials.....	4.3	4.2

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FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD GROUP—Continued			LUMBER AND BUILDING GROUP		
Household appliances stores—Continued.			Lumber and building material dealers: (Commodity coverage, 98.2 per cent)		
Appliances and supplies, electrical—Continued.			Building materials—		
Ranges, water heaters, etc.....	4.1	4.0	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	19.9	7.3
Other appliances.....	5.3	3.7	Cement.....	17.5	7.3
Appliances and supplies, gas—			Lime, plaster, etc.....	10.3	8.9
Stoves and ranges.....	19.4	19.4	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	70.0	49.8
Water heaters.....	4.5	4.5	Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	23.2	15.0
Other appliances (except refrigerators).....	3.2	3.2	Wood shingles and shakes.....	2.6	1.4
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.			Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	3.7	1.7
Radios and equipment.....	5.7	5.5	Iron and other building metal.....	10.8	3.4
Refrigerators, electric and gas.....	10.7	10.5	Building paper, insulating boards with wood base, etc.....	2.4	.9
China, glassware, crockery, tinware, enamelware: (Commodity coverage, 23.0 per cent)			Wall boards (except wood base).....	3.7	2.1
China, glassware, and crockery.....	38.1	37.4	Other building materials.....	4.8	.7
Kitchen utensils.....	56.4	56.4	Coal.....	40.6	8.7
Toys and games.....	30.0	6.2	Hardware.....	4.1	.1
Antique shops: (Commodity coverage, 92.9 per cent)			Hay, straw, and alfalfa.....	14.5	.2
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	77.4	77.4	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	6.0	.2
Furniture—			Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....	1.0	.6
Bedroom.....	6.6	3.0	Secondhand goods.....	15.4	.1
Living room, library, and hall.....	14.4	6.4	Service.....	(x)	.7
Dining room.....	6.6	2.9	Wire fencing, gates and posts.....	(x)	.9
Home furnishings—			Lumber and hardware: (Commodity coverage, 91.3 per cent)		
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	7.1	4.1	Builders' and shelf hardware.....		
Floor coverings.....	.7	.3	Building materials—		
China, glassware, and crockery.....	5.0	1.2	Brick, terra cotta, tile, etc.....	3.0	.3
Notions and small wares.....	25.0	4.7	Cement.....	2.7	2.4
Interior decorators: (Commodity coverage, 95.8 per cent)			Lime, plaster, etc.....	4.0	1.3
Antiques, art goods, gifts.....	17.1	8.0	Lumber (rough and dressed).....	61.1	61.1
Draperies, upholstery, and curtains.....	23.8	23.8	Planing-mill products, woodwork.....	20.2	19.1
Furniture, household.....	38.5	28.8	Wood shingles and shakes.....	3.0	3.1
Bedroom.....	12.9		Roofing materials (except wood shingles).....	2.0	1.4
Living room, library and hall.....	10.0		Wall boards.....	2.4	1.8
Dining room.....	5.0		Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	3.7	.8
Service.....	37.1	37.1	Construction materials, electrical.....	4.3	.2
Wall paper.....	21.0	2.3	Glass.....	.9	.6
Radio and electrical shops: (Commodity coverage, 65.2 per cent)			Grain and feed.....	11.2	.6
Automotive parts and accessories (except tires, tubes, and batteries)			Kitchen utensils.....	2.1	.1
Batteries.....	2.3	.2	Miscellaneous merchandise.....	(x)	.1
Batteries.....	4.1	.4	Other hardware.....	9.7	1.3
Construction materials, electric.....	29.2	1.7	Painters' supplies.....	.5	.2
Gasoline.....	25.2	1.5	Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	3.9	2.9
Home furnishings.....	.9	.1	Electrical shops (without radio): (Commodity coverage, 43.3 per cent)		
Household appliances, motor driven (except refrigerators).....	7.1	.4	Commercial and industrial appliances.....		
Household heating appliances—portable.....	3.0	.2	Construction materials.....		
Incandescent lamps.....	1.2	.1	Household appliances, motor driven.....		
Lighting equipment.....	1.0	.6	Incandescent lamps.....		
Bicycles and accessories.....	7.8	.4	Iron and other building metal.....		
Oils and greases.....	10.1	.6	Lighting equipment.....		
Radio parts and accessories.....	11.8	11.8	Miscellaneous merchandise.....		
Radio sets.....	72.7	72.7	Other appliances.....		
Refrigerators.....	35.0	3.0	Service.....		
Service.....	20.2	4.5	Heating appliances and oil burners: (Commodity coverage, 86.0 per cent)		
Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	18.5	1.8	Heating equipment and supplies.....		
Radio and musical instruments stores: (Commodity coverage, 34.5 per cent)			Oils and greases.....		
Household appliances, motor driven.....			Service.....		
Other musical instruments and accessories.....			Plumbing shops—heating and ventilating: (Commodity coverage, 55.8 per cent)		
Phonographs and records.....	7.1	5.4	Appliances and supplies, gas.....		
Pianos, and accessories.....	25.6	18.4	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....		
Radio parts and accessories.....	7.2	7.2	Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies.....		
Radio sets.....	64.3	64.3	Service.....		
Service.....	1.9	.2	Paint and glass stores: (Commodity coverage, 79.5 per cent)		
Sheet music, music books, etc.....	25.9	3.3	Building materials.....		
Stringed and band instruments.....	6.2	.4	Glass.....		
RESTAURANTS, CAFETERIAS, AND EATING PLACES			Painters' supplies.....		
Cafeterias: (Commodity coverage, 90.6 per cent)			Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....			Wallpaper.....		
Receipts from sale of meals.....			OTHER RETAIL STORES		
Lunch rooms: (Commodity coverage, 5.1 per cent)			Hardware stores: (Commodity coverage, 11.5 per cent)		
Bottled beverages.....			Appliances and supplies, electrical—		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....			Household heating appliances—portable.....		
Confectionery and nuts.....			Lighting equipment.....		
Receipts from sale of meals.....			Incandescent lamps.....		
Restaurants with table service: (Commodity coverage, 44.7 per cent)			Construction materials.....		
Bakery products, fresh.....			Other appliances.....		
Bottled beverages.....			Automotive parts and accessories.....		
Canned goods and other groceries.....			Cement.....		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco.....			Clocks.....		
Delicatessen, ready-to-serve foods.....			Farm and garden equipment and supplies.....		
Fresh fish and other sea foods.....			Fertilizers.....		
Miscellaneous merchandise.....			Grain and feed.....		
Receipts from sale of meals.....					

See footnotes at end of table.

