

TABLE VI—LIMESTONES

REF. No. (see Fig. 33).	NAME OF STONE.	SITUATION OF QUARRY.	NAME AND ADDRESS OF OWNER.	GEOLOGICAL IDENTIFICATION.		CRUSHING STRENGTH (tons per sq. ft.).	WEIGHT (lb. per cub. ft.).	CHARACTERISTICS.	POROSITY (per cent.) (see p. 99).	SATURATION COEFFICIENT (see p. 99).
				SERIES.	SYSTEM.					
51	ANCASTER BROWN WEATHER BED	Ancaster, Lincolnshire	The Gregory Quarries Ltd., Ancaster, Lincolnshire	Lower Oörites	Jurassic	152	156	Brown with grey and buff mottling; not durable in polluted atmospheres; coarse grained; free working; takes high polish	..	..
52	ANCASTER FREESTONE <sup>1</sup>	"	"	"	"	184	157	Cream to brown; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; fine even texture; free working	6	0.83
66	ASHBURTON	Newton Abbot, Devon	W. W. Jenkins & Co. Ltd., Castle Circus House, Torquay	Middle Devonian	Devonian	..	170	See p. 96	..	..
67	BEER	Beer, East Devon	Beer Stone Co. Ltd., Seaton, Devonshire	Middle Cretaceous	Cretaceous	162	117	White; not durable in polluted atmospheres; fine grained and compact; very easy working	30	0.77
57	BLADON	Bladon, near Oxford	Benfield & Loxley Ltd., 106 Bullingdon Road, Oxford	Middle Oörites	Jurassic	..	153	Light brown with traces of blue; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; in thin beds only (7-in. average)	8	0.93
53	CLIPSHAM BIG PITS QUARRY	Clipsham, Rutland	Clipsham Quarry Co., Clipsham, Oakham, Rutland	Lower Oörites	"	292	140	Pale cream; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; medium grained; free working	16	0.80
54	CLIPSHAM OLD QUARRY	"	"	"	"	292	150	Buff, many shelly fragments; durable, especially in non-polluted atmospheres; coarse grained; free working	..	..
59	CORNGRIT	Corsham, Wiltshire	The Bath and Portland Stone Firms Ltd., Abbey Yard, Bath	"	"	198	129	Light cream; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; little coarser grained than Corsham; free working	..	..
60	CORSHAM DOWN	"	"	"	"	128	129	Light cream; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; fine grained; free working	..	..
47	HOPTON-WOOD	Wirksworth, Derbyshire	The Hopton-Wood Stone Firms Ltd., Wirksworth, Derbyshire	Carboniferous Limestone	Carboniferous	..	150	See p. 96	..	..
56	HORNTON	Edge Hill, Warwickshire	Hornton Quarries Ltd., North Bar, Banbury, Oxford	Lower Oörites	Jurassic	..	132	Brown, blue and mixture of both; close grained; easily worked; takes a good polish	21	0.85
61	MONK'S PARK	Corsham, Wiltshire	The Bath and Portland Stone Firms Ltd., Abbey Yard, Bath	"	"	224	135	Light cream to white; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; fine and even grained; free working	19	0.96
68	PORTLAND <sup>2</sup>	Isle of Portland, Dorset	"	Upper Oörites	"	287	138	Whitbed most suitable for general building purposes; light brown or white; durable; medium grained; good working	18	0.67 (see p. 100)
65	RADFORD	Oreston, near Plymouth	F. J. Moore Ltd., Hamilton House, Tothill Road, Plymouth	Middle Devonian	Devonian	..	172	Grey to red; durable; fine grained; free working	..	..
58	ST. ALDHELM BOX GROUND	Box, Wiltshire	The Bath and Portland Stone Firms Ltd., Abbey Yard, Bath	Lower Oörites	Jurassic	107	126	Cream to light brown; most durable Bath stone; medium grained; free working	26	0.60
55	WELDON	Weldon, Northants.	F. St. B. Gregorie, Weldon, Kettering, Northants	"	"	..	120	Pinkish-brown; not durable in polluted atmospheres; coarse grained; easily worked	29	0.75
MAGNESIAN LIMESTONES										
41	ANSTON	Anston, W. R. Yorkshire	James Turner & Son Ltd., Kiveton Park, near Sheffield	Middle Permian	Permian	835	149	Rich deep cream; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; fine grained; free working	15	0.60
50	LINBY	Linby, Nottinghamshire	M. McCarthy & Sons Ltd., Bulwell, Nottingham	"	"	..	145	Brownish-yellow; durable, especially in non-polluted atmospheres; coarse grained; free working	17	0.50
40	PARK NOOK	Park Nook, Skelbrook, Near Doncaster	H. & R. F. Knowles, Skelbrook, Doncaster, Yorks.	"	"	345	135	Cream; durable in non-polluted atmospheres; fine grained and compact; easily worked; suitable for carved work	23	0.80
MAGNESIAN SANDSTONE										
48	MANSFIELD, WHITE <sup>3</sup>	Mansfield, Nottinghamshire	The Gregory Quarries Ltd., Ancaster, Lincolnshire	Lower Permian	Permian	462	140	Creamy-yellow; not durable in polluted atmospheres; fine even grained	..	..

<sup>1</sup> The Ancaster Freestone is also quarried by Thompson's Ancaster Quarries Co. Ltd. (11 Elmer Street, N., Grantham) at Haydon, Near Grantham.<sup>2</sup> Portland stone is also quarried by The South-Western Stone Co. Ltd. (Thessaly Road, Battersea, London, S.W.8) in the Isle of Portland.<sup>3</sup> Red Mansfield stone (warm red colour due to greater iron oxide content) is also quarried.