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## FOREWORD

The statistics in this pamphlet have been compiled from several Reports on the 1960 Census of Population published by the Bureau of the Census, U.S. Department of Commerce. These Reports contain data on the numbers and characteristics of male veterans along with statistics for all persons. The purpose of this compilation is to make the data for veterans in each State readily available in one reference document. Thus, the user need not search through several large volumes of statistics to find the specific information he wants.

Included in this pamphlet are data on the following subjects for male veterans in this State: period of armed forces service; age; urban-rural and county residence; marital status; residence in 1955; occupational classification; educational attainment; and personal and family income in 1959.

The statistics included here are based on the 25 -percent sample of the U.S. population which was used to collect information on the social and economic characteristics of persons enumerated in the Eighteenth Decennial Census, taken as of April 1, 1960. A more detailed explanation of the sources of the data in this pamphlet, definitions, and a note on the reliability of the statistics are included in the Appendix.

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In December 1962 -
There were an estimated 310,000 war veterans men and women - in Iowa.

Of these, 196,000 served in World War II; 77,000 in the Korean War (10,000 of them had also served in World War II); 45,000 in World War I; and about 335 in the Spanish-American War.

Also included are 1,278 peacetime veterans who were receiving VA compensation payments on account of service-connected disability.

## VETERANS IN THE STATE OF IOWA, 1960

## SUMMARY

- Thirty-five percent of the civilian males 18 or more years old living in Iowa in April 1960 had served in the United States Armed Forces during World War I, World War II, or the Korean War. Another 4 percent had served only during peacetime. (Table 1.)
- Sixty-one percent of the State's 339,400 male veterans, as compared to 47 percent of the 513,300 nonveteran males 18 years old or over were living in cities and towns. Twenty-two percent of the veterans, and 24 percent of the nonveterans lived in rural nonfarm areas. Proportionately fewer veterans than nonveterans lived on farms (veterans - 5 out of 30; nonveterans - 9 out of 30 ). (Table 1.)
- Of the 339,400 veterans in Iowa, 188,800 had served in World War II; 71,500 in the Korean War (of whom 7,900 were also World War II veterans); and 49,500 in World War I. The remaining veterans $(37,500)$ were peacetime exservicemen, except for about 510 Spanish-American War veterans. (Table 2.)
- The median age of the 339,400 veterans in April 1960 was 38.2 years. World War I veterans were the oldest - median, 65.8 years. World War II veterans were 40.0 years old (median), and Korean War veterans were 29.0 years old (median). The "other service" veterans were the youngest (median - 24.5 years), reflecting the fact that most of them had served in the Armed Forces since the Korean War ended in January 1955. (Table 2.)
- Seven out of 10 men in Iowa between the ages of 35 and 39 years were war veterans. Four out of 10 of the men 25 and older had served in the Armed Forces during a war period. The lowest proportions of war veterans to total males were lout of 10 for the 55 to 59 year age group; 1 out of 10 for the 70 years and over group; and 1 out of 22 for the youngest males - 18 to 24 years. (Table 3.)
- Of the 99 counties in the State, Polk had the most male veterans: 36,400 war veterans and 4,300 peacetime exservicemen. Adams county had the smallest veteran population: 695 war veterans and 40 peacetime exservicemen. (Table 4.)
- Of the State's 339,400 male veterans, 84 percent were married; 12 percent were single; 2 percent were divorced; and 2 percent were widowed. (Table 6.)
- Over one-half (53 percent) of Iowa's veterans were living in a different house in April 1960 than they had occupied five years earlier - 47 percent had not moved. Three out of 10 moved within the same county, and 1 out of 10 moved from one Iowa county to
another. One out of 10 male veterans had moved to Iowa from another State since 1955. The movers (those who had lived in a different house in 1955) were more than 9 years younger than the veterans who remained at the same address (median age: movers - 34.2 years; nonmovers - 43.4 years). Veterans who moved within the county were 2 years older (median age - 35.9 years) than those who moved to another county in Iowa (median age 33.6 years). The veterans who came to Iowa from another State were even younger - median age, 31.5 years. (Table 7.)

RESIDENCE IN 1955 AND AGE - VETERANS IN IOWA, 1960


- The average veteran in Iowa had finished part of the first year of college. One out of 10 had completed 1 to 3 years of college; 1 out of 9 was a college graduate (1 out of 20 had finished one or more years of postgraduate study). Thirty-five percent completed high school, but not a year or more of college. One out of 6 completed his education with 1 to 3 years of high school; and 26 percent had completed no more than 8 years of elementary school. (Table 8.)
- Ninety-two percent of the Iowa male veterans were members of families - 9 out of 10 of them were family heads, while 1 out of 10 was related to the family head (son, father, or other relative). Six percent livedalone or with unrelated persons. Of the 2 percent who were not living in households, about 6 out of 10 were in institutions, and 4 out of 10 lived in rooming houses, college dormitories, and other group quarters. (Table 9.)
- In April 1960, 87 percent of the male veterans in Iowa were working; 3 percent were unemployed. The 10 percent of the veterans who were not in the labor force were about 28 years older than those in the labor force (median age - 65.2 years as compared to 37.3 years). (Table 10.)
- Thirty-six percent of the employed Iowa veterans in 1960 were craftsmen, foremen, operatives, or similar workers. Twenty-two
percent were professional or technical workers, managers, officials, or proprietors. One out of 7 employed veterans was a clerical or sales worker; l out of 9 was a service worker, laborer, or farm worker; and 1 out of 7 was a farm owner or manager. (Table 11.)


## OCCUPATIONAL DISTRIBUTION, EMPLOYED VETERANS IN <br> IOWA, 1960



- Median personal income in 1959 of Iowa male veterans was $\$ 4,682$. Veterans between 35 and 44 years old had the highest income (median - $\$ 5,465$ ); those 70 years old and over had the lowest (median - $\$ 1,820$ ). Seven percent of all veterans reported incomes of $\$ 10,000$ or more. One out of 6 had less than $\$ 2,000$ and 1 out of 12 had under $\$ 1,000$ of income in 1959. (Table 12.)
- $\$ 5,825$ was the median income in 1959 of the Iowa families headed by male veterans. Thirteen percent of these families had an annual income of $\$ 10,000$ or more; 35 percent had between $\$ 6,000$ and $\$ 10,000 ; 28$ percent reported income from $\$ 4,000$ to $\$ 6,000$; and 24 percent had under $\$ 4,000$. Of all veterans' families, 15 percent had an income of less than $\$ 3,000$ in 1959. (Table 13.)

