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OF THE

Commonwealth of Massachusetts,

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FACTS EXISTING ON THE FIRST DAY OF JUNE,

1855.

WITH REMARKS ON THE SAME.

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THE abstracts which are comprised in the following pages, have been prepared from the official returns received at this office, in compliance with an Act which passed both branches of the legislature on the 21st day of May, 1855, and received the official sanction of the governor of the Commonwealth on the same day. The object proposed by the Act was to obtain an exact enumeration of the population of Massachusetts, according to facts existing on the 1st day of June, 1855, and also for every tenth year thereafter, the day selected agreeing precisely with that adopted for taking other censuses in the country. This Act, taken in connection with provisions made by the general government for an enumeration of the people of the United States, to be taken also on every tenth year, but commencing with the year 1790, will furnish a series of quinquennial

censuses of the population of the Commonwealth, which will be of great value in statistical inquiries, in which the citizens of Massachusetts are so much interested, and for the high attainments in which they are so well and favorably known, both at home and abroad.

Generally speaking, it is believed that the enumeration of the inhabitants has been faithfully performed by the sworn agents of the mayor and aldermen of the respective cities, and of the selectmen of the several towns throughout the State. It is, however, a matter of much regret, that in some of the minor matters there has not been so great a uniformity and particularity as could have been desired. Nevertheless, no previous census seems to have been taken with greater care and precision than this.

An examination of the tables contained in the subsequent pages, and of the general remarks which accompany them, will show conclusively that, although in some of the more recent settlements in this country there has been a greater growth in population, nevertheless, this Commonwealth has increased in the number of its inhabitants equal to the most favored and prosperous portions of the world; and that at no period of its history has Massachusetts exhibited a more uniform and constant advance, in this respect, than during the lapse of the five years since the general enumeration of its people by the last preceding census of the general government.

The abstracts have been prepared in this office by persons competent to the duty, who have devoted much time and patient labor in eliminating from a great mass of returns, the particulars given in the following pages;

and, although some delay in the appearance of the document now presented, has been caused by the necessity of revising the tables first deduced, and a second careful collation of the returns, this delay is amply compensated for by the increased value and accuracy, consequent to the extra time and labor expended in their revision. The last revision of the returns, and the general task of preparing the abstracts, were performed by Edward W. Hinks, Esq., with the assistance of other clerks in this office, and the results may be relied upon as correct.

The analytical remarks which follow the tables, are from the pen of NATHANIEL B. SHURTLEFF, M. D., who has, for the last four years, superintended the preparation of the Registration Reports. It is hoped that they will give additional value to the document, and will serve to elucidate the abstracts which precede them. Many of the facts there given, and the illustrative tables which have been introduced, are of an exceedingly interesting character, and appropriate in their connection.

The document is submitted with a belief in its general accuracy, and with a hope that its usefulness will be commensurate with the labor expended in its preparation.

FRANCIS DEWITT,

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*





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TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
BERKSHIRE— <i>Continued.</i>												
{ Male, . . . . .	2,027	1,330	645	—	1,975	52	—	—	52	47	5	—
{ Female, . . . . .	2,199	1,523	608	—	2,131	68	—	—	68	57	11	—
{ Total, . . . . .	4,226	2,853	1,253	—	4,106	120	—	—	120	104	16	—
Lenox, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail,)	939	716	179	—	895	44	—	—	44	38	6	—
{ Male, . . . . .	956	726	170	—	896	60	—	—	60	51	9	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,895	1,442	349	—	1,791	104	—	—	104	89	15	—
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . . . .	19	14	2	—	16	3	—	—	3	3	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	7	5	—	—	5	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	26	19	2	—	21	5	—	—	5	5	—	—
Lenox, (complete)	958	730	181	—	911	47	—	—	47	41	6	—
{ Male, . . . . .	963	731	170	—	901	62	—	—	62	53	9	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,921	1,461	351	—	1,812	109	—	—	109	94	15	—
Monterey, . . . . .	402	369	28	—	397	5	—	—	5	5	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	421	389	21	—	410	11	—	—	11	11	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	823	758	49	—	807	16	—	—	16	16	—	—
Mt. Washington, . . . . .	183	167	11	—	178	5	—	—	5	3	2	—
{ Male, . . . . .	161	151	5	—	159	2	—	—	2	1	1	—
{ Female, . . . . .	344	321	16	—	337	7	—	—	7	4	3	—



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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
BERKSHIRE— <i>Continued.</i>	1,316	1,111	141	—	1,252	64	—	—	64	62	—	—
	1,308	1,097	134	—	1,231	77	—	—	77	73	—	—
	2,624	2,208	275	—	2,483	141	—	—	141	135	—	—
Sheffield,	946	670	256	—	926	20	—	—	20	6	—	—
	1,112	812	282	—	1,094	18	—	—	18	9	—	—
	2,058	1,482	538	—	2,020	38	—	—	38	15	—	—
Stockbridge,	338	297	37	—	331	4	—	—	4	3	—	—
	372	333	32	—	365	7	—	—	7	7	—	—
	710	630	69	—	699	11	—	—	11	10	—	—
Tyringham,	600	435	159	—	591	6	—	—	6	5	—	—
	468	371	94	—	465	3	—	—	3	—	—	—
	1,068	806	253	—	1,059	9	—	—	9	5	—	—
Washington,	930	687	229	—	916	10	—	—	14	14	—	—
	806	634	158	—	792	11	—	—	14	14	—	—
	1,736	1,321	387	—	1,708	21	—	—	28	28	—	—
West Stockbridge,	1,237	1,046	141	—	1,187	50	—	—	50	17	—	—
	1,292	1,115	128	—	1,243	49	—	—	49	17	—	—
	2,529	2,161	269	—	2,430	99	—	—	99	34	—	—





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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
BRISTOL—Continued.												
Fall River . . .	5,874	3,668	2,175	—	5,843	30	1	—	31	20	6	5
	6,806	4,161	2,604	—	6,765	41	—	—	41	27	10	4
	12,680	7,829	4,779	—	12,608	71	1	—	72	47	16	9
Freetown . . .	762	748	10	—	758	4	—	—	4	2	2	—
	823	795	20	—	815	8	—	—	8	4	4	—
	1,585	1,543	30	—	1,573	12	—	—	12	6	6	—
Mansfield . . .	1,026	878	147	—	1,025	—	1	—	1	1	—	—
	1,093	959	133	—	1,092	—	1	—	1	1	—	—
	2,119	1,837	280	—	2,117	—	2	—	2	2	—	—
N. Bedford, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail & H. C.)	9,659	7,739	1,186	8	8,933	651	74	1	726	593	133	—
	10,655	8,197	1,531	5	9,733	871	50	1	922	770	152	—
	20,314	16,936	2,717	13	18,666	1,522	124	2	1,648	1,363	285	—
Inmates of County Jail and House of Correction . . .	46	25	•17	—	42	4	—	—	4	4	—	—
	29	8	16	—	24	5	—	—	5	5	—	—
	75	33	33	—	66	9	—	—	9	9	—	—
New Bedford, (complete.)	9,705	7,761	1,203	8	8,975	655	74	1	730	597	133	—
	10,681	8,205	1,547	5	9,757	876	50	1	927	775	152	—
	20,380	16,969	2,750	13	18,732	1,531	124	2	1,657	1,372	285	—



Norton,	{ Male, Female, Total,	884	737	143	-	880	4	4	4	1	-
		1,010	865	141	-	1,006	4	4	3	1	-
		1,894	1,602	284	-	1,886	8	8	7	1	-
Pawtucket,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,938	1,253	685	-	1,938	-	-	-	-	-
		2,191	1,429	765	-	2,191	-	-	-	-	-
		4,132	2,682	1,450	-	4,132	-	-	-	-	-
Raynham,	{ Male, Female, Total,	831	753	70	-	823	8	8	8	2	-
		803	726	57	-	783	20	20	18	2	-
		1,634	1,479	127	-	1,606	28	28	26	2	-
Rehoboth,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,026	966	50	-	1,016	10	10	9	1	-
		1,081	1,040	37	-	1,077	4	4	4	-	-
		2,107	2,006	87	-	2,093	14	14	13	1	-
Seekonk,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,141	1,051	76	-	1,130	14	14	8	6	-
		1,160	1,080	68	-	1,148	12	12	4	8	-
		2,304	2,131	144	-	2,278	26	26	12	14	-
Somerset,	{ Male, Female, Total,	672	595	69	6	670	2	2	1	1	-
		667	603	62	2	667	-	-	-	-	-
		1,339	1,198	131	8	1,337	2	2	1	1	-
Swansey,	{ Male, Female, Total,	752	672	60	-	732	20	20	11	9	-
		715	644	51	1	696	19	19	10	9	-
		1,467	1,316	111	1	1,428	39	39	21	18	-
Taunton, (exclus'e of inmates of State Lunatic Hospital and County Jail),	{ Male, Female, Total,	6,637	4,931	1,665	-	6,596	41	41	39	2	-
		6,840	5,079	1,716	-	6,795	45	45	42	3	-
		13,477	10,010	3,381	-	13,391	86	86	81	5	-

TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.								
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
BRISTOL—CONTINUED.														
Inmates of State	118	79	37	—	—	116	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Female,	113	84	55	—	—	139	4	—	—	—	4	—	—	—
Lunatic Hospital,	261	163	92	—	—	255	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	—
{ Male,	10	6	4	—	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female,	2	—	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total,	12	6	6	—	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Taunton, (comp'te)	6,765	5,016	1,706	—	—	6,722	43	—	—	—	43	41	2	—
Female,	6,985	5,163	1,773	—	—	6,936	49	—	—	—	49	46	3	—
{ Total,	13,750	10,179	3,479	—	—	13,658	92	—	—	—	92	87	5	—
Westport,	1,391	1,360	11	7	—	1,378	13	—	—	—	13	13	—	—
Female,	1,431	1,388	18	7	—	1,413	18	—	—	—	18	17	1	—
{ Total,	2,822	2,748	29	14	—	2,791	31	—	—	—	31	30	1	—
Aggregates,	42,175	33,812	7,386	26	—	41,254	812	77	2	—	921	739	177	5
Female,	45,250	35,874	8,197	17	—	44,088	1,109	51	2	—	1,162	942	216	4
{ Total,	87,425	69,716	15,583	43	—	85,312	1,931	128	4	—	2,083	1,681	393	9
DUKES COUNTY.														
Chilmark,	351	327	18	—	—	345	6	—	—	—	6	6	—	—
Female,	325	311	4	—	—	315	10	—	—	—	10	10	—	—
{ Total,	676	638	22	—	—	660	16	—	—	—	16	16	—	—

Edgartown, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	972	875	26	42	943	28	1	-	29	22	7
		926	867	16	-	883	43	-	-	43	29	14
		1,898	1,742	42	42	1,826	71	1	-	72	51	21
Tisbury, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	909	877	30	-	907	1	-	2	2	2	-
		918	880	30	1	911	4	-	3	7	5	2
		1,827	1,757	60	1	1,818	5	-	4	9	7	2
Aggregates, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	2,232	2,079	74	42	2,195	35	1	1	37	30	7
		2,169	2,058	50	1	2,109	57	-	3	60	41	16
		4,401	4,137	121	43	4,304	92	1	4	97	71	23
ESSEX COUNTY.												
Amesbury, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	1,745	1,498	247	-	1,745	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1,840	1,623	217	-	1,840	-	-	-	-	-	-
		3,585	3,121	464	-	3,585	-	-	-	-	-	-
Andover, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	2,318	1,751	562	-	2,316	2	-	-	2	1	1
		2,492	1,842	646	-	2,488	4	-	-	4	3	1
		4,810	3,596	1,208	-	4,804	6	-	-	6	4	2
Beverly, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	2,928	2,658	261	-	2,919	6	3	-	9	1	8
		3,016	2,740	267	-	3,007	8	1	-	9	3	6
		5,944	5,398	528	-	5,926	14	4	-	18	4	14
Boxford, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	512	484	27	-	511	1	-	-	1	1	-
		522	503	19	-	522	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1,031	987	46	-	1,033	1	-	-	1	1	-
Bradford, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . . }	656	599	57	-	656	-	-	-	-	-	-
		716	628	88	-	716	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1,372	1,227	145	-	1,372	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Malinto.	Indian.
<i>Essex—Continued.</i>												
Danvers, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,712	377	—	2,089	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	1,575	332	—	1,907	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	3,287	709	—	3,996	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Essex, . . .	{ Male, . . .	793	62	—	855	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	731	61	—	798	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,527	126	—	1,653	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Georgetown, . . .	{ Male, . . .	892	107	—	999	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	935	82	—	1,035	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,815	189	—	2,031	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gloucester, . . .	{ Male, . . .	3,924	651	—	4,575	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	3,819	505	—	4,351	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	7,773	1,156	—	8,929	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Groveland, . . .	{ Male, . . .	657	33	—	690	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	656	20	—	676	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,313	53	—	1,366	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hamilton, . . .	{ Male, . . .	427	33	—	460	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	409	17	—	426	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	836	50	—	886	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Maverhill, . . .	{ Male, . . .	3,987	3,423	548	—	3,981	5	1	—	6	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	3,915	3,418	525	—	3,913	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	7,932	6,851	1,073	—	7,924	7	1	—	8	—	—	—
Ipswich, (exclusive of inmates of Lun. Hos. and convicts in House of Cor.)	{ Male, . . .	1,561	1,430	130	—	1,560	4	—	—	4	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	1,740	1,601	131	—	1,738	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	3,301	3,031	261	—	3,298	6	—	—	6	—	—	—
Inmates of Lunatic Hospital, . . .	{ Male, . . .	49	30	19	—	49	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	18	10	8	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	67	40	27	—	67	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Convicts in House of Correction, . . .	{ Male, . . .	37	23	13	—	36	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	13	4	9	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	50	27	22	—	49	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Ipswich, (com- plete,) . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,650	1,483	162	—	1,615	5	—	—	5	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	1,771	1,618	151	—	1,769	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	3,421	3,101	313	—	3,411	7	—	—	7	—	—	—
Lawrence, (excl- sive of convicts in House of Cor.)	{ Male, . . .	7,338	4,361	3,002	4	7,367	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	8,696	5,009	3,686	1	8,696	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	16,061	9,370	6,688	5	16,063	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
Convicts in House of Correction, . . .	{ Male, . . .	37	10	27	—	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	13	3	10	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	50	13	37	—	50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lawrence, (com- plete,) . . .	{ Male, . . .	7,405	4,371	3,029	4	7,401	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	8,709	5,012	3,696	1	8,709	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	16,111	9,383	6,725	5	16,113	1	—	—	1	—	—	—



Nahant, . . .	{ Male, . . .	136	117	18	-	135	-	1	1	-	-	-
	{ Female, . . .	131	111	22	-	133	-	1	1	-	-	-
	{ Total, . . .	270	228	40	-	268	-	1	2	-	-	-
Newbury, . . .	{ Male, . . .	772	688	84	-	772	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Female, . . .	712	677	35	-	712	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Total, . . .	1,481	1,365	119	-	1,481	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newburyport, . . .	{ Male, . . .	5,985	4,850	1,115	-	5,965	-	20	11	-	9	-
	{ Female, . . .	7,372	5,960	1,390	1	7,351	19	21	9	-	12	-
	{ Total, . . .	13,357	10,810	2,505	1	13,316	31	41	20	-	21	-
North Andover, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,082	817	263	-	1,080	-	2	-	-	2	-
	{ Female, . . .	1,136	878	251	1	1,133	3	3	-	-	3	-
	{ Total, . . .	2,218	1,695	517	1	2,213	5	5	-	-	5	-
Rockport, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,826	1,657	169	-	1,826	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Female, . . .	1,672	1,488	182	-	1,670	-	2	2	-	-	-
	{ Total, . . .	3,498	3,145	351	-	3,496	-	2	2	-	-	-
Rowley, . . .	{ Male, . . .	618	590	27	-	617	-	1	1	-	-	-
	{ Female, . . .	596	579	17	-	596	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Total, . . .	1,214	1,169	44	-	1,213	-	1	1	-	-	-
Salem, (exclusive of inmates in Co. Jail)	{ Male, . . .	9,490	7,389	1,895	63	9,347	122	20	143	100	43	-
	{ Female, . . .	11,421	8,761	2,593	-	11,267	146	8	151	98	56	-
	{ Total, . . .	20,911	16,153	4,398	63	20,614	268	28	297	198	99	-
Inmates of Co. Jail	{ Male, . . .	13	9	4	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Female, . . .	10	6	4	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Total, . . .	23	15	8	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-



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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.								
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
Essex—Continued.														
{ Male,	9,503	7,398	1,899	63	9,360	122	20	1	143	100	43	—	—	
{ Female,	11,431	8,770	2,507	—	11,277	146	8	—	154	98	56	—	—	
{ Total,	20,934	16,168	4,406	63	20,637	268	28	1	297	198	99	—	—	
{ Male,	1,453	1,263	190	—	1,453	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
{ Female,	1,732	1,556	174	—	1,730	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	
{ Total,	3,185	2,819	364	—	3,183	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	
{ Male,	884	748	135	—	883	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Female,	904	750	154	—	904	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,788	1,498	289	—	1,787	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Male,	2,665	2,215	450	—	2,665	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
{ Female,	2,683	2,216	467	—	2,683	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
{ Total,	5,348	4,431	917	—	5,348	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
{ Male,	647	566	77	—	643	2	2	—	4	4	—	—	—	
{ Female,	688	588	99	—	687	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,335	1,154	176	—	1,330	2	3	—	5	5	—	—	—	
{ Male,	640	605	34	—	639	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Female,	610	575	33	—	608	1	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,250	1,180	67	—	1,247	2	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	
South Danvers,														
{ Male,	647	566	77	—	643	2	2	—	4	4	—	—	—	
{ Female,	688	588	99	—	687	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,335	1,154	176	—	1,330	2	3	—	5	5	—	—	—	
Swampscott,														
{ Male,	640	605	34	—	639	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Female,	610	575	33	—	608	1	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,250	1,180	67	—	1,247	2	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	
Topsfield,														
{ Male,	640	605	34	—	639	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
{ Female,	610	575	33	—	608	1	1	—	2	2	—	—	—	
{ Total,	1,250	1,180	67	—	1,247	2	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	



Wenham	{ Male, Female, Total,	556	497	55	-	552	4	-	4	4	1	4
		517	479	86	-	515	2	-	2	1	1	1
		1,073	976	91	-	1,067	6	-	6	1	1	5
West Newbury	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,065	807	258	-	1,065	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1,029	855	174	-	1,029	-	-	-	-	-	-
		2,094	1,662	432	-	2,094	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aggregates	{ Male, Female, Total,	72,539	59,544	12,642	67	72,253	256	49	306	208	98	208
		78,459	64,035	14,099	3	78,137	285	37	322	203	119	203
		151,018	123,579	26,741	70	150,390	541	83	628	411	217	217
FRANKLIN COUNTY.												
Ashfield	{ Male, Female, Total,	690	683	6	-	689	1	-	1	-	1	1
		652	612	9	-	651	1	-	1	-	1	1
		1,342	1,325	15	-	1,340	2	-	2	-	2	2
Bernardston	{ Male, Female, Total,	444	438	5	-	443	1	-	1	1	-	1
		461	456	8	-	461	-	-	-	-	-	-
		908	891	13	-	907	1	-	1	1	-	1
Buckland	{ Male, Female, Total,	826	718	108	-	826	-	-	-	-	-	-
		788	719	69	-	788	-	-	-	-	-	-
		1,614	1,437	177	-	1,614	-	-	-	-	-	-
Charlemont	{ Male, Female, Total,	546	536	8	-	544	2	-	2	1	1	1
		567	563	2	-	565	2	-	2	2	2	2
		1,113	1,099	10	-	1,109	4	-	4	1	1	3
Colrain	{ Male, Female, Total,	788	771	14	-	785	3	-	3	3	-	3
		816	805	8	-	813	3	-	3	3	-	3
		1,604	1,576	22	-	1,598	6	-	6	6	-	6



Greenfield, (com- plete.)	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,527 1,118 2,915	1,237 1,115 2,382	276 261 510	1	1,514 1,409 2,923	13 9 22	11 9 20	2 1 2
Hawley,	{ Male, Female, Total,	396 378 774	332 378 770	4 4 4	-	396 378 774	-	-	-
Heath,	{ Male, Female, Total,	385 356 741	383 354 737	1 1 2	-	381 355 739	1 1 2	1 1 2	1 1 1
Leverett,	{ Male, Female, Total,	465 517 982	462 517 979	2 2 2	1	465 517 982	-	-	-
Leyden,	{ Male, Female, Total,	312 311 653	323 298 621	11 11 25	-	337 309 616	5 2 7	4 2 6	1 1 1
Munroe,	{ Male, Female, Total,	114 103 217	113 103 216	1 1 1	-	111 103 217	-	-	-
Montague,	{ Male, Female, Total,	751 758 1,509	719 731 1,153	32 21 56	-	751 758 1,509	-	-	-
New Salem,	{ Male, Female, Total,	596 625 1,221	590 617 1,207	1 3 4	-	591 620 1,211	5 5 10	5 5 10	5 5 10





TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.									
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total	Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
<b>HAMPDEN—Continued.</b>															
Chicopee . . .	3,257	2,223	1,025	—	—	3,248	9	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—
	4,319	2,511	1,771	—	—	4,312	7	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
	7,576	4,761	2,796	—	—	7,560	16	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—
Granville . . .	658	623	28	—	—	651	7	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
	658	631	17	—	—	651	7	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
	1,316	1,257	45	—	—	1,302	14	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	—
Holland . . .	212	201	5	—	—	206	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—
	180	174	4	—	—	178	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
	392	375	9	—	—	384	8	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	—
Holyoke . . .	2,113	1,271	837	—	—	2,108	5	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—
	2,526	1,316	1,178	1	—	2,525	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	4,639	2,617	2,015	1	—	4,633	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—
Longmeadow . . .	616	563	82	—	—	615	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
	702	637	65	—	—	702	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1,318	1,200	147	—	—	1,347	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Ludlow . . .	576	533	35	1	—	569	7	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—
	615	579	27	—	—	606	9	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—
	1,191	1,112	62	1	—	1,175	16	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—

Monson, (exclusive of inmates of St. Alms-house.)	Male,	1,150	1,004	115	1	1,120	30	29	1
	Female,	1,289	1,119	109	—	1,258	31	30	1
	Total,	2,439	2,153	224	1	2,378	61	59	2
Inmates of State Alms-house,	Male,	315	174	125	9	308	7	6	1
	Female,	188	81	89	12	185	3	3	—
	Total,	503	258	244	21	493	10	9	1
Monson, (compte.)	Male,	1,465	1,178	240	10	1,428	37	35	2
	Female,	1,477	1,233	198	12	1,443	31	33	1
	Total,	2,942	2,411	438	22	2,871	71	68	3
Montgomery,	Male,	199	196	2	1	199	—	—	—
	Female,	214	209	4	1	214	—	—	—
	Total,	413	405	6	2	413	—	—	—
Palmer,	Male,	1,830	1,114	705	—	1,819	11	4	7
	Female,	2,182	1,307	868	—	2,175	7	2	5
	Total,	4,012	2,421	1,573	—	3,994	18	6	12
Russell,	Male,	350	281	66	—	347	3	3	—
	Female,	327	216	76	—	322	5	5	—
	Total,	677	527	142	—	669	8	8	—
Southwick,	Male,	567	525	28	12	565	2	2	—
	Female,	563	533	19	9	561	2	2	—
	Total,	1,130	1,058	47	21	1,126	4	4	—
Springfield, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail and House of Cor.)	Male,	6,411	5,024	1,255	—	6,279	162	139	32
	Female,	7,217	5,501	1,527	—	7,028	219	175	44
	Total,	13,628	10,525	2,782	—	13,307	381	305	76

TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
HAMPDEN—Continued.												
Inmates of County (Male,	73	28	33	1	62	11	10	1	11	10	1	1
and House of (Female,	27	7	13	—	20	7	6	—	7	6	1	1
Correction, . . . (Total,	100	35	46	1	82	18	16	1	18	16	2	1
Springfield, (com- (Male,	6,514	5,052	1,288	1	6,341	173	140	—	173	140	33	—
plete,) . . . (Female,	7,274	5,508	1,540	—	7,048	226	181	1	226	181	45	—
. . . (Total,	13,788	10,560	2,828	1	13,389	399	321	1	399	321	78	—
Tolland, . . . (Male,	317	285	27	—	312	5	5	—	5	5	—	—
. . . (Female,	286	262	17	—	279	7	7	—	7	7	—	—
. . . (Total,	603	547	44	—	591	12	12	—	12	12	—	—
Wales, . . . (Male,	361	352	12	—	364	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
. . . (Female,	349	340	9	—	349	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
. . . (Total,	713	692	21	—	713	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Westfield, . . . (Male,	2,197	1,969	220	—	2,189	8	0	—	8	0	2	—
. . . (Female,	2,378	2,108	266	—	2,374	4	2	—	4	2	2	—
. . . (Total,	4,575	4,077	486	—	4,563	12	8	—	12	8	4	—
West Springfield, . . . (Male,	956	714	238	—	952	4	3	—	4	3	1	—
. . . (Female,	1,134	817	315	—	1,132	2	2	—	2	2	—	—
. . . (Total,	2,090	1,531	553	—	2,084	6	5	—	6	5	1	—



Wilbraham,	{ Male, Female, Total,	961	672	84	956	5	4	1
		1,071	983	82	1,065	6	5	1
		2,032	1,855	160	2,021	11	9	2
Aggregates,	{ Male, Female, Total,	25,910	20,377	5,200	25,612	296	238	60
		28,939	21,893	6,682	28,599	339	273	67
		51,849	42,270	11,888	51,211	635	511	127
HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.								
Amherst,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,403	1,272	86	1,358	45	38	7
		1,534	1,390	106	1,496	38	31	4
		2,937	2,662	192	2,851	83	72	11
Belchertown,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,368	1,274	87	1,361	7	4	3
		1,330	1,269	58	1,327	3	1	2
		2,698	2,543	145	2,688	10	5	5
Chesterfield,	{ Male, Female, Total,	473	456	17	473	-	-	-
		477	458	19	477	-	-	-
		950	914	36	950	-	-	-
Cummington,	{ Male, Female, Total,	498	475	19	491	4	4	-
		506	485	18	503	3	3	-
		1,004	960	37	997	7	7	-
Easthampton,	{ Male, Female, Total,	588	489	97	586	2	1	1
		798	617	150	797	1	-	1
		1,386	1,136	247	1,383	3	1	2
Enfield,	{ Male, Female, Total,	488	456	31	487	1	1	-
		548	504	44	548	-	-	-
		1,036	960	75	1,035	1	1	-





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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
<i>HAMPSHIRE—Continued.</i>												
Southampton,	608	561	47	—	608	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	587	555	32	—	587	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1,195	1,116	79	—	1,195	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ware, . . .	1,577	1,186	389	—	1,575	—	—	—	2	1	1	1
	1,921	1,365	555	—	1,920	—	—	—	1	1	1	1
	3,198	2,551	944	—	3,495	—	—	—	3	1	2	1
Westhampton,	341	322	19	—	341	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	329	313	16	—	329	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	670	635	35	—	670	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Williamsburg,	916	755	161	—	916	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	915	776	139	—	915	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1,831	1,531	300	—	1,831	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Worthington,	550	522	28	—	545	—	—	—	5	5	—	—
	562	546	12	—	558	—	—	—	4	4	—	—
	1,112	1,068	35	—	1,103	—	—	—	9	9	—	—
Aggregates,	17,267	14,809	2,282	16	17,107	159	1	—	160	129	31	—
	18,218	15,601	2,450	16	18,067	150	—	1	151	118	33	—
	35,185	30,410	4,732	32	35,174	309	1	1	311	247	64	—







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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
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MIDDLESEX— <i>Continued.</i>												
Dunstable, . . . { Male, . . .	263	259	4	—	263	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . .	270	261	6	—	270	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total, . . .	533	523	10	—	533	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Frammingham, . . . { Male, . . .	2,243	1,757	472	—	2,229	—	—	—	14	—	14	—
{ Female, . . .	2,433	1,854	586	—	2,420	—	—	—	13	—	13	—
{ Total, . . .	4,676	3,611	1,038	—	4,649	—	—	—	27	—	27	—
Groton, . . . { Male, . . .	1,361	1,181	168	2	1,351	—	—	—	7	—	7	—
{ Female, . . .	1,381	1,227	151	—	1,381	—	—	—	3	—	3	—
{ Total, . . .	2,745	2,411	322	2	2,735	—	—	—	10	—	10	—
Holliston, . . . { Male, . . .	1,462	1,227	231	—	1,161	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
{ Female, . . .	1,432	1,210	222	—	1,132	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total, . . .	2,891	2,437	456	—	2,893	—	—	—	1	—	1	—
Hopkinton, . . . { Male, . . .	2,101	1,293	802	—	2,095	—	—	—	6	—	6	—
{ Female, . . .	1,833	1,219	582	—	1,831	—	—	—	2	—	2	—
{ Total, . . .	3,934	2,512	1,381	—	3,926	—	—	—	8	—	8	—
Lexington, . . . { Male, . . .	1,278	965	313	—	1,278	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . .	1,271	981	290	—	1,271	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total, . . .	2,549	1,946	633	—	2,549	—	—	—	—	—	—	—





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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
MIDDLESEX— <i>Continued.</i>												
{ Male, . . . . .	959	837	122	—	959	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,017	867	150	—	1,017	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	1,976	1,704	272	—	1,976	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Naubek, . . . . .	2,199	1,758	441	—	2,173	17	—	17	1	16	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	1,918	1,614	321	—	1,935	13	—	13	—	13	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	4,138	3,372	736	—	4,108	30	—	30	1	29	—	—
Newton, . . . . .	3,173	2,403	768	—	3,171	2	—	2	—	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	3,595	2,607	986	—	3,593	2	—	2	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	6,768	5,010	1,751	—	6,761	4	—	4	—	4	—	—
North Reading, . . . . .	536	498	32	—	530	6	—	6	—	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	514	473	36	—	509	5	—	5	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,050	971	68	—	1,039	11	—	11	—	11	—	—
Pepperell, . . . . .	818	746	93	1	810	8	—	8	—	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	917	820	99	1	911	6	—	6	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,765	1,566	183	2	1,751	14	—	14	—	9	5	—
Reading, . . . . .	1,261	1,135	126	—	1,262	2	—	2	—	1	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	1,258	1,139	116	—	1,255	3	—	3	—	3	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	2,522	2,275	242	—	2,517	5	—	5	—	4	—	—

Sherborn,	{ Male, Female, Total,	531	458	68	526	8	8	1	1
		537	483	51	531	3	3	1	1
		1,071	941	119	1,069	11	11	1	1
Shirley,	{ Male, Female, Total,	718	559	153	712	6	6	1	1
		761	611	146	769	1	1	1	1
		1,479	1,173	299	1,472	7	7	1	1
Somerville, (exclu- sive of inmates of Lun. Hosp.)	{ Male, Female, Total,	2,789	1,935	815	2,781	8	8	5	5
		2,822	2,016	795	2,811	11	11	5	5
		5,611	3,952	1,610	5,592	19	19	10	10
Inmates of McLean Lunatic Hospi- tal,	{ Male, Female, Total,	91	78	13	91	—	—	—	—
		101	92	12	101	—	—	—	—
		195	170	25	195	—	—	—	—
Somerville, (com- plete.)	{ Male, Female, Total,	2,889	2,011	828	2,872	8	8	5	5
		2,926	2,108	807	2,915	11	11	5	5
		5,806	4,152	1,635	5,787	19	19	10	10
South Reading,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,355	1,187	165	1,352	4	4	—	—
		1,402	1,243	185	1,399	3	3	—	—
		2,758	2,490	351	2,751	7	7	—	—
Stonham,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,314	1,103	208	1,311	3	3	1	1
		1,201	1,022	189	1,222	2	2	1	1
		2,518	2,125	388	2,513	5	5	2	2
Stow,	{ Male, Female, Total,	720	583	135	719	1	1	1	1
		755	615	150	765	—	—	—	—
		1,485	1,198	285	1,481	1	1	1	1



Waltham, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	2,902	1,977	920	1	2,808	2	4	2	2
		3,117	2,152	933	1	3,116	1	1	1	1
		6,049	4,129	1,913	2	6,041	3	5	2	3
Watertown, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	1,738	1,221	514	-	1,735	1	3	1	1
		1,849	1,332	535	-	1,837	3	3	-	3
		3,578	2,523	1,049	-	3,572	5	6	1	5
Wayland, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	582	514	68	-	582	-	-	-	-
		596	511	52	-	596	-	-	-	-
		1,178	1,058	120	-	1,178	-	-	-	-
West Cambridge, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	1,333	986	343	-	1,329	4	4	4	4
		1,337	1,006	331	-	1,337	-	-	-	-
		2,670	1,992	674	-	2,666	4	4	4	4
Westford, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	821	720	101	-	821	-	-	-	-
		765	685	77	1	761	1	1	1	1
		1,586	1,406	178	1	1,585	1	1	1	1
Weston, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	610	532	78	-	610	-	-	-	-
		595	513	82	-	595	-	-	-	-
		1,205	1,045	160	-	1,205	-	-	-	-
Wilmington, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	485	441	41	-	485	-	-	-	-
		473	433	39	-	472	1	1	1	1
		958	877	80	-	957	1	1	1	1
Winchester, . . .	{ Male, Female, Total, . . .	886	739	147	-	885	-	-	-	-
		915	742	168	5	915	-	-	-	-
		1,801	1,481	315	5	1,801	-	-	-	-





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		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
<i>NORFOLK—Continued.</i>												
Franklin, . . .	{ Male, . . .	862	88	—	950	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	1,009	78	—	1,087	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,871	166	—	2,037	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medfield, . . .	{ Male, . . .	389	61	—	450	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	481	46	—	530	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	873	107	—	980	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Medway, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,259	311	—	1,573	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	1,396	260	—	1,656	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	2,655	571	—	3,229	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Milton, . . .	{ Male, . . .	905	351	—	1,259	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	994	339	—	1,333	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,899	733	—	2,652	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Needham, . . .	{ Male, . . .	894	303	—	1,197	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	930	265	—	1,196	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	1,824	569	—	2,393	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Quincy, . . .	{ Male, . . .	2,133	861	—	2,994	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female, . . .	2,217	702	—	2,919	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total, . . .	4,350	1,563	—	5,913	—	—	—	—	—	—	—





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		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
NORFOLK—Continued.												
Aggregate, { Male, . . . . .	45,605	31,031	11,416	20	45,497	3	4	3	108	51	48	6
{ Female, . . . . .	48,762	36,553	12,091	9	48,653	3	3	3	109	67	40	2
{ Total, . . . . .	94,367	70,584	23,507	29	94,150	6	7	6	217	121	88	8
PLYMOUTH COUNTY.												
Abington, { Male, . . . . .	3,562	2,903	649	1	3,553	1	—	1	9	5	4	—
{ Female, . . . . .	3,375	2,820	541	1	3,362	—	—	—	13	6	7	—
{ Total, . . . . .	6,937	5,723	1,190	2	6,915	1	—	1	22	11	11	—
Bridgewater, (ex- { Male, . . . . .	1,444	1,245	180	—	1,425	—	1	—	19	12	7	—
clusive of inmates { Female, . . . . .	1,489	1,290	182	—	1,472	—	—	—	17	12	5	—
of State Almsho.) { Total, . . . . .	2,933	2,535	362	—	2,897	—	1	—	36	21	12	—
Inmates of State { Male, . . . . .	231	109	109	9	227	—	1	—	7	7	—	—
Almshouse, { Female, . . . . .	—196	69	109	1	179	—	1	—	17	17	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	430	178	218	10	406	—	2	—	21	21	—	—
Bridgewater, (com- { Male, . . . . .	1,678	1,351	289	9	1,652	—	2	—	26	19	7	—
plete.) { Female, . . . . .	1,685	1,359	291	1	1,651	—	1	—	31	29	5	—
{ Total, . . . . .	3,363	2,713	580	10	3,303	—	3	—	60	48	12	—
Carver, { Male, . . . . .	615	588	22	—	610	—	—	—	5	5	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	590	567	19	—	586	—	—	—	4	4	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	1,205	1,155	41	—	1,196	—	—	—	9	9	—	—

