

TABLE XIX—ACCIDENTS IN BUILDING AND CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY, CALENDAR YEAR 1949

Cause.	Type of Injury.			Total.
	Temporary.	Permanent Partial.	Fatal.	
Machinery .. .. .	181	25	..	206
Vehicles .. .. .	43	1	1	45
Explosions, fires, hot substances .. .. .	39	..	..	39
Poisonous and corrosive substances .. .. .	13	..	..	13
Electricity .. .. .	5	..	1	6
Falls of persons .. .. .	476	15	1	492
Stepping on or striking against fixed objects ..	175	1	..	176
Falling objects not being handled by person injured	199	2	..	201
Falls of earth, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..
Handling objects .. .. .	652	4	..	656
Hand tools .. .. .	251	2	..	253
Animals .. .. .	4	..	..	4
Foreign body in eye*	42	..	..	42
Miscellaneous .. .. .	36	..	2	38
Total† .. .. .	2,116	50	5	2,171

\* In former years some of these accidents would have been included in the machinery or hand-tools groups.  
† See note to Table XVII.