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued		
Hardware stores—Continued.			Florists:		
Hardware—			(Commodity coverage 44.8 per cent)		
Builders' and shelf	71.7	71.7	Flowers, wreaths, etc.	96.1	96.1
Carpenters' and mechanics' tools	5.2	5.2	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	24.8	3.9
Other hardware	8.0	3.4	Camera dealers—photographic supplies:		
Hay, straw, and alfalfa	.7	.2	(Commodity coverage, 88.0 per cent)		
Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies	2.0	.7	Cameras	5.1	15.1
Home furnishings—			Photo-finishing sales	11.4	7.8
Floor coverings	3.3	1.2	Photographic supplies	76.0	76.0
China, glassware, and crockery	4.0	1.4	Stationery	1.7	1.1
Kitchen utensils	3.0	1.1	Jewelry stores (installment credit):		
Other home furnishings	3.7	1.3	(Commodity coverage, 99.8 per cent)		
Lime, plaster, etc.	.2	.1	Clocks	3.4	3.2
Paints, varnishes, glass, and painters' supplies	17.7	9.8	Diamond jewelry	35.1	35.1
Paints, varnishes, lacquers	4.9		Gold and gold-filled jewelry	4.1	4.1
Glass	2.0		Optical goods	3.6	.3
Painters' supplies	2.9		Other jewelry	20.5	1.1
Plated silverware	.2	.1	Plated silverware	6.0	5.7
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	1.7	.6	Rings, other than diamond	14.1	14.1
Toys and games	.3	.1	Service	2.7	2.1
Wire fencing, gates, and posts	.7	.2	Sterling silverware	2.0	.6
Farm implements, machinery, and equipment dealers:			Watches	33.7	33.7
(Commodity coverage, 94.4 per cent)			Jewelry stores:		
Farm machinery	58.3	30.2	(Commodity coverage, 63.3 per cent)		
Farm wagons	4.0	2.3	Clocks	3.9	3.7
Fertilizers	3.3	2.9	Diamond jewelry	47.6	47.6
Other farm and garden equipment and supplies	37.2	37.2	Gold and gold-filled jewelry	5.7	5.7
Roofing materials	.7	.1	Optical goods	3.7	.2
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	23.0	15.8	Other jewelry	5.4	1.3
Service	.6	.1	Plated silverware	2.5	2.0
Tractors	57.7	7.5	Rings, other than diamond	5.9	5.9
Wire fencing, gates, and posts	5.0	3.4	Service	8.2	6.3
Feed stores (flour, feed, grain, fertilizer):			Sterling silverware	13.2	13.0
(Commodity coverage, 63.2 per cent)			Watches	15.3	15.3
Grain and feed	70.7	70.7	Luggage and leather goods stores:		
Hay, straw, and alfalfa	29.3	29.3	(Commodity coverage, 74.3 per cent)		
Farmers' supply stores:			Apparel, women's, misses', children's	.7	.6
(Commodity coverage, 96.9 per cent)			Furnishings, men's	.7	.6
Farm and garden equipment and supplies	97.7	97.7	Jewelry—costume	11.3	11.3
Fertilizers	11.8	1.0	Leather goods, billfolds, purses, gloves, and handbags	49.0	49.0
Seeds, bulbs, plants, and nursery stock	14.7	1.3	Luggage	32.5	32.5
Bookstores:			Notions and small wares	2.5	2.5
(Commodity coverage, 73.6 per cent)			Service	3.8	3.5
Books	93.3	93.3	Office and school supplies:		
Magazines and newspapers	8.5	6.7	(Commodity coverage, 95.1 per cent)		
Cigar stores with fountains:			Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	1.8
(Commodity coverage, 41.5 per cent)			Office and store equipment	20.0	18.5
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	73.1	73.1	Office and store furniture	21.6	5.5
Confectionery and nuts	6.9	6.9	Other stationery	41.7	20.6
Fountain sales and ice cream	10.0	10.0	Paper and paper goods	58.5	58.5
Receipts from sale of meals	12.1	10.0	Office and store mechanical appliance dealers (retail):		
Cigar stores without fountains:			(Commodity coverage, 90.6 per cent)		
(Commodity coverage, 42.6 per cent)			Adding and calculating machines and accessories	33.1	22.2
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	84.2	84.2	Office and store furniture	4.0	1.6
Confectionery and nuts	12.2	3.6	Other office and store mechanical appliances	63.0	50.4
Magazines and newspapers	43.3	2.9	Secondhand goods	1.9	.2
Smokers' supplies	9.0	9.0	Service	10.0	6.9
Toiletries and cosmetics	1.3	.3	Stationery	24.5	10.1
Coal and wood yards:			Typewriters and accessories	21.0	8.6
(Commodity coverage, 91.8 per cent)			Office and store furniture and equipment dealers:		
Cement	14.7	.3	(Commodity coverage, 86.3 per cent)		
Coal	96.6	94.8	Adding and calculating machines and accessories	20.7	1.8
Fuel oil	7.4	2.1	Art goods, gifts	12.0	6.3
Gasoline	13.4	.4	Leather goods	2.0	1.0
Ice	5.5	.1	Office and store furniture	49.5	41.0
Lime, plaster, etc.	7.3	.1	Other office and store equipment	(x)	17.2
Oils and greases	4.9	.1	Sporting goods	1.5	.8
Wood, coke, and other fuels	4.5	2.1	Stationery and books		
Ice dealers:			Books	1.5	.9
(Commodity coverage, 91.9 per cent)			Paper and paper goods	31.1	21.6
Coal	26.6	26.6	Other stationery	15.3	3.4
Ice	73.4	73.4	Toys and games	8.0	4.2
Drug stores with fountains:			Typewriters and accessories	20.7	1.8
(Commodity coverage, 14.7 per cent)			Typewriter dealers:		
Bottled beverages	1.4	.1	(Commodity coverage, 12.4 per cent)		
Cigars, cigarettes, and tobacco	17.0	13.5	Service	5.3	5.3
Confectionery and nuts	5.0	1.9	Typewriters and accessories	94.7	94.7
Drugs, patent medicines, etc.	38.8	38.8	Sporting goods specialty stores:		
Fountain sales and ice cream	24.3	24.3	(Commodity coverage, 60.3 per cent)		
Miscellaneous merchandise	(x)	2.3	Clothing and furnishings (men's and boys')	10.0	1.5
Prescriptions	15.8	15.8	Leather goods	2.5	.3
Toilet articles and preparations	3.3	3.3	Shoes and other footwear	9.0	.9
			Sporting goods, gymnasium, and playground equipment	97.3	97.3

