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**No. 328. EXPERIENCED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, BY SEX AND OCCUPATION, 1950 AND 1960, AND BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1960**

[Persons 14 years old and over. For definition, see text, p. 216. For definition of median, see headnote, table 6. "N.e.c." means not elsewhere classified]

| SEX AND OCCUPATION   | 1950              | 1960              |                  |            |                                    |                        |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|  |                   | Total             | Nonwhite         |            | Median earnings, 1959 <sup>1</sup> | Median age of employed |
|  |                   |                   | Number           | Percent    |                                    |                        |
| <b>Male</b> .....  | <b>42,722,297</b> | <b>45,686,330</b> | <b>4,371,786</b> | <b>9.6</b> | <b>\$4,621</b>                     | <b>40.6</b>            |
| <b>Professional, technical, and kindred workers</b> .....        | <b>3,024,631</b>  | <b>4,542,702</b>  | <b>159,122</b>   | <b>3.5</b> | <b>6,619</b>                       | <b>38.2</b>            |
| Accountants and auditors.....                                    | 328,420           | 396,343           | 5,439            | 1.4        | 6,611                              | 40.1                   |
| Architects.....  | 22,964            | 29,720            | 690              | 2.3        | 8,753                              | 41.5                   |
| Artists and art teachers.....                                    | 49,917            | 67,518            | 2,128            | 3.2        | 6,143                              | 37.7                   |
| Authors, editors, and reporters.....                             | 55,373            | 85,940            | 1,200            | 1.4        | 6,833                              | 39.1                   |
| Chemists.....  | 68,302            | 76,967            | 2,628            | 3.4        | 7,163                              | 36.9                   |
| Clergymen.....   | 162,183           | 197,109           | 15,141           | 7.7        | 4,020                              | 43.0                   |
| College presidents, professors, and instructors (n.e.c.).....    | 96,603            | 139,508           | 5,574            | 4.0        | 7,207                              | 39.6                   |
| Dentists.....  | 73,450            | 81,249            | 2,879            | 3.5        | 11,858                             | 46.1                   |
| Designers and draftsmen.....                                     | 145,885           | 261,619           | 6,338            | 2.4        | 5,958                              | 32.4                   |
| Engineers.....   | 302,715           | 552,398           | 9,472            | 1.7        | 8,361                              | 38.0                   |
| Aeronautical.....  | 17,604            | 51,868            | 1,090            | 2.1        | 9,059                              | 36.0                   |
| Civil.....   | 124,510           | 157,170           | 3,295            | 2.1        | 7,701                              | 40.2                   |
| Electrical.....  | 106,241           | 183,636           | 3,097            | 1.7        | 8,613                              | 36.2                   |
| Mechanical.....  | 114,354           | 159,724           | 1,990            | 1.2        | 8,437                              | 38.8                   |
| Other technical engineers.....                                   | 165,900           | 311,780           | 2,432            | 0.8        | 8,304                              | 38.7                   |
| Lawyers and judges.....  | 176,063           | 205,515           | 2,575            | 1.3        | 10,587                             | 45.3                   |
| Musicians and music teachers.....                                | 82,052            | 86,294            | 6,815            | 7.9        | 4,653                              | 35.8                   |
| Natural scientists (n.e.c.).....                                 | 36,918            | 59,111            | 1,657            | 2.8        | 7,658                              | 35.2                   |
| Pharmacists.....   | 81,818            | 85,482            | 2,256            | 2.6        | 7,202                              | 45.4                   |
| Physicians and surgeons.....                                     | 181,069           | 213,918           | 8,489            | 4.0        | 14,561                             | 43.2                   |
| Social scientists.....   | 24,355            | 42,780            | 1,022            | 2.4        | 7,674                              | 48.2                   |
| Social, welfare, and recreation workers <sup>2</sup> .....       | 33,556            | 58,347            | 6,458            | 11.1       | 4,961                              | 36.2                   |
| Teachers.....  | 222,682           | 419,528           | 30,597           | 7.3        | 5,610                              | 36.0                   |
| Elementary school.....   | 62,178            | 143,936           | 14,616           | 10.2       | 5,220                              | 34.5                   |
| Secondary school.....  | 160,504           | 275,592           | 15,981           | 5.8        | 5,927                              | 37.0                   |
| Teachers (n.e.c.).....   | 66,516            | 58,457            | 3,171            | 5.4        | 5,359                              | 37.6                   |
| Technicians.....   | 40,180            | 141,653           | 8,009            | 5.7        | 5,449                              | 32.2                   |
| Medical and dental.....  | 34,231            | 52,892            | 5,302            | 10.0       | 4,503                              | 34.6                   |
| Electrical and electronic.....                                   | 11,949            | 88,761            | 2,707            | 3.0        | 5,921                              | 31.1                   |
| Other professional, technical, and kindred workers.....          | 541,611           | 971,466           | 34,152           | 3.5        | 5,848                              | 36.5                   |
| <b>Farmers and farm managers</b> .....                           | <b>4,207,360</b>  | <b>2,406,989</b>  | <b>178,747</b>   | <b>7.4</b> | <b>2,169</b>                       | <b>49.2</b>            |
| <b>Managers, officials, and proprietors, exc. farm</b> .....     | <b>4,407,925</b>  | <b>4,695,203</b>  | <b>93,581</b>    | <b>2.0</b> | <b>6,664</b>                       | <b>45.4</b>            |
| Officials and inspectors, State and local administration.....    | 112,539           | 135,816           | 2,682            | 2.0        | 5,554                              | 49.7                   |
| Other specified managers and officials.....                      | 486,040           | 604,449           | 13,234           | 2.2        | 6,613                              | 44.2                   |
| Managers, officials, and proprietors (n.e.c.)—salaried.....      | 1,598,750         | 2,252,255         | 29,710           | 1.3        | 7,389                              | 43.3                   |
| Manufacturing.....   | 395,539           | 609,914           | 3,298            | 0.5        | 9,156                              | 44.0                   |
| Wholesale and retail trade.....                                  | 587,810           | 708,568           | 11,131           | 1.6        | 6,087                              | 41.3                   |
| Finance, insurance, and real estate.....                         | 160,047           | 295,267           | 4,041            | 1.4        | 7,071                              | 43.5                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                       | 449,354           | 638,508           | 11,240           | 1.8        | 7,282                              | 44.6                   |
| Managers, officials, and proprietors (n.e.c.)—self-employed..... | 2,210,590         | 1,702,083         | 47,955           | 2.8        | 5,764                              | 48.1                   |
| Construction.....  | 201,345           | 227,940           | 4,949            | 2.2        | 6,577                              | 44.5                   |
| Manufacturing.....   | 231,097           | 160,141           | 1,850            | 1.2        | 8,076                              | 48.4                   |
| Wholesale trade.....   | 171,441           | 128,894           | 3,666            | 2.8        | 7,541                              | 49.0                   |
| Eating and drinking places.....                                  | 217,071           | 145,869           | 8,220            | 5.6        | 4,886                              | 48.4                   |
| Retail trade, exc. eating and drinking places.....               | 905,385           | 680,897           | 15,480           | 2.3        | 5,223                              | 48.4                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                       | 424,257           | 358,942           | 13,790           | 3.8        | 5,907                              | 49.1                   |
| <b>Clerical and kindred workers</b> .....                        | <b>2,723,092</b>  | <b>3,120,137</b>  | <b>212,771</b>   | <b>6.8</b> | <b>4,785</b>                       | <b>38.0</b>            |
| Bookkeepers.....   | 170,446           | 152,961           | 3,004            | 2.0        | 4,444                              | 38.8                   |
| Mail carriers.....   | 164,403           | 197,402           | 21,768           | 11.0       | 5,289                              | 40.4                   |
| Other clerical and kindred workers.....                          | 2,388,183         | 2,769,774         | 187,999          | 6.8        | 4,736                              | 37.7                   |