Income in 1959 of families headed by veterans and of veteran unrelated indiviouals in
IOWA, 1960


- Of the 22,400 Iowa veterans who were "unrelated individuals" living alone, with nonrelatives, or in noninstitutional group quar ters - 3 out of 8 had less than $\$ 2,000$ of income in 1959; 3 out of 10 reported between $\$ 2,000$ and $\$ 4,000$; 1 out of 5 had between $\$ 4,000$ and $\$ 6,000$; and 1 out of 8 had $\$ 6,000$ or more. Their median annual income was $\$ 2,815$, compared with the $\$ 4,682$ median personal income of all veterans. (Table l4.)

TABLE 1. VETERAN STATUS OF CIVILIAN MALES 18 YEARS OLD AND OVER URBAN-RURAL RESIDENCE: IOWA, 1960

| Veteran Status | State Total |  | Urban | Rural Nonfarm | Rural Farm |  |  |
| ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number | Percent | Number |
| Malercent |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

1/ 7,928 World War II veterans who also served during the Korean War are counted as - Korean War veterans

2/ Primarily peacetime exservicemen (about 510 Spanish-American War veterans are included).
table 2. AGE OF CIVILIAN MALE VETERANS, BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: IOWA, 1960

| Age | Total Veterans | War Service |  |  |  | Other <br> Service 2/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Korean <br> War 1/ | $\begin{gathered} \text { World } \\ \text { War II } 1 / \end{gathered}$ | World War I |  |
| All Ages, Total - - - | 339,427 | 301,878 | 71,557 | 180,855 | 49,466 | 37,549 |
| Percent - | 100.0\% | 89.0\% | 21.1\% | 53.3\% | 14.6\% | 11.0\% |
| Median age - - - | 38.2 yrs . | 39.3 yrs . | 29.0 yrs . | 40.0 yrs . | 65.8 yrs . | 24.5 yrs . |
| Under 25 yrs . | 25,015 | 4,893 | 4,893 | $\cdots$ | -•• | 20,122 |
| 25-29 yrs. . . . . - | 48,257 | 38,683 | 38,683 | . . | $\cdots$ | 9,574 |
| $30-34 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - - - | 57,371 | 55,227 | 22,047 | 33,180 | $\cdots$ | 2,144 |
| $35-39 \mathrm{yrs}$. - . . - - | 60,507 | 60,088 | 3,099 | 56,989 | $\cdots$ | 419 |
| 40-44 yrs. - | 45,709 | 45,349 | 1,425 | 43,924 | . . | 360 |
| $45-49 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - - - | 26,298 | 25,495 | 652 | 24,843 | $\cdots$ | 803 |
| 50-54 yrs. - . . . - | 15,797 | 14,715 | 454 | 14,261 | $\cdots$ | 1,082 |
| 55-59 yrs. - - - - | 8,401 | 7,040 | 155 | 4,711 | 2,174 | 1,361 |
| 60-64 yrs. - . - | 21,882 | 21,484 | 67 | 1,949 | 19,468 | 398 |
| 65-69 yrs. - . . . - | 20,230 | 19,902 | 46 | 583 | 19,273 | 328 |
| 70 yrs . and over - - - | 9,960 | 9,002 | 36 | 415 | 8,551 | 958 |

[^0]TABLE 3. AGE OF ALL CIVILIAN MALES 18 YEARS OLD AND OVER AND OF CIVILIAN MALE VETERANS: IOWA, 1960

| Age | Total <br> Males | Veterans, Number and Percent of Total Males |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | All Veterans |  | War Service |  | Other Service 1/ |  |
|  |  | Number | \% | Number | \% | Number | \% |
| Total, 18 yrs . and over- | 852,754 | 339,427 | 39.8\% | 301,878 | 35.4\% | 37,549 | 4.4\% |
| Median age - - - | 44.9 yrs . | 38.2 yrs . | - | 39.3 yrs . | - | 24.5 yrs. | - |
| Under $25 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 108,324 | 25,015 | 23.1\% | 4,893 | 4.5\% | 20,122 | 18.6\% |
| 25 yrs . and over- | 744,430 | 314,412 | 42.2\% | 296,985 | 39.9\% | 17,427 | 2.3\% |
| 25-29 yrs.- - - | 74,261 | 48,257 | 65.0\% | 38,683 | 52.1\% | 9,574 | 12.9\% |
| 30-34 yrs.- | 81,470 | 57,371 | 70.4\% | 55,227 | 67.8\% | 2,144 | 2.6\% |
| 35-39 yrs.- - | 84,018 | 60,507 | 72.0\% | 60,088 | 71.5\% | 419 | 0.5\% |
| $40-44 \mathrm{yrs.-}$ | 80,532 | 45,709 | 56.8\% | 45,349 | 56.3\% | 360 | 0.5\% |
| $45-49 \mathrm{yrs.-}$ | 79,636 | 26,298 | 33.0\% | 25,495 | 32.0\% | 803 | 1.0\% |
| 50-54 yrs.- - | 73,221 | 15,797 | 21.6\% | 14,715 | 20.1\% | 1,082 | 1.5\% |
| $55-59 \mathrm{yrs.-}$ | 67,696 | 8,401 | 12.4\% | 7,040 | 10.4\% | 1,361 | 2.0\% |
| $60-64 \mathrm{yrs.-}$ | 59,964 | 21,882 | 36.5\% | 21,484 | 35.8\% | 398 | 0.7\% |
| 65-69 yrs.- - | 53,586 | 20,230 | 37.7\% | 19,902 | 37.1\% | 328 | 0.6\% |
| 70 yrs . and over - - | 90,046 | 9,960 | 11.1\% | 9,002 | 10.0\% | 958 | 1.1\% |

## 1) Primarily peacetime exservicemen (about 510Spanish-American War veterans are in-

 cluded).TABLE 4. CIVILIAN MALE VETERAN POPULATION OF COUNTIES, BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: IOWA, 1960

| County | Total Veterans | War Service |  |  |  | Other <br> Service 2/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Korean War 1/ | $\begin{gathered} \text { World } \\ \text { War II 1/ } \end{gathered}$ | World War I |  |
| State Total - | 339,427 | 301,878 | 71,557 | 180,855 | 49,466 | 37,549 |
| Adair - | 1,185 | 1,070 | 225 | 638 | 207 | 115 |
| Adams - | 735 | 695 | 141 | 421 | 133 | 40 |
| Allamakee - | 1,385 | 1,141 | 318 | 646 | 177 | 244 |
| Appanoose - | 1,588 | 1,432 | 225 | 897 | 310 | 156 |
| Audubon - - | 1,234 | 1,093 | 240 | 609 | 244 | 141 |
| Benton- - | 2,600 | 2,356 | 565 | 1,423 | 368 | 244 |
| Black Hawk | 16,185 | 14,400 | 3,558 | 9,045 | 1,797 | 1,785 |
| Boone - - | 3,292 | 3,025 | 608 | 1,840 | 577 | 267 |
| Bremer - | 2,192 | 1,873 | 448 | 1,081 | 344 | 319 |
| Buchanan | 2,303 | 2,104 | 416 | 1,222 | 466 | 199 |
| Buena Vista | 2,604 | 2,392 | 502 | 1,484 | 406 | 212 |
| Butler - - | 1,675 | 1,528 | 367 | 906 | 255 | 147 |
| Calhoun - | 1,796 | 1,624 | 295 | 1,002 | 327 | 172 |
| Carroll - - | 2,442 | 2,119 | 473 | 1,262 | 384 | 323 |
| Cass- - - | 2,048 | 1,814 | 409 | 1,073 | 332 | 234 |
| Cedar - . - | 1,927 | 1,744 | 386 | 1,007 | 351 | 183 |
| Cerro Gordo - - | 6,519 | 5,859 | 1,231 | 3,796 | 832 | 660 |
| Cherokee - - | 2,133 | 1,936 | 402 | 1,169 | 365 | 197 |
| Chickasaw - - | 1,332 | 1,203 | 309 | 713 | 181 | 129 |
| Clarke- - - - - - | 908 | 832 | 174 | 512 | 146 | 76 |