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OTHER RETAIL STORES—Continued			SECONDHAND STORES		
Scientific and medical instruments and supplies (at retail): (Commodity coverage, 82.6 per cent)			Hardware stores (secondhand):¹ (\$507,002) (Commodity coverage, 95.5 per cent)		
Professional and scientific instruments and equipment.....	45.2	45.2	Appliances and supplies, electrical.....	2.1	1.7
Surgical, dental, and hospital supplies.....	68.0	54.8	Construction materials.....	6.5	5.4
Stationers and engravers: (Commodity coverage, 85.4 per cent)			Commercial and industrial appliances.....	1.0	.8
Gift merchandise.....	29.5	11.0	Other appliances.....	1.0	.8
Leather goods, billfolds, purses.....	6.0	1.4	Appliances and supplies, gas.....	1.0	.8
Office and store furniture.....	20.8	6.7	Automotive parts and accessories (except tires and tubes).....	7.9	2.8
Religious goods.....	11.5	2.7	Hardware—		
Stationery, books, and magazines—			Builders' and shelf.....	17.4	17.4
Books.....	3.5	.5	Carpenters' and mechanics' tools.....	21.8	21.3
Paper and paper goods.....	37.4	28.6	Other hardware.....	18.1	18.1
Other stationery.....	47.2	47.2	Heating and plumbing equipment and supplies.....	15.0	12.3
Toys and games.....	6.9	1.6	Machinery, retail.....	2.1	1.7
			Paints, varnishes, lacquers.....	14.2	14.1
			Roofing materials.....	6.1	9.0
			Tires, tubes, and tire accessories.....	16.1	2.8
			Wire fencing, gates, and posts.....	2.2	1.8

¹ Total net sales are shown for classifications which do not appear separately in Table 16. For all kinds of business, apply the per cent in second column to the sales shown in Table 16.

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TABLE 24.—CUMBERLAND—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1920)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	527	487	1,747	320	\$2,259,710	\$64,014	\$2,265,572	\$2,847,620	\$20,989,725	100.00
Food group	207	196	362	82	436,796	15,767	404,271	531,350	6,123,667	28.20
Candy and confectionery stores.....	29	28	23	5	15,806	926	29,372	18,870	247,710	1.18
Dairy products stores ¹	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	13	15	7	4	8,591	750	26,512	12,490	252,424	1.20
Grocery stores (without meats).....	97	89	102	35	104,637	6,495	108,339	131,610	1,020,125	0.16
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	49	47	128	28	148,607	5,402	110,049	129,970	2,492,610	11.88
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	14	16	26	10	33,359	2,194	35,255	7,030	542,166	2.59
Bakeries—caterers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other food stores.....	2		36		66,024		38,521	27,830	212,465	1.01
General merchandise group	14	17	247	91	284,479	14,920	300,857	473,730	2,399,573	11.44
Department stores.....	3	9	170	47	208,953	9,803	205,450	370,640	1,566,746	7.47
General merchandise stores (including 2 general stores).....	3	2	7	3	6,144	366	7,499	15,650	75,725	.36
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	8	6	70	41	69,382	4,751	87,908	87,440	757,102	3.61
Automotive group²	78	66	287	15	403,177	6,400	401,236	369,430	4,135,885	19.72
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	22	20	157	3	249,284	1,094	237,691	236,530	2,754,647	13.13
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	13	8	40	2	51,322	930	62,488	37,670	484,234	2.31
Filling stations.....	24	14	56	5	61,412	1,178	77,244	27,990	698,236	3.33
Garages and repair shops.....	17	22	30	5	39,320	3,198	20,982	11,690	164,913	.79
Apparel group	50	36	238	61	324,521	13,795	429,903	571,540	2,710,378	12.93
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	13	17	60	15	77,802	3,400	128,886	245,480	763,474	3.64
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	9	3	57	15	80,591	2,164	97,085	122,960	580,613	2.77
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	5	1	52	4	69,451	1,555	80,770	53,040	589,482	2.81
Women's accessories stores.....	7	4	27	7	24,244	435	34,627	10,410	178,783	.85
Other apparel stores.....	6	6	6	3	5,813	1,600	5,632	4,780	40,606	.20
Shoe stores.....	10	5	36	17	66,620	4,741	82,903	134,870	557,478	2.66
Furniture and household group²	27	22	173	8	280,278	2,685	288,961	363,670	1,732,484	8.21
Furniture stores.....	14	18	70	3	121,635	553	139,279	225,320	954,648	4.55
Household appliances stores.....	5	2	52		73,322		40,645	48,560	382,518	1.82
Radio and music stores.....	7	2	44	5	76,884	2,132	46,823	54,530	317,696	1.62
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	35	44	149	14	107,544	1,887	93,575	13,430	677,308	3.23
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	25	34	118	4	83,740	687	66,635	7,550	493,720	2.35
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	10	10	31	10	23,804	1,200	26,940	5,880	183,588	.88
Lumber and building group²	26	24	85	7	134,856	2,428	105,192	136,260	733,083	3.50
Lumber and building material dealers.....	9	5	48	3	75,532	1,500	77,981	84,690	464,738	2.22
Heating and plumbing shops.....	9	8	26	4	48,736	928	14,122	24,850	159,013	.76
Paint and glass stores.....	7	9	9		8,988		12,609	25,920	104,364	.50
Other retail stores	85	78	200	41	281,037	5,922	286,050	579,080	2,431,540	11.60
Hardware stores.....	6	5	21	1	28,252	252	27,743	83,510	226,648	1.08
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies.....	4	3	7		9,619		6,832	12,300	284,855	1.36
Book stores.....	3	4	4		3,240		7,515	16,390	55,969	.27
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	9	11	7		8,608		14,274	19,430	177,197	.84
Coal and wood yard—ice dealers.....	7	8	12		11,271		7,725	2,360	94,567	.45
Drug stores.....	16	12	67	7	93,971	2,614	94,212	203,040	762,831	3.64
Florists.....	4	3	10	14	16,117	1,740	19,327	4,030	111,411	.53
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	4	3	10	15	8,785	660	19,702	27,790	101,906	.49
Jewelry stores.....	11	9	25	3	43,202	600	36,506	129,140	241,521	1.15
News dealers.....	4	2	6		4,026		4,260	3,560	38,088	.18
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Opticians and optometrists.....	3	3	2		2,024		4,012	4,280	20,326	.10
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	11	10	12		23,155		19,332	18,210	137,620	.66
Secondhand stores	5	6	6	1	7,022	210	5,527	9,130	35,809	.17