See footnotes at end of table.

U.S. Bureau of the Census.  
Statistical Abstract of the United States, 1966.

No. 328. EXPERIENCED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, BY SEX AND OCCUPATION, 1950 AND 1960, AND BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1960—Continued

(Persons 14 years old and over)

| SEX AND OCCUPATION   | 1950      | 1960      |           |         |                                    |                        |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|  |           | Total     | Nonwhite  |         | Median earnings, 1959 <sup>1</sup> | Median age of employed |
|  |           |           | Number    | Percent |                                    |                        |
| <b>Male—Continued</b>  |           |           |           |         |                                    |                        |
| <b>Sales workers</b> .....   | 2,642,022 | 3,054,979 | 63,879    | 2.1     | \$4,987                            | 39.2                   |
| Insurance agents, brokers, and underwriters.....                         | 250,755   | 333,126   | 6,305     | 1.9     | 6,173                              | 40.2                   |
| Real estate agents and brokers.....                                      | 122,319   | 148,957   | 3,095     | 2.1     | 5,978                              | 50.5                   |
| Other specified sales workers.....                                       | 162,369   | 275,926   | 10,763    | 3.9     | 783                                | 17.3                   |
| Salesmen and sales clerks (n.a.c.).....                                  | 2,106,579 | 2,296,970 | 43,716    | 1.9     | 4,982                              | 39.7                   |
| Manufacturing.....   | 310,917   | 423,623   | 2,710     | 0.6     | 6,719                              | 40.2                   |
| Wholesale trade.....   | 397,363   | 463,001   | 4,528     | 0.9     | 6,037                              | 41.2                   |
| Retail trade.....  | 1,294,689 | 1,252,619 | 34,629    | 2.8     | 3,894                              | 38.6                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                               | 103,610   | 137,727   | 1,849     | 1.3     | 5,548                              | 40.6                   |
| <b>Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers</b> .....                     | 7,958,853 | 8,972,749 | 443,623   | 4.9     | 5,240                              | 41.8                   |
| Bakers.....  | 110,598   | 94,183    | 8,078     | 8.6     | 4,552                              | 42.5                   |
| Blacksmiths, forgemen, and hammermen.....                                | 58,505    | 33,025    | 1,698     | 5.1     | 4,655                              | 47.9                   |
| Boilermakers.....  | 38,697    | 26,827    | 825       | 3.1     | 5,496                              | 44.7                   |
| Cabinetmakers and patternmakers.....                                     | 111,679   | 107,718   | 2,642     | 2.5     | 5,142                              | 42.5                   |
| Carpenters.....  | 987,365   | 920,862   | 48,699    | 5.3     | 4,164                              | 43.4                   |
| Compositors and typesetters.....   | 167,791   | 167,046   | 4,559     | 2.7     | 5,758                              | 40.2                   |
| Cranemen, derrickmen, and holstmen.....                                  | 106,850   | 131,398   | 13,100    | 10.0    | 5,251                              | 42.2                   |
| Electricians.....  | 323,883   | 352,806   | 7,605     | 2.2     | 5,959                              | 40.8                   |
| Foremen (n.e.c.).....  | 786,345   | 1,117,338 | 20,944    | 1.9     | 6,616                              | 44.5                   |
| Manufacturing, durable goods.....  | 278,882   | 433,314   | 4,900     | 1.1     | 7,347                              | 43.8                   |
| Manufacturing, nondurable goods (incl. not specified manufacturing)..... | 188,981   | 262,595   | 4,395     | 1.7     | 6,404                              | 44.4                   |
| Nonmanufacturing industry (incl. not reported).....                      | 318,482   | 421,429   | 11,640    | 2.8     | 6,107                              | 45.3                   |
| <b>Linemen and servicemen, telegraph, telephone, and power</b> .....     | 211,795   | 272,579   | 4,664     | 1.7     | 6,000                              | 33.7                   |
| Locomotive engineers.....  | 73,027    | 57,561    | 285       | 0.5     | 7,667                              | 53.9                   |
| Locomotive firemen.....  | 55,955    | 39,008    | 923       | 2.4     | 5,983                              | 39.3                   |
| Machinists and jobsetters.....   | 551,435   | 548,579   | 15,114    | 2.8     | 5,498                              | 42.2                   |
