

THE MANUFACTURED STATIONERY TRADE

INTRODUCTORY

This trade comprises firms that were engaged wholly or mainly in the manufacture of notepaper, envelopes, paper bags, tickets, cards, letter files and other articles of paper and cardboard (except cardboard boxes).

Table I A.—General summary

Particulars	1935	1930	1924
	£'000	£'000	£'000
Value of products (Gross output) ...	15,730	14,041	9,321
Cost of materials, fuel and electricity used ...	7,042	6,687	4,414
Amount paid for work given out ...	142	123	85
Net output... ..	8,546	7,231	4,822
	No.	No.	No.
Average number of persons employed (excluding outworkers) ...	44,722	37,839	27,293
	£	£	£
Net output per person employed (excluding outworkers) ...	191	191	177
	No.	No.	No.
Number of returns ...	472	377	309
Number of establishments ...	487	422	*

* Not available.

Table I B.—Firms employing not more than ten persons on the average

Particulars	1935	1930	1924
Number of returns received ...	676	No. 499	No. 227
Average number of persons employed:—			
Males... ..	2,383	1,648	758
Females	1,066	817	458
TOTAL	3,449	2,465	1,216
Number of firms not making returns ...	1	49	80

In 1924 the value of the gross output of the ²²⁷ small firms (including the few firms in Northern Ireland making returns was 3.2 per cent. of the total, the principal items affected being tickets and show cards (21.5 per cent.), patterns and transfers (11.8 per cent.) and work done for the trade (22.6 per cent.).

for which separate particulars cannot be given)

Table II.—Size of establishments in 1935

Size of establishment (average number employed)	Number of establishments	Gross output	Net output	Number of persons employed (excluding outworkers)	Net output per person employed
	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£
11-24	141	702	417	2,473	169
25-49	121	1,364	794	4,296	185
50-99	114	2,853	1,588	8,082	196
100-199... ..	67	3,423	1,701	9,241	184
200-299... ..	24	2,020	1,035	5,829	178
300-399... ..	6	780	429	2,079	206
400-499... ..	3	404	193	1,369	141
500-749... ..	7	1,383	812	4,321	188
750 and over ...	4	2,801	1,577	7,032	224
TOTAL	487	15,730	8,546	44,722	191

Table III.—Particulars of output, etc., in each of the principal areas of the United Kingdom

Area*	Number of establishments†	Gross output	Net output	Number of persons employed (excluding outworkers)	Net output per person employed
	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£
1	{ 1935 250 1930 195	9,233 8,847	5,179 4,603	25,978 23,028	199 200
2	{ 1935 82 1930 57	2,128 1,542	1,094 779	6,172 4,804	177 162
3	{ 1935 32 1930 21	614 387	359 218	1,989 1,314	181 166
4	1935 5	29	15	165	94
4 and 12 ...	1930 5	31	18	144	125
5	{ 1935 33 1930 30	943 728	601 455	2,613 2,056	230 221
6	1935 10	203	95	526	181
7	1935 9	285	154	847	182
8	1935 9	731	218	1,106	197
9	1935 8	200	106	697	152
10 and 11 ...	1935 15	366	210	1,059	198
6 to 11... ..	{ 1935 51 1930 40	1,785 1,530	783 680	4,235 3,466	185 196
14	{ 1935 14 1930 12	265 245	137 99	846 720	162 138
15	1935 12	353	195	1,476	132
16 and 17 ...	1935 8	380	183	1,248	147
15, 16 and 17 ...	{ 1935 20 1930 17	733 732	378 379	2,724 2,307	139 164
TOTAL	{ 1935 487 1930 377	15,730 14,041	8,546 7,231	44,722 37,839	191 191

* For particulars see page xviii.

† Number of returns for 1930.

Table IV.—Sub-divisions of the industry in 1935

Group	Number of establishments	Gross output	Value of characteristic products	Net output	Number of persons employed (excluding outworkers)	Net output per person employed
	No.	£'000	£'000	£'000	No.	£
Notepaper and pads, envelopes, and boxed stationery ...	51	4,276	3,243	2,306	12,096	191
Christmas cards, greeting cards and calendars ...	54	1,413	1,121	830	4,361	190
Letter files, loose-leaf systems, index cards and other office systems ...	24	976	934	641	2,608	246
All other manufactures ...	358	9,064	...	4,769	25,657	186
TOTAL	487	15,730	...	8,546	44,722	191