Duxbury, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,277	51	1,267	9	1	10	6	4	1
	{ Female, . . .	1,313	48	1,339	4	1	4	4	4	1
	{ Total, . . .	2,620	99	2,605	13	1	11	10	4	1
East Bridgewater, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,494	153	1,492	2	1	2	2	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	1,435	118	1,435	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Total, . . .	2,930	301	2,927	3	1	3	3	3	1
Halifax, . . .	{ Male, . . .	385	4	385	2	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	401	4	401	2	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Total, . . .	786	8	786	4	1	2	2	2	1
Hanover, . . .	{ Male, . . .	827	51	821	3	1	3	2	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	817	41	816	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Total, . . .	1,674	92	1,670	4	1	4	3	2	2
Hanson, . . .	{ Male, . . .	596	31	595	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	635	37	635	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Total, . . .	1,231	68	1,230	2	1	2	2	2	1
Hingham, . . .	{ Male, . . .	1,983	210	1,973	10	1	10	5	5	1
	{ Female, . . .	2,274	292	2,262	2	1	12	1	11	1
	{ Total, . . .	4,257	532	4,235	4	1	22	6	16	1
Hull, . . .	{ Male, . . .	151	18	151	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	141	23	141	1	1	1	1	1	1
	{ Total, . . .	292	41	292	2	1	2	2	2	1
Kingston, . . .	{ Male, . . .	753	61	750	3	1	3	2	1	1
	{ Female, . . .	818	77	816	2	1	2	2	2	1
	{ Total, . . .	1,571	138	1,566	5	1	5	4	3	1

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PLYMOUTH— <i>Continued.</i>													
{ Male, . . . . .	597	519	43	—	592	4	1	—	5	4	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	591	566	21	—	587	4	—	—	4	3	—	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	1,188	1,115	61	—	1,179	8	1	—	9	7	—	—	—
Marion, . . . . .	470	457	13	—	470	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	499	480	19	—	499	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	969	937	32	—	969	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	912	868	42	—	910	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—
Marshfield, . . . . .	961	909	52	—	961	3	—	—	3	3	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	1,876	1,777	91	—	1,871	5	—	—	5	5	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	2,122	2,012	101	—	2,116	6	—	—	6	5	—	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	2,902	2,067	130	—	2,197	5	—	—	5	5	—	—	—
Middleborough, . . . . .	4,321	4,079	231	—	4,313	11	—	—	11	10	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	2,657	2,136	501	2	2,612	15	—	—	15	5	10	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	5,295	2,126	409	1	2,536	12	—	—	12	3	9	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	748	4,262	913	3	5,178	27	—	—	27	8	19	—	—
North Bridgewater, . . . . .	748	701	33	4	738	10	—	—	10	10	—	—	—
{ Male, . . . . .	752	704	35	4	743	9	—	—	9	9	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,500	1,405	68	8	1,481	19	—	—	19	19	—	—	—

Plymouth, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail)	{ Male,	3,121	2,654	394	3,048	73	1	73	15	20
	{ Female,	3,317	2,931	350	3,281	63	—	63	11	17
	{ Total,	6,438	5,588	744	6,332	136	—	136	26	37
Inmates of County Jail	{ Male,	13	10	1	11	2	—	2	—	—
	{ Female,	3	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total,	16	11	3	14	2	—	2	—	—
Plymouth, (complete)	{ Male,	3,134	2,664	395	3,059	75	—	75	15	20
	{ Female,	3,350	2,935	352	3,287	63	—	63	11	17
	{ Total,	6,484	5,599	747	6,346	138	—	138	26	37
Plympton	{ Male,	507	472	35	507	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Female,	493	469	23	492	1	—	1	—	—
	{ Total,	1,000	941	58	999	1	—	1	—	—
Rochester	{ Male,	1,553	1,170	71	1,544	9	—	9	—	—
	{ Female,	1,495	1,439	41	1,489	15	—	15	1	—
	{ Total,	3,048	2,909	115	3,024	24	—	24	1	—
Scituate	{ Male,	1,120	1,039	79	1,118	2	—	2	—	—
	{ Female,	1,119	1,085	61	1,149	—	—	—	—	—
	{ Total,	2,239	2,124	143	2,257	2	—	2	—	—
South Scituate	{ Male,	831	790	28	820	40	1	41	12	—
	{ Female,	925	828	53	889	36	—	36	6	—
	{ Total,	1,756	1,618	81	1,709	76	1	77	18	—
Wareham	{ Male,	1,681	1,353	316	1,670	11	—	11	—	—
	{ Female,	1,555	1,348	208	1,557	8	—	8	—	—
	{ Total,	3,236	2,701	524	3,227	19	—	19	—	—

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<b>PLYMOUTH—Continued.</b>															
(Male,	847	702	141	—	—	843	4	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	—
Female,	887	753	131	—	—	884	3	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—
Total,	1,731	1,455	272	—	—	1,727	7	—	—	—	7	7	—	—	—
(Male,	30,530	26,882	3,676	23	23	30,281	243	5	1	1	249	168	61	20	20
Female,	30,965	27,658	3,059	18	18	30,735	229	1	—	—	230	159	51	17	17
Total,	61,495	54,540	6,435	41	41	61,016	472	6	1	1	479	327	115	37	37
<b>SUFFOLK COUNTY.</b>															
(Male,	9,246	5,076	4,059	—	—	9,155	87	23	1	1	111	66	45	—	—
Female,	9,281	4,894	4,291	—	—	9,185	86	13	—	—	99	43	56	—	—
Total,	18,529	9,970	8,350	—	—	18,320	173	36	1	1	210	109	101	—	—
(Male,	7,855	4,827	3,065	6	6	7,838	13	4	—	—	17	16	1	—	—
Female,	7,707	4,633	2,992	4	4	7,689	12	6	—	—	18	15	3	—	—
Total,	15,562	9,520	5,997	10	10	15,527	25	10	—	—	35	31	4	—	—
(Male,	6,493	3,868	2,599	10	10	6,468	19	6	—	—	25	11	11	—	—
Female,	6,275	3,401	2,831	6	6	6,241	28	6	—	—	34	15	19	—	—
Total,	12,768	7,269	5,421	16	16	12,709	47	12	—	—	59	26	33	—	—
(Male,	3,608	2,472	1,110	5	5	3,587	14	7	—	—	21	11	7	—	—
Female,	3,781	2,018	1,737	1	1	3,756	17	8	—	—	25	9	16	—	—
Total,	7,389	4,490	2,847	6	6	7,343	31	15	—	—	46	23	23	—	—

Ward 5, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail)	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	4,605 5,476 10,081	3,700 3,881 7,581	844 1,493 2,337	1 1 2	4,515 5,378 9,923	53 89 142	6 9 15	1 — 1	60 98 158	53 87 140	7 11 18
Ward 6, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	5,106 6,759 11,865	3,689 4,113 7,802	784 1,843 2,627	— — —	4,473 5,956 10,429	567 720 1,287	66 83 149	— — —	633 803 1,436	386 469 855	217 334 581
Ward 7, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	8,485 8,784 17,269	3,908 3,614 7,522	4,570 5,161 9,731	4 — 4	8,482 8,775 17,257	3 8 11	— 1 1	— — —	3 9 12	— 4 4	3 4 7
Ward 8, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	6,011 6,887 12,898	3,603 3,676 7,279	2,383 3,183 5,566	20 13 33	6,006 6,872 12,878	4 13 17	1 2 3	— — —	5 15 20	4 12 16	1 3 4
Ward 9, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	4,362 5,337 9,699	3,638 3,582 6,620	1,318 1,740 3,058	— — —	4,356 5,322 9,678	6 13 19	— 2 2	— — —	6 15 21	4 10 14	2 5 7
Ward 10, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	5,792 6,585 12,377	3,834 4,062 7,896	1,940 2,495 4,435	10 6 16	5,784 6,563 12,347	7 20 27	1 2 3	— — —	8 22 30	4 14 18	4 8 12
Ward 11, . . . . .	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	6,024 7,117 13,141	4,204 4,645 8,849	1,792 2,421 4,213	— 10 10	5,996 7,076 13,072	27 39 66	1 2 3	— — —	28 41 69	17 18 35	11 23 34
Ward 12, (exclusive of inmates of H. of Ref., H. of Cor. & L. Hosp.,)	{ Male, . . . . . Female, . . . . . Total, . . . . . }	8,352 8,862 17,214	5,209 5,454 10,663	3,122 3,396 6,518	13 5 18	8,344 8,855 17,199	8 5 13	— 2 2	— — —	8 7 15	4 6 10	4 1 5







Inmates of Lunatic Hospital, Ward 12, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	101	65	-	99	1	1	-	2	1	-
		146	39	1	144	2	2	-	1	1	-
		247	73	1	243	3	4	-	3	1	-
Aggregates of in- mates of Public Institutions, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,102	488	1	1,066	29	7	-	36	4	-
		595	168	1	582	11	13	-	9	4	-
		1,697	656	2	1,618	40	49	-	41	8	-
Boston,(complete.)	{ Male, Female, Total,	77,041	47,916	70	76,080	837	122	2	961	611	350
		83,419	48,204	47	82,250	1,061	138	-	1,199	711	487
		160,490	96,120	117	158,330	1,898	260	2	2,160	1,322	837
Chelsea, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	4,831	3,526	-	4,800	31	-	-	31	10	21
		5,320	3,748	-	5,281	35	4	-	39	9	29
		10,151	7,274	-	10,081	66	4	-	70	19	50
North Chelsea, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	434	311	-	434	-	-	-	-	-	-
		359	281	-	359	-	-	-	-	-	-
		793	595	-	793	-	-	-	-	-	-
Winthrop, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	237	164	-	237	-	-	-	-	-	-
		170	137	-	170	-	-	-	-	-	-
		407	301	-	407	-	-	-	-	-	-
Aggregates, . . . . .	{ Male, Female, Total,	82,543	51,917	70	81,551	868	122	2	992	621	371
		89,298	52,373	47	88,060	1,096	142	-	1,238	720	516
		171,841	104,290	117	169,611	1,964	261	2	2,230	1,341	887

TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
<b>WORCESTER COUNTY.</b>												
Ashburnham	1,102	996	102	—	1,098	3	1	—	4	3	—	1
	1,109	1,014	92	—	1,106	3	—	—	3	3	—	—
	2,211	2,010	194	—	2,204	6	1	—	7	6	—	1
Athol	1,229	1,116	111	—	1,227	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
	1,166	1,076	90	—	1,166	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	2,395	2,192	201	—	2,393	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
Auburn	424	339	85	—	424	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
	461	366	94	—	460	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
	885	705	179	—	884	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
Barre	1,365	1,218	143	—	1,361	4	—	—	4	3	1	—
	1,422	1,260	159	—	1,419	3	—	—	3	3	—	—
	2,787	2,478	302	—	2,780	7	—	—	7	6	1	—
Berlin	507	459	46	—	505	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
	469	441	28	—	469	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	976	900	74	—	974	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
Blackstone	2,559	1,394	1,161	—	2,555	4	—	—	4	2	2	—
	2,787	1,523	1,261	—	2,784	3	—	—	3	1	2	—
	5,316	2,917	2,422	—	5,339	7	—	—	7	3	4	—





Hubbardston,	{ Male, Female, Total,	907	883	19	-	902	5	3	2	-
		837	819	15	-	831	3	3	3	-
		1,744	1,702	34	-	1,736	8	6	2	-
Lancaster,	{ Male, Female, Total,	814	683	128	-	811	3	3	-	-
		911	790	121	-	911	3	3	-	-
		1,728	1,473	249	-	1,722	6	6	-	-
Leicester,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,287	897	387	-	1,284	3	3	-	-
		1,302	954	347	-	1,301	1	1	-	-
		2,589	1,851	734	-	2,585	4	4	-	-
Leominster,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,518	1,434	114	-	1,518	-	-	-	-
		1,652	1,539	113	-	1,652	-	-	-	-
		3,200	2,973	227	-	3,200	-	-	-	-
Lunenburg,	{ Male, Female, Total,	575	521	53	1	575	-	-	-	-
		619	624	25	-	619	-	-	-	-
		1,224	1,145	78	1	1,224	-	-	-	-
Mendon,	{ Male, Female, Total,	693	582	84	-	666	27	17	4	6
		689	580	79	-	659	30	19	4	7
		1,382	1,162	163	-	1,325	57	36	8	13
Milford,	{ Male, Female, Total,	4,051	2,469	1,570	-	4,039	12	1	11	-
		3,438	2,206	1,246	-	3,422	16	2	14	-
		7,489	4,675	2,786	-	7,461	28	3	25	-
Millbury,	{ Male, Female, Total,	1,606	1,111	495	-	1,606	-	-	-	-
		1,680	1,165	514	-	1,679	1	1	-	-
		3,286	2,276	1,009	-	3,285	1	1	-	-











TABLE I.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.						
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Malatto.	Indian.
WORCESTER— <i>Continued.</i>												
West Brookfield, { Male, . . . . .	660	568	91	—	659	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	701	621	79	—	700	4	—	—	4	1	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	1,361	1,189	170	—	1,359	5	—	—	5	2	—	—
Westminster, { Male, . . . . .	1,008	907	96	—	1,003	5	—	—	5	5	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	971	879	89	—	968	3	—	—	3	3	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	1,979	1,786	185	—	1,971	8	—	—	8	8	—	—
Winchendon, { Male, . . . . .	1,356	1,163	193	—	1,356	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	1,391	1,228	161	—	1,389	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	2,747	2,391	351	—	2,745	2	—	—	2	—	—	—
Worcester, (exclusive of inmates of State Lun. Hos., Co. Jail, & H. C.) { Male, . . . . .	10,721	7,983	2,655	1	10,639	80	2	—	82	36	46	—
{ Female, . . . . .	11,167	8,175	2,879	—	11,054	113	—	—	113	53	60	—
{ Total, . . . . .	21,888	16,158	5,534	1	21,693	193	2	—	195	89	106	—
Inmates of State Lunatic Hospital, { Male, . . . . .	173	120	51	—	171	1	1	—	2	1	1	—
{ Female, . . . . .	157	101	51	—	155	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	330	221	105	—	326	3	1	—	4	3	1	—
Inmates of County Jail and House of Correction, { Male, . . . . .	55	26	28	—	51	1	—	—	1	1	—	—
{ Female, . . . . .	13	5	6	—	11	2	—	—	2	2	—	—
{ Total, . . . . .	68	31	31	—	65	3	—	—	3	3	—	—

Worcester, (com- plicity.)	{ Male,	10,949	8,129	2,734	1	10,861	82	3	85	38	47	—
	{ Female,	11,337	8,281	2,939	—	11,220	117	—	117	57	60	—
	{ Total,	22,286	16,410	5,673	1	22,081	199	3	202	95	107	—
Aggregates,	{ Male,	74,517	59,330	14,855	2	74,187	319	11	330	176	139	15
	{ Female,	74,999	60,202	14,417	—	74,649	348	2	350	186	148	16
	{ Total,	149,516	119,532	29,302	2	148,836	667	13	680	362	287	31

## RECAPITULATION.

Barnstable,	{ Male,	17,589	16,663	857	—	17,520	61	8	69	34	17	18
	{ Female,	17,853	16,958	820	—	17,778	75	—	75	38	19	18
	{ Total,	35,442	33,621	1,677	—	35,298	136	8	144	72	36	36
Berkshire,	{ Male,	26,282	20,679	5,017	5	25,701	576	5	581	444	136	1
	{ Female,	26,509	21,473	4,360	3	25,836	669	4	673	515	155	3
	{ Total,	52,791	42,152	9,377	8	51,537	1,245	9	1,254	959	291	4
Bristol,	{ Male,	42,175	33,812	7,386	26	41,254	842	77	921	739	177	5
	{ Female,	45,250	35,874	8,197	17	44,088	1,109	51	1,162	942	216	4
	{ Total,	87,425	69,716	15,583	43	85,342	1,951	128	2,083	1,681	393	9
Dukes County,	{ Male,	2,232	2,079	74	42	2,195	35	1	37	30	7	—
	{ Female,	2,169	2,058	50	1	2,109	57	—	60	44	16	—
	{ Total,	4,401	4,137	124	43	4,304	92	1	97	74	23	—
Essex,	{ Male,	72,559	59,544	12,642	67	72,253	256	49	306	208	98	—
	{ Female,	78,459	64,035	14,099	3	78,137	285	37	322	203	119	—
	{ Total,	151,018	123,579	26,741	70	150,390	541	86	628	411	217	—

TABLE I.—RECAPITULATION—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES.	Total Population.	WHITES.				COLORED.								
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity.	Unknown.	Total Colored.	Black.	Mulatto.	Indian.
Franklin, . . .	{ Male, . . .	14,715	1,152	3	15,870	53	-	-	-	-	53	38	15	-
	{ Female, . . .	14,710	979	-	15,689	39	1	1	1	1	40	29	11	-
	{ Total, . . .	29,425	2,131	3	31,559	92	-	-	-	-	93	67	26	-
Hampden, . . .	{ Male, . . .	20,377	5,206	29	25,612	296	1	1	1	1	298	238	60	-
	{ Female, . . .	21,893	6,682	24	28,599	339	1	-	-	-	340	273	67	-
	{ Total, . . .	42,270	11,888	53	54,211	635	2	1	1	1	638	511	127	-
Hampshire, . . .	{ Male, . . .	14,809	2,282	16	17,107	159	1	1	-	-	160	129	31	-
	{ Female, . . .	15,601	2,450	16	18,067	150	-	1	1	1	151	118	33	-
	{ Total, . . .	30,410	4,732	32	35,174	309	1	1	1	1	311	247	64	-
Middlesex, . . .	{ Male, . . .	70,239	21,952	30	92,221	373	19	8	8	8	400	275	119	6
	{ Female, . . .	75,416	25,563	13	100,992	388	18	4	4	4	410	289	115	6
	{ Total, . . .	145,655	47,515	43	193,213	761	37	12	12	12	810	564	234	12
Nantucket, . . .	{ Male, . . .	3,839	305	14	4,158	109	14	-	-	-	123	92	31	-
	{ Female, . . .	3,530	131	-	3,664	117	2	-	-	-	119	94	25	-
	{ Total, . . .	7,369	439	14	7,822	226	16	-	-	-	242	186	56	-
Norfolk, . . .	{ Male, . . .	34,031	11,416	20	45,497	101	4	3	3	3	108	54	48	6
	{ Female, . . .	36,553	12,091	9	48,653	103	3	3	3	3	109	67	40	2
	{ Total, . . .	70,584	23,537	29	94,150	204	7	6	6	6	217	121	88	8

Plymouth,	{ Male,	30,530	26,882	3,376	23	30,281	243	5	1	249	168	61	20
	{ Female,	30,965	27,658	3,059	18	30,735	229	1	-	230	159	51	17
	{ Total,	61,495	54,540	6,435	41	61,016	472	6	1	479	327	115	37
Suffolk,	{ Male,	82,513	51,917	29,561	70	81,551	868	122	2	992	621	371	-
	{ Female,	89,298	52,373	35,640	47	88,060	1,096	112	-	1,238	720	516	2
	{ Total,	171,811	104,290	65,201	117	169,611	1,964	261	2	2,230	1,341	887	2
Worcester,	{ Male,	74,517	59,330	14,855	2	74,187	319	11	-	330	176	139	15
	{ Female,	74,999	60,202	14,117	-	74,619	348	2	-	350	186	148	16
	{ Total,	149,516	119,532	29,302	2	148,836	667	13	-	680	362	287	31
Aggregates,	{ Male,	530,034	428,946	116,114	347	515,417	4,201	317	19	4,627	3,216	1,310	71
	{ Female,	582,335	448,331	128,571	151	577,046	5,004	261	14	5,279	3,677	1,534	68
	{ Total,	1,132,369	877,280	244,685	498	1,122,463	9,295	578	33	9,906	6,923	2,844	139

TABLE II.—AGE BY PERIODS.

*Exhibiting the Age of the Total Population by Quinquennial Periods to 20, and by Decennial Periods from 20 to 100.  
Arranged by Counties and Towns.*

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Whole Number.	AGE.											Over 100.	Not stated.	
		Under 3.	3 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	80 to 90.			90 to 100.
BARNSTABLE.															
Barnstable, . . .	4,998	524	527	536	531	804	685	561	396	250	133	41	5	—	5
Brewster, . . .	1,525	154	155	150	203	262	165	139	138	81	58	14	3	—	—
Chatham, . . .	2,560	313	276	276	270	473	349	233	183	111	51	12	1	—	9
Dennis, . . .	3,497	453	455	389	332	580	469	349	229	138	85	17	1	—	—
Eastham, . . .	808	84	70	89	91	144	81	82	79	52	29	3	1	—	—
Falmouth, . . .	2,613	218	252	305	272	399	313	287	260	169	105	30	2	1	—
Harwich, . . .	3,261	441	447	415	323	541	408	271	161	151	53	20	3	—	24
Orleans, . . .	1,751	181	193	232	188	268	212	180	146	88	46	16	2	—	2
Provincetown, . . .	3,096	410	333	283	294	639	443	339	187	109	47	9	—	—	3
Sandwich, . . .	4,496	536	517	560	468	690	562	446	323	195	125	32	7	—	35

Truro, . . . . .	1,917	222	213	215	238	363	214	188	114	73	61	14	1	-	1
Wellfleet, . . . . .	2,325	251	328	260	256	397	273	225	168	98	37	23	5	-	1
Yarmouth, . . . . .	2,592	286	299	261	298	398	308	285	206	137	77	28	-	-	6
Totals, . . . . .	35,412	4,076	4,065	3,974	3,761	5,958	4,485	3,585	2,593	1,655	910	259	31	1	86
BERKSHIRE.															
Adams, . . . . .	6,980	696	755	756	871	1,522	1,016	654	393	208	86	31	4	-	8
Alford, . . . . .	526	51	77	60	42	78	70	57	38	30	19	4	-	-	-
Becket, . . . . .	1,472	213	196	154	130	272	179	148	93	52	24	3	-	-	8
Cheshire, . . . . .	1,532	208	165	181	123	263	266	131	78	67	36	9	1	-	-
Clarksburg, . . . . .	424	51	51	56	38	67	55	43	36	15	10	2	-	-	-
Dalton, . . . . .	1,064	140	118	119	110	186	148	113	69	44	14	-	-	-	3
Egremont, . . . . .	992	110	89	104	101	166	132	95	101	44	25	11	-	-	14
Florida, . . . . .	612	98	75	67	71	88	81	60	43	12	12	1	-	-	4
Great Barrington, . . . . .	3,449	381	387	348	312	695	458	339	260	161	68	24	1	-	12
Hancock, . . . . .	818	91	81	110	83	126	105	68	87	49	30	16	2	-	-
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1,361	163	125	141	141	268	174	130	108	58	25	4	3	-	18



TABLE II.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS. Whole No.	AGE.											Not stated.					
	Under 5.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 30.	30 to 40.	40 to 50.	50 to 60.	60 to 70.	70 to 80.	80 to 90.		90 to 100.	Over 100.			
Berkshire—Con.																	
Lanesborough, . . .	159	154	141	96	196	200	130	70	50	23	14	-	-	-	-	-	2
Lee, . . . . .	522	446	457	501	885	550	413	253	120	54	19	-	-	-	-	-	3
Lenox, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail.)	227	210	205	180	388	262	195	122	72	38	11	2	-	-	-	-	3
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . .	-	-	-	6	13	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lenox, (complete), . . .	227	210	205	186	381	267	195	123	73	38	11	2	-	-	-	-	3
Monterey, . . . . .	83	78	118	89	120	92	93	70	47	21	7	1	-	-	-	-	4
Mount Washington, . . .	52	56	45	27	48	37	36	24	9	4	2	1	-	-	-	-	3
New Ashford, . . . . .	25	17	16	14	37	30	18	15	18	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
New Marlborough, . . .	196	194	158	168	294	177	168	149	85	38	17	1	-	-	-	-	2
Otis, . . . . .	91	104	107	101	192	121	99	92	72	28	11	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peru, . . . . .	46	44	59	47	68	59	48	37	36	23	15	2	-	-	-	-	3



Pittsfield, . . . . .	6,501	825	715	654	680	1,297	935	617	395	230	109	29	3	-	12
Richmond, . . . . .	970	119	115	94	76	157	153	91	76	51	20	10	2	-	3
Sandisfield, . . . . .	1,615	209	169	166	139	269	225	165	127	79	48	15	1	-	3
Savoy, . . . . .	919	113	97	85	90	154	125	81	81	48	29	9	1	-	3
Sheffield, . . . . .	2,621	291	334	296	268	339	328	244	228	117	69	23	2	-	5
Stockbridge, . . . . .	2,058	244	214	226	181	395	269	196	148	111	53	16	1	-	4
Tyringham, . . . . .	710	86	80	70	75	120	89	62	53	46	20	9	-	-	-
Washington, . . . . .	1,068	152	145	119	97	199	127	107	55	48	15	4	-	-	-
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,736	266	205	147	138	322	267	143	107	68	30	10	1	-	32
Williamstown, . . . . .	2,529	282	308	316	249	379	349	260	184	128	51	21	2	-	-
Windsor, . . . . .	905	92	127	97	96	133	127	82	67	52	26	5	1	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	52,791	6,285	5,912	5,675	5,343	9,766	7,211	5,092	3,660	2,261	1,051	353	32	-	150
BRISTOL.															
Attleborough, . . . . .	5,451	587	521	490	553	1,210	754	573	369	217	131	41	5	-	-
Berkley, . . . . .	924	97	101	97	85	126	133	91	67	59	40	15	1	-	6
Dartmouth, . . . . .	3,658	333	420	393	393	566	417	378	327	230	119	37	6	-	9



Pawtucket, . . . . .	4,132	489	492	477	461	749	511	471	239	105	48	18	2	-	31
Rayham, . . . . .	1,634	183	178	153	172	290	223	172	102	89	58	13	1	-	-
Rehoboth, . . . . .	2,107	196	215	225	222	270	229	228	209	174	98	37	4	-	-
Seekonk, . . . . .	2,304	229	244	247	228	351	292	234	213	157	71	31	4	-	-
Somerset, . . . . .	1,339	164	123	113	119	267	191	115	99	79	39	10	3	-	14
Swansey, . . . . .	1,467	127	145	148	138	232	150	156	150	109	68	23	1	-	-
Taunton, (exclusive of inmates of St. Lun. Hos. and Co. Jail), . . . . .	13,477	1,671	1,561	1,407	1,316	2,718	2,003	1,308	753	433	201	65	7	-	4
Inmates of State Lun. Hospital, . . . . .	261	-	1	-	8	63	79	62	29	12	7	-	-	-	-
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . . . .	12	-	-	-	4	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Taunton, (complete), . . . . .	13,750	1,671	1,562	1,407	1,358	2,784	2,085	1,372	782	445	208	65	7	-	4
Westport, . . . . .	2,822	330	316	313	261	403	353	273	224	184	102	28	6	-	26
Totals, . . . . .	87,425	10,136	9,613	9,034	9,182	16,491	12,081	9,064	5,806	3,438	1,759	557	61	-	200
Dukes.															
Chilmark, . . . . .	676	60	78	68	60	110	75	74	72	33	27	17	1	-	1
Edgartown, . . . . .	1,898	147	193	169	187	325	287	226	146	99	62	15	-	-	42
Tisbury, . . . . .	1,827	167	156	190	196	311	239	230	146	95	64	22	2	-	6
Totals, . . . . .	4,401	374	427	427	443	749	601	530	364	227	153	54	3	-	49



Haverhill, . . . . .	7,932	896	737	697	801	1,892	1,154	746	514	309	122	48	3	-	13
Ipswich, (exclusive of inmates of Lun. Hosp. and convicts in Ho. of Correction,) . . . . .	3,301	313	317	357	360	578	376	397	292	171	95	35	6	-	4
Inmates of Lun. Hosp., . . . . .	67	-	-	-	2	9	20	14	15	6	-	1	-	-	-
Convicts in House of Correction, . . . . .	50	-	-	-	4	17	16	8	3	1	1	-	-	-	-
Ipswich, (complete,) . . . . .	3,421	313	317	357	366	604	412	419	310	181	96	36	6	-	4
Lawrence, (exclusive of convicts in Ho. of Correction,) . . . . .	16,061	1,968	1,352	1,335	1,818	4,820	2,506	1,329	606	259	51	16	2	1	1
Convicts in House of Correction, . . . . .	50	-	-	-	7	17	14	9	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lawrence, (complete,) . . . . .	16,111	1,968	1,352	1,335	1,825	4,837	2,520	1,338	608	259	52	16	2	1	1
Lynn, . . . . .	15,713	1,936	1,559	1,557	1,629	3,375	2,324	1,517	956	527	223	61	6	-	43
Lynnfield, . . . . .	883	91	93	96	107	157	107	91	68	37	21	11	-	-	4
Manchester, . . . . .	1,861	237	186	193	202	331	231	198	141	71	41	19	3	-	5
Marblehead, . . . . .	6,928	830	808	771	751	1,310	985	589	411	267	149	44	-	-	13
Methuen, . . . . .	2,582	263	236	231	291	519	339	302	202	116	58	20	3	-	2



Saugus, . . . . .	1,788	226	182	177	190	351	235	202	109	62	36	9	1	-	8
South Danvers, . . . . .	5,348	662	544	510	513	1,131	754	555	368	193	95	19	1	-	3
Swampscott, . . . . .	1,335	171	152	119	123	275	229	130	67	39	21	5	1	-	3
Topsfield, . . . . .	1,250	121	124	146	138	198	164	146	95	65	48	4	-	-	1
Wenham, . . . . .	1,073	108	109	139	128	221	134	102	72	28	20	9	-	-	3
West Newbury, . . . . .	2,094	250	210	192	232	392	272	203	153	104	62	22	2	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	151,018	17,147	14,910	14,611	15,814	32,036	21,179	15,058	10,095	5,798	3,038	930	80	2	320
FRANKLIN.															
Ashfield, . . . . .	1,342	125	112	140	134	222	170	163	134	78	49	14	1	-	-
Bernardston, . . . . .	908	83	95	107	85	139	114	90	85	62	37	8	2	-	1
Buckland, . . . . .	1,614	220	181	135	174	333	231	136	115	50	27	7	3	-	2
Charlemont, . . . . .	1,113	94	140	127	111	157	141	121	101	72	32	16	-	-	1
Cohran, . . . . .	1,604	170	177	200	194	227	195	141	156	92	33	9	1	-	9
Conway, . . . . .	1,781	188	175	201	205	304	230	160	139	98	61	18	4	-	1
Deerfield, . . . . .	2,766	355	279	252	260	532	385	276	179	146	73	23	2	-	4
Erving, . . . . .	471	56	45	53	56	66	59	55	27	14	13	5	-	-	22

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FRANKLIN— <i>Con.</i>																		
Gill, . . . . .	732	80	79	83	79	107	93	86	46	41	24	9	-	-	2			
Greenfield, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail) . . . . .	2,942	325	277	282	301	693	432	296	181	101	36	13	3	-	2			
Inmates of Co. Jail, .	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	1			
Greenfield, (complete.)	2,945	325	277	282	302	693	432	296	182	102	36	13	3	-	2			
Hawley, . . . . .	774	75	70	103	93	120	95	79	58	31	31	11	1	-	1			
Heath, . . . . .	741	93	83	87	79	105	74	78	56	45	29	9	1	-	2			
Leverett, . . . . .	982	117	116	96	96	153	122	115	80	52	26	6	2	-	1			
Leyden, . . . . .	653	71	92	78	67	95	66	81	38	39	20	4	2	-	-			
Monroe, . . . . .	217	23	25	34	26	30	22	22	18	5	8	3	1	-	1			
Montague, . . . . .	1,509	211	183	146	131	230	202	151	102	96	48	5	2	-	2			
New Salem, . . . . .	1,221	124	135	140	109	169	146	145	99	85	49	14	4	-	2			



	1,951	189	206	207	218	328	269	195	155	98	64	12	2	-	8
Northfield, . . . . .	1,951	189	206	207	218	328	269	195	155	98	64	12	2	-	8
Orange, . . . . .	1,753	179	183	178	186	312	239	183	138	85	48	10	1	-	11
Rowe, . . . . .	601	66	95	67	64	66	64	72	46	29	23	9	-	-	-
Shelburne, . . . . .	1,401	135	120	135	145	317	198	118	108	69	38	14	4	-	-
Shutesbury, . . . . .	939	114	114	108	89	136	101	102	81	45	34	11	-	-	4
Sunderland, . . . . .	839	99	81	94	92	134	109	84	60	45	33	3	1	1	3
Warwick, . . . . .	1,002	99	104	108	98	170	107	107	80	77	37	13	2	-	-
Wendell, . . . . .	738	82	82	97	62	102	69	83	75	47	27	11	1	-	-
Whately, . . . . .	1,052	98	86	101	110	217	131	95	96	74	30	11	2	-	1
Totals, . . . . .	31,652	3,471	3,335	3,359	3,265	5,464	4,064	3,231	2,451	1,683	933	268	42	1	79
HAMPDEN.															
Agawan, . . . . .	1,543	138	135	156	158	311	196	166	144	80	44	14	1	-	-
Blandford, . . . . .	1,271	136	124	161	135	201	156	129	103	81	34	5	3	-	-
Brimfield, . . . . .	1,313	132	123	144	142	224	180	147	106	79	41	19	5	-	1
Chester, . . . . .	1,255	144	136	134	133	195	175	132	92	61	41	6	-	-	6
Chicopee, . . . . .	7,576	801	710	715	1,055	1,721	1,059	756	418	228	79	9	5	-	20

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HAMPTEN— <i>Con.</i>															
Granville, . . . . .	1,316	130	125	126	147	207	147	129	120	115	48	18	4	—	—
Holland, . . . . .	392	53	53	32	29	51	48	45	33	24	18	5	—	—	—
Holyoke, . . . . .	4,639	512	406	443	612	1,298	693	316	196	114	36	7	—	—	6
Longmeadow, . . . . .	1,348	118	114	124	160	261	169	126	124	98	43	10	1	—	—
Ludlow, . . . . .	1,191	136	124	118	110	214	161	107	105	72	32	10	2	—	—
Monson, (exclusive of inmates of State Almshouse.) . . . . .	2,439	256	250	287	257	390	316	283	196	107	70	18	3	—	6
Inmates of State Almshouse, . . . . .	503	103	135	66	19	54	37	24	14	14	10	3	4	—	20
Monson, (complete,) . . . . .	2,912	359	385	353	276	444	353	307	210	121	80	21	7	—	26
Montgomery, . . . . .	413	41	38	55	31	60	55	44	37	29	14	5	1	—	—
Palmer, . . . . .	4,012	446	401	477	536	804	495	382	252	141	54	19	5	—	—

Russell, . . . . .	677	88	68	57	68	164	93	54	41	26	15	2	1	-	-
Southwick, . . . . .	1,130	114	113	122	118	174	122	139	114	65	28	12	3	-	6
Springfield, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail, and House of Correction,) . . . . .	13,688	1,589	1,416	1,221	1,226	3,081	2,396	1,357	761	452	150	32	7	-	-
Inmates of County Jail and House of Cor., . . . . .	100	-	-	4	13	31	18	21	5	4	1	-	-	-	-
Springfield, (complete,) . . . . .	13,788	1,589	1,416	1,225	1,239	3,115	2,414	1,378	766	456	151	32	7	-	-
Tolland, . . . . .	603	70	67	66	65	115	71	62	40	27	14	6	-	-	-
Wales, . . . . .	713	79	73	77	68	129	85	63	53	52	29	5	-	-	-
Westfield, . . . . .	4,575	507	457	451	485	888	672	475	303	226	83	24	-	-	1
West Springfield, . . . . .	2,090	183	176	236	281	467	270	173	157	83	43	17	1	-	-
Wilbraham, . . . . .	2,032	205	243	238	206	272	281	231	168	97	78	8	2	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	54,819	5,981	5,487	5,516	6,060	11,315	7,895	5,364	3,582	2,275	1,005	254	48	-	67
HAMPSHIRE.															
Anberst, . . . . .	2,937	313	302	317	290	515	397	314	230	137	72	26	3	-	21
Belchertown, . . . . .	2,698	299	281	262	297	466	328	274	224	146	85	28	5	-	-
Chesterfield, . . . . .	950	96	88	88	103	169	114	99	82	61	36	9	2	-	-

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HAMPSHIRE— <i>Con.</i>															
Cunnington, . . .	1,004	97	93	104	112	171	132	81	105	58	37	8	1	—	2
Easthampton, . . .	1,386	139	127	129	188	295	174	128	103	60	26	7	2	—	8
Enfield, . . .	1,036	97	109	112	107	141	164	138	70	56	31	8	1	—	2
Goshen, . . .	471	50	53	49	38	67	76	34	40	36	21	5	2	—	—
Granby, . . .	1,001	105	80	102	125	194	103	95	97	59	28	10	1	—	2
Greenwich, . . .	803	77	67	73	93	125	108	79	88	62	21	8	—	—	2
Hadley, . . .	1,928	205	195	215	211	360	259	183	134	97	50	18	1	—	—
Hatfield, . . .	1,162	132	96	100	138	243	165	102	67	74	28	6	—	—	11
Huntington, . . .	1,172	127	131	127	129	191	150	128	78	60	29	11	1	—	7
Middlefield, . . .	677	78	73	70	78	117	90	58	56	35	15	7	—	—	—
Northampton, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction,) . . .	5,801	651	615	585	598	1,152	812	552	407	231	114	30	5	1	18

Inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction,	AGE BY PERIODS.														
	18	-	-	6	6	3	2	1	-	-	-				
Northampton, (con- plete.) . . . . .	5,819	651	615	585	604	1,158	845	551	408	231	114	30	5	1	18
Pelham, . . . . .	789	73	85	98	88	104	77	82	81	57	31	8	-	-	5
Plainfield, . . . . .	652	53	51	63	76	94	75	75	78	55	20	11	1	-	-
Prescott, . . . . .	643	59	73	84	59	79	92	70	53	44	27	2	1	-	-
South Hadley, . . . . .	2,051	232	227	185	235	393	310	191	111	72	33	2	2	-	28
Southampton, . . . . .	1,195	111	113	128	111	199	152	132	102	76	55	11	2	-	3
Ware, . . . . .	3,498	386	347	380	388	669	480	338	284	140	65	14	5	-	2
Westhampton, . . . . .	670	62	53	71	61	120	88	65	57	55	28	6	-	-	1
Williamsburg, . . . . .	1,831	208	152	161	227	413	240	166	129	76	34	19	3	-	3
Worthington, . . . . .	1,112	96	142	132	113	169	148	110	93	60	42	6	1	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	35,485	3,746	3,559	3,638	3,871	6,452	4,767	3,499	2,800	1,810	928	260	39	1	115
MIDDLESEX.															
Acton, . . . . .	1,678	239	162	169	171	293	205	177	123	81	41	13	1	-	-
Ashby, . . . . .	1,176	113	125	123	138	137	153	142	110	75	43	13	1	-	3



	630	65	55	63	53	108	79	65	51	40	30	17	-	1
Carlisle, . . . . .	630	2,737	2,317	1,991	1,964	4,502	3,512	2,081	1,098	515	230	50	-	1
Charlestown, (exclusive of Navy Yard and convicts in State Prison,) . . . . .	21,063												5	1
Navy Yard, . . . . .	152	5	8	14	10	69	20	17	7	2	-	-	-	-
Convicts in St. Prison, . . . . .	485	-	-	-	48	272	86	47	23	8	-	1	-	-
Charlestown (complete), . . . . .	21,700	2,742	2,325	2,005	2,022	4,843	3,618	2,145	1,128	555	230	51	5	1
Chelmsford, . . . . .	2,140	242	228	227	226	318	318	243	147	88	48	22	3	-
Concord, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail,) . . . . .	2,237	224	215	189	219	471	317	209	181	136	53	15	1	7
Inmates of County Jail, . . . . .	7	-	-	-	2	1	1	-	1	-	1	1	-	-
Concord, (complete,) . . . . .	2,244	224	215	189	221	472	318	209	182	136	54	16	1	7
Dracut, . . . . .	1,966	209	188	196	218	389	270	179	167	76	52	20	-	2
Dunstable, . . . . .	533	28	49	52	50	91	68	65	56	38	26	8	2	-
Frammingham, . . . . .	4,676	511	556	497	558	943	625	419	288	174	84	18	3	-
Groton, . . . . .	2,745	308	294	291	297	427	368	323	208	120	79	25	2	3
Holliston, . . . . .	2,891	377	310	281	284	590	381	311	181	90	53	16	1	10





Melrose, . . . . .	1,976	266	228	200	164	390	327	198	103	60	22	11	-	-	7
Natick, . . . . .	4,138	559	379	374	498	1,002	599	336	199	110	54	9	2	-	17
Newton, . . . . .	6,768	834	659	600	657	1,566	1,040	639	394	218	111	21	3	-	26
North Reading, . . . . .	1,050	122	115	107	114	183	138	92	88	53	32	4	1	1	-
Pepperell, . . . . .	1,765	162	158	155	190	303	248	193	153	98	65	23	2	-	15
Reading, . . . . .	2,522	309	270	225	212	515	404	257	158	98	47	23	4	-	-
Sherborn, . . . . .	1,071	108	109	106	116	192	131	107	83	66	39	12	-	-	2
Shirley, . . . . .	1,479	169	153	165	171	273	192	144	110	51	37	12	2	-	-
Somerville, (exclusive of inmates of Lunatic Hospital), . . . . .	5,611	777	639	511	567	1,278	933	482	231	137	39	13	1	-	-
Inmates of McLean Lunatic Hospital, . . . . .	195	-	-	-	3	31	58	39	34	20	6	1	-	-	-
Somerville, (complete), . . . . .	5,806	777	639	511	570	1,312	991	521	268	157	45	14	1	-	-
South Reading, . . . . .	2,758	343	260	257	250	582	381	295	205	97	56	18	-	-	11
Stonham, . . . . .	2,518	311	237	228	261	670	360	201	131	73	36	5	-	-	2
Stowe, . . . . .	1,485	185	176	160	142	223	183	176	118	70	40	12	-	-	-
Sudbury, . . . . .	1,673	171	194	186	167	262	208	168	149	97	48	18	3	-	2



Wilmington, . . . . .	958	109	92	101	100	179	129	102	64	49	21	10	1	1
Winchester, . . . . .	1,801	224	208	162	153	385	331	143	96	55	31	10	3	-
Woburn, . . . . .	5,448	847	491	458	550	1,188	871	502	310	145	68	15	1	2
Totals, . . . . .	194,023	23,092	19,546	18,069	20,567	43,160	29,375	18,637	11,187	6,268	2,975	828	81	241
NANTUCKET, . . . . .	8,064	610	715	814	898	1,623	1,048	911	604	470	249	87	4	31
NORFOLK.														
Bellingham, . . . . .	1,413	169	155	149	148	233	187	137	111	79	29	14	2	-
Braintree, . . . . .	3,472	425	391	369	341	636	491	347	250	111	78	31	2	-
Brookline, . . . . .	3,737	434	367	317	365	874	650	359	77	99	35	12	-	48
Canton, . . . . .	3,115	391	322	301	289	647	465	299	170	133	66	16	6	10
Cohasset, . . . . .	1,879	205	205	191	186	303	251	219	152	90	58	17	1	1
Dedham, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail,) } 5,562	657	577	577	448	499	1,198	881	539	316	236	123	35	7	16
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . . . .	71	-	-	-	9	30	21	7	2	2	-	-	-	-
Dedham, (complete), . . . . .	5,633	657	577	448	508	1,228	902	546	318	238	123	35	7	16
Dorchester, . . . . .	8,340	989	846	761	848	1,784	1,318	782	475	273	153	36	2	43

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NORFOLK— <i>Con.</i>															
Dover, . . . . .	745	91	70	67	69	125	109	80	50	43	29	11	1	—	—
Foxborough, . . . . .	2,570	278	241	224	278	572	375	242	167	119	53	19	2	—	—
Franklin, . . . . .	2,044	228	197	185	215	353	282	194	170	132	66	21	—	1	—
Medfield, . . . . .	984	79	93	96	93	186	121	113	84	61	33	14	2	—	9
Medway, . . . . .	3,230	382	309	324	310	645	434	309	254	165	59	23	4	—	12
Milton, . . . . .	2,656	321	286	256	277	546	355	285	171	95	44	11	—	—	9
Needham, . . . . .	2,401	274	282	208	245	478	335	229	173	101	51	16	1	—	8
Quincy, . . . . .	5,921	812	674	575	506	1,192	957	596	320	174	81	27	2	—	5
Randolph, . . . . .	5,538	768	606	582	547	1,121	758	525	328	172	87	24	—	—	20
Roxbury, . . . . .	18,469	2,756	2,085	1,729	1,844	3,874	2,886	1,733	839	432	198	47	3	—	43
Sharon, . . . . .	1,331	136	159	142	113	232	159	144	114	64	47	16	1	—	4
Stoughton, . . . . .	4,370	542	470	394	410	943	671	370	330	150	57	17	3	—	13

	1,935	177	180	196	186	355	254	200	187	102	57	33	-	1	7
Walpole, . . . . .	1,935	177	180	196	186	355	254	200	187	102	57	33	-	1	7
West Roxbury, . . . . .	4,812	593	616	391	398	1,082	795	444	270	121	75	21	2	-	4
Weymouth, . . . . .	6,530	871	681	587	630	1,469	942	599	388	214	117	29	3	-	-
Wrentham, . . . . .	3,242	326	326	351	322	514	388	377	261	197	117	47	-	-	13
Totals, . . . . .	94,367	11,901	10,138	8,943	9,128	19,392	14,115	9,129	5,692	3,365	1,713	537	44	1	266
PLYMOUTH.															
Abington, . . . . .	6,937	974	705	617	730	1,615	952	619	340	236	94	20	-	-	5
Bridgewater, (exclusive of inmates of State Almshouse,) . . . . .	2,933	362	317	288	260	530	377	300	206	166	92	28	3	-	4
Inmates of State Almshouse, . . . . .	430	43	98	46	25	55	53	43	30	18	16	2	1	-	-
Bridgewater, (complete)	3,363	405	415	334	285	585	430	313	236	184	108	30	4	-	4
Carver, . . . . .	1,205	112	113	135	146	218	141	126	101	71	29	5	-	-	5
Duxbury, . . . . .	2,620	270	238	267	272	427	311	282	252	147	105	38	5	1	2
East Bridgewater, . . . . .	2,930	344	313	280	284	574	409	259	231	158	53	19	-	-	6
Halifax, . . . . .	786	77	94	95	67	107	101	96	69	41	29	8	1	-	1
Hanover, . . . . .	1,674	179	166	161	194	298	207	182	145	79	45	17	1	-	-

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PLYMOUTH—Con.															
Hanson, . . . . .	1,231	140	126	112	118	232	152	139	94	64	38	15	1	-	-
Hingham, . . . . .	4,257	401	399	387	425	806	570	487	373	237	139	30	2	-	1
Hull, . . . . .	292	31	32	36	28	50	38	37	14	14	5	4	-	-	-
Kingston, . . . . .	1,571	143	169	131	156	254	211	190	137	112	49	18	1	-	-
Lakeville, . . . . .	1,188	116	103	129	115	199	136	127	141	63	40	14	-	-	5
Marion, . . . . .	969	91	94	110	97	156	138	97	95	61	22	6	-	-	2
Marshfield, . . . . .	1,876	199	193	179	193	299	216	219	177	109	65	22	5	-	-
Middleborough, . . . . .	4,324	419	501	425	431	732	547	465	359	255	138	46	5	-	1
North Bridgewater, . . . . .	5,205	707	533	523	507	1,123	790	451	298	170	71	15	2	-	15
Pembroke, . . . . .	1,500	161	121	158	142	280	161	169	144	80	70	14	-	-	-
Plymouth, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail), . . . . .	6,468	663	664	663	685	1,196	801	707	476	302	163	51	4	-	93

Inmates of Co. Jail,	16	-	-	-	2	6	2	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Plymouth, (complete),	6,481	663	664	663	687	1,202	803	710	479	302	163	51	4	-	-	-	-	-	93	
Plympton, . . . . .	1,000	105	107	95	103	172	137	74	92	71	31	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Rochester, . . . . .	3,048	281	304	333	311	484	377	363	292	164	98	37	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Scituate, . . . . .	2,269	228	247	242	197	401	272	228	225	150	60	15	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	
South Scituate, . . . . .	1,786	174	173	165	175	287	229	186	157	124	88	25	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	
Wareham, . . . . .	3,246	453	405	324	356	643	396	295	199	108	54	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	
West Bridgewater, . . . . .	1,731	232	202	178	167	311	243	159	108	80	36	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Totals, . . . . .	61,495	6,908	6,417	6,079	6,186	11,485	7,970	6,303	4,761	3,080	1,630	491	39	1	-	-	-	-	145	
SUFFOLK.																				
Boston, Ward 1, . . . . .	18,530	2,764	1,933	1,537	1,607	4,609	3,056	1,651	780	421	125	31	3	-	-	-	-	-	13	
Ward 2, (exclusive of paupers and convicts at Rainsford & Deer Islands,) . . . . .	15,562	2,354	1,753	1,543	1,481	3,579	2,528	1,375	598	238	75	20	1	-	-	-	-	-	14	
Ward 3, . . . . .	12,768	1,526	1,052	955	1,228	3,842	2,161	1,093	535	236	73	22	2	-	-	-	-	-	40	
Ward 4, . . . . .	7,389	553	482	450	772	2,371	1,257	833	400	174	67	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	
Ward 5, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail,) . . . . .	10,081	1,055	852	777	1,018	2,666	1,753	992	542	256	115	25	3	-	-	-	-	-	27	



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SUFFOLK— <i>Con.</i>															
Ward 6, . . . . .	11,865	974	949	939	1,269	3,200	1,914	1,277	735	367	167	42	3	—	29
Ward 7, . . . . .	17,269	2,389	1,701	1,547	1,547	3,893	2,938	1,719	781	491	152	41	3	2	65
Ward 8, . . . . .	12,898	1,450	1,180	1,143	1,205	3,243	2,273	1,250	592	322	113	41	5	—	81
Ward 9, . . . . .	9,699	1,114	881	858	991	2,281	1,628	975	542	266	115	22	7	—	19
Ward 10, . . . . .	12,377	1,494	1,200	1,088	1,200	3,081	2,019	1,197	624	302	102	18	2	—	50
Ward 11, . . . . .	13,141	1,792	1,514	1,254	1,296	2,831	2,196	1,238	606	275	93	19	2	—	22
Ward 12, (exclusive of inmates of Houses of Ref'm, Correction, & Lunatic Hospital), . . . . .	17,214	2,692	2,039	1,770	1,492	3,496	2,881	1,623	746	314	110	15	—	—	36
Boston, (exclusive of inmates of Public Institutions), . . . . .	158,793	20,157	15,536	13,861	15,109	39,098	26,607	15,223	7,481	3,662	1,307	308	31	2	411
Paupers at Rainsford and Deer Islands, (Ward 2), . . . . .	304	30	12	11	39	86	48	42	17	8	9	2	—	—	—





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WORCESTER.															
Ashburnham, . . .	2,211	267	243	239	231	372	320	231	148	101	47	11	1	-	-
Athol, . . .	2,395	242	237	216	280	472	316	255	185	8	42	17	1	-	17
Auburn, . . .	885	102	92	103	102	130	99	84	81	47	25	13	1	-	3
Barre, . . .	2,787	280	265	304	297	486	384	268	237	156	61	34	6	-	6
Berlin, . . .	976	118	93	123	124	168	125	80	78	49	13	5	-	-	-
Blackstone, . . .	5,316	617	541	486	627	1,279	733	461	325	167	59	17	-	-	3
Bolton, . . .	1,255	127	117	141	138	224	146	143	87	65	52	15	-	-	-
Boylston, . . .	835	91	91	108	79	103	119	89	65	39	26	10	1	-	14
Brookfield, . . .	2,007	222	183	186	233	375	287	196	154	101	52	17	1	-	-
Charlton, . . .	2,039	224	197	195	216	336	269	226	186	125	70	13	2	-	-
Clinton, . . .	3,636	417	312	294	496	1,012	535	264	161	82	26	5	1	-	1
Dana, . . .	824	106	91	83	82	123	122	79	59	45	27	5	-	-	2

Douglas, . . . . .	2,320	321	241	216	216	467	330	230	151	88	42	17	1	-	-
Dudley, . . . . .	1,523	195	144	173	151	256	191	160	120	80	40	11	-	-	2
Fitchburg, . . . . .	6,412	792	651	575	622	1,385	1,018	619	401	221	106	37	3	-	6
Gardner, . . . . .	2,183	263	212	189	213	498	336	223	116	75	39	18	-	-	1
Grafton, . . . . .	4,409	509	463	475	551	954	518	434	275	147	66	15	1	-	1
Hardwick, . . . . .	1,523	155	146	155	146	287	179	180	126	89	41	17	1	-	1
Harvard, . . . . .	1,533	143	151	135	155	216	200	171	159	109	59	24	1	-	7
Holden, . . . . .	2,114	231	244	250	258	289	291	200	163	103	68	12	2	-	-
Hubbardston, . . . . .	1,744	173	176	205	206	269	218	192	138	111	42	12	1	-	1
Lancaster, . . . . .	1,728	176	178	163	160	277	203	187	175	121	64	18	5	-	1
Leicester, . . . . .	2,589	296	303	235	235	479	382	262	183	112	73	19	1	-	9
Leominster, . . . . .	3,200	393	335	322	273	535	487	369	239	129	82	28	2	-	6
Lunenburg, . . . . .	1,224	102	101	132	126	166	126	140	151	90	54	30	3	-	3
Mendon, . . . . .	1,382	169	137	139	145	243	192	133	113	65	31	13	1	-	1
Milford, . . . . .	7,489	1,110	718	612	856	1,781	1,160	596	407	166	61	18	1	-	-
Millbury, . . . . .	3,286	383	321	335	397	662	441	312	228	130	51	14	2	-	4

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Worcester—Com.															
New Braintree, . . .	775	95	73	82	84	144	98	74	59	38	19	5	1	1	3
Northborough, . . .	1,602	194	162	156	150	307	228	161	106	82	44	9	3	1	1
Northbridge, . . .	2,104	246	233	230	215	390	326	217	127	83	32	5	1	1	1
North Brookfield, . . .	2,349	296	216	250	251	460	356	240	150	75	40	13	1	1	1
Oakham, . . .	1,002	105	129	127	106	151	122	106	84	77	42	8	2	1	1
Oxford, . . .	2,808	320	321	301	303	504	390	283	182	126	57	16	1	4	4
Paxton, . . .	792	85	81	77	76	129	126	82	54	38	31	12	1	1	1
Petersham, . . .	1,553	171	151	188	151	196	181	182	139	103	59	22	4	1	2
Phillipston, . . .	799	89	71	97	83	120	104	74	65	62	25	6	2	1	1
Princeton, . . .	1,317	143	150	165	126	186	184	131	93	76	40	21	2	1	1
Royalston, . . .	1,469	136	159	158	157	217	210	136	128	99	54	14	1	1	1
Rutland, . . .	1,102	106	119	126	105	159	146	122	106	61	38	11	3	1	1

Shrewsbury, . . .	1,636	181	168	147	152	262	235	178	129	108	51	22	3	-	-
Southborough, . . .	1,602	189	144	171	175	301	246	141	107	90	28	7	1	-	2
Southbridge, . . .	3,429	441	365	386	380	660	472	335	234	110	39	6	-	-	1
Spencer, . . .	2,527	333	262	261	249	471	370	210	172	102	59	20	1	1	16
Sterling, . . .	1,838	166	181	194	188	294	233	183	178	121	69	26	-	-	5
Sturbridge, . . .	2,188	268	213	216	251	409	271	212	166	102	63	14	2	-	1
Sutton, . . .	2,718	295	280	266	332	475	336	276	211	143	76	24	4	-	-
Templeton, . . .	2,618	250	259	246	281	590	370	278	152	116	59	17	-	-	-
Upton, . . .	2,035	200	198	200	220	397	303	213	152	98	43	9	1	-	1
Uxbridge, . . .	3,068	307	296	299	340	641	451	309	212	130	61	18	-	-	4
Warren, . . .	1,793	186	178	183	179	312	274	180	153	86	47	10	-	-	5
Webster, . . .	2,727	320	304	303	322	560	402	235	161	85	25	6	4	-	-
Westborough, (exclusive of inmates of State Ref. School.)	2,478	305	249	232	241	436	413	242	163	122	58	16	1	-	-
Inmates of State Ref. School, . . .	536	-	15	306	214	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Westboro', (complete.)	3,014	305	264	538	455	437	413	242	163	122	58	16	1	-	-

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WORCESTER— <i>Con.</i>																	
West Boylston, . . .	2,310	299	242	216	316	455	301	205	144	69	46	13	3	1	1		
West Brookfield, . . .	1,364	171	132	130	120	248	197	133	88	78	46	8	3	1	10		
Westminster, . . .	1,979	237	191	208	190	322	247	229	165	102	53	26	3	1	6		
Winchendon, . . .	2,747	261	255	250	330	624	372	258	193	119	65	17	3	1	1		
Worcester, (exclusive of inmates of Lunatic Hosp., County Jail, and House of Cor.,)	21,888	2,881	2,171	1,855	2,093	5,234	3,655	2,096	1,087	522	219	56	9	1	10		
Inmates of State Lunatic Hospital, . . .	330	-	-	2	6	56	87	94	43	26	13	3	-	-	-		
Inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction, . . .	68	-	-	1	17	21	18	6	4	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Worcester, (complete,)	22,286	2,881	2,171	1,858	2,116	5,311	3,760	2,196	1,134	548	232	60	9	1	10		
Totals, . . .	149,516	17,533	14,963	14,818	16,016	29,609	21,484	11,608	10,121	6,150	3,026	926	98	2	162		

## RECAPITULATION.

Barnstable, . . . . .	35,442	4,076	4,065	3,974	3,761	5,958	4,485	3,585	2,593	1,655	910	259	31	1	86
Berkshire, . . . . .	52,791	6,285	5,912	5,675	5,313	9,766	7,211	5,092	3,660	2,261	1,051	353	32	-	150
Bristol, . . . . .	87,425	10,136	9,613	9,034	9,182	16,491	12,084	9,064	5,806	3,138	1,759	557	61	-	200
Dukes County, . . . . .	4,401	374	427	427	443	749	601	530	364	227	153	54	3	-	49
Essex, . . . . .	151,018	17,147	14,910	14,611	15,814	32,036	21,179	15,058	10,095	5,798	3,038	930	80	2	320
Franklin, . . . . .	31,652	3,471	3,335	3,359	3,265	5,461	4,064	3,234	2,454	1,683	933	268	42	1	79
Hampden, . . . . .	51,849	5,981	5,487	5,516	6,060	11,315	7,895	5,361	3,582	2,275	1,005	254	48	-	67
Hampshire, . . . . .	55,485	3,746	3,559	3,638	3,871	6,452	4,767	3,499	2,800	1,810	928	260	39	1	115
Middlesex, . . . . .	194,023	23,092	19,546	18,069	20,567	43,160	29,375	18,637	11,187	6,268	2,975	828	81	7	241
Nantucket, . . . . .	8,061	610	715	814	898	1,623	1,018	911	691	470	249	87	4	-	31
Norfolk, . . . . .	91,367	11,904	10,138	8,943	9,128	19,392	14,115	9,129	5,692	3,335	1,713	537	44	1	266
Plymouth, . . . . .	61,495	6,908	6,417	6,079	6,186	11,485	7,970	6,303	4,761	3,080	1,630	491	39	1	145
Suffolk, . . . . .	171,811	21,681	16,775	15,141	16,510	42,178	28,768	16,496	8,110	3,943	1,440	334	32	3	430
Worcester, . . . . .	119,516	17,533	14,963	14,818	16,016	29,609	21,184	14,608	10,121	6,150	3,026	926	98	2	162
Totals, . . . . .	1,132,339	132,944	115,862	110,998	117,017	235,678	165,016	111,500	71,829	42,423	20,810	6,138	634	19	2,341

TABLE III. NATIVITY.  
*Exhibiting the Nativities of the Total Population. Arranged by Counties and Towns.*

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	FOREIGN.											Total United States.	Total Population.				
	British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Holland.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.			Norway & Sweden.	West Indies.	Other Countries.	Total.
BARNSTABLE.																	
Barnstable, . . .	9	34	135	6	2	3	2	3	1	1	-	1	-	2	199	-	4,998
Brewster, . . .	2	5	45	1	-	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	3	62	-	1,525
Chatham, . . .	8	4	26	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	-	2,560
Dennis, . . .	8	26	48	4	2	-	1	6	-	-	-	5	1	-	101	-	3,497
Eastham, . . .	-	6	4	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	808
Falmouth, . . .	2	2	12	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	23	-	2,613
Harwich, . . .	7	9	10	1	-	2	1	7	-	-	-	1	4	3	45	-	3,261
Orleans, . . .	2	-	16	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	23	-	1,754
Provincetown, . . .	141	28	126	2	1	-	2	77	-	-	1	-	-	2	383	-	3,036
Sandwich, . . .	20	41	537	6	-	3	-	1	1	-	-	1	1	-	611	-	4,496



Truro, . . . . .	1,858	10	17	11	2	-	2	1	3	-	1	1	7	7	4	59	1,917
Wellfleet, . . . . .	2,283	23	7	3	-	3	-	1	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	42	2,325
Yarmouth, . . . . .	2,507	21	6	53	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	85	2,592
Totals, . . . . .	33,757	256	185	1,026	29	5	22	8	106	2	3	3	17	7	16	1,685	35,442
BERKSHIRE.																	
Adams, . . . . .	5,557	106	145	1,019	100	-	40	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1,415	6,980
Alford, . . . . .	512	3	-	6	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	526
Becket, . . . . .	1,168	145	7	144	2	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	304	1,472
Cheshire, . . . . .	1,219	10	12	282	5	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	313	1,532
Clarksburg, . . . . .	410	-	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	424
Dalton, . . . . .	921	15	20	91	-	-	14	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	143	1,064
Egremont, . . . . .	928	-	2	59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	64	992
Florida, . . . . .	541	-	1	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	612
Great Barrington, . . . . .	2,813	3	53	467	7	11	69	12	-	5	3	-	-	-	6	636	3,449
Hancock, . . . . .	777	5	7	40	4	-	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	848
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1,028	38	25	249	6	2	10	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	333	1,361



Pittsfield, . . . . .	4,942	122	141	986	50	-	234	15	-	1	3	-	-	-	7	1,559	-	6,501
Richmond, . . . . .	750	6	12	193	3	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	220	-	970
Sandisfield, . . . . .	1,479	4	6	58	1	-	5	48	-	12	-	-	-	1	1	136	-	1,615
Savoy, . . . . .	901	3	1	13	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	-	919
Sheffield, . . . . .	2,319	1	10	257	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	275	-	2,624
Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,520	8	37	305	16	4	73	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	538	-	2,058
Tyringhan, . . . . .	611	2	8	57	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	-	710
Washington, . . . . .	815	49	3	186	1	-	5	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	253	-	1,068
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,312	40	7	335	1	-	-	9	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	391	-	1,736
Williamstown, . . . . .	2,260	14	20	203	9	15	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	269	-	2,529
Windsor, . . . . .	873	9	1	8	2	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	-	905
Totals, . . . . .	43,397	690	726	6,803	265	37	629	152	1	34	10	-	1	5	33	9,386	8	52,791
BRISTOL.																		
Attleborough, . . . . .	4,539	12	136	643	12	-	81	12	-	5	1	1	2	2	2	912	-	5,451
Berkley, . . . . .	910	2	1	10	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	-	924
Dartmouth, . . . . .	3,538	6	6	78	4	2	3	4	2	-	-	-	2	-	11	118	2	3,658

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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total United States.	FOREIGN.											Total.	Unknown.	Total Population.				
		British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Holland.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.				Norway & Sweden.	West Indies.	Other Countries.	
<b>BRISTOL—Con.</b>																			
Dighton, . . . . .	1,571	—	18	122	4	—	13	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	158	—	1,729
Easton, . . . . .	2,307	8	6	408	16	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	411	—	2,748
Fairhaven, . . . . .	4,426	39	41	149	9	1	10	2	7	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	260	7	4,693
Fall River, . . . . .	7,900	104	1,217	3,217	194	1	29	3	4	3	—	—	—	—	3	5	4,780	—	12,680
Freetown, . . . . .	1,555	12	2	14	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	—	1,585
Mansfield, . . . . .	1,837	40	40	200	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	282	—	2,119
New Bedford, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction), . . . . .	18,458	111	320	1,911	83	1	136	7	196	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,811	15	20,314
Inmates of County Jail and House of Cor., . . . . .		2	3	26	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	33	—
N. Bedford, (complete),	18,500	113	323	1,937	83	1	136	8	196	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,874	15	20,389

Norton, . . . . .	1,610	4	39	238	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	284	-	1,894	
Pawtucket, . . . . .	2,682	16	246	1,099	78	-	8	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,450	-	4,132	
Raynham, . . . . .	1,507	5	11	110	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	127	-	1,634	
Rehoboth, . . . . .	2,020	-	17	63	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	87	-	2,107	
Seekonk, . . . . .	2,160	13	12	117	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	144	-	2,304	
Somerset, . . . . .	1,200	15	6	101	4	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	131	8	1,339	
Swansey, . . . . .	1,355	9	4	98	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	111	1	1,467	
Taunton, (exclusive of inmates of State Lunatic Hospital and County Jail), . . . . .	10,096	107	540	2,610	55	-	45	12	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,381	-	13,477	
Inmates of State Lunatic Hospital, . . . . .	169	1	5	73	1	-	9	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	92	-	261	
Inmates of County Jail, . . . . .	6	1	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	12	
Taunton, (complete), . . . . .	10,271	109	545	2,686	57	-	55	13	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,479	-	13,750	
Westport, . . . . .	2,779	2	5	13	1	-	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	29	14	2,822	
Totals, . . . . .	71,667	509	2,675	11,303	476	6	343	45	217	15	8	6	41	19	48	15,711	47	87,425				

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COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Total United States.	FOREIGN.												Total.	Unknown.	Total Population.			
		British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Holland.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.	Norway & Sweden.				West Indies.	Other Countries.	
<b>DUKES.</b>																			
Chilmark, . . . . .	651	-	3	13	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	676
Edgartown, . . . . .	1,813	2	8	18	1	-	-	2	9	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	43	42	1,898
Tisbury, . . . . .	1,762	1	4	36	4	1	3	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	5	1,827
Totals, . . . . .	4,229	3	15	67	5	1	3	2	18	1	1	1	-	1	-	-	125	47	4,401
<b>ESSEX.</b>																			
Amesbury, . . . . .	3,121	38	128	268	19	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	461	-	3,385
Andover, . . . . .	3,602	18	250	601	293	4	19	8	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1,208	-	4,810
Beverly, . . . . .	5,412	163	28	310	12	1	7	3	-	-	1	3	1	3	1	-	532	-	5,914
Boxford, . . . . .	988	3	9	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	-	1,034
Bradford, . . . . .	1,227	-	9	120	2	-	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115	-	1,372
Danvers, . . . . .	3,291	65	84	432	105	-	14	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	709	-	4,000

Essex, . . . . .	1,542	57	8	58	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	126	1,668
Georgetown, . . . . .	1,853	3	12	169	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	189	2,042
Gloucester, . . . . .	7,777	480	57	458	35	-	7	59	-	4	12	37	2	2	2	2	2	1,158	8,935
Groveland, . . . . .	1,314	11	23	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53	1,367
Hamilton, . . . . .	846	3	7	38	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	896
Haverhill, . . . . .	6,858	96	115	821	19	-	12	6	-	-	1	1	-	3	1,074	-	-	1,074	7,932
Ipswich, (exclusive of inmates of Lunatic Hosp., and convicts in House of Cor.) . . . . .	3,040	21	52	161	14	-	11	-	-	-	1	-	4	-	264	-	-	264	3,304
Inmates of Lun. Hosp., . . . . .	40	1	2	20	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	-	1	27	-	-	27	67
Convicts in House of Correction, . . . . .	28	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	-	22	50
Ipswich, (complete), . . . . .	3,108	22	54	203	14	-	12	1	-	-	1	1	4	1	313	-	-	313	3,421
Lawrence, (exclusive of convicts in House of Correction), . . . . .	9,371	205	1,126	4,755	403	4	169	6	6	4	2	-	-	2	6,688	5	-	6,688	16,064
Convicts in House of Correction, . . . . .	13	1	6	28	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	-	-	37	50
Lawrence, (complete), . . . . .	9,384	206	1,132	4,783	405	4	169	6	6	4	2	-	-	2	6,725	5	-	6,725	16,114

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	British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Hol-land.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.	Norway & Swe-den.	West Indies.			Other Countries.	Total.
<i>Essex—Con.</i>																	
Lynn, . . .	263	160	1,857	61	2	11	5	2	-	2	2	9	1	6	2,381	-	15,713
Lynnfield, . . .	33	9	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	83	-	883
Manchester, . . .	40	6	99	3	-	13	1	-	-	-	2	1	-	2	167	-	1,864
Marblehead, . . .	178	63	423	25	-	17	6	2	1	-	1	-	-	5	721	-	6,928
Methuen, . . .	38	25	211	4	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	283	-	2,582
Middleton, . . .	13	9	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	42	-	880
Nahant, . . .	2	1	37	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	270
Newbury, . . .	16	4	91	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	119	-	1,484
Newburyport, . . .	730	244	1,430	58	1	12	6	-	-	6	7	7	5	6	2,512	1	13,357
North Andover, . . .	5	177	268	63	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	517	1	2,218
Rockport, . . .	54	17	261	16	-	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	351	-	3,498



Rowley, . . . . .	1,170	3	1	36	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	44	-	1,211
Salem, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail.)	16,421	353	231	3,585	74	-	45	30	12	-	11	5	18	7	55	4,426	61	20,911	
Inmates of County Jail,	15	2	-	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	23	
Salem, (complete.)	16,436	355	231	3,590	75	-	45	30	12	-	11	5	18	7	55	4,431	61	20,934	
Salisbury, . . . . .	2,821	22	123	189	22	1	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	361	-	3,185	
Saugus, . . . . .	1,499	19	72	147	40	3	7	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	289	-	1,788	
South Danvers, . . . . .	4,431	58	43	790	14	-	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	917	-	5,348	
Swampscott, . . . . .	1,156	23	9	133	5	-	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	179	-	1,335	
Topsfield, . . . . .	1,182	15	5	35	11	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	68	-	1,250	
Wenham, . . . . .	982	23	3	61	3	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	91	-	1,073	
West Newbury, . . . . .	1,662	13	110	279	14	-	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	432	-	2,094	
Totals,	124,120	3,068	3,228	18,314	1,336	19	392	93	87	5	28	34	87	23	113	26,827	71	151,018	
FRANKLIN.																			
Ashfield, . . . . .	1,327	1	2	11	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	1,342	
Bernardston, . . . . .	895	-	-	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	908	
Buckland, . . . . .	1,437	4	81	60	4	-	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	177	-	1,614	



Heath, . . . . .	739	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	741
Leverett, . . . . .	979	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	982
Leyden, . . . . .	628	-	-	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	653
Monroe, . . . . .	216	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	217
Montague, . . . . .	1,453	7	7	38	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	-	1,509
New Salem, . . . . .	1,217	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	1,221
Northfield, . . . . .	1,817	8	2	122	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	134	-	1,951
Orange, . . . . .	1,715	7	1	28	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	38	-	1,753
Rowe, . . . . .	601	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	601
Shelburne, . . . . .	1,316	8	19	47	1	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85	-	1,401
Shutesbury, . . . . .	935	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	939
Sunderland, . . . . .	770	2	-	63	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	69	-	839
Warwick, . . . . .	979	-	11	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	-	1,002
Wendell, . . . . .	713	12	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	-	738
Whately, . . . . .	990	4	4	39	3	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61	1	1,052
Totals, . . . . .	29,517	106	276	1,300	24	1	403	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,131	4	31,652

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<b>HAMPDEN.</b>																	
Agawan, . . . . .	4	20	197	2	-	34	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	260	-	1,543
Blandford, . . . . .	7	19	29	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	-	1,271
Brimfield, . . . . .	19	2	65	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	88	5	1,343
Chester, . . . . .	12	13	72	3	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	107	-	1,255
Chicopee, . . . . .	77	93	2,530	28	1	48	14	-	1	-	-	-	-	4	2,796	-	7,576
Granville, . . . . .	-	4	39	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	45	-	1,316
Holland, . . . . .	-	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	-	392
Holyoke, . . . . .	40	97	1,657	195	-	13	8	-	4	-	-	-	1	1	2,015	1	4,639
Longmeadow, . . . . .	16	5	120	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	147	-	1,348
Ludlow, . . . . .	5	6	41	8	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	62	1	1,191

Monson, (exclusive of inmates of St. Alms-house.) . . . . .	2,214	3	21	177	2	-	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	224	1	2,439
Inmates of State Alms-house, . . . . .	266	20	15	161	3	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	215	22	503
Monson, (complete,) . . . . .	2,480	23	36	338	5	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	439	23	2,942
Montgomery, . . . . .	405	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	2	413
Palmer, . . . . .	2,439	313	110	1,026	37	-	84	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,573	-	4,012
Russell, . . . . .	535	33	26	80	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	142	-	677
Southwick, . . . . .	1,062	2	2	43	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47	21	1,130
Springfield, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail and House of Correction,) . . . . .	10,906	141	189	2,223	58	1	127	14	2	1	1	7	1	2	3	13	-	2,782	-	13,688
Inmates of County Jail and House of Cor., . . . . .	53	1	3	41	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	46	1	100
Springfield, (complete,) . . . . .	10,959	142	192	2,264	58	1	128	14	2	1	7	1	2	3	13	-	-	2,828	1	13,788
Tolland, . . . . .	559	1	1	38	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	44	-	603
Wales, . . . . .	692	1	11	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	-	713

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<b>HAMPDEN—Con.</b>																	
Westfield, . . . . .	18	48	399	4	—	10	1	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	486	—	4,575
West Springfield, . . . . .	28	16	453	18	3	17	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	553	—	2,090
Wilbraham, . . . . .	11	11	139	—	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	166	—	2,032
Totals, . . . . .	757	714	9,547	364	6	386	54	6	11	8	3	2	3	29	11,890	54	54,849
<b>HAMPSHIRE.</b>																	
Amherst, . . . . .	26	10	141	4	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	192	—	2,937
Belchertown, . . . . .	47	9	82	2	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	145	—	2,698
Chesterfield, . . . . .	2	2	32	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	—	950
Cummington, . . . . .	—	2	28	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	—	1,004
Easthampton, . . . . .	3	12	190	7	—	33	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	247	—	1,386
Enfield, . . . . .	3	4	63	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	75	—	1,036