| Masons, tilesetters, and stonecutters.....                               | 184,402   | 213,194   | 26,222    | 12.3    | 4,793                              | 37.9                   |
| Mechanics and repairmen.....   | 827,194   | 921,884   | 62,545    | 6.8     | 4,531                              | 38.4                   |
| Airplane.....  | 73,108    | 116,800   | 5,374     | 4.6     | 5,898                              | 37.9                   |
| Automobile.....  | 677,365   | 700,716   | 51,875    | 7.4     | 4,298                              | 38.4                   |
| Radio and TV.....  | 76,721    | 104,368   | 5,296     | 5.1     | 4,304                              | 35.9                   |
| Other mechanics and repairmen, and loom fixers.....                      | 973,137   | 1,375,025 | 76,621    | 5.6     | 4,836                              | 42.0                   |
| <b>Millwrights</b> .....   | 59,953    | 67,792    | 1,273     | 1.9     | 5,995                              | 44.8                   |
| Molders, metal.....  | 62,874    | 50,564    | 11,875    | 23.5    | 4,759                              | 41.0                   |
| Painters (construction), paperhangers, and glaziers.....                 | 454,422   | 432,842   | 33,228    | 7.7     | 3,727                              | 45.2                   |
| Plasterers and cement finishers.....                                     | 96,511    | 100,205   | 22,826    | 22.8    | 4,646                              | 39.6                   |
| Plumbers and pipefitters.....  | 295,732   | 329,983   | 12,611    | 3.8     | 5,593                              | 42.2                   |
| Printing craftsmen, exc. compositors and typesetters.....                | 110,667   | 127,202   | 3,306     | 2.6     | 6,208                              | 38.6                   |
| Shoemakers and repairers, except factory.....                            | 56,007    | 35,509    | 4,630     | 13.0    | 2,899                              | 51.8                   |
| Stationary engineers.....  | 217,649   | 273,896   | 6,373     | 2.3     | 6,296                              | 44.0                   |
| Structural metal workers.....  | 55,087    | 65,885    | 3,275     | 5.0     | 5,543                              | 41.1                   |
| Tailors and furriers.....  | 80,781    | 36,546    | 2,704     | 7.4     | 4,060                              | 56.4                   |
| Tinsmiths, coppermiths, and sheet metal workers.....                     | 128,838   | 143,777   | 3,420     | 2.4     | 5,485                              | 39.4                   |
| Toolmakers, and die makers and setters.....                              | 155,894   | 185,395   | 1,815     | 1.0     | 6,527                              | 42.1                   |
| Other craftsmen and kindred workers.....                                 | 615,180   | 744,120   | 41,763    | 5.6     | 4,800                              | 40.9                   |
| <b>Operatives and kindred workers</b> .....                              | 8,566,269 | 9,233,779 | 1,023,854 | 11.1    | 4,299                              | 38.4                   |
| Apprentices.....   | 116,789   | 85,282    | 2,647     | 3.1     | 3,486                              | 22.9                   |
| Assemblers.....  | 239,947   | 375,952   | 28,048    | 7.7     | 4,491                              | 36.9                   |
| Attendants, auto service and parking.....                                | 241,480   | 370,201   | 36,923    | 10.0    | 2,296                              | 25.8                   |
| Brakemen and switchmen, railroad.....                                    | 142,107   | 124,302   | 3,683     | 3.0     | 5,642                              | 41.1                   |
| Bus drivers.....   | 152,940   | 166,273   | 17,928    | 10.8    | 4,411                              | 44.7                   |
| Checkers, examiners, and inspectors, manufacturing.....                  | 163,000   | 277,504   | 9,920     | 3.6     | 5,240                              | 40.5                   |
| Filers, grinders, and polishers, metal.....                              | 148,620   | 149,837   | 12,417    | 8.3     | 5,051                              | 41.7                   |
| Furnacemen, smeltermen, and pourers.....                                 | 56,283    | 55,800    | 13,305    | 23.8    | 5,096                              | 41.8                   |
| Laundry and dry cleaning operatives.....                                 | 148,852   | 115,748   | 44,340    | 38.3    | 2,948                              | 41.1                   |
| Meat cutters, exc. slaughter and packing house.....                      | 173,339   | 180,173   | 8,920     | 5.0     | 4,644                              | 41.1                   |