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

² This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 25.—CUMBERLAND—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total.....	527	497	1,747	520	\$2,259,710	\$84,014	\$2,365,572	\$2,847,620	\$20,969,725	100.00
Single-store independents.....	429	473	1,201	213	1,513,398	46,101	1,528,747	2,104,780	14,525,542	69.27
2-store independents.....	20	11	131	21	175,852	4,230	177,576	184,030	1,649,656	7.87
3-store independents.....	6	2	32	3	49,305	750	44,563	65,370	546,165	2.60
Local chains.....	9	1	21	2	33,245	134	37,635	25,570	276,547	1.32
Sectional chains.....	27	---	138	24	184,878	4,945	182,005	184,540	1,325,248	6.32
National chains.....	24	---	142	54	188,209	7,272	201,541	188,040	2,000,997	9.54
Leased-department chains.....	6	---	26	---	34,722	582	50,924	42,440	263,437	1.26
Utility-operated retail stores.....	3	---	42	---	61,074	---	34,850	42,480	332,040	1.59
Other types of operation.....	3	---	14	---	19,027	---	9,681	9,370	49,193	.23

TABLE 26.—CUMBERLAND—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Number of stores.....	3	2	---	(x) 1	---	Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Annual net sales.....	\$1,566,746	(x)	---	(x)	---	Number of stores.....	49	35	10	---	---
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	---	(x)	---	Annual net sales.....	\$2,492,610	\$1,432,028	\$485,147	\$575,435	---
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	57.45	19.46	23.09	---
Number of stores.....	8	3	(x) 1	---	4	Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Annual net sales.....	\$757,102	(x)	(x)	\$513,185	67.78	Number of stores.....	25	24	---	---	1
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	---	---	Annual net sales.....	\$493,720	(x)	---	(x)	---
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	---	(x)	---
Number of stores.....	13	13	---	---	---	Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Annual net sales.....	\$763,414	\$763,414	---	---	---	Number of stores.....	9	9	---	---	---
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	---	---	---	Annual net sales.....	\$177,197	\$177,197	---	---	---
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	---	---	---
Number of stores.....	9	5	---	---	---	Filling stations:					
Annual net sales.....	\$589,613	\$279,302	---	\$301,311	---	Number of stations.....	24	18	4	---	7
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	48.10	---	51.90	---	Annual net sales.....	\$698,236	\$248,982	\$127,280	\$321,974	---
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	35.66	18.23	46.11	---
Number of stores.....	5	2	(x) 1	(x) 1	(x) 1	Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Annual net sales.....	\$589,482	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Number of yards.....	7	7	---	---	---
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$94,567	\$94,567	---	---	---
Shoe stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	---	---	---
Number of stores.....	10	5	---	---	---	Drug stores:					
Annual net sales.....	\$557,478	\$214,700	(x) 2	(x) 3	---	Number of stores.....	16	11	2	---	3
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	38.51	(x)	(x)	---	Annual net sales.....	\$762,831	\$406,896	(x)	(x)	---
Furniture stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	53.34	(x)	(x)	---
Number of stores.....	14	13	---	---	---	Hardware stores:					
Annual net sales.....	\$954,648	(x)	---	(x) 1	---	Number of stores.....	6	6	---	---	---
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	---	(x)	---	Annual net sales.....	\$226,648	\$226,648	---	---	---
Radio and music stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	---	---	---
Number of stores.....	7	6	(x) 1	---	---	Jewelry stores:					
Annual net sales.....	\$317,686	(x)	(x)	---	---	Number of stores.....	11	9	2	---	---
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	---	---	Annual net sales.....	\$241,521	(x)	(x)	---	---
Grocery stores (without meats):						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	---	---
Number of stores.....	97	81	3	13	---						
Annual net sales.....	\$1,920,125	\$1,302,398	\$88,716	\$529,011	---						
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	67.83	4.62	27.55	---						

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TABLE 27.—HAGERSTOWN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups	520	480	1,818	188	\$2,021,552	\$40,898	\$1,748,637	\$2,446,800	\$19,315,469	100.00
Food group ¹	184	181	239	46	246,088	10,958	194,429	194,570	3,666,267	18.98
Candy and confectionery stores.....	19	19	30	8	22,457	1,801	21,009	9,390	221,151	1.14
Delicatessen stores.....	3	3	17	—	9,640	—	10,736	2,250	90,098	.47
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	6	6	8	—	6,590	—	6,394	2,560	74,420	.38
Grocery stores (without meats).....	75	72	43	18	44,562	4,265	39,133	55,850	899,272	4.65
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	71	72	129	15	148,730	3,585	103,981	121,150	2,133,568	11.06
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	8	7	12	5	14,109	1,248	11,016	3,250	239,468	1.24
General merchandise group	9	6	562	88	358,073	18,888	253,592	441,160	2,684,355	13.90
Department stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
General merchandise stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Variety, 5-and-10, and 10-a-dollar stores.....	4	—	75	41	62,200	3,194	82,455	76,970	582,715	3.02
Automotive group ¹	73	53	397	13	483,965	2,469	558,586	458,180	5,318,404	27.53
Motor vehicle dealers (new and used).....	18	13	252	4	316,082	656	337,432	376,880	3,798,416	19.66
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	15	15	35	3	37,794	595	35,670	53,250	405,085	2.10
Filling stations.....	21	5	63	4	83,045	674	165,657	19,080	882,987	4.67
Garages and repair shops.....	17	17	42	2	41,712	544	17,026	5,970	209,166	1.08
Apparel group	54	47	185	24	195,529	4,188	217,173	421,250	1,945,041	10.07
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores....	13	15	37	3	44,794	800	39,769	172,220	489,368	2.54
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	7	6	22	2	24,185	312	20,296	59,800	322,861	1.67
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	6	3	66	9	49,920	1,060	79,999	57,920	626,117	3.24
Women's accessories stores.....	12	9	28	4	35,381	758	23,404	16,060	170,322	.88
Other apparel stores.....	5	5	3	1	1,262	150	6,000	8,910	33,052	.17
Shoe stores.....	11	9	29	5	39,987	1,108	42,096	106,340	303,321	1.57
Furniture and household group	34	37	104	1	127,708	500	125,962	291,680	1,091,446	5.65
Furniture stores.....	13	20	38	1	51,299	500	60,601	162,290	506,733	2.62
Household appliances stores.....	3	—	30	—	30,319	—	30,151	36,670	218,565	1.13
Other home furnishings and appliances stores.....	6	6	11	—	11,252	—	4,676	46,400	88,332	.46
Radio and music stores.....	12	11	25	—	34,838	—	30,534	46,320	277,466	1.44
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places	46	47	109	3	74,463	560	51,413	6,780	429,016	2.22
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	43	44	103	3	70,191	560	47,411	5,630	401,241	2.08
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	3	3	6	—	4,272	—	4,007	1,150	27,775	.14
Lumber and building group	23	25	118	5	166,882	1,778	71,890	122,060	973,172	5.04
Lumber and building material dealers.....	5	4	39	3	60,731	1,456	31,846	57,540	490,200	2.54
Electrical shops (without radio).....	5	7	22	—	36,267	—	9,722	13,690	32,130	.42
Heating and plumbing shops.....	8	8	53	—	66,178	—	19,410	24,330	273,800	1.42
Paint and glass stores.....	6	6	4	2	3,706	320	10,912	26,500	126,952	.66
Other retail stores	88	75	308	8	365,049	1,498	270,971	505,920	3,167,970	16.40
Hardware stores.....	4	1	24	—	32,883	—	18,839	82,760	124,495	.64
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Farmers' supplies.....	6	3	24	1	35,912	180	23,988	43,070	683,906	3.54
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	10	11	19	—	15,971	—	12,140	5,610	96,547	.50
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	7	7	49	1	56,364	174	30,254	10,910	368,860	1.91
Drug stores.....	20	18	70	4	74,527	538	68,665	109,400	734,002	3.80
Florists.....	4	5	30	—	30,925	—	14,023	5,300	88,180	.46
Jewelry stores.....	12	11	22	1	30,588	306	28,746	103,160	223,359	1.18
Music stores (without radio).....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	6	6	10	1	3,799	300	3,415	7,060	149,066	.77
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	4	1	9	—	9,395	—	3,704	11,430	40,518	.21
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Stationers and printers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	9	6	17	—	19,825	—	12,225	15,660	111,494	.68
Secondhand stores	9	9	4	—	3,795	—	4,916	5,200	39,768	.21

