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I transmit herewith a report based on data from the Sixteenth Decennial Census of Population. This report presents statistics showing characteristics of the institutional population 14 years old and over for the United States by regions, States, and counties, and for urban places. The census of population was taken as of April 1, 1940, in conformity with the "Act providing for the Fifteenth Decennial Census" which was approved on June 18, 1929.

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