PRODUCTION

Table V.—Output of principal products

Kind of output	1935			1930	
	Quantity	Value	Number of entries	Quantity	Value
	Th. cwts.	£'000	No.	Th. cwts.	£'000
Notepaper and pads ...	186.2	464	134	186.4	559 ✓
Envelopes ...	822.9	2,559	84	677.1	2,159 ✓
Boxed stationery (i.e., note-paper and envelopes packed together in cardboard boxes) and compendiums...	...	313	92	...	403 ✓
Paper bags ...	157.8	456	64	164.9	527 ✓
Picture postcards ...	2,951.2	4,177	225	1,898.4	3,895
Plain postcards and letter cards ...	Th. gross 986.9	210	54	Th. gross 66.3*	21*
Other cards, printed or not (menu, visiting cards, etc.)†	...	64	33	...	81*
Playing cards ...	398.0	18	14	...	208†
Christmas cards and greeting cards ...	...	12	7	...	...
Calendars ...	Th. doz. pks 711.3	286	7	Th. doz. pks 452.7	178
Pattern cards ...	Th. gross 1,494	951	188	...	141
Tickets, showcards and posters, mounted or not ...	394.0	739	199	...	1,306*
Luggage labels ...	...	102	114	...	...
Other and unclassified labels†	20.1	89	12	...	373
Paper patterns and transfers...	...	299	109	...	802
Paper tubes and bobbins ...	3,307	225	17	...	321
Bottle caps, milk discs, jam-pot covers and the like ...	...	242	20	...	292
Cake boards ...	430	24	...	...	366†
Crimped confectionery cases and similar goods† ...	Th. cwts. 259.0	649	19	...	318†
Dish papers, d'oyleys, serviettes and similar fancy paper goods ...	110.8	279	17	...	...
Paper novelties ...	...	70	5	...	...
Bonbons and crackers ...	1.1	4	4	...	...
Counter check books, continuous invoice forms and the like ...	...	8	4	...	...
Letter files, loose-leaf systems, index cards and other office systems ...	...	151	9	...	...
Picture and photo mounts of paper and cardboard ...	242.9	460	13	...	329†
Toilet paper ...	...	103	10	...	523
Other manufactures of paper or cardboard ...	...	194	24	...	386†
Unclassified manufactures of paper or cardboard ...	...	432	22	...	1,160
Purchased paper, cut, corrugated, perforated or otherwise processed ...	...	765	34	...	110
Rubber stamps and accessories	...	1,130	54	...	1,412
Other stationers' goods not of paper or cardboard ...	...	95	15	...	434†
TOTAL—PRINCIPAL PRODUCTS ...	...	19,690	...	...	16,701

* These figures are defective, the output in other trades being in general included under headings not appropriate to this trade.
† So far as recorded separately.
‡ Not recorded separately.

The figures shown in the preceding table include the following output recorded by firms whose returns were made on schedules for other trades and are not, therefore, included in Table I A.

Kind of output	1935			1930	
	Quantity	Value	Entries	Quantity	Value
	Th. cwts.	£'000	No.	Th. cwts.	£'000
Notepaper and pads ...	30.6	79	98	24.6	104
Envelopes ...	77.3	201	37	28.2	83
Boxed stationery (i.e., note-paper and envelopes packed together in cardboard boxes) and compendiums ...	...	100	82	...	172
Paper bags ...	29.7	98	35	9.9	32
Picture postcards ...	1,136.1	1,668	144	1,120.4	2,402
Plain postcards and letter cards	Th. gross 512.7	100	42	...	1*
Other cards, printed or not (menu, visiting cards, etc.)...	...	58	31	...	1
Playing cards...	Th. gross 709.0	285	6	Th. doz. pks 452.7	178
Christmas cards and greeting cards ...	...	7	4	...	115
Calendars ...	Th. gross 277.8	133	138	...	180
Pattern cards ...	188.0	400	145	...	288
Tickets, showcards and posters, mounted or not ...	...	55	102	...	306
Luggage labels ...	...	183	85	...	...
Other and unclassified labels...	...	119	34	...	...
Paper patterns and transfers	103.7	7	3	...	5
Paper tubes and bobbins ...	...	102	13	...	54
Bottle caps, milk discs, jam-pot covers and the like ...	...	2	2	...	117
Cake boards ...	...	5	1	...	...
Crimped confectionery cases and similar goods ...	...	4	1	...	4
Dish papers, d'oyleys, serviettes and similar fancy paper goods ...	0.6	7	1	...	166
Paper novelties ...	...	12	4	...	...
Bonbons and crackers ...	...	7	3	...	...
Counter check books, continuous invoice forms and the like ...	...	117	6	...	11
Letter files, loose-leaf systems, index cards and other office systems ...	...	80	16	...	134
Picture and photo mounts of paper and cardboard ...	...	154	18	...	31
Toilet paper ...	12.9	49	7	...	425
Other manufactures of paper or cardboard ...	...	19	3	...	...
Unclassified manufactures of paper or cardboard ...	...	52	2	...	117
Purchased paper, cut, corrugated, perforated or otherwise processed ...	...	162	11	...	39
Rubber stamps and accessories	120.5	341	15	...	11
Other stationers' goods not of paper or cardboard ...	...	230	87	...	...
TOTAL ...	323.4	148	20	...	4,988
	...	70	13	...	...
	...	32	60	...	...
	...	27	9	...	...