¹ This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed

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TABLE 28.—HAGERSTOWN—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	520	480	1,816	188	\$2,021,552	\$40,838	\$1,748,637	\$2,446,800	\$19,315,489	100.00
Single-store independents.....	432	455	1,205	67	1,342,014	10,093	1,146,093	1,819,840	13,356,003	69.15
2-store independents.....	26	17	164	9	195,647	2,588	165,489	181,340	2,224,234	11.61
3-store independents.....	6	0	124	23	121,825	13,748	64,960	130,700	666,504	3.45
Local chains.....	10	2	24	3	26,065	390	33,154	40,230	242,447	1.25
Sectional chains.....	17		85	17	113,331	4,120	101,370	54,760	658,568	4.96
National chains.....	22		165	71	165,083	5,869	200,993	192,670	1,008,279	8.33
Leased-department chains.....	3		13	3	15,644	1,030	27,101	6,360	130,718	.68
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	3		15		16,795		6,797	7,300	49,426	.26
Other types of operation.....	2		21		23,148		2,110	13,600	78,540	.41

TABLE 29.—HAGERSTOWN—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Number of stores.....	2	1		1		Grocery stores (without meats):	75	65	2	8	
Annual net sales.....	(x)	(x)		(x)		Number of stores.....	\$599,272	\$457,840	(x)	(x)	
Per cent of total sales.....	(x)	(x)		(x)		Annual net sales.....	100.00	60.91	(x)	(x)	
Variety, 5-and-10, and 25-and-50-cent stores:						Per cent of total sales.....					
Number of stores.....	4			4		Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Annual net sales.....	\$582,715			\$582,715		Number of stores.....	71	61	9	1	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00			100.00		Annual net sales.....	\$2,133,568	\$1,634,944	(x)	(x)	
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	76.63	(x)	(x)	
Number of stores.....	13	12		1		Restaurants and cafeterias:					
Annual net sales.....	\$480,308	(x)	(x)			Number of stores.....	43	41	2		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			Annual net sales.....	\$401,241	(x)	(x)		
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
Number of stores.....	7	4	1	2		Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Annual net sales.....	\$322,861	\$68,000	(x)	(x)		Number of stores.....	10	9		1	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	21.06	(x)	(x)		Annual net sales.....	\$96,547	(x)		(x)	
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Number of stores.....	6	5		1		Filling stations:					
Annual net sales.....	\$626,117	\$547,000		\$79,117		Number of stations.....	21	6	5	10	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	87.36		12.64		Annual net sales.....	\$882,087	\$548,035	\$73,348	\$261,004	
Shoe stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	62.08	8.31	29.63	
Number of stores.....	11	6	3	3		Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Annual net sales.....	\$308,321	\$167,716	\$28,000	\$107,605		Number of yards.....	7	6		1	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	55.29	9.23	35.48		Annual net sales.....	\$368,860	(x)		(x)	
Furniture stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)		(x)	
Number of stores.....	13	13				Drug stores:					
Annual net sales.....	\$506,783	\$506,783				Number of stores.....	20	16	2	2	
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00				Annual net sales.....	\$734,902	\$381,787	(x)	(x)	
Radio and music stores:						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	61.95	(x)	(x)	
Number of stores.....	12	11	1			Hardware stores:					
Annual net sales.....	\$277,466	(x)	(x)			Number of stores.....	4	3	1		
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)			Annual net sales.....	\$124,405	(x)	(x)		
						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		
						Jewelry stores:					
						Number of stores.....	12	10	2		
						Annual net sales.....	\$228,359	(x)	(x)		
						Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)		