$\overline{\text { See footnotes }}$ at end of table.

TABLE 4, cont'd. CIVILIAN MALE VETERAN POPULATION OF COUNTIES, BY

| County | Total Veterans | War Service |  |  |  | Other Service 2/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Korean War 1/ | World War II 1/ | World War I |  |
| Clay - - | 2,270 | 2,115 | 530 | 1,216 | 369 | 155 |
| Clayton | 2,109 | 1,859 | 404 | 1,070 | 385 | 250 |
| Clinton | 7,413 | 6,762 | 1,330 | 4,156 | 1,276 | 651 |
| Crawford | 1,921 | 1,711 | 409 | 936 | 366 | 210 |
| Dallas - | 2,899 | 2,555 | 593 | 1,486 | 476 | 344 |
| Davis - | 877 | 782 | 195 | 454 | 133 | 95 |
| Decatur | 934 | 846 | 199 | 426 | 221 | 88 |
| Delaware | 1,962 | 1,692 | 428 | 907 | 357 | 270 |
| Des Moines | 6,145 | 5,517 | 1,109 | 3,522 | 886 | 628 |
| Dickinson | 1,459 | 1,354 | 239 | 882 | 233 | 105 |
| Dubuque - | 9,550 | 8,182 | 2,104 | 4,944 | 1,134 | 1,368 |
| Emmet- - | 1,692 | 1,532 | 385 | 957 | 190 | 160 |
| Fayette | 2,887 | 2,532 | 650 | 1,407 | 475 | 355 |
| Floyd - | 2,460 | 2,193 | 487 | 1,321 | 385 | 267 |
| Franklin - - . - - | 1,669 | 1,480 | 327 | 849 | 304 | 189 |
| Fremont - | 1,149 | 1,018 | 224 | 611 | 183 | 131 |
| Greene | 1,461 | 1,330 | 303 | 796 | 231 | 131 |
| Grundy | 1,560 | 1,410 | 335 | 885 | 190 | 150 |
| Guthrie | 1,410 | 1,287 | 258 | 767 | 262 | 123 |
| Hamilton- | 2,443 | 2,194 | 496 | 1,345 | 353 | 249 |
| Hancock - | 1,715 | 1,502 | 354 | 857 | 291 | 213 |
| Hardin- - | 2,711 | 2,428 | 510 | 1,453 | 465 | 283 |
| Harrison- | 1,817 | 1,671 | 383 | ,937 | 351 | 146 |
| Henry - | 1,867 | 1,626 | 335 | 1,020 | 271 | 241 |
| Howard | 1,196 | 1,081 | 293 | 599 | 189 | 115 |
| Humboldt | 1,540 | 1,414 | 263 | 958 | 193 | 126 |
| Ida - | 1,162 | 1,081 | 237 | 604 | 240 | 81 |
| Iowa- - | 1,762 | 1,526 | 372 | 892 | 262 | 236 |
| Jackson | 2,326 | 2,027 | 559 | 1,151 | 317 | 299 |
| Jasper- | 4,197 | 3,742 | 906 | 2,203 | 633 | 455 |
| Jefferson | 1,703 | 1,437 | 334 | 877 | 226 | 266 |
| Johnson - | 7,240 | 6,095 | 2,336 | 3,007 | 752 | 1,145 |
| Jones - | 2,270 | 1,972 | 640 | 980 | 352 | 298 |
| Keokuk | 1,655 | 1,497 | 319 | 889 | 289 | 158 |
| Kossuth | 2,708 | 2,409 | 653 | 1,374 | 382 | 299 |
| Lee - - | 5,511 | 4,945 | 1,136 | 2,895 | 914 | 566 |
| Linn - | 20,128 | 17,552 | 4,659 | 10,697 | 2,196 | 2,576 |
| Louisa | 1,146 | 1,059 | 194 | 631 | 234 | 87 |
| Lucas - | 1,140 | 1,053 | 262 | 530 | 261 | 87 |
| Lyon- | 1,373 | 1,172 | 331 | 602 | 239 | 201 |
| Madison - | 1,194 | 1,079 | 209 | 576 | 294 | 115 |
| Mahaska - | 2,611 | 2,357 | 525 | 1,376 | 456 | 254 |
| Marion | 4,102 | 3,703 | 635 | 1,972 | 1,096 | 399 |
| Marshall- | 5,375 | 4,844 | 909 | 2,994 | 941 | 531 |
| Mills - | 1,292 | 1,150 | 341 | 634 | 175 | 142 |
| Mitchell - | 1,450 | 1,278 | 272 | 714 | 292 | 172 |
| Monona | 1,412 | 1,272 | 233 | 739 | 300 | 140 |
| Monroe | 859 | 820 | 189 | 514 | 117 | 39 |
| Montgomery | 1,635 | 1,501 | 287 | 894 | 320 | 134 |
| Muscatine - | 4,112 | 3,746 | 797 | 2,381 | 568 | 366 |
| O'Brien - | 1,972 | 1,763 | 448 | 1,004 | 311 | 209 |
| Osceola | 1,104 | 1,021 | 268 | 584 | 169 | 83 |
| Page - - | 2,339 | 2,175 | 471 | 1,271 | 433 | 164 |
| Palo Alto | 1,448 | 1,341 | 393 | 716 | 232 | 107 |
| Plymouth - | 2,585 | 2,252 | 673 | 1,183 | 396 | 333 |
| Pocahontas - - | 1,654 | 1,511 | 254 | 942 | 315 | 143 |
| Polk- - - - | 40,712 | 36,365 | 8,507 | 23,022 | 4,836 | 4,347 |
| Pottawattamie | 11,458 | 10,162 | 2,678 | 5,898 | 1,586 | 1,296 |
| Poweshiek - - | 2,088 | 1,926 | 483 | 1,050 | 393 | 162 |
| Ringgold - - - - - - | 753 | 673 | 176 | 342 | 155 | 80 |

$\overline{\text { See footnotes }}$ at end of table.