Goshen, . . . . .	462	-	1	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	471
Granby, . . . . .	980	-	4	67	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	1,001
Greenwich, . . . . .	792	3	2	4	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	803
Hadley, . . . . .	1,693	58	1	162	2	-	10	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	234	1,928
Hatfield, . . . . .	988	59	-	82	-	-	14	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	156	1,162
Huntington, . . . . .	1,098	3	5	54	3	-	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	74	1,172
Middlefield, . . . . .	575	24	16	51	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	102	677
Northampton, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction, . . . . .	4,425	80	116	913	40	-	204	11	-	3	-	1	2	6	1,376	-	-	-	5,801
Inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction, . . . . .	11	1	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	18
Northampton, (complete,) . . . . .	4,436	81	117	918	40	-	204	11	-	3	-	1	2	6	1,383	-	-	-	5,819
Pelham, . . . . .	776	3	3	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	789
Plainfield, . . . . .	639	2	2	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	13	-	-	-	652
Prescott, . . . . .	638	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	643
South Hadley, . . . . .	1,500	1	8	382	38	-	107	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	537	2,051

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<i>HAMPSHIRE—Con.</i>																		
Southampton, . . .	1,116	—	19	57	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	79	—	1,195
Ware, . . .	2,554	19	86	780	16	1	39	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	944	—	3,498
Westhampton, . . .	635	1	—	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	—	670
Williamsburg, . . .	1,531	3	32	212	12	—	39	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	300	—	1,831
Worthington, . . .	1,077	5	3	24	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	35	—	1,112
Totals, . . .	30,719	343	343	3,383	124	2	494	22	—	5	—	1	1	3	12	4,733	33	35,435
<i>MIDDLESEX.</i>																		
Acton, . . .	1,547	11	3	111	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	131	—	1,678
Abby, . . .	1,140	6	—	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	—	1,176
Ashland, . . .	1,126	14	6	151	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	182	—	1,308
Bedford, . . .	875	6	6	87	8	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	111	—	986



Billerica, . . . . .	1,545	12	10	188	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	227	-	1,772
Boxborough, . . . . .	391	3	-	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	-	413
Brighton, . . . . .	2,097	21	39	697	8	22	2	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	798	-	2,895
Burlington, . . . . .	487	5	8	51	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	76	1	564
Cambridge, (exclusive of inmates of Lunatic Hospital, Co. Jail, and House of Cor.,)	13,836	828	547	4,483	173	4	251	79	2	11	8	1	15	13	24	6,439	26	20,301		
Inmates of Lunatic Hospital, . . . . .	9	-	1	14	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	-	25		
Inmates of County Jail and House of Cor., . . . . .	58	4	5	77	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	89	-	147		
Cambridge, (complete,)	13,903	832	553	4,574	176	4	251	80	2	11	8	1	15	13	24	6,544	26	20,473		
Carlisle, . . . . .	598	1	3	25	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	1	630		
Charlestown, (exclu- sive of Navy Yard and convicts in State Prison,) . . . . .	16,121	527	324	3,687	100	6	168	21	7	5	6	11	37	1	41	4,941	1	21,063		
Navy Yard, . . . . .	95	3	3	44	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	57	-	152		
Convicts in St. Prison,	314	27	30	102	3	-	4	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	170	1	485		
Charlestown, (complete,)	16,530	557	357	3,833	104	6	176	23	7	5	7	11	38	1	43	5,168	2	21,700		



Lincoln, . . . . .	622	8	2	82	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	99	-	721
Littleton, . . . . .	893	6	1	80	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	92	-	985
Lowell, (exclusive of inmates of Houses of Correction and Reformation.) . . . . .	21,312	917	1,252	10,425	467	4	43	18	-	-	3	-	13	1	13,154	-	37,496
Inmates of Houses of Correction and Reformation, . . . . .	17	3	4	33	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	41	-	58
Lowell, (complete,) . . . . .	21,359	920	1,256	10,458	468	4	43	18	-	-	3	-	13	1	13,195	-	37,551
Malden, . . . . .	3,683	70	108	630	61	-	21	8	-	5	-	1	1	-	906	3	4,592
Marlborough, . . . . .	3,207	186	18	801	3	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,021	-	4,288
Medford, . . . . .	3,736	172	101	533	22	-	20	3	-	-	2	-	1	7	867	-	4,603
Melrose, . . . . .	1,704	14	66	170	11	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	272	-	1,976
Natick, . . . . .	3,402	43	40	599	2	1	43	4	-	-	-	-	3	-	736	-	4,138
Newton, . . . . .	5,011	118	156	1,306	41	3	83	5	-	12	1	-	7	12	1,751	-	6,768
North Reading, . . . . .	982	6	5	56	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	-	1,050
Pepperell, . . . . .	1,580	6	29	147	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	183	2	1,765
Reading, . . . . .	2,280	33	18	114	2	-	69	2	-	4	-	-	-	-	242	-	2,522



Tewksbury, (exclusive of inmates of State Alms-house.) . . . . .	961	10	11	168	4	3	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	197	-	1,161	
Inmates of State Alms-house, . . . . .	225	25	19	268	7	6	1	-	-	2	1	-	-	330	-	555	
Tewksbury, (complete)	1,186	35	30	436	11	9	1	-	1	2	1	-	-	527	-	1,716	
Townsend, . . . . .	1,929	9	10	141	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	163	-	2,092	
Tyngsborough, . . . . .	691	2	2	17	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	23	-	714	
Waltham, . . . . .	4,132	79	111	1,679	37	3	2	-	-	-	2	-	-	1,913	4	6,049	
Watertown, . . . . .	2,528	70	41	915	11	5	-	-	-	-	3	1	3	1,050	-	3,578	
Wayland, . . . . .	1,058	6	9	81	4	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	120	-	1,178	
West Cambridge, . . . . .	1,996	56	59	511	27	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	674	-	2,670	
Westford, . . . . .	1,407	20	25	126	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	178	1	1,586	
Weston, . . . . .	1,045	8	9	139	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	160	-	1,205	
Wilmington, . . . . .	877	6	18	51	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	81	-	958	
Winchester, . . . . .	1,481	55	13	229	9	2	3	-	-	-	1	-	3	315	5	1,801	
Woburn, . . . . .	4,176	140	77	993	36	14	4	-	1	-	-	2	-	1,272	-	5,448	
Totals, . . . . .	116,116	4,134	3,959	33,609	1,342	27	909	180	12	43	25	26	108	46	132	47,552	194,023

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NANTUCKET, . . .	7,595	16	86	189	4	1	12	4	149	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	42	455	14	8,064	
NORFOLK.																							
Bellingham, . . .	1,289	2	1	108	7	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,413
Braintree, . . .	2,930	42	73	382	30	—	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	3,472
Brookline, . . .	2,411	68	53	1,142	10	3	31	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	5	1,320	6	3,737	
Canton, . . .	2,075	24	140	842	12	1	15	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	1,040	—	3,115	
Cohasset, . . .	1,709	26	10	79	2	—	2	2	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	6	170	—	1,879	
Dedham, (exclusive of inmates of Co. Jail.)	4,214	58	89	982	23	—	160	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	3	1,337	11	5,562	
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . .	28	1	2	33	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	43	—	71	
Dedham, (complete), . . .	4,242	59	91	1,015	24	—	162	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	3	1,380	11	5,633	
Dorchester, . . .	6,198	178	183	1,542	65	4	141	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	7	2,142	—	8,340	

Dover, . . . . .	587	7	4	145	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	158	-	745
Foxborough, . . . . .	2,293	4	31	227	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	273	1	2,570
Franklin, . . . . .	1,878	8	19	132	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	166	-	2,044
Medfield, . . . . .	877	4	12	83	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	107	-	981
Medway, . . . . .	2,656	26	45	489	6	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	574	-	3,230
Milton, . . . . .	1,903	26	45	640	5	2	31	1	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	753	-	2,656
Needham, . . . . .	1,832	25	58	450	2	-	30	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	569	-	2,401
Quincy, . . . . .	4,358	147	69	1,218	85	18	15	3	1	-	1	1	-	5	-	-	-	1,563	-	5,921
Randolph, . . . . .	4,144	59	18	1,293	14	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1,391	-	5,538
Roxbury, . . . . .	11,982	298	571	5,002	133	1	1,063	59	1	2	7	2	14	13	21	-	-	7,187	-	18,469
Sharon, . . . . .	1,205	6	21	98	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	126	-	1,331
Stoughton, . . . . .	3,551	18	20	750	5	-	13	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	809	7	4,370
Walpole, . . . . .	1,662	21	41	190	10	1	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	273	-	1,935
West Roxbury, . . . . .	3,189	103	81	1,275	71	2	41	9	8	1	3	1	2	5	15	-	-	1,623	-	4,812
Weymouth, . . . . .	5,636	48	35	717	23	1	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	833	1	6,530
Wrentham, . . . . .	2,818	26	65	269	22	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	388	6	3,242
Totals, . . . . .	70,788	1,225	1,692	18,123	513	33	1,587	114	50	5	14	11	32	41	74	-	-	23,544	35	94,367





Hingham, . . . . .	3,721	19	38	415	9	1	33	3	1	9	-	1	1	-	1	1	2	532	4	4,257
Hull, . . . . .	251	4	3	24	-	-	6	1	-	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	41	-	292
Kingston, . . . . .	1,433	4	8	110	3	-	9	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	138	-	1,571
Lakeville, . . . . .	1,123	4	4	42	3	-	9	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	-	1,188
Marion, . . . . .	937	3	4	21	1	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	32	-	969
Marshfield, . . . . .	1,782	5	4	80	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	94	-	1,876
Middleborough, . . . . .	4,090	9	17	187	7	-	9	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2	234	-	-	4,324
North Bridgewater, . . . . .	4,289	31	23	781	10	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	59	-	-	-	-	913	3	5,205
Pembroke, . . . . .	1,421	9	14	41	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	68	8	1,500
Plymouth, (exclusive of inmates of County Jail), . . . . .	5,724	79	40	402	36	2	168	3	4	-	-	2	1	1	-	7	744	-	-	6,468
Inmates of Co. Jail, . . . . .	13	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	16
Plymouth, (complete), . . . . .	5,737	80	40	401	36	2	168	3	4	-	-	2	1	1	-	7	747	-	-	6,484
Plympton, . . . . .	942	-	1	55	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	58	-	1,000
Rochester, . . . . .	2,933	1	10	92	6	-	1	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	115	-	3,018
Scituate, . . . . .	2,126	11	11	112	2	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	143	-	2,269



Ward 6, . . . . .	9,089	360	298	1,834	64	-	122	25	7	3	4	1	5	24	29	2,776	-	11,865
Ward 7, . . . . .	7,533	755	368	8,295	81	12	89	36	4	5	10	10	36	10	18	9,732	4	17,269
Ward 8, . . . . .	7,296	310	247	4,409	81	20	358	60	3	1	10	2	7	8	23	5,569	33	12,898
Ward 9, . . . . .	6,639	283	207	1,770	51	13	670	38	-	-	7	-	14	1	6	3,060	-	9,699
Ward 10, . . . . .	7,923	396	281	3,163	82	4	408	38	1	2	3	1	9	2	48	4,438	16	12,377
Ward 11, . . . . .	8,915	339	252	2,725	86	3	741	29	3	4	1	3	9	6	15	4,216	10	13,111
Ward 12, (exclusive of inmates of Houses of Ref'm, Correction, & Lunatic Hospital). . . . .	10,676	444	551	5,015	261	1	188	19	2	3	3	3	11	16	3	6,520	18	17,214
Boston, (exclusive of inmates of Public Institutions). . . . .	67,322	5,738	3,882	45,482	1,180	85	3,364	370	186	23	244	102	316	99	253	61,354	117	158,793
Paupers at Rainsford and Deer Islands, (Ward 2). . . . .	127	29	9	121	4	-	3	1	1	-	-	1	4	1	3	177	-	301
Convicts at Rainsford and Deer Islands, (Ward 2). . . . .	59	16	11	138	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	167	-	226
Inmates of County Jail, (Ward 5). . . . .	59	11	14	68	5	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	102	-	161
Paupers in House of Reformation, (Ward 12). . . . .	76	5	3	10	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	22	-	98





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<i>WORCESTER—Con.</i>																	
Gardner, . . .	20	1	197	4	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	221	-	2,183
Grafton, . . .	320	118	611	32	-	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1,092	-	4,409
Hardwick, . . .	1	4	103	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	112	-	1,523
Harvard, . . .	23	12	90	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	129	-	1,533
Holden, . . .	115	24	212	12	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	365	-	2,114
Hubbardston, . . .	-	1	30	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	1,744
Lancaster, . . .	11	23	189	10	-	3	1	-	1	-	-	-	1	5	249	-	1,728
Leicester, . . .	32	180	461	24	1	31	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	731	-	2,589
Leominster, . . .	33	18	160	7	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	227	-	3,200
Lanenburg, . . .	1	17	57	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	78	1	1,224
Mendon, . . .	1	11	150	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	163	-	1,382

Milford, . . . . .	4,703	84	74	2,591	13	4	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2,786	-	7,489
Millbury, . . . . .	2,277	232	195	537	39	3	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1,009	-	3,286
New Braintree, . . . . .	657	7	-	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	118	-	775
Northborough, . . . . .	1,346	50	32	173	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	256	-	1,602
Northbridge, . . . . .	1,697	13	55	325	9	2	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	407	-	2,104
North Brookfield, . . . . .	2,069	26	11	234	7	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	280	-	2,349
Oakham, . . . . .	1,025	3	11	14	7	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	-	1,062
Oxford, . . . . .	2,295	99	85	263	35	-	28	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	513	-	2,808
Paxton, . . . . .	721	11	4	50	1	-	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	71	-	792
Petersham, . . . . .	1,491	12	-	47	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	62	-	1,553
Phillipston, . . . . .	745	17	1	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54	-	799
Princeton, . . . . .	1,266	1	2	47	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	51	-	1,317
Royalston, . . . . .	1,405	5	4	52	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	64	-	1,469
Rutland, . . . . .	1,042	1	2	54	-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60	-	1,102
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	1,514	35	13	73	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	122	-	1,636
Southborough, . . . . .	1,323	26	4	240	-	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	279	-	1,602

TABLE III.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	FOREIGN.											Total United States.	Total Population.				
	British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Holland.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.			Norway & Sweden.	West Indies.	Other Countries.	Total.
<i>WORCESTER—Con.</i>																	
Southbridge, . . .	412	92	556	31	—	67	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	2	1,165	—	3,429
Spencer, . . .	218	52	279	4	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	557	—	2,527
Sterling, . . .	11	13	104	1	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	135	—	1,838
Sturbridge, . . .	40	8	133	18	—	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	206	—	2,188
Sutton, . . .	199	13	266	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	480	—	2,718
Templeton, . . .	35	37	273	5	—	24	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	376	—	2,618
Upton, . . .	23	3	210	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	236	—	2,035
Uxbridge, . . .	17	61	682	2	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	772	—	3,068
Warren, . . .	9	21	168	2	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	207	—	1,793
Webster, . . .	196	110	383	10	—	174	1	—	4	—	—	—	—	7	885	—	2,727



Westborough, (exclusive of inmates of State Ref. School.)	2,039	31	12	381	4	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	439	-	2,478	
Inmates of State Ref. School, . . . . .	430	25	10	66	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	106	-	536	
Westboro', (complete,)	2,469	56	22	447	5	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	545	-	3,014	
West Boylston, . . . . .	1,815	215	56	203	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	495	-	2,310	
West Brookfield, . . . . .	1,194	2	5	161	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	170	-	1,364	
Westminster, . . . . .	1,794	46	14	124	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	185	-	1,979	
Winchendon, . . . . .	2,393	94	27	228	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	354	-	2,747	
Worcester, (exclusive of inmates of Lunatic Hosp., County Jail, and House of Cor.,)	16,351	372	418	4,340	121	-	241	19	1	4	5	1	-	-	-	-	4	10	5,536	1	21,888
Inmates of State Lunatic Hospital, . . . . .	221	-	5	93	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	106	-	330
Inmates of Co. Jail and House of Correction,	34	3	1	30	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	68
Worcester, (complete,)	16,609	375	424	4,463	122	-	244	20	1	4	5	1	-	-	-	-	6	11	5,676	1	22,286
Totals, . . . . .	120,199	3,855	2,524	21,189	786	11	788	58	4	18	7	1	3	21	50	29,315	2	149,516			

TABLE III.—RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	FOREIGN.											Total United States.	Total Population.				
	British America.	England.	Ireland.	Scotland.	Wales.	Germany & Holland.	France.	Portugal.	Switzerland.	Italy.	Denmark.			Norway & Sweden.	West Indies.	Other Countries.	Total.
Barnstable, . . .	256	185	1,026	29	5	22	8	106	2	3	3	17	7	16	1,685	-	35,442
Berkshire, . . .	690	726	6,863	265	37	629	152	1	31	10	-	1	5	33	9,386	8	52,791
Bristol, . . .	509	2,675	11,303	476	6	343	45	217	15	8	6	41	19	48	15,711	47	87,425
Dukes County, . . .	3	15	67	5	1	3	2	18	1	-	1	1	-	8	125	47	4,401
Essex, . . .	3,068	3,228	18,314	1,336	19	392	93	87	5	28	31	87	23	113	26,827	71	151,018
Franklin, . . .	106	276	1,300	24	1	403	5	-	6	-	-	-	-	10	2,131	4	31,652
Hampden, . . .	757	714	9,547	361	6	386	51	6	11	8	3	2	3	29	11,890	54	51,849
Hampshire, . . .	313	343	3,383	121	2	491	22	-	5	-	1	1	3	12	4,733	33	35,485
Middlesex, . . .	4,131	3,959	36,609	1,342	27	909	180	12	43	25	26	108	46	132	47,552	55	194,023
Nantucket, . . .	16	36	189	4	-	12	4	149	-	-	-	2	1	42	455	14	8,061
Norfolk, . . .	1,225	1,692	18,123	543	33	1,587	114	50	5	14	11	32	41	74	23,544	35	94,367
Plymouth, . . .	322	313	5,232	131	11	267	23	18	9	7	8	67	3	30	6,441	42	61,495
Suffolk, . . .	6,123	4,301	48,219	1,305	89	3,418	383	187	27	248	115	372	106	275	65,468	119	171,841
Worcester, . . .	3,855	2,524	21,189	786	11	788	58	4	18	7	1	3	21	50	29,315	2	149,516
Totals, . . .	21,707	20,987	181,304	6,734	248	9,653	1,143	855	181	358	209	731	278	872	245,263	531	1,132,369

## NOTE TO TABLE III.

In the enumeration of nativities the islands in the English Channel are included with England; the Hebrides and Shetland Islands with Scotland; Prussia with Germany and Holland; Corsica with France; the Azores and Madeira Islands with Portugal; Sardinia and Sicily with Italy. Those classified as "Other Countries" are as follows:—

Mexico, . . . . .	16	Cape Colony, . . . . .	9
Central America, . . . . .	2	Rest of Africa, . . . . .	30
South America, . . . . .	115	Islands—Bermudas, . . . . .	32
Belgium, . . . . .	19	Malta, . . . . .	13
Spain, . . . . .	111	Cape Verde, . . . . .	6
Gibraltar, . . . . .	6	St. Helena, . . . . .	31
Hungary, . . . . .	27	Ascension, . . . . .	1
Poland, . . . . .	89	Malasia, . . . . .	8
Rest of Austria, . . . . .	10	Australia, . . . . .	16
Greece, includ'g Ionian Islands, . . . . .	18	Sandwich, . . . . .	74
Russia, excluding Poland, . . . . .	45	Rest of Polynesia, . . . . .	14
Turkey, . . . . .	44	"Foreign," . . . . .	12
India, . . . . .	99	Total, . . . . .	872
China, . . . . .	19		
Rest of Asia, . . . . .	6		





TABLE IV.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Number of Dwellings.		Number of Families.		DEAF & DUMB.		BLIND.		INSANE.		IDIOTIC.		PAUPERS.			CONVICTS.				
	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Deaf and Dumb.	Blind.	Insane.	Idiotic.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	
Berkshire— <i>Con.</i>																				
Lanesborough, . . .		230		251		1											1		1	
Lee, . . . . .		706		830													2		2	
Lenox, . . . . .		321	1	312													2		2	26
Monterey, . . . . .		146		161							1						1		1	
Mount Washington, .		56		59		1					7						1		1	
New Ashford, . . . .		36		47							2									
New Marlborough, .		299		331							3						5		5	
Otis, . . . . .		203		221													2		2	
Peru, . . . . .		89		112		1					1						2		2	
Pittsfield, . . . . .		1,203		1,295		3					3						9	1	10	
Richmond, . . . . .		183	1	193		2					1						3	1	3	1

Sandisfield, . . . . .	309	336	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	4	-	4	8	-	8	-	-	1	2	27	3	30		
Savoy, . . . . .	175	202	-	-	1	1	5	-	5	2	2	-	2	12	-	12	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-		
Sheffield, . . . . .	522	555	-	-	4	4	2	-	2	5	5	-	5	14	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Stockbridge, . . . . .	433	421	-	-	2	2	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1		
Tyringham, . . . . .	136	139	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	4	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-		
Washington, . . . . .	184	194	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	7	2	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	320	381	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Williamstown, . . . . .	493	514	3	3	-	1	3	-	3	2	2	-	2	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Windsor, . . . . .	187	194	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2	2	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-		
Totals, . . . . .	9,645	10,562	11	2	13	20	3	23	38	63	63	-	63	116	3	119	1	1	1	10	12	27	3	30		
BRISTOL.																										
Attleborough, . . . . .	1,000	1,104	-	-	3	1	4	7	7	3	3	-	3	5	1	6	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	1	
Berkley, . . . . .	167	206	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	6	6	-	6	7	-	7	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	-	-	
Dartmouth, . . . . .	721	762	3	3	4	4	-	4	-	1	1	-	1	14	-	14	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	-	
Dighton, . . . . .	346	377	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	6	6	-	6	16	4	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Easton, . . . . .	479	516	2	2	-	-	1	-	1	5	5	-	5	12	-	12	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3		





Swansey, . . . . .	278	341	2	-	2	3	-	3	1	-	1	3	-	3	10	-	10	-	1	-	1			
Taunton, . . . . .	2,039	2,618	1	-	1	4	-	4	175	92	267	10	1	11	119	90	209	1	-	181	8	6	12	
Westport, . . . . .	515	649	6	-	6	5	-	5	8	-	8	6	-	6	24	-	24	1	-	2	2	-	-	
Totals, . . . . .	13,456	17,655	27	1	28	35	8	43	226	98	324	69	3	72	353	105	458	2	-	196	25	64	40	104
DUKES.																								
Chilmark, . . . . .	133	136	17	-	17	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edgartown, . . . . .	317	402	-	-	-	4	-	4	5	1	6	1	-	1	16	-	16	-	-	4	-	-	-	-
Tisbury, . . . . .	359	482	4	-	4	5	-	5	3	-	3	2	-	2	14	-	14	-	2	2	-	-	-	-
Totals, . . . . .	809	1,020	21	-	21	10	-	10	8	1	9	3	-	3	30	-	30	-	2	6	-	-	-	-
ESSEX.																								
Amesbury, . . . . .	639	788	2	-	2	4	-	4	3	-	3	2	-	2	11	-	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Andover, . . . . .	689	921	-	1	1	5	-	5	9	-	9	9	1	10	39	2	41	-	-	6	3	1	-	1
Beverly, . . . . .	869	1,340	1	2	3	3	-	3	4	-	4	3	-	3	38	-	38	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Boxford, . . . . .	181	213	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	2	-	2	11	-	11	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Bradford, . . . . .	201	300	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	2	5	-	5	-	-	-	2	-	-	-
Danvers, . . . . .	521	780	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Essex, . . . . .	294	383	2	-	2	2	-	2	1	-	1	2	-	2	7	-	7	-	2	-	-	-	-	-



Methuen, . . .	413	539	-	-	2	1	-	1	1	1	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Middleton, . . .	135	182	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Nahant, . . .	90	46	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Newbury, . . .	267	307	3	3	3	5	-	2	2	2	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Newburyport, . . .	2,368	2,938	3	3	5	7	-	3	3	3	65	-	1	3	2	2	-	-	2				
North Andover, . . .	336	440	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Rockport, . . .	499	763	2	2	1	1	-	1	1	1	10	1	11	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Rowley, . . .	280	280	1	1	-	-	-	1	1	1	6	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Salem, . . .	2,728	4,614	2	2	6	6	23	6	1	7	70	5	75	-	15	4	17	9	26				
Salisbury, . . .	671	782	-	-	1	1	7	1	8	9	14	-	14	-	1	3	3	-	-				
Saugus, . . .	295	374	-	-	1	1	2	-	2	-	5	-	5	-	2	-	-	-	-				
South Danvers, . . .	804	1,110	2	2	1	1	7	4	7	4	40	6	46	-	5	4	-	-	-				
Swampscott, . . .	205	288	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Topsfield, . . .	181	268	-	-	-	1	5	3	5	3	6	-	6	-	1	2	-	-	-				
Wenham, . . .	167	205	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
West Newbury, . . .	400	448	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	16	-	16	-	1	-	-	-	-				
Totals, . . .	22,952	31,760	53	7	60	55	4	59	172	37	209	91	4	95	597	55	652	510	89	35	68	68	136









TABLE IV.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Number of Dwellings.	Number of Families.	DEAF & DUMB.		BLIND.		INSANE.		IDIOTIC.			PAUPERS.					CONVICTS.			
			Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.
HAMPSHIRE— <i>Con.</i>																				
Enfield, . . . . .	182	211	1	1	-	-	2	-	2	1	-	1	5	-	5	1	1	1	1	1
Goshen, . . . . .	96	96	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-
Granby, . . . . .	179	206	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	1	-	3	3	-	3	-	-	1	-	-
Greenwich, . . . . .	151	174	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	10	-	10	-	-	-	-	-
Hadley, . . . . .	310	385	2	2	1	1	4	-	4	5	-	5	6	-	6	1	2	-	-	-
Hatfield, . . . . .	196	225	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Huntington, . . . . .	211	245	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	-	-	-
Middlefield, . . . . .	150	145	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-
Northampton, . . . . .	960	1,110	-	-	1	1	7	-	7	-	-	-	10	1	11	-	4	-	12	7
Pelham, . . . . .	172	172	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	-	1	11	-	11	-	-	1	-	-
Plainfield, . . . . .	143	152	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	4	-	4	-	-	-	-	-





TABLE IV.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Number of Dwellings.	Number of Families.	DEAF & DUMB.		BLIND.		INSANE.		IDIOTIC.		PAUPERS.					CONVICTS.							
			Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Deaf and Dumb.	Blind.	Insane.	Idiotic.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.				
<i>MIDDLESEX—Con.</i>																							
Cambridge, . . .	3,161	4,092	7	—	5	1	6	14	14	28	7	6	13	22	22	50	—	—	21	9	58	90	148
Carlisle, . . .	149	144	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Charlestown, . . .	3,126	4,246	3	—	2	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	38	17	55	—	—	—	—	314	173	487
Chelmsford, . . .	430	458	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	2	—	—	16	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
Concord, . . .	410	435	—	—	5	—	5	2	2	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	5
Dracut, . . .	391	401	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	3	—	3	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dunstable, . . .	122	124	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Framingham, . . .	790	868	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	1	2	1	3	15	—	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Groton, . . .	525	569	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	6	6	6	18	—	18	—	1	1	1	—	—	—
Holliston, . . .	454	590	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hopkinton, . . .	603	792	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	2	—	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—



TABLE IV.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Number of Dwellings.	Number of Families.	DEAF & DUMB.		BLIND.		INSANE.		IDIOTIC.		PAUPERS.			CONVICTS.		
			Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.
MIDDLESEX— <i>Con.</i>																
South Reading, . . .	432	628	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	10	—	10	—	—
Stonham, . . .	375	532	4	4	1	—	1	1	—	1	—	2	—	2	—	—
Stow, . . .	317	326	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	—	16	—	—
Sudbury, . . .	296	351	1	1	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	7	—	7	—	—
Tewksbury, . . .	207	222	1	2	3	6	14	20	4	6	10	232	327	559	—	—
Townsend, . . .	440	461	1	1	1	1	—	1	2	2	—	11	—	11	—	—
Tyngsborough, . . .	141	156	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	12	—	12	—	—
Waltham, . . .	797	1,114	3	1	4	—	1	1	3	3	—	3	—	3	—	—
Watertown, . . .	585	701	1	1	1	2	—	2	1	1	—	12	2	14	—	—
Wayland, . . .	205	250	2	2	—	5	—	5	1	1	—	6	—	6	—	—
West Cambridge, . . .	402	502	1	1	—	5	—	5	4	4	—	16	—	16	—	1

Westford, . . . . .	338	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4	3	3	9	-	9	-	1	-	-			
Weston, . . . . .	202	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	-	-			
Wilmington, . . . . .	161	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	7	-	7	-	1	-	-			
Winchester, . . . . .	376	3	-	-	3	-	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-			
Woburn, . . . . .	934	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	3	13	-	14	-	14	-	1	3	1			
Totals, . . . . .	30,269	37,583	50	5	55	59	10	69	586	109	17,126	706	374	1080	3	10	65	37	400,323	723	
NANTUCKET, . . . . .	1,114	1,684	1	-	1	11	1	12	1	6	-	36	-	36	-	1	-	-	-	-	
NORFOLK.																					
Bellingham, . . . . .	227	299	1	-	1	1	-	1	2	-	2	4	-	4	-	-	-	2	-	-	
Braintree, . . . . .	572	739	4	-	4	4	-	4	4	4	3	12	-	12	-	-	1	-	-	-	
Brookline, . . . . .	525	616	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Canton, . . . . .	523	640	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	4	1	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Cohasset, . . . . .	340	421	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	6	1	14	-	14	-	-	2	-	-	-	
Dedham, . . . . .	1,001	1,103	2	-	2	1	-	1	3	2	-	10	2	12	-	-	-	-	28	43	71
Dorchester, . . . . .	1,302	1,597	3	1	4	2	-	2	-	3	1	4	10	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Dover, . . . . .	118	148	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	-	4	-	4	-	-	1	-	-	-	











TABLE IV.—CONTINUED.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	Number of Dwellings.	Number of Families.	DEAF & DUMB.			BLIND.			INSANE.			IDIOTIC.			PAUPERS.			CONVICTS.		
			Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Dear and Dumb.	Blind.	Insane.	Idiotic.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Total.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.
<i>WORCESTER—Con.</i>																				
Bolton, . . . . .	257	264	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Boylston, . . . . .	150	197	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Brookfield, . . . . .	361	437	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Charlton, . . . . .	389	466	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Clinton, . . . . .	483	623	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dana, . . . . .	161	196	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Douglas, . . . . .	342	541	5	5	5	2	1	3	1	—	1	6	6	6	1	10	8	8	8	8
Dudley, . . . . .	243	307	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fitchburg, . . . . .	1,100	1,401	4	1	5	4	1	5	5	5	6	1	7	7	24	23	23	23	23	23
Gardner, . . . . .	395	510	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	—	2	—	2	2	7	7	7	7	7	7
Grafton, . . . . .	714	801	3	—	3	—	—	—	2	1	3	1	1	2	5	5	5	5	5	5

Hardwick, . . . . .	302	303	2	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	9	-	9	15	-	15	-	1	3	-	-	-
Harvard, . . . . .	291	324	-	1	-	1	-	3	-	3	2	-	2	12	-	12	-	2	-	-	-	-
Holden, . . . . .	336	446	-	1	-	1	-	2	-	2	5	-	5	16	-	16	-	1	4	-	-	-
Hubbardston, . . . . .	373	373	3	3	-	3	-	3	-	3	2	-	2	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leicester, . . . . .	362	377	2	-	2	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	1	17	-	17	-	-	1	-	-	-
Leicester, . . . . .	397	566	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	3	2	1	3	10	2	12	-	1	-	-	-	-
Leominster, . . . . .	629	712	-	2	-	2	-	4	-	4	2	-	2	9	-	9	-	1	4	2	-	-
Lunenburg, . . . . .	255	281	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	4	6	-	6	14	1	15	-	2	2	-	-	-
Mendon, . . . . .	237	304	-	2	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	9	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Milford, . . . . .	1,053	1,523	2	4	1	5	1	1	-	1	2	-	2	13	1	14	-	-	1	-	-	-
Millbury, . . . . .	502	652	-	1	1	2	6	6	-	6	2	1	3	10	-	10	-	2	1	-	-	-
New Braintree, . . . . .	121	134	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-
Northborough, . . . . .	261	309	-	-	-	-	3	3	-	3	1	-	1	9	-	9	-	-	2	-	-	-
Northbridge, . . . . .	315	433	-	1	-	1	3	3	-	3	3	-	3	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
North Brookfield, . . . . .	323	491	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oakham, . . . . .	189	225	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	7	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-



Sterling, . . .	367	407	1	1	1	4	6	6	16	16	3	3	-	-	-	
Sturbridge, . . .	467	469	1	1	3	2	3	3	11	11	1	2	2	2	2	
Sutton, . . .	435	580	-	-	1	-	8	8	12	12	-	4	-	-	-	
Templeton, . . .	405	530	-	-	1	2	1	1	10	10	-	-	-	-	-	
Upton, . . .	392	468	1	1	4	1	1	1	16	16	-	-	11	3	*14	
Uxbridge, . . .	497	621	1	1	1	1	1	4	10	10	-	2	-	-	-	
Warren, . . .	319	361	-	-	1	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Webster, . . .	339	527	-	-	1	2	2	2	24	24	1	1	1	1	-	
Westborough, . . .	412	518	2	2	1	2	1	1	13	13	-	-	-	-	430 106 *536	
West Boylston, . . .	348	445	1	1	-	2	2	2	6	6	2	2	-	-	-	
West Brookfield, . . .	260	315	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Westminster, . . .	376	429	1	1	-	1	2	2	12	13	-	-	-	-	-	
Winchendon, . . .	485	586	1	1	1	4	-	-	13	14	1	4	-	-	-	
Worcester, . . .	2,807	4,493	3	3	3	226	108	334	27	101	128	115	34	34	68	
Totals, . . .	21,009	31,043	49	54	61	328	113	441	570	119	689	615	41	478	143	621

\* Inmates of State Reform School.

TABLE IV.—RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Number of Dwellings.	Number of Families.	DEAF & DUMB.		BLIND.		INSANE.		IDIOTIC.		PAUPERS.						CONVICTS.						
			Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.		Total.						
			Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.	Native.	Foreign and Unk.			
Barnstable,	6,887	7,781	16	—	16	—	43	—	43	51	—	51	137	1	138	—	—	20	8	1	—	1	
Berkshire,	9,645	10,562	11	2	13	3	38	1	39	63	—	63	116	3	119	1	1	10	12	27	3	30	
Bristol,	13,456	17,655	27	1	28	8	226	98	321	69	3	72	353	105	458	2	—	196	25	64	40	104	
Dukes County,	809	1,020	21	—	21	—	8	1	9	3	—	3	30	—	30	—	2	6	—	—	—	—	
Essex,	22,952	31,760	53	7	60	4	172	37	209	91	4	95	597	55	652	5	10	89	35	68	68	136	
Franklin,	6,132	6,688	25	—	25	—	47	—	47	39	—	39	184	7	191	—	—	12	8	8	—	8	
Hampden,	9,360	10,741	23	—	23	—	33	9	42	36	1	37	395	217	612	2	7	21	4	56	47	103	
Hampshire,	6,536	7,285	13	—	13	—	36	—	36	31	—	31	114	1	115	—	—	11	9	13	7	20	
Middlesex,	30,269	37,583	50	5	55	10	286	59	315	109	17	126	706	374	1,080	3	10	65	37	400	323	723	
Nantucket,	1,111	1,681	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	6	—	6	36	—	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Norfolk,	15,388	19,234	43	3	46	3	43	2	45	47	5	52	212	15	227	—	—	5	11	12	35	43	78
Plymouth,	11,106	13,489	13	—	13	—	58	4	62	61	2	63	428	231	662	—	—	5	20	15	13	6	19
Suffolk,	17,018	32,317	26	7	33	—	92	181	276	23	7	30	274	374	618	—	—	—	—	246	—	412	616
Worcester,	24,609	31,013	49	5	54	—	328	113	441	156	8	161	570	119	689	3	6	151	44	478	143	621	
Totals,	175,311	228,845	371	30	401	—	1,411	508	1,919	791	47	838	4,152	1,535	5,687	16	50	858	209	1,575	1,326	2,901	

## NOTE TO TABLE IV.

In this Table the foreign and those whose nativities are unknown have been classified together. Of the "unknown," there are:—Insane, 1—at Worcester; paupers, 32—22 at Monson, and 10 at Bridgewater; convicts, 5—1 at Springfield, 1 at Charlestown, 2 at Concord, and 1 at Boston.