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TABLE 30.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	709	699	2,384	513	\$2,616,526	\$91,424	\$2,377,233	\$4,327,430	\$27,503,225	100.00
Food group.....	237	245	848	120	370,518	26,622	335,145	298,380	5,916,124	21.61
Candy and confectionery stores.....	34	37	50	21	62,081	5,132	56,734	32,270	651,764	2.37
Dairy-products stores ¹	4	4	18		25,264		27,347	580	177,785	.65
Delicatessen stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	10	15	23	8	22,728	2,349	23,823	7,640	351,098	1.28
Grocery stores (without meats).....	95	95	93	41	91,521	8,201	85,873	100,760	1,667,727	6.06
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	71	69	120	43	124,853	9,291	119,420	141,940	2,499,358	9.00
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	19	23	40	6	40,072	1,519	10,962	4,960	514,978	1.87
Bakeries—caterers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Other food stores.....	1		2		3,010		2,552	850	29,004	.10
General stores.....	3	3	1		800		1,193	5,700	32,218	.12
General merchandise group.....	40	30	341	125	324,576	6,901	316,701	744,760	3,205,634	11.66
Department stores.....	5	2	132	24	123,855	2,705	124,822	310,800	1,137,083	4.14
Dry-goods stores—piece-goods stores.....	12	14	58	5	70,033	263	46,509	160,250	627,172	2.28
General merchandise stores.....	13	12	37	15	39,761	2,066	40,089	138,800	521,721	1.90
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	10	2	114	81	90,926	1,867	105,281	128,910	919,058	3.34
Automotive group.....	110	80	508	39	614,567	9,246	579,519	693,840	7,125,338	25.91
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	33	25	347	14	430,089	2,874	437,812	549,560	5,601,160	20.37
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	22	20	39	3	45,478	1,020	35,100	80,000	445,638	1.62
Filling stations.....	34	15	63	13	73,303	2,928	73,343	16,690	685,200	2.49
Motor cycles, bicycles, and supplies.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Garages and repair shops.....	18	26	43	4	54,391	864	27,099	24,020	268,157	.98
Apparel group.....	85	84	177	69	211,064	11,418	241,165	737,090	2,355,481	8.56
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores.....	21	27	43	10	70,170	1,568	82,506	263,100	812,142	2.95
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	12	10	51	20	40,009	4,832	51,946	218,120	546,695	1.99
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	12	8	32	11	36,780	1,183	44,560	78,390	373,850	1.36
Women's accessories stores.....	11	12	8	15	6,268	1,770	14,074	10,180	86,054	.31
Other apparel stores.....	14	13	29	3	35,690	639	20,386	45,440	214,792	.78
Shoe stores.....	15	14	14	10	22,057	1,426	27,693	121,860	321,948	1.17
Furniture and household group¹.....	50	44	207	33	253,018	4,701	217,181	385,350	2,043,487	7.43
Furniture stores.....	17	12	109	23	125,884	1,770	129,274	234,690	1,034,403	3.76
Household appliance stores.....	9	1	46	4	64,151	1,860	30,491	58,020	452,787	1.65
Other home furnishing and appliance stores.....	9	12	7	1	5,220	65	6,045	20,480	52,005	.19
Radio and music stores.....	14	18	39	5	51,495	1,006	43,898	61,190	452,018	1.64
Restaurants, cafeterias, and eating places.....	38	48	118	23	87,348	4,699	74,394	9,730	519,884	1.89
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	33	43	114	19	84,468	3,739	72,600	8,610	503,434	1.88
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	5	5	4	4	2,880	900	1,794	1,120	16,450	.06
Lumber and building group¹.....	21	28	185	8	250,428	2,358	120,812	259,550	1,399,962	5.08
Lumber and building-material dealers.....	5	4	101	3	147,873	864	72,492	170,320	933,764	3.40
Heating and plumbing shops.....	10	17	73	4	89,875	1,205	41,175	70,500	416,231	1.51
Paint and glass stores.....	5	6	8	1	9,703	287	5,443	13,260	37,959	.14
Other retail stores.....	119	120	443	96	496,875	25,491	484,583	1,182,180	4,858,810	17.66
Hardware stores.....	12	17	83	1	95,522	190	106,739	400,840	821,545	2.99
Hardware and farm-implement stores.....	7	4	56	19	57,121	8,269	45,557	179,020	558,604	2.03
Farmers' supplies.....	12	9	43	4	43,471	895	68,583	102,330	1,166,314	4.24
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	8	6	15	2	14,868		12,679	13,120	92,974	.34
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	9	13	49	23	50,516	6,295	33,391	22,670	376,420	1.37
Drug stores.....	18	15	93	6	119,677	1,419	101,056	157,640	907,449	3.30
Florists.....	6	6	25	9	17,953	3,125	10,723	8,520	112,344	.41
Gifts, novelties and toys—cameras.....	5	5	3	4	5,369	322	4,695	8,620	33,381	.12
Jewelry stores.....	13	12	22	16	33,490	1,643	43,171	158,580	256,991	.93
Luggage and leather-goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	3	4	8	2	3,609	385	2,960	12,780	53,386	.19
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Opticians and optometrists.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Sporting-goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	3	4	13		13,702		8,338	39,940	101,369	.37
Stationers and printers.....	2	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	16	16	22	7	25,533	1,560	35,793	47,750	251,198	.91
Secondhand stores.....	6	7	8		7,334		6,560	10,850	46,287	.17

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.

² This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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TABLE 31.—COMBINED CITIES—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION

ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on payroll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full-time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	709	699	2,334	513	\$2,616,525	\$91,424	\$2,377,233	\$4,327,430	\$27,503,225	100.00
Single-store independents.....	603	694	1,855	325	2,085,098	68,408	1,840,373	3,717,520	21,949,896	79.81
2-store independents.....	20	13	45	8	59,754	2,339	57,464	78,220	457,452	1.67
3-store independents.....	5	—	17	—	20,256	—	38,498	40,670	233,971	.85
Local chains.....	17	1	60	15	71,560	2,971	87,798	97,780	862,367	3.10
Sectional chains.....	27	—	110	44	126,097	9,498	123,528	110,140	1,227,330	4.40
National chains.....	32	—	214	118	205,496	6,945	214,546	246,140	2,453,907	8.92
Manufacturer-controlled chains.....	3	—	23	—	33,666	—	10,976	11,010	69,142	.25
Other types of operation.....	2	1	10	3	14,598	1,260	4,050	25,950	259,060	.94

TABLE 32.—COMBINED CITIES—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL CITIES OF 10,000 TO 30,000 POPULATION COMBINED

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multi-units, including local chains	Sectional and national chains
Department stores:					Combination stores (groceries and meats):				
Number of stores.....	5	3	—	2	Number of stores.....	71	62	4	5
Annual net sales.....	\$1,187,083	(x)	—	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$2,499,358	\$1,592,795	\$131,090	\$775,473
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	—	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	63.73	5.24	31.03
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:				
Number of stores.....	10	1	—	9	Number of stores.....	33	33	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$919,068	(x)	—	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$503,434	\$503,434	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	—	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					Cigar stores and cigar stands:				
Number of stores.....	21	21	—	—	Number of stores.....	8	6	2	—
Annual net sales.....	\$812,142	\$812,142	—	—	Annual net sales.....	\$92,974	(x)	(x)	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, children's:					Filling stations:				
Number of stores.....	12	12	—	—	Number of stations.....	34	11	6	17
Annual net sales.....	\$546,695	\$546,695	—	—	Annual net sales.....	\$685,200	\$194,737	\$81,700	\$408,763
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	28.42	11.92	59.66
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:				
Number of stores.....	12	7	4	1	Number of yards.....	9	8	1	—
Annual net sales.....	\$373,850	\$105,030	(x)	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$376,420	(x)	(x)	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	44.14	(x)	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—
Shoe stores:					Drug stores:				
Number of stores.....	15	14	—	1	Number of stores.....	18	14	2	2
Annual net sales.....	\$321,948	(x)	—	(x)	Annual net sales.....	\$907,449	\$584,930	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	—	(x)	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	64.46	(x)	(x)
Furniture stores:					Hardware stores:				
Number of stores.....	17	16	1	—	Number of stores.....	12	9	3	—
Annual net sales.....	\$1,034,403	(x)	(x)	—	Annual net sales.....	\$821,645	\$634,385	\$187,160	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	77.22	22.78	—
Radio and music stores:					Jewelry stores:				
Number of stores.....	14	13	1	—	Number of stores.....	13	12	1	—
Annual net sales.....	\$452,013	(x)	(x)	—	Annual net sales.....	\$256,991	(x)	(x)	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—
Grocery stores (without meats):									
Number of stores.....	95	82	1	12					
Annual net sales.....	\$1,667,727	\$950,945	(x)	(x)					
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	57.02	(x)	(x)					