TABLE 4, cont'd. CIVILIAN MALE VETERAN POPULATION OF COUNTIES, BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: IOWA, 1960

| County | Total Veterans | War Service |  |  |  | Other Service 2/ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Korean } \\ & \text { War 1/ } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { World } \\ \text { War II 1/ } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { World } \\ & \text { War I } \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Sac - | 1,868 | 1,684 | 365 | 1,036 | 283 | 184 |
| Scott | 16,478 | 14,314 | 3,685 | 8,705 | 1,924 | 2,164 |
| Shelby- | 1,533 | 1,329 | 374 | 722 | 233 | 204 |
| Sioux - | 2,524 | 2,223 | 624 | 1,236 | 363 | 301 |
| Story - | 6,382 | 5,343 | 1,783 | 2,833 | 727 | 1,039 |
| Tama - | 2,383 | 2,184 | 469 | 1,310 | 405 | 199 |
| Taylor | 1,071 | 963 | 154 | 624 | 185 | 108 |
| Union - | 1,340 | 1,218 | 276 | 671 | 271 | 122 |
| Van Buren- | 1,058 | 938 | 181 | 528 | 229 | 120 |
| Wapello - | 5,906 | 5,379 | 1,062 | 3,490 | 827 | 527 |
| Warren - | 2,440 | 2,171 | 567 | 1,253 | 351 | 269 |
| Washington | 2,131 | 1,919 | 351 | 1,252 | 316 | 212 |
| Wayne- - | 1,074 | 971 | 147 | 597 | 227 | 103 |
| Webster- | 6,142 | 5,561 | 1,220 | 3,558 | 783 | 581 |
| Winnebago - - | 1,399 | 1,252 | 308 | 690 | 254 | 147 |
| Winneshiek | 2,103 | 1,783 | 464 | 981 | 338 | 320 |
| Woodbury - | 14,722 | 12,962 | 2,849 | 7,992 | 2,121 | 1,760 |
| Worth - - | 1,033 | 912 | 157 | 540 | 215 | 121 |
| Wright | 2,165 | 1,953 | 400 | 1,192 | 361 | 212 |
| / 7,928 World War II veterans who also served during the Korean War are counted as Korean War veterans. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2/ Primarily peacetim cluded). | exservic | men (abc | 510 Spani | -America | War vet | ns are in- |

table 5. Civilian male veteran population of selected urban places OF 10,000 OR MORE, BY PERIOD OF SERVICE: IOWA, 1960


| Age | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} \text { Total } \\ \text { Male } \\ \text { Veterans } \end{array}\right\|$ | Years of School Completed |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 8 years or less | High School |  | College |  |  | Median |
|  |  |  | 1-3 years | 4 years | 1-3 years | 4 years | 5 years or more |  |
| All Ages, Total . . . . . . . . | 339,427 | 89,384 | 56,567 | 119,479 | 35,297 | 21,019 | 17,681 | 12.2 yrs . |
| Percent- - - | 100.0\% | 26.3\% | 16.7\% | $35.2 \%$ | $10.4 \%$ | 6.2\% | 5.2\% | - |
| Median age - . . . . | 38.2 yrs . | 47.5 yrs . | 38.0 yrs. | 35.5 yrs . | 36.4 yrs . | 35.1 yrs . | 37.8 yrs . | - |
| Under $25 \mathrm{yrs}$. . .......... | 25,015 | 2,724 | 4,740 | 12,690 | 3,884 | 785 | 192 | 12.4 yrs . |
| 25-64 yrs. | 284,222 | 67,149 | 47,811 | 104,107 | 29,309 | 19,235 | 16,611 | 12.3 yrs. |
| 65 yrs. and over-........ | 30,190 | 19,511 | 4,016 | 2,682 | 2,104 | 999 | 878 | 8.6 yrs . |
| $25-29 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 48,257 | 6,117 | 6,579 | 21,740 | 6,397 | 4,767 | 2,657 | 12.5 yrs. |
| $30-34 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 57,371 | 9,438 | 10,770 | 22,824 | 5,719 | 4,838 | 3,782 | 12.4 yrs. |
| $35-39 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 60,507 | 11,426 | 10,196 | 24,657 | 6,056 | 4,199 | 3,973 | 12.4 yrs. |
| $40-44 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 45,709 | 11,182 | 7,910 | 17,810 | 4,241 | 2,283 | 2,283 | 12.2 yrs . |
| $45-49 \mathrm{yrs}$. . . . . . | 26,298 | 7,585 | 4,831 | 8,567 | 2,627 | 1,159 | 1,529 | 12.1 yrs. |
| $50-54 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 15,797 | 5,450 | 3,022 | 4,109 | 1,494 | 732 | 990 | 11.4 yrs. |
| $55-59$ yrs. ............ | 8,401 | 3,900 | 1,439 | 1,358 | 770 | 394 | 540 | 9.6 yrs . |
| $60-64 \mathrm{yrs}$. - | 21,882 | 12,051 | 3,064 | 3,042 | 2,005 | 863 | 857 | 8.8 yrs . |
| $65-69 \mathrm{yrs}$. . .................... | 20,230 | 12,784 | 2,890 | 1,852 | 1,475 | 661 | 568 | 8.6 yrs . |
| 70 yrs . and over-......... | 9,960 | 6,727 | 1,126 | 830 | 629 | 338 | 310 | 8.5 yrs . |

1/ War veterans and peacetime exservicemen.
table 7. RESidence in 1955 OF Civilian male veterans, by age: IOWa, 1960