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No. 828. EXPERIENCED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, BY SEX AND OCCUPATION, 1950  
AND 1960, AND BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1960—Continued

[Persons 14 years old and over]

| SEX AND OCCUPATION   | 1950             | 1960             |                |             |                                    |                        |
|--|------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|  |                  | Total            | Nonwhite       |             | Median earnings, 1959 <sup>1</sup> | Median age of employed |
|  |                  |                  | Number         | Percent     |                                    |                        |
| <b>Male—Continued</b>  |                  |                  |                |             |                                    |                        |
| <b>Operatives and kindred workers—Con.</b>                     |                  |                  |                |             |                                    |                        |
| Mine operatives and laborers (n.e.c.).....                     | 600,601          | 320,398          | 17,272         | 5.2         | \$4,240                            | 40.2                   |
| Packers and wrappers (n.e.c.).....                             | 123,041          | 101,487          | 31,556         | 16.5        | 3,333                              | 32.4                   |
| Painters, exc. construction and maintenance.                   | 109,018          | 133,511          | 14,870         | 11.1        | 4,245                              | 38.8                   |
| Power station operators.....                                   | 20,951           | 25,674           | 5,438          | 1.7         | 6,238                              | 44.0                   |
| Sailors and deckhands.....                                     | 51,022           | 40,379           | 5,439          | 13.5        | 4,294                              | 38.8                   |
| Sawyers.....   | 96,694           | 92,187           | 16,876         | 18.3        | 2,775                              | 40.5                   |
| Spinners and weavers, textile.....                             | 84,188           | 49,098           | 574            | 1.2         | 3,599                              | 40.6                   |
| Stationary firemen.....  | 126,487          | 91,955           | 11,958         | 13.0        | 4,800                              | 47.3                   |
| Taxicab drivers and chauffeurs.....                            | 210,312          | 166,248          | 31,705         | 19.1        | 3,272                              | 45.6                   |
| Truck drivers and deliverymen <sup>2</sup> .....               | 1,632,405        | 2,080,754        | 277,965        | 13.4        | 4,221                              | 37.1                   |
| Welders and flame-cutters.....                                 | 266,833          | 368,446          | 24,787         | 6.7         | 5,026                              | 39.9                   |
| Other specified operatives and kindred workers.....            | 325,429          | 256,131          | 21,366         | 8.3         | 4,240                              | 40.5                   |
| <b>Operatives and kindred workers (n.e.c.).....</b>            | <b>3,335,931</b> | <b>3,507,469</b> | <b>390,008</b> | <b>11.1</b> | <b>4,374</b>                       | <b>38.7</b>            |
| <b>Manufacturing.....</b>                                      | <b>2,783,127</b> | <b>2,934,354</b> | <b>298,919</b> | <b>10.2</b> | <b>4,447</b>                       | <b>38.6</b>            |
| <b>Durable goods.....</b>                                      | <b>1,456,662</b> | <b>1,610,729</b> | <b>167,666</b> | <b>10.4</b> | <b>4,542</b>                       | <b>38.9</b>            |
| Saw and planing mills, and misc. wood products.....            | 171,597          | 130,846          | 25,445         | 19.4        | 3,067                              | 38.9                   |
| Furniture and fixtures.....                                    | 89,745           | 90,820           | 9,020          | 9.9         | 3,229                              | 37.1                   |
| Stone, clay, and glass products.....                           | 129,068          | 143,488          | 15,239         | 10.6        | 4,542                              | 38.4                   |
| Primary metal industries.....                                  | 240,412          | 236,965          | 36,845         | 15.6        | 4,821                              | 40.7                   |
| Fabricated metal industries (incl. not specified).....         | 165,369          | 231,926          | 19,785         | 8.5         | 4,512                              | 38.0                   |
| Machinery, except electrical.....                              | 192,742          | 246,265          | 11,433         | 4.6         | 4,795                              | 39.5                   |
| Electrical machinery, equipment, and supplies.....             | 112,020          | 159,548          | 9,400          | 5.9         | 4,802                              | 37.1                   |
| Motor vehicles and motor vehicle equipment.....                | 182,519          | 154,820          | 23,546         | 15.2        | 4,994                              | 39.4                   |
