

Earnings in Various Industries.

In thirty-three of the principal productive industries in the State the following were the average wages per employe for each of the five years included in the bureau's inquiry: **Average rent: \$120-\$160 a year**

Agricultural implements and machinery, 1891, \$434.94; 1892, \$459.56; 1893, \$450.66; 1894, \$458.29; 1895, \$438.59.

Artisans' tools and cutlery, 1891, \$387.33; 1892, \$476.67; 1893, \$471.66; 1894, \$404.54; 1895, \$420.66.

Boots and shoes, 1891, \$447.07; 1892, \$441.51; 1893, \$435.51; 1894, \$393.97; 1895, \$409.10.

Brick, Sewer Pipe, Terra Cotta, &c.—1891, \$250.66; 1892, \$260.69; 1893, \$249.05; 1894, \$232.26; 1895, \$236.11.

Building—1891, \$492.29; 1892, \$482.83; 1893, \$484.97; 1894, \$447.35; 1895, \$466.16.

Carpets, Oilcloth, &c.—1891, \$407.47; 1892, \$400.51; 1893, \$406.58; 1894, \$279.24; 1895, \$369.67.

Carriages, Wagons, and Sleighs—1891, \$526.54; 1892, \$525.78; 1893, \$532.34; 1894, \$514.56; 1895, \$494.16.

Chemicals, Acids, &c.—1891, \$543.74; 1892, \$505.06; 1893, \$530.57; 1894, \$495.30; 1895, \$495.85.

Cigars, Cigarettes, and Tobacco—1891, \$401.68; 1892, \$399.11; 1893, \$398.73; 1894, \$370.51; 1895, \$386.30.

Clocks, Watches, and Jewelry—1891, \$622.10; 1892, \$632.33; 1893, \$631.93; 1894, \$620.40; 1895, \$647.46.

Clothing—1891, \$384.26; 1892, \$384.85; 1893, \$392.87; 1894, \$357.92; 1895, \$361.77.

Cooking and Heating Apparatus—1891, \$639.56; 1892, \$613.75; 1893, \$592.57; 1894, \$609.14; 1895, \$573.04.

Cotton Goods—1891, \$356.40; 1892, \$349.45; 1893, \$352.13; 1894, \$323.63; 1895, \$325.77.

Food Products—1891, \$412.20; 1892, \$401.42; 1893, \$414.88; 1894, \$432.68; 1895, \$403.47.

Furniture—1891, \$519.01; 1892, \$467.64; 1893, \$485.24; 1894, \$498.53; 1895, \$495.02.

Glass and Glass Goods—1891, \$465.69; 1892, \$486.23; 1893, \$468.10; 1894, \$449.63; 1895, \$467.89.

Gloves and Mittens—1891, \$334.74; 1892, \$345.97; 1893, \$327.84; 1894, \$283.26; 1895, \$290.68.

Knit Goods—1891, \$320.42; 1892, \$336.95; 1893, \$339.26; 1894, \$273.77; 1895, \$291.11.

Leather and Leather Goods—1891, \$436.94; 1892, \$432.12; 1893, \$425.13; 1894, \$423.83; 1895, \$420.56.

Liquors (Malt and Distilled)—1891, \$784.11; 1892, \$791.29; 1893, \$770.44; 1894, \$752.57; 1895, \$780.40.

Machines, Machinery, &c.—1891, \$601.29; 1892, \$575.28; 1893, \$567.94; 1894, \$559.56; 1895, \$536.51.

Metals and Metallic Goods—1891, \$520.65; 1892, \$517.57; 1893, \$499.47; 1894, \$505.64; 1895, \$494.79.

Musical Instruments and Materials—1891, \$685.78; 1892, \$668.77; 1893, \$512.36; 1894, \$577.54; 1895, \$604.69.

Oils and Illuminating Fluids—1891, \$586.88; 1892, \$569.51; 1893, \$547.50; 1894, \$540.67; 1895, \$608.21.

Paints and Colors—1891, \$540.11; 1892, \$512.70; 1893, \$490; 1894, \$495.93; 1895, \$480.68.

Paper and Paper Goods—1891, \$417.31; 1892, \$419.10; 1893, \$430.85; 1894, \$433.63; 1895, \$409.59.

Printing, Publishing, Binding, &c.—1891, \$617.46; 1892, \$608.13; 1893, \$608.40; 1894, \$608.37; 1895, \$583.48.

Railroad Construction, Repairing, &c.—1891, \$598.26; 1892, \$605.28; 1893, \$603.21; 1894, \$605.61; 1895, \$554.90.

Silk Goods—1891, \$363.64; 1892, \$371.63; 1893, \$343.67; 1894, \$316.25; 1895, \$351.17.

Soap, Candles, and Grease—1891, \$511.52; 1892, \$510.70; 1893, \$500.82; 1894, \$485.80; 1895, \$504.14.

Stone, Marble, &c.—1891, \$440.54; 1892, \$475.10; 1893, \$494.36; 1894, \$351.94; 1895, \$410.07.

Wooden Goods—1891, \$405.43; 1892, \$397.84; 1893, \$401.43; 1894, \$426.61; 1895, \$418.39.

Woolen and Worsted Goods—1891, \$369.41; 1892, \$379.22; 1893, \$328.58; 1894, \$322.42; 1895, \$344.97.