

From annual reports of the Secretary of the Interior on the work of the Census.

## 1889

Census Office established in Interior Department March 1, 1889. Mr. Robert Porter appointed Superintendent.

Preparations for the Eleventh Census being made.

Establishment of permanent Census Bureau recommended.

## 1890

Organization of the office, and appointments.

Mortgage inquiry added by Act of Feb. 27, 1890.

Scope of the Eleventh Census.

Condition of work of the Eleventh Census Oct. 22, 1890, as compared with that of the Tenth Census at a corresponding date.

Population of the United States.

Opposition of people to answering questions.

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1891

Great bulk of census work completed.

Announcement of official population made Nov. 26, 1890, has never been changed. The apportionment law was passed nearly two years sooner than at previous censuses.

Mechanical tabulation has increased accuracy of the work, and admits of tabulation of important facts and complicated tables far in advance of previous censuses.

Permanent Census Bureau recommended.

Enumeration of veterans.