TABLE V.—OCCUPATIONS.

*Exhibiting the Number of Male Persons over fifteen years of age pursuing different vocations, in the Commonwealth, June 1, 1855. Arranged by Counties.*

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Distol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
<b>1. AGRICULTURISTS.</b>														
Farmers, . . . . .	56,326	1,728	5,345	5,044	490	4,502	5,248	4,696	4,997	7,613	3,573	3,515	120	9,455
Gardeners, . . . . .	705	4	28	36	5	128	1	24	1	184	156	11	56	71
Totals, . . . . .	57,031	1,732	5,373	5,080	495	4,630	5,249	4,720	4,998	7,797	3,729	3,526	176	9,526
<b>2. FACTORY OPERATIVES, .</b>														
Totals, . . . . .	8,801	-	911	821	2	2,190	72	949	113	438	259	17	15	3,014
<b>3. LABORERS, . . . . .</b>														
Totals, . . . . .	60,218	563	3,633	5,355	349	4,898	1,175	2,953	1,672	14,091	5,572	2,230	10,402	7,355
<b>4. MARINERS AND BOATMEN,</b>														
Totals, . . . . .	16,345	4,835	6	1,757	2,003	3,882	6	26	1	321	329	1,003	2,135	42
<b>5. MANUFACTURERS.</b>														
Cotton, Woolen, and other Manu- facturers, . . . . .	2,567	39	141	153	7	334	82	137	83	490	369	69	282	381
Clothing Manufacturers, . . . . .	77	2	8	8	-	27	1	5	2	1	13	4	-	6
Lead and Paint Manufacturers, . . . . .	9	-	-	1	-	6	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
Boot and Shoe Manufacturers, . . . . .	1,311	4	4	16	-	346	1	10	4	238	199	228	7	254



Rope and Cordage Manufacturers,	553	1	2	26	12	114	-	2	-	107	105	150	31	3	
Oil and Varnish Manufacturers, .	46	-	-	24	-	1	-	1	-	10	5	5	-	-	
Factory Agents and Overseers, .	731	1	-	121	-	224	4	117	-	111	24	2	8	119	
Totals, . . . . .	5,294	47	155	349	19	1,052	88	272	89	958	716	458	328	763	
6. MECHANICS.															
Agricultural Implement Makers, .	238	-	24	9	-	4	1	20	7	17	25	36	-	95	
Apprentices, . . . . .	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	4	-	-	-	
Bakers, . . . . .	1,276	9	10	107	6	233	4	22	7	266	144	32	364	72	
Barbers and Hair Dressers and Workers, . . . . .	647	6	16	51	5	93	5	25	10	87	25	17	269	38	
Basket-makers & Willow-workers,	352	-	5	70	-	-	6	5	20	20	151	11	15	49	
Blacking and Black Lead Makers,	6	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	
Blacksmiths, . . . . .	5,137	102	296	484	60	620	142	262	132	820	450	325	877	567	
Bookbinders, . . . . .	360	-	2	7	-	24	1	5	7	117	11	3	169	14	
Bonnet-pressers, . . . . .	254	-	-	33	-	-	-	-	-	15	206	-	-	-	
Box-makers, . . . . .	350	-	6	18	-	23	6	59	3	58	52	60	15	50	
Brick-makers, . . . . .	536	8	18	58	-	91	7	-	8	164	37	15	18	112	

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Dartmouth.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
<i>MECHANICS—Con.</i>														
Britannia-makers, . . . . .	36	—	—	5	—	—	—	1	—	19	—	—	11	—
Broom-makers, . . . . .	219	—	1	—	—	—	51	1	154	3	—	—	—	9
Brush-makers, . . . . .	171	—	3	—	—	1	—	1	11	86	16	4	44	5
Button-makers, . . . . .	26	—	—	6	—	1	—	—	17	—	—	—	—	2
Cabinet-makers, . . . . .	2,690	15	54	54	8	373	25	44	29	595	254	768	349	122
Calico Printers, . . . . .	108	—	—	23	—	39	—	—	—	43	—	—	3	—
Card-makers, . . . . .	100	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	4	15	—	—	73
Carpenters, . . . . .	16,687	538	622	1,321	177	2,163	376	586	411	3,221	1,225	1,008	2,861	2,178
Carpet-makers, . . . . .	84	—	—	—	—	58	—	—	—	4	22	—	—	—
Car-makers, . . . . .	65	—	—	—	—	4	—	24	—	11	1	—	—	25
Carriage-makers & Wheelwrights,	2,199	42	121	146	4	415	48	132	105	345	169	95	247	330
Carvers, . . . . .	328	—	—	—	—	39	—	4	—	132	34	6	110	3
Chair-makers, . . . . .	1,001	1	7	1	2	4	36	2	2	40	11	72	10	813

Cigar-makers, . . . . .	353	-	2	14	-	30	-	150	2	78	8	-	58	11
Clock and Watchmakers and Jewellers, . . . . .	1,579	6	15	642	14	78	11	69	23	183	150	27	275	86
Comb-makers, . . . . .	527	-	2	3	-	177	-	-	-	70	-	-	7	268
Confectioners and Sugar Refiners, . . . . .	432	2	-	15	1	47	6	19	4	30	23	-	268	17
Coopers, . . . . .	1,584	39	53	312	83	179	9	54	18	254	48	165	317	53
Coppersmiths, . . . . .	213	-	-	22	-	4	1	4	-	24	19	1	127	11
Cutlers and Edge Tool Makers, . . . . .	867	1	3	21	1	4	312	3	55	66	52	56	56	237
Dyers, . . . . .	391	-	15	34	-	102	1	27	21	92	19	4	10	66
Foundrymen and Moulders, . . . . .	1,704	1	41	327	3	99	9	116	13	227	161	165	329	213
Glass Cutters and Blowers, . . . . .	674	201	25	-	-	8	-	-	-	288	-	3	134	-
Gunsmiths and Armourers, . . . . .	242	-	5	13	-	3	2	54	1	21	8	3	13	119
Harness-makers, . . . . .	974	19	55	65	5	85	32	56	30	205	56	36	222	108
Hatters, . . . . .	640	9	17	14	-	194	4	12	5	97	30	14	192	52
Lamp-makers, . . . . .	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	3	-	4	-
Last-makers, . . . . .	126	-	-	1	-	45	-	-	-	34	7	8	12	19
Locksmiths, . . . . .	91	-	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	41	1	1	43	2

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
<i>MECHANICS—Con.</i>														
Looking Glass and Picture Frame,	17	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	4	-	-	12	-
Machinists, . . . . .	7,566	30	121	945	1	657	38	1,028	171	1,408	361	162	1,346	1,298
Marble Polishers, . . . . .	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-
Masons, Plasterers, etc., . . . . .	4,209	56	151	425	19	555	51	155	90	714	318	232	1,028	415
Mathematical Instrument Makers,	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	-	-	2
Millers, . . . . .	718	12	49	44	-	55	66	66	40	91	36	28	31	200
Millwrights, . . . . .	291	-	41	4	-	22	27	29	15	36	16	26	16	59
Miners, . . . . .	80	-	48	11	-	6	-	-	-	4	6	5	-	-
Musical Instrument Makers, . . . . .	856	3	5	3	-	38	18	18	1	172	119	9	391	79
Nail, Tack, Bolt & Spike Makers,	831	21	-	201	-	1	-	1	-	35	85	467	10	10
Pail, Tub & Wooden Ware Makers,	301	-	-	-	-	-	34	-	-	33	-	3	14	217
Painters, . . . . .	5,474	77	105	484	39	724	72	-	103	1,078	407	208	1,353	824
Paper-makers, . . . . .	965	-	265	15	-	44	1	218	73	150	79	10	16	94

Plane-makers, . . . . .	123	-	9	-	1	-	98	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Plumbers, . . . . .	218	-	-	3	-	5	-	-	-	28	7	-	166	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pocket-book and Port Monnaie Makers, . . . . .	20	-	-	-	-	-	8	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Potters and Terra Cotta Makers,	124	2	-	26	-	8	8	-	-	27	4	-	36	-	-	-	-	-	-
Powder Makers, . . . . .	37	-	9	2	-	1	-	12	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Printers, . . . . .	1,545	11	32	61	21	134	13	42	24	233	75	18	792	89	-	-	-	-	-
Pump, Block, and Spar Makers, .	335	13	4	60	-	58	-	-	-	72	10	11	101	6	-	-	-	-	-
Riggers, . . . . .	356	7	-	93	18	29	-	-	-	20	2	10	177	-	-	-	-	-	-
Roofers and Slaters, . . . . .	116	-	-	-	-	6	-	7	-	17	6	-	75	5	-	-	-	-	-
Sailmakers, . . . . .	567	45	-	110	15	92	-	-	-	69	9	22	205	-	-	-	-	-	-
Salt-makers, . . . . .	4	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shipwrights, . . . . .	2,978	84	1	629	43	648	1	-	2	500	95	306	665	4	-	-	-	-	-
Shoemakers, . . . . .	35,166	106	261	941	42	9,663	206	306	149	6,066	4,234	5,197	714	7,278	-	-	-	-	-
Silversmiths, Platers & Burnishers,	312	5	9	-	-	31	-	14	13	42	12	1	154	31	-	-	-	-	-
Stone and Marble Cutters and Workers, . . . . .	2,249	11	211	82	1	329	24	76	17	311	492	52	465	178	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Harnstable.	Derksnire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
<i>MECHANICS—Con.</i>	78	—	—	—	2	15	—	12	3	—	12	10	—	24
Straw Hat Makers, . . . . .		28	105	130	16	206	45	107	60	349	135	91	1,677	307
Tailors, . . . . .	3,256	7	2	51	2	53	—	5	4	99	36	14	26	41
Tallow Chandlers & Soap Boilers, Tanners, Carriers & Lea. Dressers, Tinsmiths, . . . . .	340	9	101	23	1	1,337	63	72	28	876	65	42	181	271
Trask-makers, . . . . .	3,069	36	43	102	15	169	16	46	37	266	74	35	229	123
Type and Stereotype Founders and Electrotypers, . . . . .	125	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	29	2	4	77	9
Upholsters, . . . . .	88	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	18	1	—	66	1
Whip-makers, . . . . .	333	—	1	11	—	15	—	4	—	117	19	—	154	12
Wire-drawers and Workers, . . . . .	337	—	5	1	—	—	—	217	6	98	3	—	4	3
Wood and Ivory Turners, . . . . .	145	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	17	123
All other Mechanics, . . . . .	323	—	12	24	—	22	13	21	24	71	22	10	50	54
Totals, . . . . .	4,186	89	211	249	9	192	392	134	301	485	546	19	755	804
Totals, . . . . .	122,251	1,653	3,222	8,613	613	20,356	2,191	4,456	2,271	21,353	10,725	9,928	18,452	18,418

7. MERCHANTS.														
Auctioneers, . . . . .	109	-	-	9	1	18	-	3	-	18	11	2	35	12
Book-keepers, Clerks and Accnts,	11,737	84	228	664	56	974	111	393	183	2,117	660	233	5,165	869
Booksellers & Periodical Dealers,	236	-	5	14	2	46	6	12	6	41	25	11	56	12
Druggists and Apothecaries, . .	537	1	14	36	2	83	5	27	4	100	38	7	200	40
Peddlers, . . . . .	1,080	16	47	67	2	95	43	74	22	144	51	82	295	139
All other Merchants and Traders,	15,320	426	328	985	188	1,981	182	430	228	2,822	1,555	517	4,683	995
Totals, . . . . .	29,039	527	622	1,775	251	3,197	317	939	443	5,212	2,343	852	10,434	2,067
8. PROFESSIONAL MEN.														
Architects, Draftsmen & Builders,	271	-	2	8	-	28	-	14	2	47	50	5	97	18
Artists, Designers, Lithographers and Engravers, . . . . .	733	-	12	88	9	63	10	16	8	120	58	12	268	69
Authors, Editors and Reporters, .	166	-	2	3	6	8	4	9	6	26	23	3	65	11
Civil Engineers and Surveyors, .	318	5	13	7	4	27	9	7	-	66	34	20	99	27
Clergymen, . . . . .	1,750	64	101	121	25	217	78	99	86	287	142	122	172	236
Daguerreotypists, . . . . .	168	1	3	22	-	23	2	14	5	16	9	2	42	29
Dentists, . . . . .	328	8	10	21	5	37	5	16	12	51	25	10	71	57
Lawyers, . . . . .	1,116	11	55	58	4	133	62	57	31	225	107	37	230	106

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
<b>PROFESSIONAL MEN—Con.</b>														
Librarians, . . . . .	19	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	6	—	—	6	1
Musicians and Music Teachers, .	433	2	13	16	3	41	9	13	3	40	40	18	198	37
Physicians and Surgeons, . . .	1,774	40	98	115	20	169	61	97	70	300	119	77	396	242
Professors, . . . . .	44	—	6	—	—	1	—	—	6	31	—	—	—	—
Teachers, . . . . .	1,192	24	53	107	6	172	28	40	55	210	110	106	140	141
Totals, . . . . .	8,312	155	368	566	82	925	268	382	284	1,425	717	412	1,754	974
<b>9. MISCELLANEOUS.</b>														
Agents, . . . . .	799	8	19	32	2	88	6	25	41	135	51	35	332	25
Bankers and Brokers, . . . . .	405	—	2	1	—	11	1	4	3	105	65	5	197	11
Bank and Insurance Co. Officers, Boarding House Keepers, . . .	462	3	11	24	2	59	7	15	8	101	46	13	124	49
Boarding House Keepers, . . .	439	3	11	36	—	73	2	26	3	17	33	5	183	47
Brewers and Distillers, . . . .	149	—	1	3	—	18	—	5	—	23	18	—	74	7
Butchers, . . . . .	1,262	18	53	103	9	217	14	48	30	391	110	63	17	189
Chemists, . . . . .	59	—	—	3	—	6	—	2	—	14	9	1	22	2



Custom-house Officers, . . . . .	201	2	-	1	-	25	-	-	2	-	40	12	-	117	2
Drivers, Stablers, Truckmen and Hostlers, . . . . .	5,817	39	12	610	51	677	75	195	79	814	455	455	119	2,159	532
Drovers, . . . . .	51	-	4	2	-	12	4	1	1	9	1	1	12	-	5
Engineers and Firemen, . . . . .	997	6	29	123	5	134	3	73	5	189	73	73	30	260	67
Expressmen, . . . . .	636	2	1	36	3	119	3	8	3	164	89	89	24	153	31
Fishermen, . . . . .	997	317	-	85	22	468	-	1	-	13	2	2	69	20	-
Gentlemen, . . . . .	2,209	61	49	114	15	251	5	52	42	665	256	256	81	507	111
Inn Keepers, . . . . .	553	17	41	21	3	44	26	39	26	89	41	41	29	114	63
Inspectors, . . . . .	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	1	1	-	-
Marketmen, . . . . .	261	1	-	36	-	16	-	27	4	31	29	29	10	85	22
Milkmen, . . . . .	209	-	-	-	-	11	-	1	-	151	24	24	-	8	14
Opticians, . . . . .	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	1	2	1
Packers and Pressers, . . . . .	32	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	-	28	-
Pilots, . . . . .	76	2	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	46	1
Policemen, . . . . .	160	-	-	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	152	-
Public Officers, . . . . .	996	38	39	67	18	136	13	45	20	144	89	89	42	266	79
Publishers, . . . . .	93	-	-	2	-	7	1	2	-	15	16	16	-	46	4

TABLE V.—CONTINUED.

OCCUPATIONS.	Totals.	Barnstable.	Berkshire.	Bristol.	Dukes and Nantucket.	Essex.	Franklin.	Hampden.	Hampshire.	Middlesex.	Norfolk.	Plymouth.	Suffolk.	Worcester.
MISCELLANEOUS— <i>Con.</i>														
Railroad Employees, . . . . .	1,310	23	51	51	—	156	32	127	22	252	123	40	168	262
Saloon and Restaurant Keepers,	620	2	2	21	2	101	2	26	4	84	36	4	269	67
Sextons and Undertakers, . . . .	109	3	—	8	—	29	—	4	—	16	6	1	36	6
Stevadores, . . . . .	153	—	—	28	—	3	—	—	—	6	2	1	113	—
Students, . . . . .	3,727	41	113	239	7	565	82	92	116	733	322	148	706	563
U. S. Service, (Army and Navy.)	153	—	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	129	6	—	10	—
Waiters, Servants and Porters, . .	1,406	15	15	26	7	53	1	48	25	93	76	14	992	41
Watchmen, . . . . .	461	1	3	58	2	96	3	45	6	72	16	—	84	75
Wharfingers, . . . . .	46	1	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	17	3	—	15	—
Wool-sorters, . . . . .	252	—	19	—	—	86	—	8	9	47	21	—	1	61
All other occupations, . . . . .	1,101	5	21	11	9	68	2	38	3	320	92	13	481	41
Totals, . . . . .	26,220	608	496	1,746	157	3,577	282	960	450	4,891	2,127	761	7,787	2,378

## RECAPITULATION.

Agriculturists, . . . . .	57,031	1,732	5,373	5,080	495	4,630	5,249	4,720	4,998	7,797	3,729	3,526	176	9,526
Factory Operatives, . . . . .	8,801	—	911	821	2	2,190	72	949	113	438	259	17	15	3,014
Laborees, . . . . .	60,248	563	3,633	5,355	349	4,898	1,175	2,953	1,672	14,091	5,572	2,230	10,402	7,355
Mariners and Boatmen, . . . . .	16,346	4,835	6	1,757	2,003	3,882	6	26	1	321	329	1,003	2,135	42
Manufacturers, . . . . .	5,294	47	155	349	19	1,052	88	272	89	958	716	458	328	763
Mechanics, . . . . .	122,251	1,653	3,222	8,613	613	20,356	2,191	4,456	2,271	21,353	10,725	9,928	18,452	18,418
Merchants, . . . . .	29,039	527	622	1,775	251	3,197	317	939	443	5,242	2,313	852	10,431	2,067
Professional Men, . . . . .	8,312	155	368	566	82	925	268	382	281	1,425	717	412	1,754	974
Miscellaneous, . . . . .	26,220	608	496	1,746	157	3,577	282	960	450	4,801	2,127	761	7,787	2,378
Totals, . . . . .	333,542	10,120	14,786	26,062	3,971	44,707	9,678	15,637	10,321	56,516	26,517	19,187	51,483	44,537



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GENERAL REMARKS

ON THE

CENSUS OF MASSACHUSETTS.

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## GENERAL REMARKS.

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In all civilized countries, and at nearly all periods since the creation of mankind, there have been occasional necessities sufficiently imperative, to call for an enumeration of the people of which different communities have consisted. As far back as the days of Moses, and even in the wilderness of Sinai, by divine command, the sum of all the congregation of the children of Israel, after their families, by the house of their fathers, with the number of their names, every male by their polls, from twenty years old and upward, was taken in a manner and with a particularity that are well worthy of imitation at the present day. Instances are not uncommon, that statistical accounts of the population were taken by the ancient Greeks; but, by the Romans, in the most prosperous days of their Republic, a numbering of the people and a valuation of their property, was of very frequent occurrence—once in about five years—and was generally performed in a very careful and strict manner. Every Roman citizen was required to give in to the censors, under a binding oath, a statement of his own name and age, of the name and age of his wife, children, slaves, and freedmen; and the punishment for a false return was confiscation of the goods belonging to the individual, and the falsifier was scourged and sold for a slave. It was not, however, until the year 1790, that the first census of any great degree of precision, was taken in modern days, and this, be it mentioned to the honor of the United States, was provided for among the articles of the Federal Constitution, and was required to be made within three years after the first meeting of Congress, and within every subsequent term of ten years. The first census of the United States was taken in 1790, and at every period of ten years others

have been taken, under the wise provision of the founders of the government. The Constituent Assembly of France, followed the American example, and in the year 1791, appointed a committee for ascertaining the number of inhabitants of that country; and the British Government, not far behind the excellent examples of the United States and France, made the first actual enumeration of the people of England and Scotland, in 1801, and have since that time, every tenth year, performed the same labor.

The projectors of the American Republic early perceived the advantages to be derived from a systematic enumeration of the people, and of the importance which would accrue from the knowledge of such particulars as the age, sex, condition and occupation, of each and every individual whatever; and it is a source of much pride to the country, that the proper step for obtaining this knowledge was instituted at the birth of the National Government.

At the present day, it would be useless to enter into any long or studied argument, to prove the importance of statistics, or to show that tables of this character are not merely an array of figures, placed in long columns of variously formed tables, for the purpose of imposing upon the ignorant, but, as has been very earnestly remarked by an eminent statistician, they constitute the ledger of a nation, in which, like the merchant in his books, the citizen can read, at one view, all the results of a year or a period of years, as compared with other periods, and deduce the profit or the loss which has been made in morals, education, wealth or power. And with this view, no person of any degree of intelligence or enlightenment, will, dreading unnecessary exposure of private affairs, refrain from affording such facilities and information as may, from time to time, be called for in furtherance of these valuable objects.

In a census, accuracy is of prime importance; and in order to secure this, a uniformity must be strictly observed, not only in the manner of collecting the particulars, but in point of time. In this respect the present State Census of Massachusetts has been singularly successful; for the work of collection was all performed in the compass of a very few days, and blank papers were used of a very clear and satisfactory character. But no enumeration of facts can be made, nor should be unreasonably



expected, without more or less of inaccuracies ; and when it is remembered that this kind of work is generally performed by persons uninstructed for the purpose, the wonder should be how it has been possible, under existing circumstances, to perform the work so well.

Just before the close of the session of the legislature of 1855, and on the 21st day of May, of that year, an Act passed both branches of the General Court of Massachusetts, and received the signature of His Excellency Governor Gardner, on the same day, for securing a decennial census of each city and town throughout the Commonwealth. The Act reads as follows:—

#### AN ACT TO SECURE A DECENNIAL CENSUS.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives, in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—*

SECTION 1. A census of the inhabitants of each city and town of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall be taken between the first day of June and the first day of October, as to existing facts on the first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and also in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five, and in each tenth year thereafter.

SECT. 2. This enumeration shall distinguish the males and the females, and the color of each ; the natives and the foreigners, and of the latter the country in which they were born ; and it shall determine the ages of the population within decennial periods.

SECT. 3. This enumeration shall be made by and under the authority of the mayor and aldermen of the respective cities, and the selectmen of the respective towns, and shall be made by sworn agents, as containing all the facts above specified, in respect to the several cities and towns, and shall be returned into the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth, on or before the first day of October, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-five, and in each tenth year thereafter. And the secretary of the Commonwealth shall transmit to the mayor and aldermen and the selectmen aforesaid, printed blanks, to secure uniformity in the returns.

In order to secure in the greatest degree, an uniform and correct performance of the duty laid down in the foregoing Act, the Secretary of the Commonwealth very promptly caused to be prepared and widely distributed, among the canvassers throughout the State, the following concise letter of instructions, con-

taining sufficiently minute directions for the faithful and proper fulfilment of the contemplated design:—

### INSTRUCTIONS

*Of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, relating to the Census of Massachusetts to be taken in the year 1855.*

As it is very desirable that there should be the greatest degree of uniformity in the Census Returns from the different cities and towns throughout the Commonwealth, the attention of those persons who are officially charged with carrying out the provisions of the Legislature for taking the census of the inhabitants of Massachusetts, as to facts existing on the first day of June, A. D. 1855, is directed to the following instructions.

In accordance with the third section of the Act of the twenty-first of May, requiring that the Secretary of the Commonwealth shall transmit to the mayor and aldermen of the several cities and to the selectmen of the several towns printed blanks, to secure uniformity in the returns made to the Secretary's office, blanks have been prepared and are forwarded herewith. A duplicate copy of these instructions has also been sent by mail to the same officers.

Blanks corresponding in number to the population of 1850, with fifty per cent. in addition, have been apportioned to each town. If, however, the supply is found to be inadequate to the demand, application should be made as early as possible, to the Secretary, when additional sheets will be promptly furnished.

The Act provides that the census shall be taken between the first day of June and the first day of October, of the present year, and that all inquiries are to be made as to facts existing on the first mentioned day, (June 1, 1855.)

All returns are required to be made to this office on or before the last named day, (October 1, 1855); and it is hoped that there will be no delay in performing all the requirements of the law.

The Schedule from each city and town should be signed and duly attested by the required officers, and should be carefully forwarded in as good condition as possible for the purpose of binding for future use, especial care being taken that the figures are distinctly made, and the whole legibly written with good black ink.

It is desirable that the large cities should be returned by wards, and the large towns by parishes or villages.

The columns of the Schedule are numbered for the convenience of reference. The following instructions should be strictly observed in

order to secure the desired uniformity, and render the returns valuable for statistical purposes.

1. *Dwelling-houses numbered in the order of visitation.*—Place in this column the number of each dwelling-house in the order of visitation. The first house visited to be 1; the second one visited, 2; the third, 3, and so on throughout each ward of each city, and each parish or village of each town.

Each inhabited tenement is to be considered a dwelling-house, without reference to the number of its inmates or families. Each tenement having a separate entrance, although there may be two or more in a block, is to be regarded as a dwelling-house. All public buildings, as hotels, hospitals, asylums, houses of industry, houses of correction, jails, schools, &c., are to be included in the enumeration in the same manner as houses.

2. *Families numbered in the order of visitation.*—Commence this column by calling the first family 1; the second family, 2, and the third 3, and so on throughout the wards, parishes and villages of each town. Under the term *family* should be placed individuals living singly, or persons associated together in a tenement, or part of a tenement, for family purposes. The residents of each public house or institution shall be considered as one family.

3. *The name of every person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1855, was in this family.*—Let the name of every inmate of every house be distinctly written in this column, excluding all born subsequent to, or who were not in the family on the first day of June, and noting all who were inmates of the house on that day, even if they have deceased after the above-named day; also including all members of each family temporarily absent, students at school or college, &c. The names should be arranged in the following order:—

1. Master of the family, if any.
2. Mistress of the family, if any.
3. Children, in the order of age.
4. Male domestics, workmen, apprentices, &c.
5. Female domestics, operatives, &c.
6. Boarders, &c.

4. *Age.*—In the appropriate column under this head, place, in figures, the exact year of age of each individual, at the last birth day, unless the next birth day occurs within four months, in which case adopt the year of the latter day. Use no parts of years except in the first column, where the number of months should be used with the letter *m*. When the exact age cannot be ascertained, approximate as nearly as possible to the number of years, and append an interrogation mark, (?).

5. *Sex*.—Indicate the sex by M. for male, or F. for female.

6. *Color*.—*White, Black, or Mulatto*. No entry need be made for whites; but B. should be used for blacks, and M. for mulattoes.

7. *Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each male person over fifteen years of age*.—This column is sufficiently well explained in the Schedule, with the single exception, that the value of the returns would be much enhanced if, in this column, against the name of each clergyman, there were annexed the initial letters of the denomination to which he belongs, selected from those usually employed for designating the different religious sects.

8. *Place of Birth*.—In this column the State or Territory of all native born persons, and the country of all of foreign birth should be entered, with as few contractions as possible.

9. *Whether Deaf and Dumb, Blind, Insane, Idiotic, Pauper or Convict*.—Too much care cannot be observed in filling the blank spaces in this column, although it will not be necessary to add any instructions to those contained in the Schedule.

EPHRAIM M. WRIGHT,

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, BOSTON, May 28, 1855.

Generally speaking, the directions in the letter of instruction were very well observed. Many of the officers, whose duty it was to collect the materials for the returns to be made to the Secretary of State, having an interest in the business in which they had engaged, performed the work intrusted to them so well, that much of the labor of after preparation was saved. But others, whether from a distaste to such pursuits, or because no provision was made by the Act, for a proper remuneration for their employment, were so negligent in the execution of the trust confided to them, or so heedless in the manner of executing it, that in many cases the returns were very badly prepared and scarcely fit to be received as a fulfilment of the expressed object of the Act authorizing the taking of the census. The hasty manner in which the Act was passed by the legislature, absolutely prevented the friends of statistics from giving such useful hints as would have been of much service in drawing up a proper scheme for the intended purpose; and in issuing his letter, the Secretary did not deem it proper to exceed the authority given in the legislative enactment, and therefore did not include in the instructions which he promulgated, certain items of statistical inquiry which might have

been easily collected at the time of obtaining those required by the Act, and which would have been not only of great interest, but of particular value in many important considerations. Nevertheless, the manner in which the whole matter was treated by the Secretary, elicited much collateral information of great value, over and above the mere enumeration of the abstract number of the residents of the Commonwealth, arranged according to age only. The main facts, however, which it was the object of the census to obtain, have been collected; and, when the great liability to error is taken into consideration, together with the usual difficulty of arriving at the truth, which arises oftentimes from the ignorance and prejudices of the illiterate, it must be confessed that the work has been accomplished in a very satisfactory manner, and, perhaps, with as much accuracy and precision as is generally to be had in such matters, which, far from exciting an interest, often awaken contempt and opposition where cordial co-operation is much needed for the excellence and value of their execution.

Suitable blanks for the intended purpose, were also prepared and forwarded in sufficient quantity, to the proper persons in all of the cities and towns of the State. The following will convey, although in a very diminished and condensed form, the plan of the blanks which were used on the occasion, and the general manner in which it was intended that they should be filled up by the persons who collected the particulars. Each sheet contained four large quarto pages, and each page was constructed so as to contain the names of forty-two persons, with ample room for the required entries concerning each individual:—







An examination of the foregoing illustration of a proper return, will show that the means for taking the present census have been as ample as a fair construction of the Act would allow; and, also, that in point of particulars, the returns exceed in minuteness those of the last State census taken in 1850. The blanks issued by the Secretary in 1855, provided, in addition to a simple enumeration of the inhabitants of the Commonwealth, for the name, age, sex, color, profession or occupation, place of birth and social condition of every individual, and also for the number of dwellings and families; whereas, in 1850, the assessors of the various towns were required only to return the absolute number of persons residing in each of the different municipalities.

The returns are much more complete and satisfactory than those which were received in 1850, on the taking of the last State enumeration; nevertheless, it is to be regretted that imperfections exist in many of them, which evince an evident destitution of the necessary capacity for the work, and a great negligence on the part of those employed as canvassers. Had the instructions been carefully read and remembered,—for they were within the comprehension of the most ordinary intelligence,—there would have scarcely been a possibility of the returns being made incorrectly. The blanks were superior to any of the kind ever used for a similar purpose.

Some of the most common irregularities and defects in the returns, are the following:—

1. In the first column, provided for the numbering of the dwelling-houses, check marks were often substituted for figures; and, in some cases where figures were used, a new numbering was commenced at the top of each page.

2. In the second column, designed for the number of families in the town, the figures were used only to denote the number of families in each house, thereby causing extra trouble in compiling the returns for tabulation.

3. In the column for names, much extraneous matter, such as the names of the owners of unoccupied houses, meeting-houses, school-houses, and public buildings, was, in many instances, introduced, in a manner requiring the greatest care and the closest scrutiny on the part of the clerks preparing the



abstracts, in order to distinguish the above particulars from the names of the persons properly entered in the blanks. In some cases the names of twins were written in one line, as though they were but one person.

4. Instead of giving the figures representing the absolute age of each individual, check marks were used in many of the returns.

5. The sex was generally indicated correctly, but was neglected in some cases, making it necessary for the clerks to prepare the returns, in regard to this particular, before using them for the abstracts.

6. Instead of indicating whether the individuals were blacks or mulattoes, by the letters B or M, they were often returned only as "colored."

7. In many towns, the occupations of a large number of the males over fifteen years of age, were not returned; from which it must be inferred that such persons had no usual profession nor industrial calling.

8. In many instances, in the column for place of birth, the names of towns, instead of the State or country, were given, thereby producing much confusion, as the names of several towns in Massachusetts are the same as those of different States and nations.

9. In the last column, intended for the condition of individuals, persons were returned as inmates of certain institutions, without specifying whether they were deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic, or whether they were paupers or convicts.

These irregularities are mentioned in order to show some of the difficulties which occurred in almost every step, in digesting the returns preparatory to making the general abstracts. Notwithstanding these, it is believed that the work of tabulation has been remarkably well performed, and that the abstracts will be found very generally correct.

Before proceeding to a consideration of the census, as presented in the preceding abstracts, it will not be irrelevant to the subject to devote a short space to the position and extent of the territory of the Commonwealth, and a few other generalities which should accompany a document of this character.

Massachusetts embraces a tract of territory which, including

the islands forming the counties of Dukes and Nantucket, is situated between  $41^{\circ} 15'$  and  $42^{\circ} 53'$  north latitude, and between  $69^{\circ} 56'$  and  $73^{\circ} 32'$  west longitude from Greenwich Observatory, or  $3^{\circ} 30'$  and  $7^{\circ} 8'$  east longitude when reckoned from the meridian of Washington, being about 190 miles in extreme length, and having a breadth varying from 47 to about 110 miles. In the latitude of Boston, the measurement of the State from east to west, is 130 miles, while on the meridian it measures about 90 miles. The area of the Commonwealth is computed to be about 7,800 square miles, or 4,992,000 acres, of which somewhat less than one-half are improved; although, by accurate measurement and calculation, there may be a slight variation from this. It is, therefore, about  $\frac{1}{330}$ th part of the whole Union, ranking the thirty-sixth in size, among the forty States and Territories,—Nebraska, the largest Territory, constituting one-ninth,—and only three States in the confederation having less territorial extent.

During the five years that elapsed between the enumeration of the people of Massachusetts, in 1850 and 1855, no addition was made to the limits of the Commonwealth; and in the same period of time the only diminution has been by the cession, to the State of New York, of a small tract of land, containing about 940 acres, situated in the extreme south-western corner of the State, in the county of Berkshire, and known as the district of Boston Corner. This took place by an Act of the legislature approved by the governor on the 14th of May, 1853, and the portion ceded contained, by the census of 1850, only 73 inhabitants.

Changes in the territorial limits of towns, however, have, during the same time, been quite numerous, portions of individual corporations having, in many instances, been set off by legislative action, and transferred to others, and in several cases new towns have been formed, either by the division of old ones and the separation of villages and parishes, or from portions taken from contiguous municipalities and united into one town. For the purpose of future reference, and that persons engaged in statistical investigations relating to the population of the State, may be kept advised of the changes, and still further, for furnishing proper data for deducing calculations and for making

comparisons of the two censuses, a brief notice of these changes is here given.

By an Act of the legislature which was approved by His Excellency Governor Boutwell, on the 28th of February, 1851, a part of the town of Dracut, in the county of Middlesex, having an estimated population of 1,800 persons, was set off and annexed to the city of Lowell.

On the 17th of April, of the same year, a portion of the town of Newbury was annexed to Newburyport, in the county of Essex, reducing the population of Newbury to 1,546, and increasing that of Newburyport to about 12,452.

By several Acts which received executive approval on the 24th of May, 1851, a small portion of New Marlborough, in Berkshire County, containing about 75 inhabitants, was set off and annexed to Monterey, in the same county; a tract of territory, with about 3,500 resident inhabitants, was taken from the city of Roxbury, in Norfolk County, and incorporated as the town of West Roxbury; a small part of the town of Rutland, in Worcester County, supposed to contain about 15 persons, was attached to Paxton; and certain farms, consisting of about 89 acres of land, and represented as uninhabited, were detached from the town of Winchendon to form part of the town of Gardner, also in the county of Worcester.

The town of Swampscott, formerly part of the city of Lynn, in the county of Essex, and comprising the most easterly portion of its territory, was incorporated on the 21st of May, 1852. It contained, at the time when it was set off from Lynn, about six hundred inhabitants, most of whom were transient, their occupations being connected with the fisheries.

The town of Winthrop, which once formed the most easterly part of North Chelsea, in the county of Suffolk, was incorporated for town purposes on the 27th of March of the same year. The number of its inhabitants was, by estimation, about three hundred, of whom about sixty were legal voters.

The town of Marion, embracing the south-easterly portion of Rochester, in the county of Plymouth, was set off as a separate town on the 14th of May, 1852. The number of its inhabitants, at the date of its incorporation, was supposed to be a few more than one thousand.

In the course of the same year, Dedham, the shire town of

Norfolk County, was twice curtailed of its territory. The south-westerly part, containing about three hundred acres, was annexed to the town of Walpole, in the same county, on the 30th of April; and the north-easterly portion, a more populous district of the town, was joined to West Roxbury, also in the same county, on the 21st of the same month.

The town of North Reading, which formerly comprised the northern part of Reading, in the county of Middlesex, being about one-half of the territorial extent of that town, was incorporated on the 22d of March, 1853. At the time of the division, the northern portion is supposed to have contained a few over one thousand inhabitants, and not far from two hundred and twenty legal voters.