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TABLE 33.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY KINDS OF BUSINESS

ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED

NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations but it is included in the totals]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND, END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
All groups.....	7,041	7,391	8,676	2,410	\$9,520,566	\$537,820	\$9,046,886	\$20,513,700	\$145,433,049	100.00
Food group.....	2,307	2,270	1,905	781	2,117,082	168,408	2,206,985	2,201,340	38,039,270	26.16
Candy and confectionery stores.....	351	372	195	99	182,049	23,740	253,529	209,160	2,595,004	1.70
Dairy products stores ¹	60	60	91	28	101,833	6,631	130,112	21,420	1,784,960	1.23
Delicatessen stores.....	4	7	2	2	1,440	—	4,220	7,700	27,395	.02
Fruit stores and vegetable markets.....	20	25	7	4	7,834	692	13,137	4,280	209,946	.14
Grocery stores (without meats).....	963	916	898	211	465,483	44,859	550,564	816,600	9,875,030	6.79
Combination stores (groceries and meats).....	760	714	977	363	1,162,182	76,099	1,072,659	1,068,220	20,756,032	14.27
Meat markets (including sea foods).....	117	136	170	65	149,400	14,975	106,627	56,520	2,210,331	1.52
Bakeries—caterers.....	26	28	63	7	53,366	861	53,635	16,440	406,652	.28
Other food stores.....	11	12	2	4	3,450	1,260	11,502	1,000	167,520	.12
General stores.....	1,414	1,624	908	332	859,884	60,867	1,106,520	5,177,550	26,285,574	18.06
General merchandise group.....	215	193	691	239	686,561	39,473	616,174	2,506,200	8,303,147	5.71
Department stores.....	8	—	233	36	282,271	8,006	130,770	413,860	2,831,451	1.95
Dry goods stores—piece goods stores.....	89	91	120	51	103,354	10,031	140,431	753,940	1,542,880	1.06
General merchandise stores.....	76	68	218	72	209,336	15,232	223,777	1,141,060	2,896,355	1.99
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores.....	42	34	120	80	91,550	6,154	115,196	197,340	1,032,431	.71
Automotive group.....	1,355	1,466	2,138	322	2,480,709	90,760	1,955,855	3,193,480	31,428,059	21.61
Motor-vehicle dealers (new and used).....	272	309	1,200	101	1,585,762	31,204	1,187,861	2,029,190	20,490,040	14.09
Automobile dealers with farm implements and machinery.....	5	4	57	—	59,273	—	55,878	259,980	900,911	.62
Accessories, tires, and batteries.....	33	34	38	6	36,584	1,714	27,866	54,880	361,054	.25
Filling stations.....	576	577	340	99	340,532	24,261	374,445	406,890	5,240,495	3.60
Garages and repair shops.....	447	509	411	113	455,388	32,851	309,906	440,300	4,418,939	3.04
Other automotive establishments.....	2	3	2	3	3,120	720	309	2,240	16,620	.01
Apparel group.....	203	212	185	90	177,132	14,685	259,560	1,140,570	2,986,619	2.05
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishing stores.....	56	67	53	27	58,027	6,045	93,478	472,440	1,168,117	.80
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's.....	41	40	53	22	55,516	2,649	71,367	378,050	813,541	.66
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories.....	31	29	40	21	81,789	3,322	48,395	142,160	584,721	.47
Women's accessories stores.....	32	30	13	13	8,788	1,391	14,132	20,920	123,959	.08
Other apparel stores.....	19	20	16	4	13,603	800	13,669	20,460	110,094	.08
Shoe stores.....	24	26	10	3	9,469	478	18,469	100,540	236,217	.16
Furniture and household group².....	163	161	274	51	323,820	16,527	316,405	812,580	3,201,192	2.20
Furniture stores.....	65	79	129	19	159,639	4,613	188,582	549,470	1,931,710	1.33
Household appliance stores.....	24	5	45	15	54,150	5,295	43,316	67,510	345,697	.24
Other home furnishing and appliance stores.....	20	22	13	3	12,165	974	11,265	87,086	87,086	.06
Radio and music stores.....	53	54	87	14	97,860	4,645	78,069	146,660	831,424	.67
Restaurants, and eating places.....	351	381	397	128	295,840	28,811	311,491	91,370	2,306,650	1.59
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms.....	227	251	315	94	230,293	21,303	220,752	60,220	1,552,990	1.07
Lunch counters, refreshment stands, etc.....	124	130	82	34	65,547	7,448	90,739	31,150	653,660	.45
Lumber and building group.....	174	181	895	113	1,147,228	29,824	752,814	2,071,950	10,213,498	7.02
Lumber and building material dealers.....	109	112	717	74	903,092	17,005	672,563	1,937,010	9,087,611	6.24
Electrical shops (without radio).....	8	10	28	9	34,716	4,214	19,231	13,850	251,488	.17
Heating and plumbing shops.....	45	45	142	25	203,605	7,490	68,243	111,030	848,336	.68
Paint and glass stores.....	12	14	8	5	5,915	1,115	2,777	10,060	46,061	.03
Other retail stores.....	869	922	1,282	353	1,430,610	89,175	1,517,495	3,613,510	22,774,064	15.96
Hardware stores.....	88	99	190	17	217,338	3,734	221,067	752,360	2,677,510	1.84
Hardware and farm implement stores.....	79	93	154	42	173,314	8,739	162,414	654,650	3,217,856	2.21
Farmers' supplies.....	223	228	315	70	345,113	19,598	421,064	850,530	3,860,488	2.69
Book stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Cigar stores and cigar stands.....	65	74	41	11	37,419	3,494	45,267	30,870	347,399	.24
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers.....	63	69	132	43	148,366	13,115	141,101	119,240	1,674,397	1.03
Drug stores.....	163	163	286	95	348,588	25,508	304,383	732,670	3,536,235	2.43
Florists.....	11	11	8	3	6,400	615	4,201	7,790	36,300	.03
Gifts—novelties and toys—cameras.....	12	12	7	1	5,631	71	7,832	17,560	74,770	.05
Jewelry stores.....	40	40	30	11	29,995	2,092	45,690	190,070	428,794	.30
Luggage and leather goods stores.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Music stores (without radio).....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
News dealers.....	9	7	32	9	14,396	702	7,915	7,670	150,115	.11
Office, school, and store supplies and equipment dealers.....	1	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)	(x)
Sporting goods stores, including athletic and playground equipment.....	5	6	4	1	3,424	200	8,678	24,260	84,320	.06
Stationers and printers.....	6	9	6	1	5,278	160	7,175	24,000	79,878	.06
Miscellaneous classifications (combined).....	101	112	76	49	96,720	11,162	133,339	186,860	1,677,562	1.15
secondhand stores.....	10	11	3	1	1,720	300	3,587	5,160	19,978	.01

¹ Further data will be shown in a special report on milk dealers.² This total includes 1 classification in which the number of stores is less than 3, and concerning which no information can be disclosed.

