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TO THE HONORABLE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

I have the honor to transmit, herewith, the Annual Statistics of Manufactures for the year 1899, which have been collected and are presented in compliance with Chapter 174, Acts of 1886.

The direct charge of the Special Agents and clerical force in the Division of Manufactures of this Department, wherein this report is prepared, is entrusted to Mr. Frank H. Drown, Second Clerk of the Bureau, and I wish to record my appreciation of the faithful and painstaking manner in which he has performed the duties devolving upon him. Mr. Charles F. Pidgin, First Clerk, as in previous years is entitled to acknowledgment for his assistance in the general executive work of the Bureau.

Very respectfully,

HORACE G. WADLIN,
Chief.

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