| Age | $\begin{gathered} \text { Total } \\ \text { Male } \\ \text { Veterans } \end{gathered}$ | Residence in 1955 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | SameHouse asin 1960 | Different House |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | Total |  | Different County |  |  | Abroad, or Moved residence in 1955 not reported |
|  |  |  |  |  | Total | $\begin{gathered} \text { In } \\ \text { Iowa } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Different } \\ \text { State } \end{gathered}$ |  |
| All Ages, Total - . . . . . . . | 339,427 | 157,777 | 181,650 | 104,211 | 66,165 | 35,066 | 31,099 | 11,274 |
| Percent- . . . . . . . . . - . | 100.0\% | 46.5\% | 53.5\% | 30.7\% | 19.5\% | 10.3\% | 9.2\% | 3.3\% |
| Median Age- - - | 38.2 yrs . | 43.4 yrs . | 34.2 yrs . | 35.9 yrs . | 32.7 yrs. | 33.6 yrs. | 31.5 yrs . | 28.1 yrs . |
| Under $25 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 25,015 | 7,372 | 17,643 | 7,830 | 7,637 | 4,087 | 3,550 | 2,176 |
| 25-64 yrs. - . . . . . - | 284,222 | 127,688 | 156,534 | 91,240 | 56,562 | 29,811 | 26,751 | 8,732 |
| $65 \mathrm{yrs}$. and over- . - . - | 30,190 | 22,717 | 7,473 | 5,141 | 1,966 | 1,168 | 798 | 366 |
| 25-29 yrs. - . - | 48,257 | 7,938 | 40,319 | 17,121 | 17,702 | 7,696 | 10,006 | 5,496 |
| 30-34 yrs. - . . . . . . . . - | 57,371 | 18,646 | 38,725 | 23,229 | 14,513 | 7,906 | 6,607 | 983 |
| 35-39 yrs. - . . . . . . - | 60,507 | 27,934 | 32,573 | 20,811 | 11,166 | 6,423 | 4,743 | 596 |
| $40-44 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 45,709 | 25,351 | 20,358 | 13,553 | 6,333 | 3,688 | 2,645 | 472 |
| $45-49 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 26,298 | 15,855 | 10,443 | 7,114 | 2,962 | 1,766 | 1,196 | 367 |
| $50-54 \mathrm{yrs}$. . . . . . . . . - | 15,797 | 10,169 | 5,628 | 3,737 | 1,541 | 919 | 622 | 350 |
| $55-59 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - - | 8,401 | 5,356 | 3,045 | 2,027 | 769 | 446 | 323 | 249 |
| $60-64 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 21,882 | 16,439 | 5,443 | 3,648 | 1,576 | 967 | 609 | 219 |
| 65-69 yrs. - . . . . . . | 20,230 | 15,329 | 4,901 | 3,412 | 1,336 | 823 | 513 | 153 |
| 70 yrs . and over-........ | 9,960 | 7,388 | 2,572 | 1,729 | 630 | 345 | 285 | 213 |

[^1]| Age | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} \text { Total } \\ \text { Male } \\ \text { Veterans [/ } \end{array}\right\|$ | In Households |  |  |  |  | In Group Quarters |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | In Primary Eamilies |  | Primary <br> Individual | Nonrelative of Head | Institutions | Other |
|  |  |  | Head of Family | Relative of Head |  |  |  |  |
| All Ages, Total . . . . . . . . . | 339,427 | 331,841 | 280,406 | 31,605 | 13,437 | a/ 6,393 | 4,833 | 2,753 |
| Percent- . . . . . . . . . . | 100.0\% | 97.8\% | 82.6\% | 9.3\% | 4.0\% | $1.9 \%$ | 1.4\% | 0.8\% |
| Median Age . . . . . - | 38.2 yrs . | 38.2 yrs . | 38.5 yrs . | 29.3 yrs . | 50.5 yrs . | 37.2 yrs . | 57.0 yrs . | 31.8 yrs . |
| Under 25 yrs. . . . . . . . . - | 25,015 | 23,794 | 11,365 | 10,409 | 877 | 1,143 | 316 | 905 |
| 25-64 yrs. - - | 284,222 | 279,624 | 246,312 | 19,631 | 9,270 | 4,411 | 3,111 | 1,487 |
| 65 yrs . and over- - | 30,190 | 28,423 | 22,729 | 1,565 | 3,290 | 839 | 1,406 | 361 |
| 25-29 yrs. - - | 48,257 | 47,390 | 38,674 | 6,202 | 1,379 | 1,135 | 491 | 376 |
| $30-34 \mathrm{yrs}$. - | 57,371 | 56,886 | 51,029 | 4,067 | 1,108 | 682 | 222 | 263 |
| $35-39$ yrs. . . . . . . . . . . | 60,507 | 59,968 | 55,560 | 2,867 | 1,033 | 508 | 312 | 227 |
| 40-44 yrs. - - | 45,709 | 45,285 | 41,655 | 2,139 | 1,014 | 477 | 299 | 125 |
| $45-49$ yrs. - - | 26,298 | 25,844 | 22,498 | 1,725 | 1,197 | 424 | 304 | 150 |
| $50-54 \mathrm{yrs}$. - - | 15,797 | 15,377 | 12,700 | 1,164 | 1,046 | 467 | 319 | 101 |
| $55-59$ yrs. - - | 8,401 | 7,923 | 6,062 | 666 | 865 | 330 | 384 | 94 |
| $60-64$ yrs. . . . . . . . . . . - | 21,882 | 20,951 | 18,134 | 801 | 1,628 | 388 | 780 | 151 |
| $65-69 \mathrm{yrs}$. - . . . . . . . . - | 20,230 | 19,337 | 16,160 | 801 | 1,885 | 491 | 672 | 221 |
| $70 \mathrm{yrs}$. and over-.......... | 9,960 | 9,086 | 6,569 | 764 | 1,405 | 348 | 734 | 140 |

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a/ Includes 123 heads of "secondary" families.
table 10. LABOR FORCE STATUS OF CIVILIAN MALE VETERANS, BY AGE: IOWA, 1960

| Age | $\left\|\begin{array}{cc} \text { Total } \\ \text { Male } \\ \text { Veterans } & \text { 1/ } \end{array}\right\|$ | In the Labor Force |  |  | Not in the Labor Force |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Total | Employed | Unemployed | Total | In Institutions | $\begin{gathered} \text { In } \\ \text { School } \end{gathered}$ | Other |
| All Ages, Total - . . . . . . . - | 339,427 | 303,868 | 294,446 | 9,422 | 35,559 | 4,833 | 3,053 | 27,673 |
| Percent- . . - | 100.0\% | 89.5\% | 86.7\% | 2.8\% | 10.5\% | 1.4\% | 0.9\% | 8.2\% |
| Median age - . . . . - | 38.2 yrs . | 37.3 yrs . | 37.4 yrs . | 35.5 yrs . | 65.2 yrs . | 57.0 yrs . | 24.3 yrs . | 66.4 yrs . |
| Under 25 yrs. - . . . - - | 25,015 | 22,098 | 20,289 | 1,809 | 2,917 | 316 | 1,686 | 915 |
| 25-64 yrs. | 284,222 | 269,753 | 262,437 | 7,316 | 14,469 | 3,111 | 1,367 | 9,991 |
| 65 yrs. and over- ....... | 30,190 | 12,017 | 11,720 | 297 | 18,173 | 1,406 |  | 16,767 |
| 25-29 yrs. - - | 48,257 | 45,999 | 44,542 | 1,457 | 2,258 | 491 | 1,132 | 635 |
| 30-34 yrs. | 57,371 | 56,220 | 54,918 | 1,302 | 1,151 | 222 | 235 | 694 |
| $35-39 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 60,507 | 59,369 | 58,033 | 1,336 | 1,138 | 312 |  | 826 |
| 40-44 yrs. - | 45,709 | 44,490 | 43,409 | 1,081 | 1,219 | 299 |  | 920 |
| $45-49 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 26,298 | 25,125 | 24,353 | 772 | 1,173 | 304 |  | 869 |
| 50-54 yrs. . . . - | 15,797 | 14,685 | 14,179 | 506 | 1,112 | 319 |  | 793 |
| $55-59$ yrs. - . . . - | 8,401 | 7,047 | 6,696 | 351 | 1,354 | 384 | . . | 970 |
| $60-64 \mathrm{yrs}$. | 21,882 | 16,818 | 16,307 | 511 | 5,064 | 780 |  | 4,284 |
| 65-69 yrs. - . . - | 20,230 | 9,387 | 9,163 | 224 | 10,843 | 672 | $\cdots$ | 10,171 |
| 70 yrs . and over- - | 9,960 | 2,630 | 2,557 | 73 | 7,330 | 734 | . . | 6,596 |