| Transportation equipment, exc. motor vehicle.....              | 57,005           | 102,353          | 9,240          | 9.0         | 4,951                              | 39.2                   |
| Other durable goods.....                                       | 116,185          | 113,698          | 7,704          | 6.8         | 4,118                              | 38.9                   |
| <b>Nondurable goods.....</b>                                   | <b>1,318,699</b> | <b>1,317,445</b> | <b>129,096</b> | <b>9.9</b>  | <b>4,316</b>                       | <b>38.3</b>            |
| Food and kindred products.....                                 | 200,613          | 325,551          | 53,155         | 16.3        | 4,248                              | 38.2                   |
| Yarn, thread, and fabric mills.....                            | 204,327          | 138,242          | 7,007          | 5.1         | 3,155                              | 39.0                   |
| Knitting, and other textile mill products.....                 | 48,452           | 53,916           | 4,107          | 7.6         | 3,493                              | 39.0                   |
| Apparel and other fabricated textile products.....             | 143,557          | 116,774          | 8,089          | 7.7         | 3,804                              | 41.4                   |
| Paper and allied products.....                                 | 147,755          | 174,670          | 12,360         | 7.1         | 4,020                              | 35.7                   |
| Chemicals and allied products.....                             | 136,326          | 164,616          | 16,668         | 10.1        | 5,306                              | 38.4                   |
| Other nondurable goods.....                                    | 347,669          | 343,676          | 27,700         | 8.1         | 4,541                              | 38.5                   |
| Not specified manufacturing industries.....                    | 7,766            | 6,180            | 1,267          | 20.5        | 3,543                              | 34.5                   |
| <b>Nonmanufacturing industries (incl. not reported).....</b>   | <b>552,804</b>   | <b>573,115</b>   | <b>91,089</b>  | <b>15.9</b> | <b>3,950</b>                       | <b>38.8</b>            |
| Transportation, communication, and other public utilities..... | 169,412          | 137,660          | 17,282         | 12.6        | 4,669                              | 43.2                   |
| Wholesale and retail trade.....                                | 158,507          | 159,569          | 29,326         | 18.4        | 3,443                              | 36.8                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                     | 224,885          | 275,886          | 44,481         | 16.1        | 3,698                              | 37.4                   |
| <b>Private household workers.....</b>                          | <b>77,860</b>    | <b>65,013</b>    | <b>31,498</b>  | <b>48.4</b> | <b>1,078</b>                       | <b>47.2</b>            |
| <b>Service workers, exc. private household.....</b>            | <b>2,508,713</b> | <b>2,745,288</b> | <b>590,689</b> | <b>21.5</b> | <b>3,310</b>                       | <b>43.4</b>            |
| Barbers.....   | 179,928          | 175,216          | 16,734         | 9.6         | 3,716                              | 48.8                   |
| Charwomen, janitors, and porters <sup>3</sup> .....            | 639,462          | 754,066          | 290,295        | 38.5        | 2,756                              | 48.5                   |
| Cooks.....   | 213,278          | 251,978          | 59,107         | 27.4        | 3,397                              | 42.8                   |
| Elevator operators.....  | 65,832           | 51,677           | 11,410         | 22.1        | 3,359                              | 52.2                   |
| Firemen, fire protection.....                                  | 111,200          | 138,694          | 3,533          | 2.5         | 5,469                              | 38.6                   |
| Guards and watchmen.....                                       | 244,187          | 250,421          | 14,742         | 5.9         | 3,950                              | 52.8                   |
| Police, sheriffs, and marshals <sup>4</sup> .....              | 216,176          | 276,976          | 10,803         | 3.9         | 5,210                              | 38.7                   |
| Waiters, bartenders, and counter workers.....                  | 369,451          | 331,013          | 49,117         | 14.8        | 2,975                              | 40.8                   |
| Other service workers.....                                     | 469,199          | 551,247          | 134,948        | 24.5        | 2,062                              | 33.5                   |
| Farm laborers and foremen.....                                 | 2,063,625        | 1,289,827        | 309,028        | 24.0        | 1,066                              | 31.2                   |
| <b>Unpaid family workers.....</b>                              | <b>600,111</b>   | <b>158,946</b>   | <b>21,998</b>  | <b>13.8</b> | <b>649</b>                         | <b>18.3</b>            |
| <b>Exc. unpaid, and farm foremen.....</b>                      | <b>1,463,514</b> | <b>1,130,881</b> | <b>287,030</b> | <b>25.4</b> | <b>1,124</b>                       | <b>34.2</b>            |