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**TABLE 34.—RETAIL DISTRIBUTION, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED
NUMBER OF STORES, PERSONNEL, EXPENSES, STOCKS, AND SALES**

TYPE OF OPERATION	Number of stores	Proprietors and firm members (not on pay roll)	NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES		PAY ROLL		ALL OTHER REPORTED EXPENSES (includes rent)	STOCKS ON HAND END OF YEAR (at cost)	NET SALES (1929)	
			Full time	Part time	Total (full time and part time)	Part time only			Amount	Per cent of total sales
Total	7,041	7,391	8,676	2,410	\$9,520,566	\$557,820	\$8,046,888	\$20,813,700	\$145,433,049	100.00
Single-store independents.....	5,868	6,496	6,340	1,051	6,787,081	380,643	6,558,546	16,025,000	102,479,766	70.46
2-store independents.....	98	47	195	42	228,815	8,759	204,870	473,150	2,671,705	1.84
3-store independents.....	14	5	53	—	58,706	—	70,873	93,960	746,944	.61
Local chains.....	81	5	225	78	283,981	15,313	283,683	306,970	3,531,622	2.43
Sectional chains.....	78	—	376	132	469,384	34,438	303,852	498,230	5,099,842	3.61
National chains.....	102	—	653	277	335,023	44,226	692,914	521,300	10,895,983	7.49
Other types of operation:										
Direct selling (house-to-house).....	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	1,187	9,025	.01
Roadside markets or stands ¹	8	8	1	—	780	—	1,008	980	24,298	.02
Itinerant vendors.....	10	11	3	—	1,500	—	4,592	1,980	119,560	.08
Rolling stores.....	3	3	—	—	—	—	4,489	2,820	75,565	.05
Utility operated retail stores.....	15	—	22	11	27,782	3,673	31,489	52,189	245,666	.17
Cooperative buying association ¹	5	—	13	3	14,696	1,047	7,350	16,180	478,968	.33
Retailers—country buyers ¹	622	740	382	163	363,291	32,297	536,204	1,934,919	12,453,446	8.56
Retail—wholesalers ¹	70	68	388	53	429,383	17,524	339,466	817,620	6,482,346	4.46
All other types.....	3	4	19	—	20,044	—	7,010	6,650	118,995	.08

¹ These classifications are used in rural areas and cities of less than 10,000 population. These stores are usually independently operated.

**TABLE 35.—SEVENTEEN KINDS OF BUSINESS, BY TYPES OF OPERATION
ALL PLACES OF LESS THAN 10,000 POPULATION COMBINED**

[An (x) indicates that the amount must be withheld to avoid disclosure of individual operations, but it is included in the total]

KIND OF BUSINESS	Total	Single-store independents	Local multiunits, including local chains	Sectional and national chains	Other types
Department stores:					
Number of stores.....	8	4	—	4	—
Annual net sales.....	\$2,831,481	\$612,193	—	\$2,219,288	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	21.62	—	78.38	—
Variety, 5-and-10, and to-a-dollar stores:					
Number of stores.....	42	27	3	11	1
Annual net sales.....	\$1,032,431	\$367,859	\$39,339	\$624,193	\$1,040
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	35.63	3.81	60.46	.10
Men's and boys' clothing and furnishings stores:					
Number of stores.....	56	54	2	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$1,168,117	(x)	(x)	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	—
Family clothing stores—men's, women's, and children's:					
Number of stores.....	41	33	8	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$813,541	\$661,166	\$152,375	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	81.27	18.73	—	—
Women's ready-to-wear specialty stores—apparel and accessories:					
Number of stores.....	31	25	6	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$534,721	\$417,491	\$117,230	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	78.08	21.92	—	—
Shoe stores:					
Number of stores.....	24	24	—	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$236,217	\$236,217	—	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	100.00	—	—	—
Furniture stores:					
Number of stores.....	65	61	2	2	—
Annual net sales.....	\$1,931,710	\$1,744,671	(x)	(x)	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	90.31	(x)	(x)	—
Radio and music stores:					
Number of stores.....	53	52	—	—	1
Annual net sales.....	\$831,424	\$817,259	—	—	\$14,165
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	98.30	—	—	1.70
Grocery stores (without meats):					
Number of stores.....	968	802	8	100	58
Annual net sales.....	\$9,875,680	\$4,180,640	\$117,618	\$4,892,741	\$684,681
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	42.33	1.19	49.54	6.94
Combination stores (groceries and meats):					
Number of stores.....	750	560	37	80	73
Annual net sales.....	\$20,755,632	\$10,686,424	\$1,619,476	\$6,985,966	\$1,468,769
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	51.49	7.80	33.66	7.05
Restaurants, cafeterias, and lunch rooms:					
Number of stores.....	227	226	1	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$1,552,690	(x)	(x)	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	—
Cigar stores and cigar stands:					
Number of stores.....	65	64	1	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$347,399	(x)	(x)	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	—
Filling stations:					
Number of stations.....	576	512	23	24	17
Annual net sales.....	\$5,240,495	\$3,782,071	\$279,922	\$477,931	\$700,571
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	72.17	5.34	9.12	13.37
Coal and wood yards—ice dealers:					
Number of yards.....	63	56	2	—	5
Annual net sales.....	\$1,674,397	\$1,117,324	(x)	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	70.97	(x)	(x)	(x)
Drug stores:					
Number of stores.....	163	147	16	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$3,535,235	\$2,911,751	\$623,484	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	82.86	17.64	—	—
Hardware stores:					
Number of stores.....	88	79	2	—	7
Annual net sales.....	\$2,677,510	\$2,018,877	(x)	(x)	(x)
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	75.40	(x)	(x)	(x)
Jewelry stores:					
Number of stores.....	40	39	1	—	—
Annual net sales.....	\$428,734	(x)	(x)	—	—
Per cent of total sales.....	100.00	(x)	(x)	—	—