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TABLE 11. OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED CIVILIAN MALE VETERANS, BY AGE: IOWA, 1960

| Occupation | Total Employed Veterans 1/ |  | Age |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number | Percent | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Under } \\ & 25 \mathrm{yrs} . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 25-64 \\ \text { yrs. } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline 25-34 \\ \text { yrs. } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 35-44 \\ \text { yrs. } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 45-54 \\ \text { yrs. } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 55-64 \\ \text { yrs. } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 65 \text { yrs. } \\ \text { and over } \end{gathered}$ | Median |
| All Occupations, Total- - - | 294,446 | 100.0\% | 20,289 | 262,437 | 99,460 | 101,442 | 38,532 | 23,003 | 11,720 | 37.4 yrs . |
| Prof., tech., and kindred - | 31,077 | 10.5\% | 1,261 | 28,551 | 12,675 | 10,245 | 3,499 | 2,132 | 1,265 | 36.2 yrs . |
| Farmers and farm mgrs. - - | 42,301 | 14.4\% | 1,778 | 37,732 | 15,372 | 14,989 | 3,622 | 3,749 | 2,791 | 37.3 yrs . |
| Mgrs., off'ls., propr's. - - | 35,013 | 11.9\% | 680 | 32,616 | 8,833 | 14,499 | 6,051 | 3,233 | 1,717 | 40.0 yrs . |
| Clerical and kindred - - - | 18,544 | 6.3\% | 1,687 | 16,107 | 6,172 | 6,137 | 2,255 | 1,543 | 750 | 37.0 yrs . |
| Sales - - - - - - - | 21,822 | 7.4\% | 1,266 | 19,595 | 7,116 | 7,785 | 2,962 | 1,732 | 961 | 37.8 yrs . |
| Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred | 54,593 | 18.5\% | 3,232 | 49,968 | 18,019 | 20,612 | 7,500 | 3,837 | 1,393 | 37.7 yrs . |
| Operatives and kindred - - - | 51,901 | 17.6\% | 5,329 | 45,764 | 19,367 | 17,166 | 6,439 | 2,732 | 808 | 35.6 yrs . |
| Service - - - - - - | 11,456 | 3.9\% | 741 | 9,810 | 2,958 | 3,040 | 2,050 | 1,762 | 905 | 41.3 yrs . |
| Farm foremen and laborers- | 6,679 | 2.3\% | 1,472 | 4,779 | 2,287 | 1,256 | 726 | 510 | 428 | 32.8 yrs . |
| Laborers, except farm and mine | 13,808 | 4.7\% | 1,753 | 11,561 | 4,628 | 3,862 | 1,906 | 1,165 | 494 | 36.2 yrs . |
| Occupations not reported - - | 7,252 | 2.5\% | 1,090 | 5,954 | 2,033 | 1,851 | 1,522 | 548 | 208 | 37.6 yrs . |

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TABLE 12. PERSONAL INCOME IN 1959 OF CIVILIAN MALE VETERANS, BY AGE: IOWA, 1960

| Age | Total Male Veterans 1/ | Personal Income in 1959 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | None | $\$ 1$ to \$999 | $\begin{gathered} \$ 1,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 1,999 \end{gathered}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \$ 3,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 3,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 4,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 4,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 5,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 6,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 6,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 7,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { Over } \end{gathered}$ | Median |
| All Ages, Total - - | 339,427 | 8,475 | 20,267 | 27,857 | 34,665 | 42,491 | 52,757 | 53,380 | 36,066 | 40,803 | 22,666 | \$ 4,682 |
| Percent- - | 100.0\% | 2.5\% | 6.0\% | 8.2\% | 10.2\% | 12.5\% | 15.6\% | 15.7\% | 10.6\% | 12.0\% | 6.7\% | - |
| Under 25 yrs. - - - | 25,015 | 1,420 | 3,173 | 4,423 | 4,610 | 4,611 | 3,485 | 1,971 | 725 | 472 | 125 | \$ 2,757 |
| 25-64 yrs. | 284,222 | 5,836 | 12,734 | 16,176 | 23,689 | 34,473 | 46,980 | 49,743 | 34,373 | 39,072 | 21,146 | \$ 5,045 |
| 65 yrs . and over- - | 30,190 | 1,219 | 4,360 | 7,258 | 6,366 | 3,407 | 2,292 | 1,666 | 968 | 1,259 | 1,395 | \$ 2,355 |
| 25-34 yrs. - - - | 105,628 | 1,831 | 4,068 | 5,630 | 9,754 | 14,258 | 19,594 | 20,250 | 13,286 | 12,420 | 4,537 | \$ 4,882 |
| 35-44 yrs. | 106,216 | 1,710 | 3,557 | 4,259 | 6,981 | 11,238 | 16,298 | 19,497 | 14,422 | 18,148 | 10,106 | \$ 5,465 |
| 45-54 yrs. - - - | 42,095 | 981 | 2,148 | 2,666 | 3,250 | 5,152 | 6,934 | 6,592 | 4,553 | 5,660 | 4,159 | \$4,988 |
| 55-64 yrs. - - - | 30,283 | 1,314 | 2,961 | 3,621 | 3,704 | 3,825 | 4,154 | 3,404 | 2,112 | 2,844 | 2,344 | \$3,926 |
| 65-69 yrs. - - - | 20,230 | 643 | 2,296 | 4,404 | 4,319 | 2,450 | 1,863 | 1,401 | 767 | 1,013 | 1,074 | \$ 2,642 |
| $70 \mathrm{yrs}$. and over - | 9,960 | 576 | 2,064 | 2,854 | 2,047 | 957 | 429 | 265 | 201 | 246 | 321 | \$ 1,820 |