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No. 328. EXPERIENCED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, BY SEX AND OCCUPATION, 1950 AND 1960, AND BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1960—Continued

[Persons 14 years old and over]

| SEX AND OCCUPATION   | 1950              | 1960              |                  |             |                                    |                        |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|  |                   | Total             | Nonwhite         |             | Median earnings, 1959 <sup>1</sup> | Median age of employed |
|  |                   |                   | Number           | Percent     |                                    |                        |
| <b>Male—Continued</b>  |                   |                   |                  |             |                                    |                        |
| <b>Laborers, except farm and mine.....</b>                       | <b>3,634,332</b>  | <b>3,404,973</b>  | <b>887,450</b>   | <b>25.1</b> | <b>\$2,948</b>                     | <b>37.4</b>            |
| Fishermen and oystermen.....                                     | 76,586            | 40,480            | 5,231            | 12.9        | 2,395                              | 42.9                   |
| Longshoremen and stevedores.....                                 | 71,783            | 60,302            | 22,898           | 38.0        | 4,710                              | 44.8                   |
| Lumbermen, raftsmen, and woodchoppers.....                       | 187,518           | 135,197           | 40,744           | 30.1        | 1,748                              | 36.6                   |
| Other specified laborers.....                                    | 431,141           | 520,463           | 132,357          | 25.4        | 2,566                              | 36.7                   |
| <b>Laborers (n.e.c.).....</b>                                    | <b>2,867,324</b>  | <b>2,048,531</b>  | <b>686,220</b>   | <b>25.9</b> | <b>3,049</b>                       | <b>37.3</b>            |
| <b>Manufacturing.....</b>  | <b>1,079,578</b>  | <b>898,399</b>    | <b>218,318</b>   | <b>24.3</b> | <b>3,623</b>                       | <b>37.5</b>            |
| Durable goods.....   | 690,530           | 590,050           | 142,928          | 24.2        | 3,668                              | 38.1                   |
| Nondurable goods.....  | 373,558           | 305,503           | 74,555           | 24.4        | 3,533                              | 36.3                   |
| Not specified manufacturing industries.....                      | 9,400             | 2,206             | 835              | 37.9        | 3,129                              | 34.4                   |
| <b>Nonmanufacturing industries (incl. not reported).....</b>     | <b>1,787,746</b>  | <b>1,750,132</b>  | <b>467,902</b>   | <b>26.7</b> | <b>2,680</b>                       | <b>37.2</b>            |
| Construction.....  | 692,081           | 746,145           | 203,798          | 27.3        | 2,965                              | 38.6                   |
| Railroads and railway express service.....                       | 277,337           | 133,295           | 39,279           | 29.5        | 4,024                              | 48.1                   |
| Transportation, except railroad.....                             | 84,049            | 89,380            | 19,829           | 22.2        | 3,714                              | 30.7                   |
| Communication, and utilities and sanitary service.....           | 129,811           | 122,027           | 38,230           | 31.3        | 3,433                              | 40.2                   |
| Wholesale and retail trade.....                                  | 253,740           | 353,667           | 67,249           | 19.0        | 1,318                              | 21.6                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                       | 349,228           | 305,612           | 90,517           | 32.6        | 1,841                              | 40.2                   |
| <b>Occupation not reported.....</b>                              | <b>907,615</b>    | <b>2,155,591</b>  | <b>377,544</b>   | <b>17.5</b> | <b>4,114</b>                       | <b>37.8</b>            |
| <b>Female.....</b>   | <b>16,507,234</b> | <b>22,303,748</b> | <b>2,848,334</b> | <b>12.8</b> | <b>2,257</b>                       | <b>40.4</b>            |
| <b>Professional, technical, and kindred workers.....</b>         | <b>1,975,847</b>  | <b>2,792,997</b>  | <b>201,060</b>   | <b>7.2</b>  | <b>3,625</b>                       | <b>41.2</b>            |
| Accountants and auditors.....                                    | 56,884            | 80,483            | 2,008            | 2.5         | 4,209                              | 42.5                   |
| Actors, dancers, and entertainers (n.e.c.).....                  | 23,569            | 24,679            | 1,061            | 4.3         | 1,880                              | 30.8                   |
| Artists and art teachers.....                                    | 30,802            | 37,187            | 1,010            | 2.7         | 3,433                              | 38.1                   |
| Authors, editors, and reporters.....                             | 33,072            | 45,608            | 568              | 1.2         | 3,339                              | 40.5                   |
