

TABLE XXI.—CIVIL PROCEEDINGS FOR RECOVERY OF WAGES ON BEHALF OF WORKERS.
YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1948

Authority.	Number of Cases.	Judgment for Plaintiff.	Judgment for Defendant or otherwise disposed of.	Total Amount for which Judgment obtained, excluding Costs.
				£ s. d.
Awards and agreements	54	15	39	1,296 1 3
Annual Holidays Act, 1944	7	3	4	41 6 2
Agricultural Workers Act, 1936	1	1	..	103 14 1
Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925	12	12	..	176 19 3
Total—1947-48	74	31	43	1,618 0 9
1946-47	58	24	34	616 12 1

TABLE XXII.—NUMBER OF REQUISITIONS FOR IMPROVEMENTS SERVED, YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1948*

Authority.	1946.	1947.	1948.
Agricultural Workers Act, 1936	68	53	52
Awards and industrial agreements	74	75	162
Factories Act, 1946	671	881	1,538
Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925	98	148	133
Lead Process Regulations 1925	..	4	9
Shearers' Accommodation Act, 1919	141	98	90
Scaffolding and Excavation Act, 1923	..	2	2
Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22	95	79	151
Spray Painting Regulations 1940	4	10	4
Total	1,151	1,350	2,141

* Many of these requisitions required improvements in two or more ways, so that the number of "improvements" effected is in excess of the number shown.

TABLE XXIII.—ARREARS OF WAGES PAID AT INSTIGATION OF DEPARTMENT, YEAR ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1948

—	Paid through Department.	Paid directly to Workers.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Awards and agreements	18,774 12 6	21,379 15 8	40,154 8 2
Factories Act, 1946	176 4 0	371 1 1	547 5 1
Shops and Offices Act, 1921-22	125 10 5	127 7 9	252 18 2
Agricultural Workers Act, 1936	2,258 10 0	513 14 5	2,772 4 5
Miscellaneous	3,965 0 1	3,447 11 7	7,412 11 8
Total	25,299 17 0	25,839 10 6	51,139 7 6

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