The town of Nahant, once forming the peninsular part of the city of Lynn, in the county of Essex, was invested with corporate powers and privileges on the 29th of March, 1853. The number of its inhabitants, at the time it was detached from Lynn, was two hundred and fifty, and the number of voters forty-three.

The town of Lakeville, which formed the south-western portion of Middleborough, in the county of Plymouth, was set off as a separate town on the 13th of May, 1853. As nearly as can be ascertained, the number of its inhabitants, at the time it was incorporated, was about eleven hundred.

A small portion of Stoneham, in the county of Middlesex, being the south-eastern district of that town, was set off and annexed to Melrose, in the same county, on the 15th of March, 1853.

By an Act approved by the governor on the 28th of April, of the same year, the north-west part of the town of Ashland, in the county of Middlesex, was annexed to the town of Hopkinton, in the same county.

Also, a portion of the towns of Chester and Blandford, in the county of Hampden, comprising the south-eastern corner of the former and the north-eastern corner of the latter, was set off and joined to the town of Norwich, in the county of Hampshire.

No new towns were incorporated by the legislature in 1854, but the boundaries of several of the old ones were changed by the customary practice of setting off parts of towns to enlarge others.



By an Act, approved by the governor on the 4th of April, 1854, a part of the town of Methuen, in the county of Essex, comprising but a small portion of the town, and containing very few inhabitants, was set off to the city of Lawrence, in the same county.

A small portion of the town of Dighton, in the county of Bristol, being a portion of its most south-easterly corner, was set off and annexed to the town of Somerset, in the same county, by an Act which received the executive sanction on the fourth of April of the same year. The portion of territory thus transferred was very inconsiderable; and as it did not contain any inhabitants, it need not be regarded in statistical calculations, as no result whatever could be effected by the transfer.

By another Act of the legislature, consummated on the fifteenth of the same April, a portion of the southernmost part of the town of North Brookfield, in the county of Worcester, was annexed to the town of Brookfield, in the same county. The portion annexed is supposed, by estimation, to contain about two hundred and three acres, and a very few inhabitants, and is a part of the territory which was taken from Brookfield on the twenty-eighth of February, 1812, to form the town of North Brookfield, from which it has now been set off. More than one-quarter of the territory set off is covered with water, and not inhabited.

The large town of Andover, in the county of Essex, which, by the seventh United States census, taken in 1850, contained 6,945 inhabitants, was divided into two towns by an Act of the legislature which received the sanction of the governor on the 7th of April, 1855. This town was originally parochially divided into three parts: the North, South and West Parishes of Andover, all of which, however, were subject to one and the same municipal regulations. By the above Act of the general court, the North Parish was set off to form North Andover, which, at the time of taking the State census, on the 1st of June, 1855, contained 2,218 inhabitants, while the remaining parishes, with a population of 4,810 by the same census, retained the ancient name of the town—Andover.

On the 27th of April, 1855, the south-easterly portion of the town of Watertown, in the county of Middlesex, containing about thirty-one and one-half acres\* of land, was separated from

the town and annexed to the city of Cambridge. This change of territory did not materially alter the population of either town.

So much of the town of Dorchester, in the county of Norfolk, with the inhabitants thereon, lying on the south-easterly side of Neponset River, near the portion of the town of Quincy called "Squantum," including a few estates, was set off and annexed to Quincy, on the 2d of May, 1855,—a change too inconsiderable to need to be taken into account in statistical deductions.

By another Act of the legislature of the Commonwealth, which received the executive sanction on the 21st of May, 1855, that portion of the town of Dorchester known as the "Washington Village," and containing, by the State census of the same year, 1,319 inhabitants, was detached and annexed to the city of Boston, and now forms part of the twelfth ward, designated as "South Boston." Although the diversion of this territory may produce a material effect on the returns from Dorchester, a town whose population amounts to 8,340 only, by taking away of about one-seventh of its inhabitants, it produces very little, comparatively speaking, that is appreciable, in reference to the city to which it has been annexed.

On the 17th of May, 1855, the town of West Springfield, in the county of Hampden, was divided by an Act of the legislature, into two towns, the new corporation being called Agawam. The new town comprises the parishes of "Feeding Hills" and "Agawam," extending from Westfield River, on the north, to the Connecticut line, on the south, taking the southernmost part of the town. In June, of the same year, the population of West Springfield was 2,090, while that of Agawam was enumerated as 1,543.

Another important change which took place in the year 1855, in relation to the formation of new towns, consisted in the separation of Danvers, in the county of Essex, into two towns. This act was consummated on the 18th of May, when that part of the original town which was known as North Danvers, received the name of Danvers, and the remaining portion, being the ancient village, was designated South Danvers. In point of population the two towns now stand, Danvers with 4,000 inhabitants, and South Danvers with 5,384.

The importance of keeping the knowledge of these changes

in a collected and accessible form, has led to their condensation from the registration reports of the last four years, which were from the pen of the writer of these remarks.

In two instances during the five years, 1851-5, the corporate names of towns were changed. On the third of May, 1852, the name of Sherburne, in Middlesex county, was altered to Sherborn; and on the ninth of March, 1855, the town of Norwich, in the county of Hampshire, was authorized to take the name of Huntington. The new names have been used in this document.

At the time of taking the census, in June, 1855, the Commonwealth was divided into fourteen counties, and these comprised three hundred and thirty-two cities and towns. The following table gives, in a convenient form, the names of the counties arranged in alphabetical order, with the date of their formation and the number of cities and towns in each:—

NAME.	When Incorporated.	Extent in Acres, by Val. of 1850.	No. of Towns.
Barnstable, . . . . .	June 2, 1685, . . . . .	207,623	13
Berkshire, . . . . .	April 24, 1761, . . . . .	572,309	31
Bristol, . . . . .	June 21, 1685, . . . . .	328,859	19
Dukes, . . . . .	November 1, 1683, . . . . .	61,451	3
Essex, . . . . .	May 10, 1643, . . . . .	283,344	34
Franklin, . . . . .	June 24, 1811, . . . . .	410,699	26
Hampden, . . . . .	February 20, 1812, . . . . .	344,053	21
Hampshire, . . . . .	May 7, 1662, . . . . .	329,102	23
Middlesex, . . . . .	May 10, 1643, . . . . .	493,822	51
Nantucket, . . . . .	June 20, 1695, . . . . .	15,371	1
Norfolk, . . . . .	March 26, 1793, . . . . .	259,584	23
Plymouth, . . . . .	June 2, 1685, . . . . .	364,452	24
Suffolk, . . . . .	May 10, 1643, . . . . .	6,688	4
Worcester, . . . . .	April 2, 1731, . . . . .	930,831	58
Totals, . . . . .	. . . . .	4,608,188	332

The extent of the several counties as given in acres in the above table, cannot be relied upon for positive exactness, and is presented in this connection simply for the reason that it is

according to the last return that has been made by the proper authorities for the State valuation. For instance, in 1830, the number of acres in Suffolk county was returned as 9,£39 $\frac{1}{2}$ ; in 1840, as 7,669 $\frac{3}{4}$ ; and in 1850, without any change of territory, as 6,688 $\frac{3}{8}$ .

In the same table, the date of incorporation given to Dukes county, is the exact time that the islands of which it is composed were incorporated by the State of New York, of which they were a part at the time. These islands were annexed to the Province of Massachusetts by the charter which passed the seals on the seventh of October, 1691. Until the twentieth of June, 1695, the counties of Dukes and Nantucket were united under the name first given.

At the time of taking the census, there were within the Commonwealth thirteen cities, and to these one has since been added. These are arranged below, in the order of their seniority, with the dates when their several Acts of incorporation received the official sanction of the governor of the State, together with the time when the city charters were severally accepted by the legal voters of each town:—

Boston, . . .	Act granted, Feb'y 23, 1822, accepted, March 4, 1822.
Salem, . . .	“ March 23, 1836, “ April 4, 1836.
Lowell, . . .	“ April 1, 1836, “ April 11, 1836.
Roxbury, . . .	“ March 12, 1846, “ March 25, 1846.
Cambridge, . . .	“ March 17, 1846, “ March 30, 1846.
Charlestown, . . .	“ Feb'y 22, 1847, “ March 10, 1847.
New Bedford, . . .	“ March 9, 1847, “ March 18, 1847.
Worcester, . . .	“ Feb'y 29, 1848, “ March 18, 1848.
Lynn, . . .	“ April 10, 1850, “ May 14, 1850.
Newburyport, . . .	“ May 24, 1851, “ June 3, 1851.
Springfield, . . .	“ April 12, 1852, “ April 21, 1852.
Lawrence, . . .	“ March 21, 1853, “ March 29, 1853.
Fall River, . . .	“ April 12, 1854, “ April 23, 1854.
Chelsea, . . .	“ March 13, 1857, “ March 30, 1857.

Previous to entering more particularly into a consideration of the facts suggested by the State census of 1855, and an analysis of the abstracts prepared for this document, it will be profitable to revert back to the earlier enumerations which have, at various times, been taken by authority of the general govern-



ment, with such allusion to the State census of 1850, as may be required for comparison.

In the colonial and provincial days of this ancient Commonwealth, even as late as the Revolutionary struggles of the American Colonies, Massachusetts exceeded, in the number of its inhabitants, each of the others. As early as the year 1701 it is supposed to have contained about 70,000 persons of both sexes; in 1749, about 220,000; and in 1775, about 352,000. If these figures are reliable, it will be perceived that the increase of forty-eight years, from 1701 to 1749, was at the rate of 214.29 per cent. for the whole time, and of 4.46 per cent. per annum. For the twenty-six years, from 1749 to 1775, the increase was 60 per cent., or 2.31 per cent. per annum; and for the seventy-four years, from 1701 to 1775, 402.86 per cent., or 5.44 per cent. per annum. At this last date Pennsylvania came next, with a population of 341,000; and Virginia with that of 300,000, Connecticut with 262,000, New York with 238,000, North Carolina with 181,000, and Maryland with 174,000. In 1775, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania were estimated to have been each a third larger than New York, which last was considerably smaller than Connecticut, and was not even half as large as its present enterprising emporium.

Since the adoption of the Federal Government, seven distinct enumerations of the people have been made. The first, second, third and fourth,—those previous to the year 1830,—were taken on the first day of August, of 1790, 1800, 1810 and 1820; the last three, namely, the fifth, sixth and seventh, were taken on the first day of June, of the years 1830, 1840 and 1850.

The following extract from the very able Report of Lemuel Shattuck, Esq., which was presented to the Massachusetts legislature in April, 1849, contains, in the usual clear style of that accomplished statistician, an accurate historical account of the various State censuses that have been taken in this Commonwealth previous to the one under consideration. Mr. Shattuck says: "An Act of the legislature was passed March 21, 1837, providing for taking a census of the inhabitants of this State, for the purpose of ascertaining the proportion by which the surplus revenue of the United States should be distributed to the several towns. And another Act was passed April 12, of that year, 'to provide for taking a census of the ratable polls,' for

the purpose of making an apportionment of the representatives in the several towns, according to the new provisions of the Constitution then just adopted. A census was subsequently taken on the first day of May, in 1837. The Constitution was again amended in 1839, and provided that 'a census of the inhabitants of each city and town, on the first day of May, shall be taken and returned into the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, on or before the last day of June, of the year one thousand eight hundred and forty, and of every tenth year thereafter, which census shall determine the apportionment of senators and representatives for the term of ten years.' An Act was passed March 21, 1840, 'for taking a census of the inhabitants of this Commonwealth,' for the purpose of making an apportionment of the senators and representatives in the legislature, according to this new provision of the Constitution. The Act of 1840 was nearly in the language of that of 1837, for taking a census of the ratable polls. The mere numbers of the inhabitants were the only facts required to be ascertained in both years."

The aggregate population of the several Counties of the Commonwealth, according to the seven United States enumerations, and also by the last State census, is given in the following columns. In making use of this valuable table, it must be borne in mind that, until the 26th of March, 1793, the present county of Norfolk formed part of the county of Suffolk, and that the towns of Hingham and Hull, in Plymouth County, were also a part of the same county until the 18th of June, 1803. Franklin County was originally the north part of Hampshire County, from which it was separated on the 24th of June, 1811; and Hampden County was formed from the southern part of the county of Hampshire, on the 25th of February, 1812:—

*Population of Massachusetts, by Counties, according to the Seven United States Censuses, and the last State Census:—*

COUNTIES.	UNITED STATES CENSUSES.							STATE CENSUS.
	1790.	1800.	1810.	1820.	1830.	1840.	1850.	
BARNSTABLE, . . . . .	17,354	19,293	22,211	24,026	28,514	32,518	35,276	35,442
BERKSHIRE, . . . . .	30,291	33,885	35,907	35,720	37,835	41,745	49,591	52,791
BRISTOL, . . . . .	31,709	33,890	37,168	40,908	49,592	60,164	76,192	87,425
DUKES, . . . . .	3,265	3,109	3,290	3,292	3,517	3,958	4,510	4,401
ESSEX, . . . . .	57,913	61,205	71,888	74,655	82,859	94,987	131,300	151,018
FRANKLIN, . . . . .	—	—	—	29,268	29,501	28,812	30,870	31,652
HAMPDEN, . . . . .	—	—	—	28,021	31,639	37,366	51,283	54,849
HAMPSHIRE, . . . . .	59,681	72,432	76,275	26,487	30,254	30,897	35,732	35,485
MIDDLESEX, . . . . .	42,737	46,928	52,780	61,472	77,961	106,611	161,383	194,023
NANTUCKET, . . . . .	4,550	5,617	6,807	7,266	7,202	9,012	8,452	8,064
NORFOLK, . . . . .	—	27,216	31,245	36,471	41,972	53,140	78,892	94,367
PLYMOUTH, . . . . .	29,535	30,473	35,169	38,136	43,044	47,373	55,697	61,495
SUFFOLK, . . . . .	44,875	28,015	34,381	43,940	62,163	95,773	141,517	171,841
WORCESTER, . . . . .	56,807	61,192	64,910	73,625	84,355	95,313	130,789	149,516
Totals, . . . . .	378,717	423,245	472,040	523,287	610,408	737,699	991,514	1,132,369

In each of the censuses of the Commonwealth taken by the general government, the column designed for the enumeration of slaves is blank. By the census of 1790, it appears, that besides the free white males and females, there were 5,463 other free persons; by that of 1800, 6,452; and by that of 1810, 6,737. These were undoubtedly intended to comprise the free colored, viz.: blacks, mulattoes and Indians; for, by the census of 1820, this class was reported as 6,740; by that of 1830, 7,048; by that of 1840, 8,669; and by that of 1850, 9,064. According to the enumeration by the present State census, there were 9,906 belonging to the same class. The relative ratio of increase of this portion of the population, has not kept pace with that of the white population, but is much less in the late decennial periods than it was in the early ones. Whenever the colored are classified into blacks and mulattoes, the former largely predominate. The result of the enumeration of the colored part of the population of Massachusetts will be considered more fully in the subsequent pages of this document.

By the seven National censuses, the aggregate population of the Commonwealth, when compared with that of the whole confederation, appeared as follows:—

CENSUS.	United States.	Massachusetts.
I. 1790, . . . . .	3,929,827	378,717
II. 1800, . . . . .	5,305,925	423,245
III. 1810, . . . . .	7,239,814	472,040
IV. 1820, . . . . .	9,638,131	523,287
V. 1830, . . . . .	12,866,020	610,408
VI. 1840, . . . . .	17,069,453	737,699
VII. 1850, . . . . .	23,191,876	994,514

Compared with the other States in point of population, Massachusetts stood, in 1790, the fourth; in 1800 and 1810, the fifth; in 1820, the seventh; in 1830 and 1840, the eighth; and in 1850, the sixth; and although it has not increased as rapidly

as has some of the other States of the Union, nevertheless it exhibits a large gain in population when its small amount of territory, and the very considerable supply of pioneer settlers it has afforded to the new States and Territories of the Federal Republic, are considered.

The following will show the relative position which Massachusetts has held in the Union at the seven decennial periods when the census of the population was taken, together with the percentage of increase and the density in which it is settled :—

CENSUS.	UNITED STATES.		MASSACHUSETTS.		
	Percentage of Increase.	Density.	Percentage of Increase.	Density.	Rank as to Population.
I. 1790, . . . . .	—	4.79	—	48.55	2
II. 1800, . . . . .	35.01	6.47	11.76	54.25	4
III. 1810, . . . . .	36.45	4.21	11.53	60.51	4
IV. 1820, . . . . .	33.12	5.39	10.86	67.09	7
V. 1830, . . . . .	33.48	7.20	16.65	78.25	8
VI. 1840, . . . . .	32.67	9.55	20.85	94.58	8
VII. 1850, . . . . .	36.28	7.90	34.81	127.50	6

Thus the Commonwealth appears to have increased very considerably and in a fair ratio, when compared with the United States. Without any addition to its territory, it shows an increase in population of 34.81 per cent. during the ten years, from 1840 to 1850, while the United States, with its large acquisition of territory, has added but 36.28 per cent. to the number of its inhabitants. The percentage of increase during the sixty years, from 1790 to 1850, has been 162.59.

The following table shows that when the last United States census was taken, in 1850, many of the natives of this State were found residing in others, chiefly in the non-slaveholding, and that this number amounted to 199,582; of the American born citizens dwelling in Massachusetts at the same time, 134,830 only were born in other States, and 695,236 within the Commonwealth :—



*Natives of Massachusetts in other States, in 1850.*

In Maine, . . . . .	16,535	In Mississippi, . . . . .	339
New Hampshire, . . . . .	18,495	Louisiana, . . . . .	1,620
Vermont, . . . . .	15,059	Texas, . . . . .	414
Rhode Island, . . . . .	11,888	Arkansas, . . . . .	174
Connecticut, . . . . .	11,366	Tennessee, . . . . .	331
New York, . . . . .	55,773	Kentucky, . . . . .	665
New Jersey, . . . . .	1,494	Ohio, . . . . .	18,763
Pennsylvania, . . . . .	7,330	Michigan, . . . . .	8,167
Delaware, . . . . .	113	Indiana, . . . . .	2,678
Maryland, . . . . .	1,421	Illinois, . . . . .	9,230
District of Columbia, . . . . .	331	Missouri, . . . . .	1,103
Virginia, . . . . .	1,193	Iowa, . . . . .	1,251
North Carolina, . . . . .	261	Wisconsin, . . . . .	6,285
South Carolina, . . . . .	407	California, . . . . .	4,760
Georgia, . . . . .	594	Territories, . . . . .	653
Florida, . . . . .	235		
Alabama, . . . . .	654	Total, . . . . .	199,582

The table exhibits a remarkable emigration from this State to others, which helps to account, in some degree, for the less rapid proportional increase which is seen here than elsewhere throughout the United States, when examining more particularly the relative condition of the various commonwealths.

At various times, when Massachusetts was under the dependence of the British Government, attempts were made towards taking the census of its population. Valuable remarks on this subject, from the pen of Joseph B. Felt, LL. D., have already been made public. Much information has also been written and published on the subject of the State censuses by Drs. Jesse Chickering, Edward Jarvis and Josiah Curtis, and also by Lemuel Shattuck, Esq. The labors and productions of these able statisticians are already well known to the community.

In proceeding to consider the results obtained from the census returns received in consequence of the enumeration in June, 1855, it may be necessary to revert again to former censuses.

For the greater convenience in consultation, and for tabulating and printing the particulars in a clear and conspicuous manner, the abstracts of the State census of June, 1855, have been prepared and arranged in five tables. The first Table exhibits the whole number of males and females in Massachusetts at the time of taking the census, arranged by counties and

towns, according to color and nativity. The second Table shows the ages of the population, according to towns and counties, persons under twenty years of age arranged by quinquennial periods, and those of a more advanced age by decennial periods. The third Table gives the nativities of the whole population of every town and county in the Commonwealth. The fourth Table contains the social statistics of the several towns and counties of the Commonwealth, exhibiting the number of dwelling-houses and families; also, the number and nativity of persons that were reported as deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, paupers and convicts. The fifth Table, the last, exhibits the number of males over fifteen years of age pursuing different vocations, arranged by counties. In connection with each Table is a recapitulation exhibiting the aggregates arranged in a condensed form.

## AGGREGATE POPULATION.

The whole number of the inhabitants of the Commonwealth on the first day of June, 1855, according to the State census, consisted of 1,132,369 persons; of whom 550,034 were reported as males, and 582,335 as females. Of this number, 1,122,463 were whites—545,417 males and 577,046 females; and 9,906 were colored persons—4,627 males and 5,279 females, including 6,923 designated as blacks, 2,844 as mulattoes, and 139 as Indians. Of the 545,417 male whites—428,946 individuals were natives of the United States, 116,114 were born on foreign soil, and of 347 the nativity was not ascertained. The 577,046 white females admitted of the following classification, viz.: 448,334 natives, 128,571 of foreign birth, and 151 of unknown nativity.

The colored part of the population was chiefly native, 9,295 individuals having been born in the United States, and 578 in foreign countries. Of 33 the nativity was not returned.

It will be perceived that there is a large excess of females over males. This fact is not peculiar to the present Massachusetts census, but is generally found to hold true with those taken at previous periods. When it is considered that more males are annually born in Massachusetts than females, and that more females than males are reported as having died, it is extremely perplexing to account in any satisfactory manner, for this striking fact. The relative proportion existing between the sexes has always been an interesting subject of inquiry among persons interested in vital statistics, and in the various Reports which have emanated from this Commonwealth under legislative sanction, an appropriate space has usually been allotted for the consideration of this important particular. During the five years which elapsed between the taking of the seventh United States census in 1850, and the Massachusetts State census in 1855, the increase of males will be found to have been 61,517, and of females 76,338. During the same space of time, the births in the Commonwealth, excluding those of unknown sex and of stillborn children, were 77,575 males, and 72,840 females; and the deaths were 47,749 males, and 48,728 females.



These premises present a good field for the study of able and experienced statisticians, who may probably be able to account for the fact by a greater immigration of females and a greater emigration of males. For there can surely be no doubt as to the certainty that the greatest portion of aliens who seek this country for employment and support, especially from Ireland and northern Europe, are females; while the enterprising and adventurous part of the population which comprises the large contribution from Massachusetts to the pioneer settlements in the West, and to the newly acquired regions of the United States on the Pacific, and also the alien laborers who leave the State to build railroads and other great national improvements, are chiefly males.

The increase of the population of the State, during the five years preceding the first of June, 1855, has been considerable, and is owing to two causes, both of which generally exist to some degree in every community. The first of these is the natural result arising from the excess of births over deaths. The second cause, immigration, is of a more adventitious character, depending entirely upon external circumstances, and being very variable and not usually within the bounds of calculation. Massachusetts exhibits an augmentation of population during the five years elapsing between the first day of June, 1850, and the first day of June, 1855, amounting to 137,855 individuals. During exactly the same time, there have been 151,135 births and 97,206 deaths; giving, therefore, to the first or natural cause of increase, 54,929, and leaving a balance of 82,926 to be accounted for by the excess of foreign and domestic immigration over emigration. Dr. Josiah Curtis, in his valuable Report on the census of Boston, taken under the authority of the city in 1855, states, that there were no less than 38,356 foreigners landed by water at Boston, in the year 1850; he also exhibits, in a table, that there were 111,916 arrivals by water in the same city, and 67,570 by land, during the five years, 1851-5. Surely an influx of this extent of aliens, will sufficiently account for the increase of population, without even being obliged to take into account the accessions from the other States of the Union.

The following table, prepared with much care by Edward W.

Hinks, Esq., will exhibit the percentage of increase or decrease in every town and county throughout the Commonwealth, according to the State censuses of 1850 and 1855:—

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>BARNSTABLE COUNTY.</b>				
Barnstable, . . . . .	4.805	4.998	04.02	—
Brewster, . . . . .	1.503	1.525	01.46	—
Chatham, . . . . .	2.437	2.560	05.05	—
Dennis, . . . . .	3.213	3.497	08.84	—
Eastham, . . . . .	.841	.808	—	03.92
Falmouth, . . . . .	2.645	2.613	—	01.21
Harwich, . . . . .	3.133	3.261	04.09	—
Orleans, . . . . .	1.788	1.754	—	01.90
Provincetown, . . . . .	2.678	3.096	15.61	—
Sandwich, . . . . .	4.181	4.496	07.53	—
Truro, . . . . .	2.002	1.917	—	04.25
Wellfleet, . . . . .	2.372	2.325	—	01.98
Yarmouth, . . . . .	2.399	2.592	08.05	—
Totals, . . . . .	33.997	35.442	04.25	—
<b>BERKSHIRE COUNTY.</b>				
Adams, . . . . .	6,050	6,980	15.37	—
Alford, . . . . .	536	526	—	01.87
Becket, . . . . .	1,229	1,472	19.77	—
Cheshire, . . . . .	1,238	1,532	23.75	—
Clarksburg, <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	394	424	07.61	—
Dalton, . . . . .	1,055	1,064	00.85	—
Egremont, . . . . .	1,031	992	—	03.78
Florida, <sup>1</sup> . . . . .	564	612	08.51	—
Great Barrington, . . . . .	3,274	3,449	05.35	—
Hancock, . . . . .	770	848	10.13	—
Hinsdale, . . . . .	1,282	1,361	06.16	—
Lanesborough, . . . . .	1,234	1,235	00.08	—
Lee, . . . . .	3,093	4,226	36.63	—
Lenox, . . . . .	1,576	1,921	21.80	—

<sup>1</sup> Part of Florida annexed to Clarksburg, May 20, 1852.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
BERKSHIRE— <i>Con.</i>				
Monterey, <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	733	823	12.28	—
Mount Washington, . . . . .	340	344	01.18	—
New Ashford, . . . . .	210	195	—	07.14
New Marlborough, <sup>2</sup> . . . . .	1,733	1,647	—	04.96
Otis, . . . . .	1,163	1,018	—	12.47
Peru, . . . . .	500	487	—	02.60
Pittsfield, . . . . .	6,032	6,501	07.78	—
Richmond, . . . . .	896	970	08.26	—
Sandisfield, . . . . .	1,626	1,615	—	00.68
Savoy, . . . . .	1,003	919	—	08.37
Sheffield, . . . . .	2,734	2,624	—	04.02
Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,706	2,058	20.63	—
Tyringham, . . . . .	780	710	—	08.97
Washington, . . . . .	903	1,068	18.27	—
West Stockbridge, . . . . .	1,731	1,736	00.29	—
Williamstown, . . . . .	2,534	2,529	—	00.20
Windsor, . . . . .	926	905	—	02.27
Totals, . . . . .	48,876	52,791	08.01	—
BRISTOL COUNTY.				
Attleborough, . . . . .	4,157	5,451	31.13	—
Berkley, . . . . .	923	924	00.11	—
Dartmouth, . . . . .	4,056	3,658	—	09.81
Dighton, <sup>3</sup> . . . . .	1,632	1,729	05.94	—
Easton, . . . . .	2,354	2,748	16.74	—
Fairhaven, . . . . .	4,150	4,693	13.08	—
Fall River, . . . . .	11,170	12,680	13.52	—
Freetown, . . . . .	1,585	1,585	00.00	—
Mansfield, . . . . .	1,905	2,119	11.23	—
New Bedford, . . . . .	16,441	20,389	24.01	—
Norton, . . . . .	1,842	1,894	02.82	—
Pawtucket, . . . . .	3,876	4,132	06.60	—
Raynham, . . . . .	1,439	1,634	13.55	—

<sup>2</sup> Part of New Marlborough annexed to Monterey. May 24, 1851.<sup>3</sup> Part of Dighton annexed to Somerset, April 4, 1854.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>BRISTOL—<i>Con.</i></b>				
Rehoboth, . . . . .	1,959	2,107	07.55	—
Seekonk, . . . . .	2,065	2,304	11.57	—
Somerset, <sup>4</sup> . . . . .	1,112	1,339	20.41	—
Swanzy, . . . . .	1,339	1,467	09.56	—
Taunton, . . . . .	10,145	13,750	35.53	—
Westport, . . . . .	2,829	2,822	—	00.25
Totals, . . . . .	74,979	87,425	16.60	—
<b>DUKES COUNTY.</b>				
Chilmark, . . . . .	741	676	—	08.77
Edgartown, . . . . .	1,894	1,898	00.21	—
Tisbury, . . . . .	1,781	1,827	02.58	—
Totals, . . . . .	4,416	4,401	—	00.34
<b>ESSEX COUNTY.</b>				
Amesbury, . . . . .	3,040	3,585	14.64	—
Andover, <sup>5</sup> . . . . .	6,748	4,810	—	28.72
Beverly, . . . . .	5,396	5,944	10.16	—
Boxford, . . . . .	994	1,034	04.02	—
Bradford, . . . . .	1,212	1,372	13.20	—
Danvers, <sup>6</sup> . . . . .	7,949	4,000	—	49.68
Essex, . . . . .	1,607	1,668	03.77	—
Georgetown, . . . . .	2,027	2,042	00.74	—
Gloucester, . . . . .	7,416	8,935	20.48	—
Groveland, . . . . .	1,302	1,367	04.99	—
Hamilton, . . . . .	893	896	00.34	—
Haverhill, . . . . .	5,754	7,932	37.85	—
Ipswich, . . . . .	3,074	3,421	11.29	—
Lawrence, <sup>7</sup> . . . . .	8,358	16,114	92.80	—
Lynn, <sup>8</sup> . . . . .	13,613	15,713	15.43	—
Lynnfield, . . . . .	1,010	883	—	12.57

<sup>4</sup> Part of Dighton annexed to Somerset, April 4, 1854.

<sup>5</sup> Andover divided, and North Andover incorporated, April 7, 1855.

<sup>6</sup> Danvers divided, and South Danvers incorporated, May 13, 1855.

<sup>7</sup> Part of Methuen annexed to Lawrence, April 4, 1854.

<sup>8</sup> Lynn divided, and Swampscott incorporated, May 21, 1852; and again divided, and Nahant incorporated, March 29, 1853.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<i>ESSEX—Con.</i>				
Manchester, . . . .	1,604	1,864	16.21	—
Marblehead, . . . .	6,073	6,928	14.08	—
Methuen, <sup>9</sup> . . . .	2,556	2,582	01.02	—
Middleton, . . . .	816	880	07.84	—
Nahant, <sup>10</sup> . . . .	New town.	270	—	—
Newbury, <sup>11</sup> . . . .	4,457	1,484	—	66.70
Newburyport, <sup>11</sup> . . . .	9,534	13,357	40.10	—
North Andover, <sup>12</sup> . . . .	New town.	2,218	—	—
Rockport, . . . .	3,366	3,498	03.92	—
Rowley, . . . .	1,136	1,214	06.87	—
Salem, . . . .	18,948	20,934	10.48	—
Salisbury, . . . .	2,909	3,185	09.49	—
Saugus, . . . .	1,505	1,788	18.80	—
South Danvers, <sup>13</sup> . . . .	New town.	5,348	—	—
Swampscott, <sup>14</sup> . . . .	New town.	1,335	—	—
Topsfield, . . . .	1,162	1,250	07.57	—
Wenham, . . . .	1,003	1,073	06.98	—
West Newbury, . . . .	1,708	2,094	22.60	—
Totals, . . . .	127,170	151,018	18.75	—
<i>FRANKLIN COUNTY.</i>				
Ashfield, . . . .	1,521	1,342	—	11.77
Bernardston, . . . .	977	908	—	07.06
Buckland, . . . .	1,049	1,614	53.86	—
Charlemont, . . . .	1,188	1,113	—	06.31
Colrain, . . . .	1,764	1,604	—	09.07
Conway, . . . .	1,788	1,784	—	00.22
Deerfield, . . . .	2,455	2,766	12.67	—
Erving, . . . .	465	471	01.29	—
Gill, . . . .	741	732	—	01.21

<sup>9</sup> Part of Methuen annexed to Lawrence, April 4, 1854.

<sup>10</sup> Nahant set off from Lynn, and incorporated March 29, 1853.

<sup>11</sup> Part of Newbury annexed to Newburyport, April 17, 1851.

<sup>12</sup> North Andover set off from Andover, and incorporated, April 7, 1855.

<sup>13</sup> South Danvers set off from Danvers, and incorporated, May 18, 1855.

<sup>14</sup> Swampscott set off from Lynn, and incorporated May 21, 1852.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
FRANKLIN— <i>Con.</i>				
Greenfield, . . . . .	2,578	2,945	14.24	—
Hawley, . . . . .	861	774	—	10.10
Heath, . . . . .	779	741	—	04.88
Leverett, . . . . .	921	982	06.62	—
Leyden, . . . . .	669	653	—	02.39
Munroe, . . . . .	242	217	—	10.33
Montague, . . . . .	1,515	1,509	—	00.40
New Salem, . . . . .	1,259	1,221	—	03.02
Northfield, . . . . .	1,720	1,951	13.43	—
Orange, . . . . .	1,738	1,753	00.86	—
Rowe, . . . . .	661	601	—	09.08
Shelburne, . . . . .	1,226	1,401	14.27	—
Shutesbury, . . . . .	924	939	01.62	—
Sunderland, . . . . .	803	839	04.48	—
Warwick, . . . . .	1,018	1,002	—	01.57
Wendell, . . . . .	897	738	—	17.73
Whately, . . . . .	1,129	1,052	—	06.82
Totals, . . . . .	30,888	31,652	02.47	—
HAMPDEN COUNTY.				
Agawam, <sup>15</sup> . . . . .	New town.	1,543	—	—
Blandford, <sup>16</sup> . . . . .	1,515	1,271	—	16.11
Brimfield, . . . . .	1,444	1,343	—	06.99
Chester, <sup>16</sup> . . . . .	1,485	1,255	—	15.49
Chicopee, . . . . .	8,319	7,576	—	08.93
Granville, . . . . .	1,220	1,316	07.87	—
Holland, . . . . .	467	392	—	16.06
Holyoke, . . . . .	3,713	4,639	24.94	—
Longmeadow, . . . . .	1,323	1,348	01.89	—
Ludlow, . . . . .	1,140	1,191	04.47	—
Monson, . . . . .	2,166	2,942	35.83	—
Montgomery, . . . . .	401	413	02.99	—

<sup>15</sup> Agawam set off from West Springfield, and incorporated May 17, 1855.

<sup>16</sup> Parts of Blandford and Chester annexed to Norwich, in Hampshire County, May 25, 1853, and the name of Norwich changed to Huntington, March 9, 1855.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>HAMPDEN—Con.</b>				
Palmer, . . . . .	3,896	4,012	02.98	—
Russell, . . . . .	532	677	27.26	—
Southwick, . . . . .	1,165	1,130	—	03.00
Springfield, . . . . .	11,330	13,788	21.69	—
Tolland, . . . . .	573	603	05.24	—
Wales, . . . . .	705	713	01.13	—
Westfield, . . . . .	4,010	4,575	14.09	—
West Springfield, <sup>17</sup> . . . . .	2,968	2,090	—	29.58
Wilbraham, . . . . .	1,852	2,032	09.72	—
Totals, . . . . .	50,224	54,849	09.21	—
<b>HAMPSHIRE COUNTY.</b>				
Amherst, . . . . .	2,785	2,937	05.46	—
Belchertown, . . . . .	2,560	2,698	05.39	—
Chesterfield, . . . . .	1,009	950	—	05.85
Cummington, . . . . .	1,207	1,004	—	16.82
Easthampton, . . . . .	1,202	1,386	15.31	—
Enfield, . . . . .	1,062	1,036	—	02.45
Goshen, . . . . .	515	471	—	08.54
Granby, . . . . .	1,013	1,001	—	01.18
Greenwich, . . . . .	811	803	—	00.99
Hadley, . . . . .	1,941	1,928	—	00.67
Hatfield, . . . . .	1,071	1,162	08.50	—
Huntington, <sup>18</sup> . . . . .	757	1,172	54.82	—
Middlefield, . . . . .	692	677	—	02.17
Northampton, . . . . .	5,194	5,819	12.03	—
Pelham, . . . . .	872	789	—	09.52
Plainfield, . . . . .	813	652	—	19.80
Prescott, . . . . .	702	643	—	08.40
South Hadley, . . . . .	2,082	2,051	—	01.49
Southampton, . . . . .	1,120	1,195	06.70	—
Ware, . . . . .	3,568	3,498	—	01.96

<sup>17</sup> West Springfield divided, and Agawam incorporated, May 17, 1855.

<sup>18</sup> Parts of Blandford and Chester, in Hampden County, annexed to Norwich, May 25, 1853, and the name of Norwich changed to Huntington, March 9, 1855.



COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. in-crease in five years.	Per cent. de-crease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>HAMPSHIRE—<i>Con.</i></b>				
Westhampton, . . . .	636	670	05.35	—
Williamsburg, . . . .	1,534	1,831	19.36	—
Worthington, . . . .	1,144	1,112	—	02.80
Totals, . . . .	34,290	35,485	03.48	—
<b>MIDDLESEX COUNTY.</b>				
Acton, . . . .	1,664	1,678	00.84	—
Ashby, . . . .	1,207	1,176	—	02.57
Ashland, <sup>19</sup> . . . .	1,299	1,308	00.69	—
Bedford, . . . .	958	986	02.92	—
Billerica, . . . .	1,600	1,772	10.75	—
Boxborough, . . . .	404	413	02.23	—
Brighton, . . . .	2,253	2,895	28.50	—
Burlington, . . . .	509	564	10.81	—
Cambridge, . . . .	14,825	20,473	38.10	—
Carlisle, . . . .	634	630	—	00.63
Charlestown, . . . .	15,933	21,700	36.20	—
Chelmsford, . . . .	2,074	2,140	03.18	—
Concord, . . . .	2,206	2,244	01.72	—
Dracut, <sup>20</sup> . . . .	3,450	1,966	—	43.01
Dunstable, . . . .	567	533	—	06.00
Framingham, . . . .	3,866	4,676	20.95	—
Groton, . . . .	2,382	2,745	15.24	—
Holliston, . . . .	2,382	2,894	21.49	—
Hopkinton, <sup>19</sup> . . . .	2,663	3,934	47.73	—
Lexington, . . . .	1,920	2,549	32.76	—
Lincoln, . . . .	721	721	00.00	—
Littleton, . . . .	1,027	985	—	04.09
Lowell, <sup>20</sup> . . . .	32,620	37,554	15.13	—
Malden, . . . .	3,227	4,592	42.30	—
Marlborough, . . . .	2,892	4,288	48.27	—
Medford, . . . .	3,581	4,603	28.54	—
Melrose, <sup>21</sup> . . . .	1,190	1,976	66.05	—

<sup>19</sup> Part of Ashland annexed to Hopkinton, April 23, 1853.<sup>20</sup> Part of Dracut annexed to Lowell, February 23, 1851.<sup>21</sup> Part of Stoneham annexed to Melrose, March 15, 1853.



COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
MIDDLESEX— <i>Con.</i>				
Natick, . . . . .	2,861	4,138	44.63	—
Newton, . . . . .	5,017	6,768	34.90	—
North Reading, <sup>22</sup> . . . . .	New town.	1,050	—	—
Pepperell, . . . . .	1,736	1,765	01.67	—
Reading, <sup>22</sup> . . . . .	3,044	2,522	—	17.15
Sherborn, . . . . .	1,030	1,071	03.98	—
Shirley, . . . . .	1,109	1,479	33.36	—
Somerville, . . . . .	3,110	5,806	86.69	—
South Reading, . . . . .	2,157	2,758	27.86	—
Stoneham, <sup>23</sup> . . . . .	2,043	2,518	23.25	—
Stow, . . . . .	1,423	1,485	04.36	—
Sudbury, . . . . .	1,617	1,673	03.46	—
Tewksbury, . . . . .	1,046	1,716	64.05	—
Townsend, . . . . .	1,889	2,092	10.75	—
Tyngsborough, . . . . .	741	714	—	03.64
Waltham, . . . . .	4,483	6,049	34.93	—
Watertown, . . . . .	2,592	3,578	38.04	—
Wayland, . . . . .	1,146	1,178	02.79	—
West Cambridge, . . . . .	2,120	2,670	25.94	—
Westford, . . . . .	1,436	1,586	10.45	—
Weston, . . . . .	1,120	1,205	07.59	—
Wilmington, . . . . .	880	958	08.86	—
Winchester, . . . . .	1,320	1,801	36.44	—
Woburn, . . . . .	3,788	5,448	43.82	—
Totals, . . . . .	155,762	194,023	24.56	—
NANTUCKET COUNTY.				
Nantucket, . . . . .	8,779	8,064	—	08.14
NORFOLK COUNTY.				
Bellingham, . . . . .	1,246	1,413	13.40	—
Braintree, . . . . .	2,905	3,472	19.52	—
Brookline, . . . . .	2,353	3,737	58.82	—
Canton, . . . . .	2,430	3,115	28.19	—

<sup>22</sup> North Reading set off from Reading, and incorporated March 22, 1853.<sup>23</sup> Part of Stoneham annexed to Melrose, March 15, 1853.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
NORFOLK— <i>Con.</i>				
Cohasset, . . . . .	1,654	1,879	13.60	—
Dedham, <sup>24</sup> . . . . .	4,379	5,633	28.64	—
Dorchester, <sup>25</sup> . . . . .	7,578	8,340	10.06	—
Dover, . . . . .	609	745	22.33	—
Foxborough, . . . . .	1,978	2,570	29.93	—
Franklin, . . . . .	1,753	2,044	16.60	—
Medfield, . . . . .	953	984	03.25	—
Medway, . . . . .	2,807	3,230	15.07	—
Milton, . . . . .	2,222	2,656	19.53	—
Needham, . . . . .	1,910	2,401	25.71	—
Quincy, . . . . .	4,958	5,921	19.42	—
Randolph, . . . . .	4,638	5,538	19.40	—
Roxbury, <sup>26</sup> . . . . .	18,316	18,469	00.84	—
Sharon, . . . . .	1,158	1,331	14.94	—
Stoughton, . . . . .	3,443	4,370	26.92	—
Walpole, <sup>24</sup> . . . . .	1,910	1,935	01.31	—
West Roxbury, <sup>26</sup> . . . . .	New town.	4,812	—	—
Weymouth, . . . . .	5,221	6,530	25.07	—
Wrentham, . . . . .	3,020	3,242	07.35	—
Totals, . . . . .	77,441	94,367	21.86	—
PLYMOUTH COUNTY.				
Abington, . . . . .	5,288	6,937	31.18	—
Bridgewater, . . . . .	2,626	3,363	28.07	—
Carver, . . . . .	1,171	1,205	02.90	—
Duxbury, . . . . .	2,655	2,620	—	01.32
East Bridgewater, . . . . .	2,514	2,930	16.55	—
Halifax, . . . . .	760	786	03.42	—
Hanover, . . . . .	1,549	1,674	08.07	—
Hanson, . . . . .	1,210	1,231	01.74	—
Hingham, . . . . .	3,962	4,257	07.45	—

<sup>24</sup> Part of Dedham annexed to Walpole, April 30, 1852; another portion annexed to West Roxbury, April 21, 1852.

<sup>25</sup> Part of Dorchester annexed to Boston, in Suffolk County, May 21, 1855.

<sup>26</sup> West Roxbury set off from Roxbury, and incorporated May 24, 1851; portion of Dedham annexed to same, April 21, 1852.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>PLYMOUTH—Con.</b>				
Hull, . . . . .	262	292	11.45	—
Kingston, . . . . .	1,523	1,571	03.15	—
Lakeville, <sup>27</sup> . . . . .	New town.	1,188	—	—
Marion, <sup>23</sup> . . . . .	New town.	969	—	—
Marshfield, . . . . .	1,721	1,876	09.01	—
Middleborough, <sup>27</sup> . . . . .	5,123	4,324	—	15.60
North Bridgewater, . . . . .	3,958	5,205	31.51	—
Pembroke, . . . . .	1,340	1,500	11.94	—
Plymouth, . . . . .	5,717	6,484	13.42	—
Plympton, . . . . .	929	1,000	07.64	—
Rochester, <sup>23</sup> . . . . .	3,834	3,048	—	20.50
Scituate, . . . . .	2,075	2,269	09.35	—
South Scituate, . . . . .	1,767	1,786	01.08	—
Wareham, . . . . .	3,063	3,246	05.97	—
West Bridgewater, . . . . .	1,462	1,734	18.60	—
Totals, . . . . .	54,509	61,495	12.82	—
<b>SUFFOLK COUNTY.</b>				
Boston, <sup>29</sup> . . . . .	138,788	160,490	15.64	—
Chelsea, . . . . .	6,151	10,151	65.03	—
North Chelsea, <sup>30</sup> . . . . .	819	793	—	03.17
Winthrop, <sup>30</sup> . . . . .	New town.	407	—	—
Totals, . . . . .	145,758	171,841	17.89	—
<b>WORCESTER COUNTY.</b>				
Ashburnham, . . . . .	1,894	2,211	16.74	—
Athol, . . . . .	2,002	2,395	19.63	—
Auburn, <sup>31</sup> . . . . .	859	885	03.03	—
Barre, . . . . .	2,841	2,787	—	01.90
Berlin, . . . . .	828	976	17.87	—
Blackstone, . . . . .	4,422	5,346	20.90	—

<sup>27</sup> Lakeville set off from Middleborough, and incorporated May 13, 1853.

<sup>23</sup> Marion set off from Rochester, and incorporated May 14, 1852.

<sup>29</sup> Part of Dorchester, in Norfolk County, annexed to Boston, May 21, 1855.

<sup>30</sup> Winthrop set off from North Chelsea, and incorporated March 27, 1852.

<sup>31</sup> Part of Auburn annexed to Millbury, May 24, 1851.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
<b>WORCESTER—<i>Con.</i></b>				
Bolton, . . . . .	1,211	1,255	03.63	—
Boylston, . . . . .	890	835	06.18	—
Brookfield, <sup>32</sup> . . . . .	1,657	2,007	21.12	—
Charlton, . . . . .	1,971	2,059	04.46	—
Clinton, . . . . .	2,778	3,636	30.89	—
Dana, . . . . .	833	824	—	01.08
Douglas, . . . . .	1,809	2,320	28.25	—
Dudley, . . . . .	1,418	1,523	07.40	—
Fitchburg, . . . . .	5,009	6,442	28.61	—
Gardner, <sup>33</sup> . . . . .	1,477	2,183	47.80	—
Grafton, . . . . .	3,860	4,409	14.22	—
Hardwick, . . . . .	1,619	1,523	—	05.93
Harvard, . . . . .	1,598	1,533	—	04.07
Holden, . . . . .	1,888	2,114	11.97	—
Hubbardston, . . . . .	1,777	1,744	—	01.86
Lancaster, . . . . .	1,638	1,728	05.49	—
Leicester, . . . . .	2,117	2,589	22.30	—
Leominster, . . . . .	3,096	3,200	03.36	—
Lunenburg, . . . . .	1,290	1,224	—	05.12
Mendon, . . . . .	1,321	1,382	04.62	—
Milford, . . . . .	4,410	7,489	69.82	—
Millbury, <sup>34</sup> . . . . .	2,814	3,286	16.77	—
New Braintree, . . . . .	810	775	—	04.32
Northborough, . . . . .	1,509	1,602	06.16	—
Northbridge, . . . . .	2,110	2,104	—	00.28
North Brookfield, <sup>32</sup> . . . . .	1,984	2,349	18.40	—
Oakham, . . . . .	1,094	1,062	—	02.93
Oxford, . . . . .	2,334	2,808	20.31	—
Paxton, <sup>35</sup> . . . . .	803	792	—	01.37
Petersham, . . . . .	1,543	1,553	00.65	—
Phillipston, . . . . .	811	799	—	01.48
Princeton, . . . . .	1,254	1,317	05.02	—

<sup>32</sup> Part of North Brookfield annexed to Brookfield, April 15, 1855.

<sup>33</sup> Part of Winchendon annexed to Gardner, March 24, 1851.

<sup>34</sup> Part of Auburn annexed to Millbury, May 24, 1851.

<sup>35</sup> Part of Rutland annexed to Paxton, March 24, 1851.

COUNTIES AND TOWNS.	POPULATION.		Per cent. increase in five years.	Per cent. decrease in five years.
	1850.	1855.		
WORCESTER— <i>Con.</i>				
Royalston, . . . . .	1,707	1,469	—	13.94
Rutland, <sup>36</sup> . . . . .	1,314	1,102	—	16.13
Shrewsbury, . . . . .	1,623	1,636	00.80	—
Southborough, . . . . .	1,350	1,602	18.67	—
Southbridge, . . . . .	2,655	3,429	29.15	—
Spencer, . . . . .	2,102	2,527	20.22	—
Sterling, . . . . .	1,834	1,838	00.22	—
Sturbridge, . . . . .	2,092	2,188	04.59	—
Sutton, . . . . .	2,387	2,718	13.87	—
Templeton, . . . . .	2,172	2,618	20.53	—
Upton, . . . . .	2,004	2,035	01.55	—
Uxbridge, . . . . .	2,432	3,068	26.15	—
Warren, . . . . .	1,727	1,793	03.82	—
Webster, . . . . .	2,309	2,727	18.10	—
Westborough, . . . . .	2,041	3,014	47.67	—
West Boylston, . . . . .	1,724	2,310	33.99	—
West Brookfield, . . . . .	1,289	1,364	05.82	—
Westminster, . . . . .	1,835	1,979	07.85	—
Winchendon, <sup>37</sup> . . . . .	2,424	2,747	13.33	—
Worcester, . . . . .	15,965	22,286	39.59	—
Totals, . . . . .	126,565	149,516	18.13	—

<sup>36</sup> Part of Rutland annexed to Paxton, March 24, 1851.<sup>37</sup> Part of Winchendon annexed to Gardner, March 24, 1851.

## RECAPITULATION.

COUNTIES.	Number of Towns.	POPULATION.		Per cent. in- crease in five years.
		1850.	1855.	
BARNSTABLE, . . . .	13	33,997	35,442	01.25
BERKSHIRE, <sup>33</sup> . . . .	31	48,876	52,791	08.01
BRISTOL, . . . .	19	74,979	87,425	16.60
DUKES COUNTY, . . . .	3	4,416	4,401	—00.34
ESSEX, . . . .	34	127,170	151,018	18.75
FRANKLIN, . . . .	26	30,888	31,652	02.47
HAMPDEN, . . . .	21	50,224	54,849	09.21
HAMPSHIRE, . . . .	23	34,290	35,485	03.48
MIDDLESEX, . . . .	51	155,762	194,023	24.56
NANTUCKET, . . . .	1	8,779	8,064	—08.14
NORFOLK, . . . .	23	77,441	94,367	21.86
PLYMOUTH, . . . .	24	54,509	61,495	12.82
SUFFOLK, . . . .	4	145,758	171,841	17.89
WORCESTER, . . . .	58	126,565	149,516	18.13
Totals, . . . .	331	973,654	1,132,369	16.30

A cursory examination of the preceding table will show, that while there has been a large increase in the population of the State generally, there has also been, in many of the towns, a considerable decrease in the same respect. This can, in some instances, be accounted for by the setting off of the territory of several towns and annexing the detached parts to others, and by the division of other towns for the incorporation of new ones.

It will also be noticed, that the increase of population has been very irregular throughout the Commonwealth. A noticeable change has taken place in the rank of the cities: Salem,

<sup>33</sup> District of Boston Corner ceded to New York, May 14, 1853. Its 61 inhabitants, in 1850, are excluded from the table.

for instance, which stood third in the State by the census of 1850, is now the fifth in point of population; and Worcester, which was the sixth, is now the third. Lawrence has nearly doubled the number of its inhabitants in five years, and stands seven higher in the list of towns; while Cambridge has gained two, and Fall River lost three, in the same scale of precedence.

The increase in several towns can be accounted for by the annexed territory which has enlarged their limits; and the establishment of State institutions may have materially aided in producing the same result in others.

The following list comprises all the cities and one town in the Commonwealth, they constituting all that contained more than ten thousand inhabitants in June, 1855:—

CORPORATE NAME.	1850.	1855.	Increase.	Percentage of increase.
Boston, . . . . .	136,881	160,490	23,609	15.64
Lowell, . . . . .	33,383	37,554	4,171	15.13
Worcester, . . . . .	17,049	22,286	5,237	39.59
Charlestown, . . . . .	17,216	21,700	4,484	36.20
Salem, . . . . .	20,264	20,934	670	10.48
Cambridge, . . . . .	15,215	20,473	5,258	38.10
New Bedford, . . . . .	16,443	20,389	3,946	24.01
Roxbury, . . . . .	18,364	18,419	55	.84
Lawrence, . . . . .	8,282	16,114	7,832	92.80
Lynn, . . . . .	14,257	15,713	1,456	15.43
Springfield, . . . . .	11,766	13,788	2,022	21.69
Taunton, . . . . .	10,441	13,750	3,309	35.53
Newburyport, . . . . .	9,572	13,357	3,785	40.10
Fall River, . . . . .	11,524	12,680	1,156	13.52
Chelsea, . . . . .	6,701	10,151	3,450	65.03

It must be remembered that territory has been added to Boston, Lowell, Lawrence and Newburyport; and that from Roxbury and Lynn whole towns have been taken.

There are 86 towns within the Commonwealth that exhibit a smaller population than in 1850. The following are some of those that show the largest diminution in the number of their



inhabitants, which, in most instances, can be attributed to the setting off of part of their township to other towns :—

	Per cent. Decrease.		Per cent. Decrease.
Newbury, . . . .	66.70	Cummington, . . . .	16.82
Danvers, . . . .	49.68	Rutland, . . . .	16.13
Dracut, . . . .	43.01	Blandford, . . . .	16.11
West Springfield, . . . .	29.58	Holland, . . . .	16.06
Andover, . . . .	28.72	Middleborough, . . . .	15.60
Rochester, . . . .	20.50	Chester, . . . .	15.49
Plainfield, . . . .	19.80	Royalston, . . . .	13.94
Wendell, . . . .	17.73	Lynnfield, . . . .	12.57
Reading, . . . .	17.15	Otis, . . . .	12.47

The thirty-five towns in the following list, exhibit an increase of more than 30 per cent. :—

	Per cent. Increase.		Per cent. Increase.
Lawrence, . . . .	92.80	Cambridge, . . . .	38.10
Somerville, . . . .	86.69	Watertown, . . . .	38.04
Milford, . . . .	69.82	Haverhill, . . . .	37.85
Melrose, . . . .	66.05	Lee, . . . .	36.63
Chelsea, . . . .	65.03	Winchester, . . . .	36.44
Tewksbury, . . . .	64.05	Charlestown, . . . .	36.20
Brookline, . . . .	58.82	Monson, . . . .	35.83
Huntington, . . . .	54.82	Taunton, . . . .	35.53
Buckland, . . . .	53.86	Waltham, . . . .	34.93
Marlborough, . . . .	48.27	Newton, . . . .	34.90
Gardner, . . . .	47.80	West Boylston, . . . .	33.99
Hopkinton, . . . .	47.73	Shirley, . . . .	33.36
Westborough, . . . .	47.67	Lexington, . . . .	32.76
Natick, . . . .	44.63	North Bridgewater, . . . .	31.51
Woburn, . . . .	43.82	Abington, . . . .	31.18
Malden, . . . .	42.30	Attleborough, . . . .	31.13
Newburyport, . . . .	40.10	Clinton, . . . .	30.89
Worcester, . . . .	39.59		

In the counties, with the exception of Dukes and Nantucket, there has been an increase. In Dukes, the loss was of 15 persons, and in Nantucket of 715. The largest proportional increase was in the county of Middlesex, being 24.56 per cent.

The accompanying table has been carefully prepared to show the population of the eleven Congressional Districts of the Commonwealth, as existing in June, 1855, with reference to sex, color and nativity :—

*Population of Massachusetts, according to Congressional Districts—1855.*

Districts.	POPULATION.						NATIVITY.											
	WHITE.			COLORED.			AMERICAN.			FOREIGN.			UNKNOWN.					
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.			
																Male.	Female.	Total.
1.	45,478	46,311	91,789	1,076	1,305	2,381	46,554	47,016	94,170	42,863	44,048	86,911	3,618	3,554	7,172	73	14	87
2.	50,812	53,060	103,872	323	311	664	51,135	53,401	104,536	42,543	44,515	87,058	8,556	8,859	17,415	36	27	63
3.	53,356	55,206	108,562	173	177	350	53,529	55,383	108,912	40,533	42,520	83,053	12,976	12,851	25,830	20	9	29
4.	50,067	55,483	105,550	117	143	260	50,184	55,626	105,810	30,776	32,350	63,126	19,357	23,238	42,595	51	38	89
5.	51,547	54,851	106,398	1,022	1,290	2,312	52,569	56,141	108,710	35,246	35,478	70,724	17,277	20,647	37,924	46	16	62
6.	47,902	52,306	100,208	290	309	599	48,192	52,615	100,807	41,134	44,887	86,021	6,991	7,727	14,721	64	1	65
7.	57,639	59,801	117,530	131	114	245	57,770	60,005	117,775	44,897	45,920	90,817	12,861	14,076	26,937	12	9	21
8.	46,818	52,850	99,668	181	134	318	47,002	52,984	99,986	36,346	40,157	76,503	10,647	12,821	23,468	9	6	15
9.	51,759	52,980	104,739	195	232	427	51,954	53,212	105,166	41,962	43,014	84,976	9,991	10,198	20,189	1	-	1
10.	44,295	48,300	92,595	452	490	942	44,747	48,790	93,537	37,323	39,844	77,167	7,389	8,914	16,303	35	32	67
11.	45,734	45,818	91,552	664	744	1,408	46,398	46,562	92,960	39,614	40,605	80,219	6,765	5,944	12,709	19	13	32
	545,407	577,056	1,122,463	4,627	5,279	9,906	550,034	582,335	1,132,369	433,237	453,338	886,575	116,431	128,832	245,263	366	165	531

The colored portion of the population of Massachusetts, consisting of 9,906 individuals, comprised about .87 per cent., or  $\frac{1}{114}$ th part, of the whole number of inhabitants of the Commonwealth. By the census of 1855, it appears, that the residence of the largest part—about two-thirds—was in the counties of Suffolk, Bristol and Berkshire. In sixteen towns only, were there more than one hundred in each. There were 2,160—or 961 males and 1,199 females—in Boston; out of these, 219 were in institutions. In New Bedford there were 1,657—730 males and 927 females; 99 of whom were in institutions. In Springfield there were 399; in Salem, 297; in Cambridge, 292; in Pittsfield, 276; in Nantucket, 242; and in Worcester, 202. There were none in seventy-three towns.

The number of Indians residing in the State, according to the abstract of the Census Returns, and included with the colored in the enumeration, was 139—71 males and 68 females. They were found in fourteen towns, as follows:—

TOWN.	Total.	Male.	Female.	TOWN.	Total.	Male.	Female.
Yarmouth, . . . .	36	18	18	Ashburnham, . . .	1	1	—
Washington, . . .	4	1	3	Mendon, . . . .	13	6	7
Fall River, . . . .	9	5	4	Spencer, . . . .	1	1	—
Lowell, . . . . .	12	6	6	Webster, . . . .	13	6	7
Canton, . . . . .	8	6	2	Westborough, . . .	1	1	—
Plymouth, . . . .	37	20	17	Winchendon, . . .	2	2	—
Boston, . . . . .	1	1	—				
Chelsea, . . . . .	1	1	—	Totals, . . . . .	139	71	68

Compared with the number living in the Commonwealth in 1848, it would seem that the aboriginal population had very largely diminished within a few years: For, at that time, according to investigations made by commissioners appointed for the purpose by the legislature, there were 847, constituting the tribes known as the Chapequiddie, Christiantown, Gay Head,

Fall River or Troy, Marshpee, Herring Pond, Grafton or Hassanamisco, Dudley, Punkapog, and Yarmouth,—the Natick tribe of Indians, formerly an extensive body, being practically extinct, not an individual of them dwelling in the land of their fathers, the “Praying Indians” of the early days of New England. The small number reported is accounted for by the fact, that nearly all of the present race of Indians are of mixed blood, the negro predominating in most instances,—about six only of pure blood being found in Massachusetts. Consequently in taking the census, the chief part of this class were set down as colored. In 1674, the aggregate number of Praying Indians in the colonies of Massachusetts Bay and New Plymouth, was estimated to be about 3,600. The following table will show the number of this class in 1848, arranged according to sex:—

TRIBE.	Residence.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Unk.	Families.
Chappequiddie, . . .	Chappequiddie Island,	85	43	42	—	12
Christiantown, . . .	Martha's Vineyard, . .	49	26	23	—	11
Gay Head, . . . . .	“ “	174	81	90	3	38
Marshpee, . . . . .	Marshpee, . . . . .	305	154	151	—	57
Herring Pond, . . .	Plymouth & Sandwich,	55	28	27	—	12
Troy, . . . . .	Fall River, . . . . .	37	17	20	—	10
Dudley, . . . . .	Webster, . . . . .	48	22	24	—	11
Hassanamisco, . . .	Grafton, . . . . .	26	12	14	—	5
Punkapog, . . . . .	Canton & Stoughton,	10	4	6	—	—
Yarmouth, . . . . .	Yarmouth, . . . . .	58	32	26	—	—

At the time of making the above enumeration in 1848, many Indians were of a very advanced age: two of the Marshpee tribe were supposed to be considerably over one hundred years of age.

## SEX.

It has been stated, on page 202 of these Remarks, that among the inhabitants of Massachusetts there is a predominance in number on the part of the females; and this while there are more males than females born, and while more females than males die annually. In a population of 1,132,369, Massachusetts shows in June, 1855, 550,034 males, and 582,335 females,—an excess of 32,301 females.

Arranged by counties, the following table will exhibit the number of each sex, with the excess of one sex over the other, and the number of females to each 100 males in 1855:—

COUNTIES.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Excess of Males.	Excess of Females.	Females to 100 Males.
Barnstable, . .	35,442	17,589	17,853	—	264	101.50
Berkshire, . .	52,791	26,282	26,509	—	227	100.86
Bristol, . . .	87,425	42,175	45,250	—	3,075	107.29
Dukes, . . .	4,401	2,232	2,169	63	—	97.18
Essex, . . .	151,018	72,559	78,459	—	5,900	108.13
Franklin, . .	31,652	15,923	15,729	194	—	98.78
Hampden, . .	54,849	25,910	28,939	—	3,029	111.69
Hampshire, . .	35,485	17,267	18,218	—	951	105.51
Middlesex, . .	194,023	92,621	101,402	—	8,781	109.48
Nantucket, . .	8,064	4,281	3,783	498	—	88.36
Norfolk, . . .	94,367	45,605	48,762	—	3,157	106.92
Plymouth, . .	61,495	30,530	30,965	—	435	101.09
Suffolk, . . .	171,841	82,543	89,298	—	6,755	108.18
Worcester, . .	149,516	74,517	74,999	—	482	100.64
Totals, . .	1,132,369	550,034	582,335	755	33,056	105.87

It will be seen that in three counties only has there been an excess of males, and in these, the least populous, the excess was but 755. Whereas, in the eleven counties which show an excess of females, this difference amounts to 33,056, leaving the balance, 32,301, above stated. The greatest proportion of females to males, is in the county of Middlesex, being 109.48 females to 100 males; and the least proportion is in Nantucket, being only 88.36 females to 100 males; the average proportion through the State being 105.87 females to 100 males. This excess is undoubtedly owing to a greater immigration and less emigration of females than males. The comparative excess of females holds true both in regard to whites and colored, natives and foreign born.

The following table exhibits the proportion between the white males and females in Massachusetts, at the seven decennial periods in which the United States census was taken. In each it will be noticed that the females predominated:—

CENSUSES.	Total Whites.	Males.	Females.	Excess of Females.
I. . . . . 1790,	373,254	182,672	190,582	7,910
II. . . . . 1800,	416,793	205,494	211,299	5,805
III. . . . . 1810,	465,303	229,742	235,561	5,819
IV. . . . . 1820,	516,419	252,154	264,265	12,111
V. . . . . 1830,	603,359	294,685	308,674	3,989
VI. . . . . 1840,	729,030	360,679	368,351	7,672
VII. . . . . 1850,	981,450	484,093	501,357	17,264

In the four last enumerations the sex of the colored was distinguished, and produced, in each instance, similar results.

For the purpose of exhibiting the relative proportion that existed between the sexes among the colored population of the Commonwealth, at the time these censuses were taken, and also the amount of excess of the predominant sex, the table which follows has been prepared by compilation from authentic sources, and the results of the State census of 1855 have been added:—



CENSUSES.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Excess of Males.	Excess of Females.
1820, . . . . .	6,868	3,372	3,496	—	124
1830, . . . . .	7,048	3,358	3,690	—	232
1840, . . . . .	8,669	4,654	4,015	539	—
1850, . . . . .	9,064	4,424	4,640	—	216
1855, . . . . .	9,906	4,627	5,279	—	652

Thus it will be seen, that, with the exception of the census of 1840, the females predominated over the males among the colored.

The fourteen cities and the town of Taunton show the following results, for 1855:—

CORPORATE NAME.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Excess of Females.	Females to 100 Males.
Boston, . . . . .	160,490	77,041	83,449	6,408	108
Lowell, . . . . .	37,554	15,233	23,321	8,088	153
Worcester, . . . . .	22,286	10,949	11,337	388	104
Charlestown, . . . . .	21,700	10,745	10,955	210	102
Salem, . . . . .	20,934	9,503	11,431	1,928	120
Cambridge, . . . . .	20,473	9,751	10,722	971	110
New Bedford, . . . . .	20,389	9,705	10,684	979	110
Roxbury, . . . . .	18,469	8,745	9,724	979	111
Lawrence, . . . . .	16,114	7,405	8,709	1,304	117
Lynn, . . . . .	15,713	7,436	8,277	841	111
Springfield, . . . . .	13,788	6,514	7,274	760	112
Taunton, . . . . .	13,750	6,765	6,985	220	103
Newburyport, . . . . .	13,357	5,985	7,372	1,387	123
Fall River, . . . . .	12,680	5,874	6,806	932	116
Chelsea, . . . . .	10,151	4,831	5,320	489	110



The cities, therefore, form no exception to the rule which seems to be so general throughout the Commonwealth as to the predominance of females. The large excess in Lowell is owing to the great number of females employed in the factories.

## AGE.

The second table of the abstracts was constructed to exhibit the ages of the population of the Commonwealth, arranged by counties and towns, in periods convenient for use and comparison with the abstracts of former censuses. This table having been prepared with reference to aggregate results only, and without regard to the sex or color of the different individuals comprising the population, the remarks on this head must necessarily be more limited than the importance of the subject demands. The following columns will exhibit at a glance, the number of persons of each of the various periods adopted for the abstracts, and the percentage those of each period bore in 1855, to the whole number of inhabitants of the State:—

AGES.	Whole No.	Percentage.	AGES.	Whole No.	Percentage.
Under 5, . .	132,944	11.74	60 to 70, . .	42,423	3.75
5 to 10, . .	115,862	10.23	70 to 80, . .	20,810	1.84
10 to 15, . .	110,098	9.72	80 to 90, . .	6,138	.54
15 to 20, . .	117,047	10.34	90 to 100, . .	634	.06
20 to 30, . .	235,678	20.81	100 and over. .	19	—
30 to 40, . .	165,046	14.58	Unknown. . .	2,341	.21
40 to 50, . .	111,500	9.84			
50 to 60, . .	71,829	6.34	Totals, . .	1,132,369	100.00

By this it appears, that, strictly following the periods by decades, the greatest number of persons living at the time the census of 1855 was taken, was of those under ten years of age; and that there were included within this period, 248,806 individuals, or very nearly 22 per cent. of the whole population of the Commonwealth; and that those comprising nearly 12 per

cent. of the inhabitants were under the age of five years. Of those returned as being more than ten years old and not over twenty, the number amounted to 227,145, or a little over 20 per cent., the greatest proportion being in the latter half of the period. Pertaining to the period including those of from twenty to thirty years of age, there were 235,678 individuals, being nearly 21 per cent. of the aggregate population. Thus, it will be noticed, that the first period of ten years includes the greatest portion of the population, and the third the next greatest.

A very interesting point of view in which population can be considered is that which has a bearing upon the dependence of the young and old upon the middle-aged. For this purpose the following table has been carefully prepared from the census returns of June, 1855:—

COUNTIES.	Total Population.	Under 15.	15 to 60.	60 to 100.	Over 100.	Unk'n.
Barnstable, . . . . .	35,442	12,115	20,385	2,855	1	86
Berkshire, . . . . .	52,791	17,872	31,072	3,697	—	150
Bristol, . . . . .	87,425	28,783	52,627	5,815	—	200
Dukes, . . . . .	4,401	1,228	2,687	437	—	49
Essex, . . . . .	151,018	46,668	94,182	9,846	2	320
Franklin, . . . . .	31,652	10,165	18,481	2,926	1	79
Hampden, . . . . .	54,849	16,984	34,216	3,582	—	67
Hampshire, . . . . .	35,485	10,943	21,389	3,037	1	115
Middlesex, . . . . .	194,023	60,707	122,916	10,152	7	241
Nantucket, . . . . .	8,064	2,139	5,084	810	—	31
Norfolk, . . . . .	94,367	30,985	57,456	5,659	1	266
Plymouth, . . . . .	61,495	19,404	36,705	5,240	1	145
Suffolk, . . . . .	171,841	53,597	112,062	5,749	3	430
Worcester, . . . . .	149,516	47,314	91,838	10,200	2	162
Totals, . . . . .	1,132,369	358,904	701,100	70,005	19	2,341

It will be perceived that 358,904 persons, or 31.69 per cent. of the population of Massachusetts, were under fifteen years of age, and generally speaking were dependent upon others of a riper age for support. If the class of those who have attained the age of more than sixty years, numbering 70,024, be added to the class just named, and who may safely be classed with the dependent, the number will be 428,928, or throwing the unknown out, nearly 38 per cent. of the aggregate population of the Commonwealth. Deducting this amount from the whole number of inhabitants, and 701,000 persons between the ages of fifteen and sixty, or about 62 per cent., and 2,341 of unknown age, remain.

The fourteen cities and the town of Taunton exhibit the following result when their inhabitants are similarly arranged:—

Corporate Name.	Population in 1855.	Under 15.	15 to 60.	60 to 100.	Over 100.	Unk.
Boston, . . . . .	160,490	49,861	101,185	9,025	2	417
Lowell, . . . . .	37,554	10,374	25,367	1,809	2	2
Worcester, . . . . .	22,286	6,910	13,978	1,388	—	10
Charlestown, . . . . .	21,700	7,072	13,238	1,391	1	—
Salem, . . . . .	20,934	6,394	12,183	2,256	—	101
Cambridge, . . . . .	20,473	6,947	12,163	1,363	—	—
New Bedford, . . . . .	20,389	6,559	12,429	1,330	—	91
Roxbury, . . . . .	18,419	6,570	10,697	1,109	1	43
Lawrence, . . . . .	16,114	4,655	10,871	586	1	1
Lynn, . . . . .	15,713	5,052	13,280	1,338	—	43
Springfield, . . . . .	13,788	4,230	8,463	1,095	—	—
Taunton, . . . . .	13,750	4,640	8,381	725	—	4
Newburyport, . . . . .	13,357	4,114	7,549	1,686	1	7
Fall River, . . . . .	12,680	4,649	7,196	835	—	—
Chelsea, . . . . .	10,151	3,389	6,437	312	1	12

Nineteen persons were found, by those who collected facts for the census, who had attained an age exceeding one hundred years. One of these centenarians was found in Falmouth, in the county of Barnstable; one in Lawrence, and one in Newburyport, in the county of Essex; one in Sunderland, in the county of Franklin; one in Northampton, in Hampshire county; one each in Billerica, Carlisle, Charlestown, North Reading and Waltham, and two in Lowell, in the county of Middlesex; one in Walpole, in the county of Norfolk; one in Duxbury, in the county of Plymouth; two in ward seven in the city of Boston, and one in Chelsea, in the county of Suffolk; and one each in Petersham and Spencer, in the county of Worcester. Several of them, it will be perceived by examining the Fourteenth Registration Report, died before the end of the year.

## NATIVITY.

By referring to the first Table of the preceding abstract, it will be seen that of 1,132,369 persons, the whole population of Massachusetts on the first day of June, 1855, 886,575 were born within the United States, and 245,263 in foreign countries. The places of birth of 531 were not ascertained. Of the native born, 433,237 were males, and 453,338 were females; and of those of foreign birth 116,431 were males, and 12,832 females.

The natiivities of the 1,122,463 whites were as follows: of the native born, 428,946 were males and 448,334 were females; of the foreign born, 116,114 were males and 128,571 were females; and 347 males and 151 females were not obtained.

In respect to the 9,906 colored persons living within the Commonwealth, 9,295 were of native birth, 578 of foreign, and and 33 of unknown nativity; of the natives, 4,291 were males and 5,004 were females; of the foreigners, 317 were males and 261 females; and 19 males and 14 females were of unknown nativity.

The following table will repeat the same facts placed beside those resulting from the United States census for 1850:—

SEX.	1850.				1855.			
	Total.	American.	Foreign.	Unk'n.	Total.	American.	Foreign.	Unk
<i>Whites.</i>								
Males, . .	484,093	401,003	81,129	1,961	545,417	428,946	116,114	347
Females, . .	501,357	418,041	82,469	847	577,046	448,334	128,571	151
Totals, . .	985,450	819,044	163,589	2,808	1,122,463	877,288	241,685	498
<i>Colored.</i>								
Males, . .	4,424	4,067	232	125	4,627	4,291	317	19
Females, . .	4,640	4,319	194	127	5,279	5,004	261	14
Totals, . .	9,064	8,386	462	252	9,906	9,295	578	33
<i>Aggregates.</i>								
Males, . .	488,517	405,070	81,361	2,086	550,034	433,237	116,331	366
Females, . .	505,997	422,360	82,663	974	582,335	453,338	128,832	165
Totals, . .	994,514	827,430	164,024	3,060	1,132,369	886,575	245,263	531

It will be seen that in 1850 the percentage of American born whites was 83.12; of foreign born whites, 16.60; and that the nativity of .28 per cent. of the whites was unknown. Among the colored, the natives were 92.52, the foreign born, 4.70, and those of unknown nativity, 2.78. In 1855, according to the State census, the Americans composed 78.16 per cent. of the white population, and the foreigners, 21.79 per cent., leaving but .05 per cent. for those of unknown nativity. Among the colored, the natives amounted to 93.83 per cent., and the foreigners to 5.83 per cent., and those of unknown nativity to .34 per cent. It is therefore evident, that in 1855 only a little over .78 per cent. of the population of the State were native born Americans.