| College presidents, professors, and instructors (n.e.c.).....    | 29,207            | 39,108            | 2,250            | 5.7         | 4,780                              | 43.9                   |
| Designers and draftsmen.....                                     | 19,430            | 24,943            | 860              | 3.4         | 4,122                              | 38.0                   |
| Dietitians and nutritionists.....                                | 21,515            | 24,757            | 3,951            | 16.0        | 2,916                              | 43.9                   |
| Lawyers and judges.....  | 6,348             | 7,543             | 197              | 2.6         | 5,109                              | 45.4                   |
| Librarians.....  | 49,597            | 72,431            | 3,694            | 5.1         | 3,572                              | 46.1                   |
| Musicians and music teachers.....                                | 79,907            | 111,235           | 4,202            | 3.8         | 1,301                              | 43.3                   |
| Natural scientists.....  | 13,654            | 15,052            | 928              | 6.2         | 4,970                              | 33.3                   |
| Nurses, professional.....  | 395,438           | 577,038           | 37,685           | 6.5         | 3,186                              | 39.1                   |
| Nurses, student professional.....                                | 75,344            | 56,745            | 2,172            | 3.8         | 622                                | 20.0                   |
| Physicians and surgeons.....                                     | 11,823            | 15,072            | 1,581            | 10.1        | 5,517                              | 41.2                   |
| Social scientists.....   | 11,677            | 14,375            | 497              | 3.5         | 4,578                              | 40.8                   |
| Social, welfare, and recreation workers <sup>1</sup> .....       | 80,291            | 78,017            | 9,630            | 12.4        | 4,074                              | 43.4                   |
| <b>Teachers.....</b>   | <b>826,394</b>    | <b>1,111,721</b>  | <b>101,512</b>   | <b>9.1</b>  | <b>4,120</b>                       | <b>44.5</b>            |
| Elementary school.....   | 616,208           | 806,746           | 81,945           | 9.5         | 4,033                              | 44.6                   |
| Secondary school.....  | 210,186           | 244,975           | 19,567           | 8.0         | 4,427                              | 44.2                   |
| Teachers (n.e.c.).....   | 17,727            | 93,960            | 6,909            | 7.4         | 2,655                              | 43.2                   |
| Technicians, medical and dental.....                             | 44,154            | 87,944            | 6,855            | 7.8         | 3,180                              | 30.9                   |
| Therapists and healers (n.e.c.).....                             | 12,393            | 20,204            | 1,198            | 5.9         | 3,522                              | 40.2                   |
| Other.....   | 155,701           | 254,235           | 12,272           | 4.8         | 3,720                              | 38.8                   |
| <b>Farmers and farm managers.....</b>                            | <b>118,021</b>    | <b>119,818</b>    | <b>18,095</b>    | <b>15.1</b> | <b>836</b>                         | <b>51.4</b>            |
| <b>Managers, officials, and proprietors, exc. farm.....</b>      | <b>688,214</b>    | <b>794,286</b>    | <b>31,095</b>    | <b>3.9</b>  | <b>3,355</b>                       | <b>47.9</b>            |
| <b>Specified managers and officials.....</b>                     | <b>129,590</b>    | <b>163,180</b>    | <b>4,185</b>     | <b>2.6</b>  | <b>3,509</b>                       | <b>47.6</b>            |
| Managers, officials, and proprietors (n.e.c.)—salaried.....      | 218,598           | 341,193           | 10,606           | 3.1         | 3,701                              | 45.6                   |
| Wholesale and retail trade.....                                  | 88,150            | 110,430           | 3,750            | 3.4         | 3,309                              | 45.0                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                       | 130,448           | 230,703           | 6,856            | 3.0         | 3,926                              | 45.9                   |
| Managers, officials, and proprietors (n.e.c.)—self-employed..... | 340,026           | 280,904           | 16,304           | 5.6         | 2,429                              | 50.3                   |
| Eating and drinking places.....                                  | 76,806            | 66,380            | 6,246            | 9.4         | 2,052                              | 47.9                   |
| Wholesale and retail trade, exc. eating and drinking places..... | 174,883           | 124,488           | 5,974            | 4.8         | 2,352                              | 50.9                   |
| Other industries (incl. not reported).....                       | 88,337            | 99,036            | 4,084            | 4.1         | 2,838                              | 51.3                   |

