

SECTION XI.—TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT IN ESSENTIAL INDUSTRIES AND UNDERTAKINGS

TABLE 32.—RESULTS OF APPLICATIONS TO TERMINATE EMPLOYMENT

	Outset to 31st March, 1943.			1st April, 1943, to 31st March, 1944.			Outset to 31st March, 1944.		
	Applications from—		Total.	Applications from—		Total.	Applications from—		Total.
	Employers.	Employees.		Employers.	Employees.		Employers.	Employees.	
Total number of applications received	20,742	41,552	62,294	23,897	56,948	80,845	44,639	98,500	143,139
Number of these applications dealt with	20,593	41,054	61,647	23,770	56,595	80,365	44,363	97,649	142,012
Of these applications dealt with—									
Number subsequently withdrawn ..	165	563	728	328	957	1,285	493	1,520	2,013
Number in which permission to terminate was refused	955	7,447	8,402	644	9,603	10,247	1,599	17,050	18,649
Number in which permission was granted	19,473	33,044	52,517	22,798	46,035	68,833	42,271	79,079	121,350
Percentage—									
Subsequently withdrawn ..	0·8	1·4	1·2	1·4	1·7	1·6	1·1	1·5	1·4
Permission to terminate was refused	4·6	18·1	13·6	2·7	17·0	12·7	3·6	17·5	13·1
Permission was granted ..	94·6	80·5	85·2	95·9	81·3	85·7	95·3	81·0	85·5

TABLE 33.—MONTHLY INCREASE IN APPLICATIONS FROM 1ST APRIL, 1943, TO 31ST MARCH, 1944

Period.	Applications from —		Total.		Period.	Applications from—		Total.
	Employers.	Employees.				Employers.	Employees.	
Total up to 31st March, 1943 ..	20,742	41,552	62,294		Brought forward ..	35,087	69,211	104,298
Increase during—					Increase during—			
1943					1943			
April	1,556	4,042	5,598		October	1,345	4,490	5,835
May	3,177*	4,852	8,029		November	1,442	4,953	6,395
June	4,206*	4,555	8,761		December	1,124	3,637	4,761
July	2,362	4,716	7,078					
August	1,619	4,894	6,513		1944			
September	1,425	4,600	6,025		January	1,400	4,877	6,277
					February	1,736	5,650	7,386
					March	2,505	5,682	8,187
Carried forward ..	35,087	69,211	104,298		Total up to 31st March, 1944	44,639	98,500	143,139

* NOTE.—The high figures shown for May and June correspond with the outflow of seasonal labour from freezing-works.

TABLE 34.—CLASSIFICATION BY MALES AND FEMALES
(Period covered: 1st October, 1943, to 31st March, 1944)

	Applications from Employers in respect of—			Applications from Employees.			Total Applications.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Total number of applications received	7,230	2,322	9,552	16,793	12,496	29,289	24,023	14,818	38,841
Number of these applications dealt with	7,201	2,300	9,501	16,729	12,338	29,067	23,930	14,638	38,568
Of these applications dealt with—									
Number subsequently withdrawn ..	115	38	153	273	218	491	388	256	644
Number in which permission to terminate was refused	321	57	378	3,011	1,721	4,732	3,332	1,778	5,110
Number in which permission was granted	6,765	2,205	8,970	13,445	10,399	23,844	20,210	12,604	32,814