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| Age of Head | TotalFamiliesHeaded ByMale Veterans | Family Income in 1959 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Under $\$ 1,000$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \$ 1,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 1,999 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \$ 2,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 2,999 \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} \$ 4,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 4,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 5,999 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 6,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 6,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 7,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 14,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{\|c} \$ 15,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \end{array}$ | Median |
| All Ages, Total - | a/ 280,529 | 9,365 | 11,533 | 19,966 | 26,831 | 36,603 | 43,571 | 37,223 | 60,044 | 24,346 | 11,047 | \$ 5,825 |
| Percent- - | 100.0\% | $3.3 \%$ | $4.1 \%$ | 7.1\% | 9.6\% | 13.1\% | 15.5\% | 13.3\% | $21.4 \%$ | 8.7\% | $3.9 \%$ | - |
| Under 25 yrs . | 11,388 | 320 | 662 | 1,414 | 2,007 | 2,220 | 1,963 | 1,314 | 1,240 | 197 | 51 | \$ 4,582 |
| 25-64 yrs. | 246,408 | 7,500 | 7,790 | 14,355 | 21,499 | 31,721 | 39,682 | 34,505 | 56,448 | 22,767 | 10,141 | \$ 6,019 |
| 65 yrs . and over- | 22,733 | 1,545 | 3,081 | 4,197 | 3,325 | 2,662 | 1,926 | 1,404 | 2,356 | 1,382 | 855 | \$ 3,765 |
| 25-34 yrs. | 89,757 | 2,675 | 2,491 | 5,754 | 8,977 | 13,630 | 17,089 | 13,864 | 18,393 | 5,235 | 1,649 | \$ 5,664 |
| 35-44 yrs | 97,237 | 2,780 | 2,538 | 4,714 | 7,296 | 11,036 | 14,731 | 13,853 | 25,019 | 10,623 | 4,647 | \$ 6,399 |
| 45-54 yrs. | 35,210 | 881 | 1,054 | 1,683 | 2,661 | 3,938 | 4,883 | 4,398 | 8,740 | 4,558 | 2,414 | \$ 6,570 |
| 55-64 yrs. - - | 24,204 | 1,164 | 1,707 | 2,204 | 2,565 | 3,117 | 2,979 | 2,390 | 4,296 | 2,351 | 1,431 | \$ 5,451 |
| 65-69 yrs. - | 16,164 | 942 | 1,875 | 2,754 | 2,318 | 2,070 | 1,477 | 1,109 | 1,889 | 1,078 | 652 | \$ 4,093 |
| $70 \mathrm{yrs}$. and over- | 6,569 | 603 | 1,206 | 1,443 | 1,007 | 592 | 449 | 295 | 467 | 304 | 203 | \$ 3,033 |

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a/ Includes 280,406 primary families, 123 secondary families.

TABLE 14. INCOME IN 1959 OF CIVILIAN MALE VETERAN UNRELATED INDIVIDUALS, BY AGE: IOWA, 1960

| Age | Total Male <br> Veteran 1/ <br> Unrelated <br> Individuals | Income in 1959 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} \text { Under } \\ \$ 1,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 1,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 1,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 2,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 2,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 3,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 3,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 4,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 4,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 5,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 5,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 6,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 6,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 7,000 \\ \text { to } \\ \$ 9,999 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 10,000 \\ \text { and } \\ \text { over } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | Median |
| All Ages, Total - - | 22,425 | 3,829 | 4,484 | 3,557 | 2,803 | 2,736 | 2,030 | 1,309 | 1,175 | 502 | \$ 2,815 |
| Percent- - - - | 100.0\% | 17.1\% | 20.0\% | 15.9\% | 12.5\% | 12.2\% | 9.1\% | 5.8\% | 5.2\% | 2.2\% | - |
| Under 25 yrs. - - | 2,886 | 614 | 757 | 677 | 390 | 266 | 95 | 36 | 35 | 16 | \$ 2,106 |
| 25-64 yrs. - - | 15,057 | 2,108 | 2,159 | 2,034 | 2,050 | 2,270 | 1,821 | 1,195 | 1,028 | 392 | \$ 3,599 |
| 65 yrs . and over- | 4,482 | 1,107 | 1,568 | 846 | 363 | 200 | 114 | 78 | 112 | 94 | \$ 1,723 |
| 25-34 yrs. - - | 4,881 | 470 | 592 | 706 | 707 | 836 | 617 | 497 | 350 | 106 | \$ 3,952 |
| 35-44 yrs. - - - | 3,359 | 332 | 323 | 377 | 486 | 520 | 573 | 323 | 324 | 101 | \$ 4,312 |
| 45-54 yrs. - - | 3,369 | 512 | 516 | 479 | 425 | 536 | 372 | 230 | 206 | 93 | \$ 3,419 |
| $55-64$ yrs. - - | 3,448 | 794 | 728 | 472 | 432 | 378 | 259 | 145 | 148 | 92 | \$ 2,428 |
| 65-69 yrs. - - | 2,589 | 484 | 927 | 536 | 256 | 136 | 66 | 54 | 72 | 58 | \$ 1,874 |
| $70 \mathrm{yrs}$. and over- | 1,893 | 623 | 641 | 310 | 107 | 64 | 48 | 24 | 40 | 36 | \$ 1,505 |

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## A. Source of Data.

The statistics in this pamphlet are from two State reports published by the Bureau of the Census: U.S. Census of Population: 1960. General Social and Economic Characteristics. Final Report PC(1)-C (Tables 48, 72, and 82) and U.S. Census of Population: 1960. Detailed Characteristics. Final Report PC(1)-D (Tables 104, 105, and 115).

In the Eighteenth Decennial Census of Population and Housing, taken as of April 1, 1960, statistics on male veterans, as well as on social and economic characteristics of all persons were collected from a 25 -percent sample of the population. Every male 14 or more years old in the sample was also asked to reply to the following questions on veteran status: "Have you ever served in the Army, Navy, or other Armed Forces of the United States?" If "yes" - "Was it during the Korean War? World War II? World War I? Any other time?'
(Women were not asked about their veteran status because the expense and effort to identify the estimated 415,000 female veterans would have been excessive.)

## B. Definitions.

Veteran: A civilian male who had served in the Armed Forces of the United States during:

1. Korean War (June 1950-January 1955).
2. World War II (September 1940-July 1947).
3. World War I (April 1917-November 1918).
4. Other period (peacetime or Spanish-American War).

Urban, Rural Nonfarm, Rural Farm Residence: the urban population comprises all persons living in: (1) Places of 2,500 or more inhabitants or the densely settled fringe of urbanized areas; (2) towns in New England and townships in New Jersey and Pennsylvania having no incorporated places but with either 25,000 or more inhabitants or a population of 2,500 to 25,000 and a density of at least 1,500 persons per square mile; and (3) counties in other than the New England States, New Jersey and Pennsylvania having no incorporated places but with a density of at least 1,500 persons per square mile.