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## No. 328. EXPERIENCED CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE, BY SEX AND OCCUPATION, 1950 AND 1960, AND BY SELECTED CHARACTERISTICS, 1960—Continued

[Persons 14 years old and over]

| SEX AND OCCUPATION  | 1950             | 1960             |                |             |              | Median earnings, 1959 <sup>1</sup> | Median age of employed |
|---|------------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|------------------------------------|------------------------|
|   |                  | Total            | Nonwhite       |             | Percent      |                                    |                        |
|   |                  |                  | Number         | Percent     |              |                                    |                        |
| <b>Female—Continued</b>   |                  |                  |                |             |              |                                    |                        |
| Clerical and kindred workers.....                               | 4,408,498        | 6,497,350        | 236,440        | 3.6         | \$3,017      | 38.0                               |                        |
| Bookkeepers.....  | 668,258          | 783,309          | 11,285         | 1.4         | 3,002        | 39.1                               |                        |
| Cashiers.....   | 190,932          | 386,834          | 14,454         | 3.7         | 1,964        | 36.8                               |                        |
| Office-machine operators.....                                   | 120,348          | 236,413          | 11,799         | 5.0         | 3,242        | 30.6                               |                        |
| Secretaries.....  | 781,324          | 1,451,639        | 28,384         | 2.0         | 3,368        | 34.5                               |                        |
| Stenographers.....  | 418,844          | 264,157          | 7,469          | 2.8         | 3,340        | 32.7                               |                        |
| Telephone operators.....  | 350,073          | 350,186          | 9,398          | 2.6         | 3,188        | 35.8                               |                        |
| Typists.....  | 339,875          | 516,844          | 34,667         | 6.7         | 2,801        | 29.3                               |                        |
| Other clerical and kindred workers.....                         | 1,640,844        | 2,501,968        | 118,984        | 4.8         | 2,852        | 37.6                               |                        |
| <b>Sales workers.....</b>                                       | <b>1,383,134</b> | <b>1,746,362</b> | <b>49,686</b>  | <b>2.8</b>  | <b>1,498</b> | <b>43.3</b>                        |                        |
| Insurance and real estate agents and brokers <sup>2</sup> ..... | 45,979           | 82,889           | 3,663          | 4.4         | 3,018        | 47.0                               |                        |
| Other specified sales workers.....                              | 25,428           | 71,808           | 2,318          | 3.2         | 773          | 39.3                               |                        |
| Salesmen and sales clerks (n.e.c.), retail trade.....           | 1,240,816        | 1,471,694        | 39,872         | 2.7         | 1,475        | 43.4                               |                        |
| Salesmen and sales clerks (n.e.c.), exc. retail trade.....      | 70,911           | 119,971          | 3,833          | 3.2         | 1,638        | 42.0                               |                        |
| <b>Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers.....</b>             | <b>246,068</b>   | <b>268,234</b>   | <b>19,525</b>  | <b>7.3</b>  | <b>2,927</b> | <b>43.6</b>                        |                        |
| Foremen (n.e.c.).....   | 69,621           | 81,717           | 3,369          | 4.1         | 3,497        | 45.0                               |                        |
| Other craftsmen and kindred workers.....                        | 176,447          | 186,517          | 16,156         | 8.7         | 2,601        | 42.9                               |                        |
| <b>Operatives and kindred workers.....</b>                      | <b>3,188,051</b> | <b>3,612,265</b> | <b>383,831</b> | <b>10.6</b> | <b>2,319</b> | <b>41.1</b>                        |                        |
| Assemblers.....   | 156,957          | 310,802          | 17,306         | 5.6         | 2,908        | 39.3                               |                        |
| Checkers, examiners, and inspectors, manufacturing.....         | 185,772          | 236,631          | 10,425         | 4.4         | 2,886        | 41.5                               |                        |
| Dressmakers and seamstresses, except factory.....               | 142,866          | 119,510          | 10,963         | 9.2         | 1,401        | 55.3                               |                        |
| Laundry and dry cleaning operatives.....                        | 301,993          | 296,294          | 112,031        | 37.8        | 1,616        | 42.7                               |                        |
| Spinners and weavers, textile.....                              | 103,392          | 68,841           | 486            | 0.7         | 2,698        | 43.0                               |                        |
| Other specified operatives and kindred workers.....             | 881,371          | 1,094,612        | 80,441         | 7.3         | 2,302        | 40.7                               |                        |
| <b>Operatives and kindred workers (n.e.c.).....</b>             | <b>1,415,670</b> | <b>1,485,575</b> | <b>152,179</b> | <b>10.2</b> | <b>2,401</b> | <b>40.4</b>                        |                        |
| Manufacturing.....  | 1,295,522        | 1,370,880        | 129,647        | 9.5         | 2,439        | 40.3                               |                        |
| Durable goods.....  | 392,229          | 437,123          | 33,195         | 7.6         | 2,887        | 39.6                               |                        |
| Non-durable goods.....  | 903,293          | 933,757          | 96,652         | 10.4        | 2,290        | 40.7                               |                        |
| Nonmanufacturing industry (incl. not reported).....             | 120,148          | 114,695          | 22,332         | 19.5        | 1,738        | 41.2                               |                        |
| <b>Private household workers.....</b>                           | <b>1,413,689</b> | <b>1,759,804</b> | <b>958,875</b> | <b>54.5</b> | <b>684</b>   | <b>44.8</b>                        |                        |
| Private household workers—living in.....                        | 204,100          | 159,679          | 42,175         | 26.4        | 1,178        | 51.6                               |                        |
| Private household workers—living out <sup>3</sup> .....         | 1,209,589        | 1,600,125        | 916,700        | 57.3        | 658          | 44.2                               |                        |
| <b>Service workers, exc. private household.....</b>             | <b>2,014,857</b> | <b>3,020,193</b> | <b>590,053</b> | <b>19.5</b> | <b>1,385</b> | <b>41.7</b>                        |                        |
| Attendants, hospital and other institution.....                 | 125,173          | 300,979          | 73,254         | 24.3        | 1,640        | 39.6                               |                        |
| Charwomen, janitors, and porters <sup>4</sup> .....             | 133,724          | 213,267          | 56,650         | 26.6        | 1,332        | 48.8                               |                        |
| Cooks.....  | 252,412          | 381,078          | 89,088         | 23.5        | 1,337        | 47.5                               |                        |
| Hairdressers and cosmetologists.....                            | 194,474          | 271,023          | 34,482         | 12.7        | 1,998        | 39.5                               |                        |
| Housekeepers, stewards, exc. priv. hhd.....                     | 85,291           | 121,811          | 12,775         | 10.5        | 2,118        | 51.3                               |                        |
| Practical nurses and midwives.....                              | 140,439          | 208,267          | 35,788         | 17.2        | 1,839        | 48.5                               |                        |
| Waiters, bartenders, and counter workers.....                   | 649,551          | 916,976          | 69,728         | 7.6         | 1,055        | 35.4                               |                        |
| Other service workers.....                                      | 433,793          | 606,192          | 217,088        | 35.9        | 1,207        | 43.4                               |                        |
| <b>Farm laborers and foremen.....</b>                           | <b>469,000</b>   | <b>269,697</b>   | <b>91,390</b>  | <b>33.9</b> | <b>602</b>   | <b>40.0</b>                        |                        |
| Unpaid family workers.....                                      | 320,543          | 125,392          | 15,890         | 12.7        | 624          | 42.9                               |                        |
| Exc. unpaid, and farm foremen.....                              | 148,457          | 144,305          | 75,500         | 52.3        | 600          | 36.4                               |                        |
| <b>Laborers, except farm and mine.....</b>                      | <b>139,849</b>   | <b>125,049</b>   | <b>30,003</b>  | <b>24.0</b> | <b>1,872</b> | <b>39.1</b>                        |                        |
| Occupation not reported.....                                    | 462,006          | 1,297,693        | 238,281        | 18.4        | 2,187        | 39.7                               |                        |

<sup>1</sup> Based on persons with earnings in 1959. <sup>2</sup> Includes group workers. <sup>3</sup> Includes tractor drivers.<sup>4</sup> Includes sextons. <sup>5</sup> Includes constables, detectives, and bailiffs. <sup>6</sup> Includes underwriters.<sup>7</sup> Includes all babysitters, whether living in or living out.

Source: Dept. of Commerce, Bureau of the Census; U.S. Census of Population: 1960, Vol. I.