The population of 1855, arranged in regard to nativity by counties, presents the following interesting table:—

COUNTIES.	Sex.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Unk.	Foreign to 100 Natives.
Barnstable, . . . .	Males,	17,589	16,724	865	—	—
	Females,	17,853	17,033	820	—	—
	Totals,	35,442	33,757	1,685	—	4.99
Berkshire, . . . .	Males,	26,282	21,255	5,022	5	—
	Females,	26,509	22,142	4,364	3	—
	Totals,	52,791	43,397	9,386	8	21.63
Bristol, . . . . .	Males,	42,175	34,684	7,463	28	—
	Females,	45,250	36,983	8,248	19	—
	Totals,	87,425	71,667	15,711	47	21.92
Dukes, . . . . .	Males,	2,332	2,114	75	43	—
	Females,	2,169	2,115	50	4	—
	Totals,	4,401	4,229	125	47	2.95
Essex, . . . . .	Males,	72,559	59,800	12,691	68	—
	Females,	78,459	64,320	14,136	3	—
	Totals,	151,018	124,120	26,827	71	21.61
Franklin, . . . .	Males,	15,923	14,768	1,152	3	—
	Females,	15,729	14,749	979	1	—
	Totals,	31,652	29,517	2,131	4	7.22
Hampden, . . . .	Males,	25,910	20,673	5,207	30	—
	Females,	28,939	22,232	6,683	24	—
	Totals,	54,849	42,905	11,890	54	27.71
Hampshire, . . .	Males,	17,267	14,968	2,283	16	—
	Females,	18,218	15,751	2,450	17	—
	Totals,	35,485	30,719	4,733	33	15.41



COUNTIES.	Sex.	Total.	Native.	Foreign.	Unk.	Foreign to 100 Native.
Middlesex, . . .	Males,	92,621	70,612	21,971	38	—
	Females,	101,402	75,804	25,581	17	—
	Totals,	194,023	146,416	47,552	55	32.47
Nantucket, . . .	Males,	4,281	3,948	319	14	—
	Females,	3,783	3,647	136	—	—
	Totals,	8,064	7,595	455	14	5.99
Norfolk, . . .	Males,	45,605	34,132	11,450	23	—
	Females,	48,762	36,656	12,094	12	—
	Totals,	94,367	70,788	23,544	35	33.25
Plymouth, . . .	Males,	30,530	27,125	3,381	24	—
	Females,	30,965	27,887	3,060	18	—
	Totals,	61,495	55,012	6,441	42	11.71
Suffolk, . . .	Males,	82,543	52,785	29,686	72	—
	Females,	89,298	53,469	35,782	47	—
	Totals,	171,841	106,254	65,468	119	61.61
Worcester, . . .	Males,	74,517	59,649	14,866	2	—
	Females,	74,999	60,550	14,449	—	—
	Totals,	149,516	120,199	29,315	2	24.39
Aggregates, . .	Males,	550,034	433,237	116,431	366	—
	Females,	582,335	453,338	128,832	165	—
	Totals,	1,132,369	886,575	245,263	531	27.66

The preceding table clearly demonstrates that the foreign population of Massachusetts is not very evenly distributed among the several counties; and that while there is a great proportion of this class in some counties, there are very few foreigners in others. For instance, in the county of Suffolk, of which Boston, the capital of the Commonwealth, composes the chief part, there are about sixty-seven foreign inhabitants to every one hundred native American citizens; and this, too, without including with the foreigners any portion of their children who were born in this country. In the counties of Norfolk and Middlesex the foreigners comprise nearly one-quarter of the population. On the contrary, in the counties of Dukes, Barnstable, Nantucket, Franklin and Plymouth, those of foreign birth are comparatively an inconsiderable portion of the population. Four counties only show a proportion of foreign population, exceeding the aggregate foreign proportion of the whole Commonwealth.

The following table will show the nativity of the population, as it existed in 1855, compared with that of the census of 1850. The figures for 1850 are taken from the compendium of the census published in 1854, and differ slightly from the aggregates before given, which are taken from the census report printed the preceding year:—

	1850.	1855.	Increase.	Decrease.
Natives of United States, . . .	830,066	886,575	56,509	—
British America, . . . . .	15,862	21,707	5,845	—
Mexico, . . . . .	32	16	—	16
South America, . . . . .	84	115	31	—
Ireland, . . . . .	115,917	181,304	65,387	—
England, . . . . .	16,635	20,987	4,302	—
Scotland, . . . . .	4,469	6,734	2,265	—
Germany and Holland, . . . .	4,457	9,653	5,196	—
France, . . . . .	805	1,143	338	—
Sweden and Norway, . . . . .	322	734	412	—
West Indies, . . . . .	303	278	—	25
Portugal, . . . . .	290	855	565	—
Wales, . . . . .	214	248	34	—
Italy, . . . . .	196	358	162	—
Denmark, . . . . .	181	209	28	—
Spain, . . . . .	178	111	—	67
Switzerland, . . . . .	72	181	109	—
Belgium, . . . . .	36	19	—	17
Greece, . . . . .	23	18	—	5
Turkey, . . . . .	14	44	30	—
All other Countries, . . . . .	769	549	—	220
Nativity unknown, . . . . .	3,539	531	—	3,008
Total Population, . . . . .	994,514	1,132,369	141,213	3,358

It must be remembered that in this table, the children born in the United States of foreign parents are classed with natives.

The proportion which the native citizens bore in 1855 to those of foreign birth, in the principal towns of the Commonwealth, is given in the following table:—

CORPORATE NAME.	Total Population.	Native.	Foreign.	Unk.	Foreign to 100 Native.
Boston, . . . . .	160,490	98,018	60,353	119	61.57
Lowell, . . . . .	37,554	24,359	13,195	—	54.17
Worcester, . . . . .	22,286	16,609	5,676	1	37.17
Charlestown, . . . . .	21,700	16,530	5,168	2	31.26
Salem, . . . . .	20,934	16,436	4,434	64	26.97
Cambridge, . . . . .	20,473	13,903	6,544	26	47.07
New Bedford, . . . . .	20,389	18,500	2,874	15	15.53
Roxbury, . . . . .	18,469	11,282	7,187	—	63.70
Lawrence, . . . . .	16,114	9,384	6,725	5	71.66
Lynn, . . . . .	15,713	13,332	2,381	—	17.86
Springfield, . . . . .	13,788	10,959	2,828	1	25.80
Taunton, . . . . .	13,750	10,271	3,479	—	33.87
Newburyport, . . . . .	13,357	10,844	2,512	1	23.16
Fall River, . . . . .	12,680	7,900	4,780	—	60.49
Chelsea, . . . . .	10,151	7,340	2,811	—	38.25

In Suffolk county, and in some of the principal cities, it will be noticed that the foreign part of the population bear a very considerable approximation to that of the native born. Had the issue of the foreigners been included with the foreign born, or, in other words, had the parentage alone been considered, the figures in the column of the foreign population would have been more imposing.

An examination of the table on the 217th page will show that in the fourth and fifth congressional districts there is the greatest proportion of foreign population, and the least in the first, sixth and eleventh.

In the city of Boston, a census was taken as to particulars existing on the first day of May, 1855, by George Adams, Esq., under authority of the city government. The results differing somewhat from those of the State census, taken in the following June, form the basis of an admirable report from the pen of Dr. Josiah Curtis. In the tables, the children of foreigners under 21 years of age are classed as to nativity with their parents. The following particulars relating to nativity are of special interest:—

NATIVE POPULATION.					FOREIGN POPULATION.				
Wards.	1855.	1850.	Gain.	Loss.	Wards.	1855.	1850.	Gain.	Loss.
I.	6,799	7,826	-	1,027	I.	12,465	9,003	3,462	-
II.	7,285	5,502	1,783	-	II.	8,678	4,349	4,329	-
III.	5,922	6,407	-	485	III.	7,253	5,391	1,862	-
IV.	4,349	4,911	-	562	IV.	3,563	3,667	-	104
V.	7,306	7,296	10	-	V.	3,122	2,460	662	-
VI.	8,980	8,034	946	-	VI.	2,617	2,190	427	-
VII.	4,043	5,408	-	1,365	VII.	14,387	11,696	2,691	-
VIII.	4,990	5,664	-	674	VIII.	7,700	5,815	1,885	-
IX.	5,687	5,895	-	208	IX.	3,854	3,032	822	-
X.	6,357	5,893	464	-	X.	6,196	4,560	1,636	-
XI.	7,117	5,986	1,131	-	XI.	6,147	4,494	1,653	-
XII.	7,087	6,500	587	-	XII.	9,525	6,809	2,716	-
	75,922	75,322		-		85,507	63,466		-
	Actual Gain,	. . 600				Actual Gain,	. 22,041		

In the above, the population of Washington Village is excluded, as it did not belong to Boston till the 25th of May, 1855. By the census, taken in June, this territory contained 458 natives and 861 foreigners.

Dr. Curtis, in his remarks on the city census of Boston, says:—

“The population of Boston did not increase as much between 1850 and 1855, as during the preceding five years, as will be seen by the following abstract:—

Years.	POPULATION.		PERCENTAGE.		INCREASE.		PER CENT.	
	American.	Foreign.	Ameri'n.	Foreign.	American.	Foreign.	Ameri'n.	Foreign.
1845,	77,077	37,289	67.40	32.60	-	-	-	-
1850,	75,322	63,466	54.27	45.73	-1,755	26,177	-2.27	70.20
1855,	75,922	85,507	47.02	52.98	600	22,041	.80	34.73

“By the foregoing, it will be observed that the population of the city increased 24,422 during the five years intervening 1845

and 1850, while the increase from the latter date to 1855, was a little less, being 22,641. The most remarkable feature in connection with this augment, pertains to that portion of it relating to the foreign population. Of the 114,366 that comprised the whole population in 1845, the American portion embraced no less than 77,077, or 67.40 per cent., while the foreign portion was only 37,289, or 32.60 per cent. In 1850, the population was 138,788. Of these the American portion comprised only 75,322, or 54.27 per cent., having decreased 1,755, which was a loss of 2.27 per cent. on the American portion of the population of 1845. But during the same five years, viz., from 1845 to 1850, the foreign population in Boston had increased no less than 26,177, or 70.20 per cent. on the number of foreigners in 1845. Of the population in 1855, (161,429,) the Americans constitute 75,922, or 47.02 per cent., and those of foreign origin, 85,507, or 52.98 per cent. Instead of decreasing, as was the case during the former five years, they have increased 600 or .08 per cent., while those of foreign origin have increased in the same time, 22,041, being only 34.73 per cent., against 70.20 per cent., during the preceding five years. Although the rate of increase in the foreign population was not quite one-half as great since 1850 as it was during the five years immediately preceding, yet it has been sufficient, as was anticipated, to change the majority of the whole population of our city from the American to the foreign side. On the first of May, 1855, we find that there were 9,585 more of foreign birth, (including their children,) than there were of native citizens. It will be very difficult to name a day in the future, when the number of American citizens, in the distinctive sense that this term is commonly used, will again constitute a majority of those who shall inhabit the present limits of Boston. It is also here worthy of remark, that while native voters have increased only 14.72 per cent. since 1850, the foreign voters have increased threefold, or no less than 194.64 per cent."

The nativities of the population of the Commonwealth will be found on page 132, arranged by counties, and the foreign according to the countries of birth. In this table those born on the islands in the English Channel are classed as natives of England; those born on the Hebrides and Shetland Islands, as of Scotland; those on the Island of Corsica, as of France; those

on the Islands of Sardinia and Sicily, as of Italy; those on the Azores and Madeira Islands, as of Portugal; and those of Prussia, as of Germany and Holland. The persons born in all other countries, are classed in a note to Table III. on page 133. It is a matter of much regret, that the very general mode in which the abstract of the native born is prepared will not allow of any analytical remarks.

The question of the nativity and parentage of the population is one which is exciting much interest among statisticians, and as its bearings are of much importance in connection with the cities and larger manufacturing towns in the Commonwealth, it will undoubtedly be carefully considered in all future enumerations of the inhabitants under the authority of the State and general government.



## FAMILIES AND DWELLINGS.

According to the instructions issued by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, statistical returns were made, exhibiting the number of families and dwellings in each town and city in the State. It appears that with a population of 1,132,369 persons, there were in Massachusetts, in June, 1855—

228,845 families,  
 175,311 dwellings,  
     15.48 dwellings to 100 persons,  
     29.09 families to 100 persons, and  
     130.06 families to 100 dwellings.

This gives an average of nearly five individuals to each family and a dwelling for each six and seven persons, very nearly ten dwellings on an average being required for each thirteen families. Compared with the same particulars collected at the same time with the national census of 1850, when the population amounted to 994,514 souls, there has been an increase of 36,170 families and 22,476 dwellings. The percentage of dwellings to 100 persons has increased also .11 per cent.; the number of families to 100 persons, 2.72 per cent., and the number of families to 100 dwellings, 4 per cent. In 1850, there were about four dwellings for five families. Although the returns were not in all cases such as could have been desired, nevertheless, with much labor and study, the Table commencing on page 134 was prepared by the clerks in the secretary's office, and from these, deductions have been made, which produce the following results for the several counties throughout the Commonwealth, as shown in the accompanying table. It must be borne in mind, however, that all public buildings, such as edifices erected for religious worship, town-houses, school-houses, public halls, factories, workshops, barns, stables, and similar structures, are excluded from the count, the enumeration being strictly confined to such buildings only as were used



for habitations. It would have given an opportunity for very interesting and instructive remarks had these facts been collected by those who took the details of the census, and had they also been subsequently reduced into tables for statistical purposes. These facts should undoubtedly form part of every well collected and prepared census, and they would add much interest and variety to the usual dry detail which must necessarily be connected with an array of figures.

COUNTIES.	Population.	Families.	Dwellings.	Dwellings to 100 Persons.	Families to 100 Persons.	Families to 100 Dwellings.
Barnstable, . .	35,442	7,784	6,887	19.43	21.96	113.02
Berkshire, . .	52,791	10,562	9,645	18.25	20.00	109.50
Bristol, . . .	87,425	17,655	13,456	15.39	20.19	131.20
Dukes, . . .	4,401	1,020	809	18.38	23.17	126.08
Essex, . . .	151,018	31,760	22,952	15.26	21.03	138.37
Franklin, . .	31,652	6,688	6,132	19.34	21.12	109.06
Hampden, . .	51,849	10,741	9,360	17.06	19.58	114.75
Hampshire, . .	35,485	7,285	6,536	18.41	20.53	111.45
Middlesex, . .	194,023	37,583	30,269	15.60	19.37	124.16
Nantucket, . .	8,064	1,684	1,114	13.81	20.88	151.18
Norfolk, . . .	94,367	19,234	15,388	16.29	20.38	124.99
Plymouth, . .	61,495	13,489	11,106	18.06	21.76	121.44
Suffolk, . . .	171,841	32,317	17,048	9.92	18.80	130.90
Worcester, . .	149,516	31,043	24,609	16.66	20.76	130.23
Totals, . . .	1,132,369	228,845	175,311	15.48	22.09	130.06

It appears from the above table, that the number of families and dwellings in the several counties, are generally very nearly in the same proportion as the number of inhabitants. In a few of the counties, however, there is a variation from this; for in the county of Suffolk there are only about ten houses to one hundred persons; whereas, in the counties of Barnstable and

Franklin, there are nearly twice as many dwelling-houses proportionably for the same number of persons. The table also shows that the largest number of families to a given number of persons, is in Dukes county, and the smallest in Suffolk county; while the greatest number of families to a given number of dwellings, is in the county of Nantucket, and the least, in the counties of Berkshire and Franklin.

The table which follows is constructed to exhibit the same class of facts in those places in the Commonwealth which have more than 10,000 inhabitants:—

Corporate Name.	Population.	Families.	Dwellings.	Dwellings to 100 Persons.	Families to 100 Persons.	Families to 100 Dwellings.
Boston, . . . .	160,490	30,230	15,415	9.60	18.83	196.10
Lowell, . . . .	37,554	6,296	4,872	12.97	16.76	129.22
Worcester, . . .	22,286	4,493	2,807	12.57	20.16	160.06
Charlestown, . .	21,700	4,246	3,126	14.40	19.56	135.82
Salem, . . . .	20,934	4,614	2,728	13.03	22.04	169.13
Cambridge, . . .	20,473	4,092	3,161	15.44	19.98	129.45
New Bedford, . .	20,389	3,940	2,674	13.11	19.32	147.34
Roxbury, . . . .	18,419	3,539	2,597	14.09	19.21	136.27
Lawrence, . . .	16,114	2,770	1,901	11.79	17.19	145.71
Lynn, . . . .	15,713	3,426	2,330	14.82	21.80	147.03
Springfield, . .	13,788	2,872	2,590	18.73	20.82	110.88
Taunton, . . . .	13,750	2,618	2,039	14.82	19.04	128.39
Newburyport, . .	13,357	2,938	2,368	17.72	21.99	124.07
Fall River, . . .	12,680	2,457	1,490	11.75	19.37	164.22
Chelsea, . . . .	10,151	1,899	1,469	14.47	18.70	129.27

In this view, Boston shows the least number of houses to one hundred persons, and the greatest number of families to one hundred dwellings. This fact is owing to the great number of large houses in the metropolis which are severally used for the

accommodation of many families in each. The same is true, though in a less degree, with the cities of Salem, Worcester, and Fall River.

In the year 1851, when the last census was taken, there were in Great Britain 5.71 persons to each dwelling, 4.83 persons to each family, and 1.18 families to each dwelling. In London there were, by the same census, about seventeen families to ten houses. There were in Liverpool, 47,271 families to 35,293 houses, and in Manchester, 44,621 families to 36,701 houses. In the city of Paris there were, in 1835, 50,476 houses to 1,106,891 persons, or twenty-two persons and four or five families to a dwelling. It will thus be seen that the relative number of houses to families, does not differ much in the cities of Massachusetts from that of the principal cities in Europe.

## OCCUPATION.

The seventh column in the blanks furnished by the Secretary of the Commonwealth, was intended for the profession, occupation, or trade of each male person over fifteen years of age, who was a resident in the State on the 1st day of June, 1855. In fulfilling the part of their duty which required the collection of the interesting particulars relating to occupations, the canvassers evidently did not use sufficient discrimination in making proper distinctions. Mechanics, for example, in many instances were returned as manufacturers; venders of various medicinal agents and even empyrics, as physicians; traders, jobbers and peddlers, as merchants; and itinerant lecturers and preachers, as schoolmasters and clergymen. Indeed, these are among the kinds of uncertainties to which all censuses, in a considerable degree, are liable; and there is no good reason for believing that, in the present instance, there have been greater negligence and ignorance in the performance of duty, and more faulty returns, than is usually the case in similar undertakings. It will be noticed, also, that those who collected the particulars for the census, did not perform this portion of it with as great uniformity as could have been desired. This will be more perceptible when the abstracts are compared with those prepared for the volume of statistics issued from the office of the Secretary of State, in May, 1856. The discrepancies are such as should have been expected, however, when it is considered that the facts were all to be collected and returned in the short space of time given by the Act of the legislature.

The returns under this head have been classed, by the clerks employed for the purpose, into nine divisions, each of which have been subdivided according to individual employment.

The following table is introduced to show the proportion that each of these general divisions bears to the whole number reported, which amounted to 333,542, or 60.64 per cent. of the whole number of males within the Commonwealth, and 29.45 per cent. of the total population of the State:—

OCCUPATIONS.	Number.	Percentage.
Agriculturists, . . . . .	57,031	17.10
Factory Operatives, . . . . .	8,801	2.64
Laborers, . . . . .	60,248	18.06
Mariners and Boatmen, . . . . .	16,316	4.91
Manufacturers, . . . . .	5,294	1.59
Mechanics, . . . . .	122,251	36.63
Merchants, . . . . .	29,039	8.71
Professional Men, . . . . .	8,312	2.49
Miscellaneous, . . . . .	26,220	7.87
Totals, . . . . .	333,542	100.

Some of the principal occupations are represented in the Commonwealth, by the returns, as follows:—

Bakers, . . . . .	1,276	Lawyers, . . . . .	1,116
Blacksmiths, . . . . .	5,137	Machinists, . . . . .	7,566
Boot and Shoemakers and Manufacturers, . . . . .	36,477	Masons and Plasterers, . . . . .	4,209
Butchers, . . . . .	1,262	Painters, . . . . .	5,474
Cabinetmakers, . . . . .	2,690	Paper-makers, . . . . .	965
Carpenters, . . . . .	16,687	Peddlers, . . . . .	1,080
Carriage-makers, . . . . .	2,199	Physicians and Surgeons, . . . . .	1,774
Clergymen, . . . . .	1,750	Printers, . . . . .	1,545
Clock and Watch Makers and Jewellers, . . . . .	1,579	Shipwrights, . . . . .	2,978
Coopers, . . . . .	1,584	Spar-makers, Riggers, and Sail- makers, . . . . .	1,258
Dentists, . . . . .	328	Stone and Marble-workers, . . . . .	2,249
Foundrymen, . . . . .	1,704	Tailors, . . . . .	3,256
Harness-makers, . . . . .	974	Tanners and Leather Dressers, . . . . .	3,069
Hatters, . . . . .	640	Tinsmiths, . . . . .	1,191

The above are not given with an idea that they show the exact number of persons employed as stated, but merely as an approximation to the truth, being as nearly as possible a correct analysis of the returns. An examination of pages 162-173, will exhibit many interesting facts on this subject.

However well or ill this part of the census may have been taken, it is apparent, on the most casual examination, that the mechanic arts and manufactures have largely increased in the Commonwealth during the last five years, at the expense of agriculture. In a growing community like that of Massachusetts, such a result was to have been expected; more especially when it is considered that the commercial enterprise of the State is so great, and so rapidly increasing; and when every means of procuring the more common agricultural products is so easy, by transportation by railroads and otherwise, from the great inland States and Territories, which form the vast sources of supplies for the large maritime districts.

The commercial interest has kept pace with the manufacturing, with which it is connected by the strongest bonds, increasing in proper ratio, and characterizing, in an eminent degree, the eastern portion of the State, and reflecting much honor on the country of which it is a small but important part.

## MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS.

The ninth column of the blank was intended for proper returns connected with certain particulars respecting the social condition of the individuals composing the population of the Commonwealth; especially whenever any individual was to be classed as deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict. The information secured by the canvassing agents and returned to the Secretary of State, has been reduced to tabular form and printed in the fourth table of the accompanying abstracts, on pages 134-160, and will be considered briefly under separate heads.

DEAF AND DUMB.—Of these, the whole number amounted to 401, 371 of whom were of native birth and 30 of foreign or unknown birth. The largest number (60) appears to have been found in the county of Essex, and next in order in the counties of Middlesex, (55) and Worcester, (54). There were in the city of Boston, 31, 24 of whom were natives of the United States; in Chilmark, 17, all natives; in Lawrence, 13, 11 natives; in Lowell, 12, 11 natives; in Weymouth, 10, Cambridge and Sandwich each 7, all natives. It is somewhat remarkable that so many of this unfortunate class should be among the native born.

BLIND.—The whole number of blind persons in the Commonwealth was 471; of these, 408 were reported as natives, and 63 were of foreign or unascertained birth; and of the whole number the largest proportion was in the counties of Middlesex, Worcester, Suffolk and Essex. In the cities and towns there were—55 in Boston, 12 in Nantucket, 11 in Marblehead, 7 each in Roxbury and Monson, and 6 each in Salem, Cambridge and Weymouth.

INSANE.—The returns show 1,919 insane persons, of whom 1,411 were native born, and 508 of foreign and unascertained



birth. This differs considerably from the number obtained in the autumn of 1854, through the indefatigable endeavors of Dr. Jarvis, the number then being 2,632, which is supposed to be very nearly the truth. Of these, 2,007 were reported as natives and 625 as foreigners.

IDIOTIC.—Only 834 persons were returned as idiots, 791 of native birth, and all others, 47. In 1854, according to Dr. Jarvis, there were 1,087 of this class, 1,043 natives and 44 foreigners.

PAUPERS.—According to the table there were 5,687 paupers, 4,152 of native birth and 1,535 of foreign and unknown. Of those of American birth a large number are the children of foreign parents. Of these, 16 were deaf and dumb, 50 blind, 858 insane, and 209 idiotic. In the county of Suffolk a majority of the paupers were foreigners.

CONVICTS.—There were, in the State, 2,901 convicts, 1,575 of whom were of native birth, and 1,326 of foreign and unknown birth. About 64 per cent. of those in the county of Suffolk were foreigners.

## STATISTICS OF INSTITUTIONS.

The following tables give a condensed view of some of the particulars obtained, in collecting facts for the census, respecting several of the institutions within the Commonwealth. They have been taken from the abstracts, and brought together in the form given for the convenience of reference. For this purpose the inmates of the institutions are divided into classes:—

1. Paupers; 2. Those in Hospitals for the Insane; 3. Convicts in the State Prison, and in Jails and Houses of Correction; 4. Inmates of the State Reform School.

1. *Paupers.*

INSTITUTIONS.	Sex.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
			Native.	Foreign.	Natively Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Natively Unknown.	Total Colored.
Rainsford & Deer Islands, Boston,	{ Males, .	157	69	86	—	155	1	1	—	2
	{ Females, .	147	55	90	—	145	2	—	—	2
	{ Totals, .	304	124	176	—	300	3	1	—	4
House of Reformation, Boston, .	{ Males, .	88	71	15	—	86	2	—	—	2
	{ Females, .	10	3	7	—	10	—	—	—	—
	{ Totals, .	98	74	22	—	96	2	—	—	2
State Almshouse, Bridgewater, .	{ Males, .	234	109	109	9	227	6	1	—	7
	{ Females, .	196	69	109	1	179	16	1	—	17
	{ Totals, .	430	178	218	10	406	22	2	—	24
State Almshouse, Monson, . . .	{ Males, .	315	174	125	9	308	5	1	1	7
	{ Females, .	188	84	89	12	185	3	—	—	3
	{ Totals, .	503	258	214	21	493	8	1	1	10
State Almshouse, Tewksbury, .	{ Males, .	270	110	153	—	263	6	1	—	7
	{ Females, .	285	106	176	—	282	3	—	—	3
	{ Totals, .	555	216	329	—	545	9	1	—	10
Aggregates, .	{ Males, .	1,064	533	488	18	1,039	20	4	1	25
	{ Females, .	826	317	471	13	801	24	1	—	25
	{ Totals, .	1,890	850	959	31	1,840	44	5	1	50

The whole number of natives was consequently 894, of foreigners, 964, and of unknown nativity, 36. Of the 964 foreigners, 86 were natives of British America, 61 of England, 838 of Ireland, 19 of Scotland, 34 of Germany and Holland, 2 of France, 3 of Portugal, 3 of Italy, 2 of Denmark, 6 of Norway and Sweden, 1 of the West Indies, and 9 from other countries. The paupers, therefore, in the above-named institutions, who were born in Great Britain and its dependencies, far outnumbered those born in the United States.

Of the above, among the colored, only one male at Monson, and four of the same sex at Tewksbury, were returned as mulattoes. In respect to age, 865 were under fifteen years, 898 were between the ages of fifteen and sixty, and 107 over sixty; and of 20, the ages were not ascertained.

2. *Inmates of Institutions for the Insane.*

INSTITUTIONS.	Sex.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
			Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.
Lunatic Hospital, Boston, . . .	{ Males, .	101	34	65	-	99	1	1	-	2
	{ Females,	146	39	104	1	144	2	-	-	2
	{ Totals, .	247	73	169	1	243	3	1	-	4
Lunatic Hospital, Cambridge, . .	{ Males, .	13	6	7	-	13	-	-	-	-
	{ Females,	12	3	9	-	12	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	25	9	16	-	25	-	-	-	-
Lunatic Hospital, Ipswich, . . .	{ Males, .	49	30	19	-	49	-	-	-	-
	{ Females,	18	10	8	-	18	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	67	40	27	-	67	-	-	-	-
McLean Lunatic Hosp'l, Somerville, . . . .	{ Males, .	91	78	13	-	91	-	-	-	-
	{ Females,	104	92	12	-	104	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	195	170	25	-	195	-	-	-	-
State Lun'c Hos- pital, Taunton,	{ Males, .	118	79	37	-	116	2	-	-	2
	{ Females,	143	84	55	-	139	4	-	-	4
	{ Totals, .	261	163	92	-	255	6	-	-	6
State Lun'c Hos- pital, Worcester,	{ Males, .	173	120	51	-	171	1	1	-	2
	{ Females,	157	101	54	-	155	2	-	-	2
	{ Totals, .	330	221	105	-	326	3	1	-	4
Aggregates, . .	{ Males, .	545	347	192	-	539	4	2	-	6
	{ Females,	580	329	242	1	572	8	-	-	8
	{ Totals, .	1,125	676	434	1	1,111	12	2	-	14

It will readily be perceived by the preceding table, that there is a small excess of females in the asylums and hospitals for the insane; and that while there is a preponderance of foreigners in the institutions at Boston and Cambridge, there is a corresponding excess of native-born inmates in those of the State at Worcester and Taunton, and at the McLean Asylum at Somerville. The percentage of the colored is very small; and, with the exception of one mulatto female in the Boston Lunatic Hospital, and one mulatto male at Worcester, they are all returned as blacks.

Of all the persons in the above-named institutions, four only were under fifteen years of age; 1,036 were between the ages of fifteen and sixty, and 85 were over sixty. The largest number of inmates of the institutions for the insane, is generally of adults of medium age.

The United States was the country of birth of 688. The others (437) were born as follows:—30 in British America, 18 in England, 354 in Ireland, 5 in Scotland, 1 in Wales, 16 in Germany and Holland, 4 in France, 1 in Portugal, 1 in Italy, 1 in Norway and Sweden, 2 in the West Indies, and 4 in other countries.

### 3. *Convicts in Prisons, Jails, and Houses of Correction.*

INSTITUTIONS.	Sex.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
			Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.
County Jail, Boston, . . . . .	{ Males, .	134	53	81	-	134	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	27	6	21	-	27	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	161	59	102	-	161	-	-	-	-
House of Reformation, Boston. . .	{ Males, .	510	230	251	1	482	23	5	-	28
	{ Females, .	151	39	103	-	142	7	2	-	9
	{ Totals, .	661	269	354	1	624	30	7	-	37
Rainsford & Deer Islands, Boston,	{ Males, .	112	31	79	-	110	2	-	-	2
	{ Females, .	114	26	88	-	114	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	226	57	167	-	224	2	-	-	2
County Jail and House of Cor., Cambridge, . .	{ Males, .	115	48	64	-	112	3	-	-	3
	{ Females, .	32	7	25	-	32	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	147	55	89	-	144	3	-	-	3

TABLE—Continued.

INSTITUTIONS.	Sex.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
			Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.
State Prison, Charlestown, . . .	{ Males, .	485	292	169	1	462	22	1	-	23
	{ Females, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	485	292	169	1	462	22	1	-	23
County Jail, Con- cord, . . . . .	{ Males, .	6	3	1	1	5	-	-	1	1
	{ Females, .	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	7	3	2	1	6	-	-	1	-
County Jail, Ded- ham, . . . . .	{ Males, .	57	22	32	-	54	-	3	-	3
	{ Females, .	14	5	8	-	13	1	-	-	1
	{ Totals, .	71	27	40	-	67	1	3	-	4
Co. Jail, Green- field, . . . . .	{ Males, .	3	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	3	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-
House of Correc- tion, Ipswich, .	{ Males, .	37	23	13	-	36	1	-	-	1
	{ Females, .	13	4	9	-	13	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	50	27	22	-	49	1	-	-	1
House of Correc- tion, Lawrence,	{ Males, .	37	10	27	-	37	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	13	3	10	-	13	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	50	13	37	-	50	-	-	-	-
Co. Jail, Lenox, .	{ Males, .	19	14	2	-	16	3	-	-	3
	{ Females, .	7	5	-	-	5	2	-	-	2
	{ Totals, .	26	19	2	-	21	5	-	-	5
Houses of Correc- tion and Refor- mation, Lowell,	{ Males, .	41	13	28	-	41	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	17	4	13	-	17	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	58	17	41	-	58	-	-	-	-
County Jail and House of Cor., New Bedford, .	{ Males, .	46	25	17	-	42	4	-	-	4
	{ Females, .	29	8	16	-	24	5	-	-	5
	{ Totals, .	75	33	33	-	66	9	-	-	9
County Jail and House of Cor., Northampton, .	{ Males, .	14	7	5	-	12	2	-	-	2
	{ Females, .	4	-	2	-	2	2	-	-	2
	{ Totals, .	18	7	7	-	14	4	-	-	4
County Jail, Ply- mouth, . . . . .	{ Males, .	13	10	1	-	11	2	-	-	2
	{ Females, .	3	1	2	-	3	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	16	11	3	-	14	2	-	-	2
Co. Jail, Salem, .	{ Males, .	13	9	4	-	13	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	10	6	4	-	10	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	23	15	8	-	23	-	-	-	-

TABLE—Continued.

INSTITUTIONS.	Sex.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
			Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.
County Jail and House of Cor., Springfield, . .	{ Males, .	73	28	33	1	62	11	-	-	11
	{ Females, .	27	7	13	-	20	7	-	-	7
	{ Totals, .	100	35	46	1	82	18	-	-	18
Co. Jail, Taunton,	{ Males, .	10	6	4	-	10	-	-	-	-
	{ Females, .	2	-	2	-	2	-	-	-	-
	{ Totals, .	12	6	6	-	12	-	-	-	-
County Jail and House of Cor., Worcester, . .	{ Males, .	55	26	28	-	54	1	-	-	1
	{ Females, .	13	5	6	-	11	2	-	-	2
	{ Totals, .	68	31	34	-	65	3	-	-	3
Aggregates, . .	{ Males, .	1,780	853	839	4	1,696	74	9	1	84
	{ Females, .	477	126	323	-	449	26	2	-	28
	{ Totals, .	2,257	979	1162	4	2,145	100	11	1	112

Statistics of such towns only as made special returns of their institutions will be found in the accompanying table. It will therefore be noticed that no mention is made of several county jails and institutions which should have appeared with those given.

Among the convicts in the above-enumerated institutions, there were 7 mulattoes (4 males and 3 females) in the Boston House of Reformation, 2 males of the same description in the State Prison in Charlestown, 3 males in Dedham Jail, and 1 male and 1 female in the Springfield institutions. Of the 2,257 convicts, 193 were under fifteen years of age, 2,064 were between the ages of fifteen and sixty years, and 50 were over sixty years old.

More than one-half were of foreign birth. There were born in the United States, 1,079, and out of it, 1,173, and the places of nativity of 5 were not reported. The foreigners are thus classed in reference to their birth-places:—113 in British America, 108 in England, 884 in Ireland, 30 in Scotland, 2 in Wales, 12 in Germany and Holland, 4 in France, 1 in Switzerland, 5 in Italy, 2 in Denmark, 2 in Norway and Sweden, 5 in the West Indies, and 5 in other countries.



4. *Inmates of the State Reform School for Boys.*

INSTITUTION.	Total.	WHITES.				COLORED.			
		Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total White.	Native.	Foreign.	Nativity Unknown.	Total Colored.
State Reform School, } Westborough, . . }	536	411	103	-	514	19	3	-	22

In this school, therefore, 430 of the inmates are natives of the United States, and 3 are of foreign birth. Of the 22 colored boys, 12 are mulattoes. All of the inmates of this institution were under twenty years of age, except one; fifteen were between the ages of 5 and 10 years, 306 between 10 and 15, and 214 between 15 and 20. In respect to nativity, 25 were born in the British colonies in America, 10 in England, 66 in Ireland, 1 in Scotland, 2 in Germany or Holland, and 2 in the West Indies.

The Industrial School for Girls at Lancaster, was not put in operation until after the census was taken, and consequently does not come into consideration in this connection.

It will be perceived that the inmates of the institutions who are of foreign birth, bear a large proportion to the native-born, and among them those from Great Britain and its colonies, especially from Ireland, are the most numerous—a fact which is becoming, yearly, more impressive, at least in the portions of the Commonwealth situated near the sea-coast.



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Page 10, line 12, in column of native whites, instead of 16,935, read 15,936.

Page 10, line 18, in column of native whites, instead of 16,969, read 15,969.

Page 63, line 3 from bottom, in column of total whites, instead of 545,417, read 545,407.

Page 63, line 2 from bottom, in column of total whites, instead of 577,046, read 577,056.

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