The rural population includes all persons not classified as urban and is subdivided into the rural-farm and the rural-nonfarm populations. A farm is a place of 10 or more acres in rural territory from which sales of farm products in 1959 amounted to $\$ 50$ or more or a place of less than 10 acres in rural territory from which sales of farm products amounted to $\$ 250$ or more in 1959.

Urban Place: An incorporated or unincorporated place of 2,500 or more inhabitants. (1960 Census data on male veterans are available only for urban places and selected towns of 10,000 or more. Only those places and towns with at least 1,000 male vet erans are shown in Table 5.)

Age: Age in years at last birthday, as of April 1, 1960. For example, a veteran born March 23, 1920 is classified as 40 years old, as is one born July 23, 1919.

Color: The division of the population into two groups, white and nonwhite. The nonwhite group includes Negroes, American Indians, Japanese, Chinese, Filipinos, etc.

Median: A type of average, specifically the value (age, income, years of school, etc.) which divides the population into two equal parts - one-half below and one-half above this value.

Marital Status: Married, single, widowed, or divorced status at the time of the Census enumeration. Veterans who are" separated" are included in the married group.

Household: One or more persons who occupy a single housing unit.

Group Quarters: Living arrangements for institutional inmates or for groups of 5 or more persons unrelated to the person in charge (lodging and boarding houses, college dormitories, ships, etc.).

Institution: A place - such as a mental, tuberculosis, or chronic disease hospital; nursing or domiciliary home for the aged, dependent, or disabled; prison or jail - providing care or custody for nonstaff residents.

Family: Two or more persons living in the same household who are related to each other by blood, marriage, or adoption; all persons living in one household who are related to each other are counted as one family. A "primary family"' is a family of which the head is also the head of the household; a "secondary family" lives in a household headed by a nonrelated person.

Unrelated Individual: A person living alone or with one or more unrelated persons in a household; or a person living in noninstitutional group quarters - rooming house, dormitory, etc. A 'primary individual" lives alone or, if he lives with nonrelatives, is the head of the household.

Residence in 1955: The usual place (house, county, state) of residence on April 1, 1955.

Years of School Completed: Completion of full years of "regular" schooling, i.e., formal education in public and private graded schools, colleges, universities, or professional schools, whether day or night school. Not included is schooling which is given in specialized vocational, trade, or business schools, in on-the-job training, and through correspondence courses.

Employed: Persons who, during the week preceding the 1960 Census enumeration, were either (a) "at work"; or (b) "with a job, but not at work"

Unemployed: Persons who, during the week preceding the 1960 Census enumeration, were "not at work but looking for work". Labor Force: Persons classified as "employed" or 'unemployed"; persons not in the labor force - neither employed nor unemployed are generally full-time students; retired workers, seasonal workers in an "off-season", inmates of institutions, or the long-term physically or mentally disabled.

Occupation: (1) "Professional, technical, and kindred workers" technical engineers, physicians, school and college teachers, accountants, lawyers, actors, etc.; (2) "Farmers and farm managers" - owner-operators, tenant farmers, and share croppers; (3) "Managers, officials, and proprietors, except farm" - also includes buyers, union officials, postmasters, ship officers, etc.; (4) "Clerical and kindred workers" - bank tellers, bookkeepers, mail carriers, storekeepers, etc.; (5) 'Sales and kindred workers"' advertising agents, demonstrators, real estate agents, and other salesmen and sales clerks; (6) "Craftsmen, foremen, and kindred workers" - construction craftsmen, mechanics, machinists, furriers, etc.; (7) 'Operatives and kindred workers" - drivers, meat cutters, miners, welders, etc.; (8) "Service workers" - firemen, policemen, watchmen, waiters, bartenders, barbers, etc.; (9) "Farm laborers and foremen" - includes unpaid family farm laborers; and (10) "Laborers, except farm and mine" - gardeners, stevedores, teamsters, garage laborer, etc.

Income: Includes earnings in 1959 in wages, salary, commissions, tips, and bonuses from all jobs (before deductions for income taxes, social security, bond purchases, union dues, etc.); in profits or fees from a business, farm, or professional enterprise (net income after business expenses); and money income from other sources (net income from rents or receipts from roomers or boarders; interest, dividends, and income from estates and trust funds; social security benefits; veterans pension, compensation, or other cash benefits; unemployment insurance; public assistance; company or union pension; contributions for support from persons not members of the household; etc.). Family income includes the combined incomes of all members of the family. Although the income statistics are for the year 1959, the characteristics of persons and the composition of families refer to April 1960.

## C. Reliability of Data.

Since the statistics in this pamphlet were collected from a 25 -percent sample of the population, consisting of one household out of four (and of one person out of every four persons not in households), they may differ somewhat from those which would have been derived from a census of the total population. The extent to which the sample estimates might vary from the figures obtained from a complete count - i.e., the sampling variability is measured by the standard error. The chances are about two out of three that the difference between these sample estimates and the figures which would have been obtained from a complete census is less than the standard error. Doubling the standard error improves the chances to about 19 out of 20.

Approximate Standard Error of Estimated Number
(Range of 2 chances out of 3)

| Estimated Number | Standard Error | Estimated Number | Standard Error | Estimated Number | Standard Error |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 100 | 20 | 10,000 | . . 160 | 100,000 | 490 |
| 500 | . 40 | 15,000 | . . 190 | 250,000 | . 770 |
| 1,000 | . 50 | 25,000 | . 250 | 500,000 | . 1,100 |
| 2,500 | . 80 | 50,000 | . 350 | 1,000,000 | . 1,500 |
| 5,000 | . . 110 | 75,000 | . 430 | 2,500,000 | . 2,300 |

Approximate Standard Error of Estimated Percentage (Range of 2 chances out of 3 )

| Estimated <br> Percentage | Base of Percentage |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 500 | 1,000 | 2,500 | 10,000 | 25,000 | 100,000 | 500,000 |
| 2 or $98 \ldots . \ldots$ | 1.3 | 0.9 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| 5 or $95 \ldots .$. | 2.0 | 1.4 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.0 |
| 10 or $90 \ldots . \ldots$ | 2.8 | 2.0 | 1.2 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| 25 or $75 \ldots . \ldots$ | 3.8 | 2.7 | 1.5 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| $50 \ldots . \ldots$ | 4.4 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.1 |

These measures of sampling variability do not reflect inaccuracies in the responses, processing errors, or bias resulting from collection, processing, and estimation steps. In fact, errors from these sources are probably more significant than the errors due to sampling. Even in a complete censusthere would be a substantial number of cases in which the information collected is incorrect, because the respondent, relying on memory, makes an honest mistake; or has no information about another person in the household; or misunderstands the question; or for one reason or another misrepresents the information.


[^0]:    1/ 7,928 World War II veterans who also served during the Korean War are counted as Korean War veterans.
    Primarily peacetime exservicemen (about 510 Spanish-American War veterans are
    included).

[^1]:    1/ War veterans and peacetime exservicemen.