† Not separately recorded
* See footnote (a) to preceding table

Table VI.—Average values of goods produced, exported and imported

Kind of goods	Production (at factory)			Exports (f.o.b.)		Imports (c.i.f.)	
	Average value		1935 as a percentage of 1930	Average value		Average value	
	1935	1930		1935	1930	1935	1930
	£	£	Per cent.	£	£	£	£
	per cwt.	per cwt.		per cwt.	per cwt.	per cwt.	per cwt.
Notepaper and pads ...	2.49	3.00	83.1	3.72	4.71	1.28	2.96
Envelopes ...	3.11	3.19	97.5	3.71	4.48	...	2.90
Paper bags ...	1.41	2.05	69.0	1.98	2.52	2.38	2.05
Boxed stationery (i.e., notepaper and envelopes packed together in cardboard boxes) and compendiums...	2.89	3.20	90.5	...	...	...	...
	s.	s.		s.	s.	s.	s.
	per doz. packs	per doz. packs		per doz. packs	per doz. packs	per doz. packs	per doz. packs
Playing cards ...	8.04*	7.86*	102.3	5.05	10.23	7.11	7.04

* Including excise duty of 3/- per doz. packs of playing cards for home consumption.

Table VII.—Volume of Production, 1924-1935

Kind of output	Total production			Production index (1935 = 100)	
	1935 as returned	1930		1924	1930
		As returned	At 1935 average values		
	£'000	£'000	£'000	Per cent.	Per cent.
Notepaper and pads ...	464	684	569	63	123
Envelopes ...	2,872	2,562	2,498		
Paper bags ...	4,177	3,895	2,689		
Boxed stationery (i.e., notepaper and envelopes packed together in cardboard boxes) and compendiums ...	456	527	477	57	105
All other manufactures ...	11,721	9,021	8,270		
TOTAL ...	19,690	16,689	14,503	59	74

Table VIII.—Production, Exports and Imports

The following table shows the production, exports and retained imports of paper bags in 1935 and 1930:—

Paper bags	1935	1930
Production ...	Th. cwts. 2,951.2	Th. cwts. 1,898.4
Exports ...	40.6	42.7
Retained imports ...	4.1	13.8
Available for use in the United Kingdom...	2,914.7	1,869.5
Share of home market held by British goods ...	99.9	99.3

Particulars relating to the only other articles of stationery which were specifically recorded in the trade returns are shown below. In view of the incompleteness of the records of quantities manufactured, the production figures given represent the total values.

Kind of goods	Production	Exports		Retained imports	
	Value (at factory)	Quantity	Value (f.o.b.)	Quantity	Value (c.i.f.)
	£'000	Th. cwts.	£'000	Th. cwts.	£'000
Notepaper and pads... { 1935 464*	21.0	78	16.2	21	
... { 1930 684	23.2	109	3.0	9	
Envelopes ... { 1935 2,872	34.0	126	0.5	2	
... { 1930 2,562	52.3	234	6.3	18	
	Th. gross	Th. gross	Th. gross	Th. gross	
Picture postcards ... { 1935 274	37.6	11	96.7	20	
... { 1930 ...	38.0	11	609.9	127	
	Th. doz. packs	Th. doz. packs	Th. doz. packs	Th. doz. packs	
Playing cards... { 1935 286†	219.4	55	14.2	5	
... { 1930 293	232.0	57	13.0	5	

* Recorded as 186,200 cwts.

† Recorded as 711,300 doz. packs.

Table IX.—Other output of the Manufactured Stationery Trade

The value of the gross output of the firms whose returns were made on schedules for the Manufactured Stationery Trade was £15,730,000 in 1935 and £14,041,000 in 1930, of which £14,364,000 in 1935 and £11,713,000 in 1930 consisted of products included in Table V. Particulars of the remaining items are shown below.

Kind of output	1935	1930
	£'000	£'000
Goods made:—		
Manuscript books (account books, etc.) ...	601	567
Albums and diaries ...	86	274
Ink, gum and sealing wax ...	1	26
Boxes and cartons of paper and cardboard ...	148	116
Purchased paper enamelled, etc ...	15	527
Other goods ...	111	66
TOTAL - Goods made	962	1,576
Electricity sold ...	5	*
Waste paper sold ...	10	20
	Amount received	Amount received
Printing and other work done:—		
Letterpress printing ...	189	357
Lithographic printing ...	24	136
Other and unclassified printing ...	29	78
Gold blocking, stamping, lettering and gilding ...	27	17
Relief and die stamping ...	7	41
Binding, ruling, stitching, etc. ...	29	20
Other work ...	84	83
TOTAL - Printing and other work done	389	732
TOTAL ...	1,366	2,328

* Not recorded separately.

MATERIALS AND FUEL

Table X A.—Materials, fuel and electricity purchased and used

Kind of materials, etc.	1935		1930
	Quantity	Cost	Cost
	Th. tons	£'000	£'000
Paper of all kinds ...	257.1	4.744	}
Cardboard and pasteboard ...	32.3	384	
Fuel and electricity used for all purposes:—		56	
Coal ...	34.6	36	}
Coke ...	8.4	13	
Heavy fuel oil ...	272	5	} 6,687
	Th. galls.	2	
Purchased electricity* ...	19,185	73	
All other purchased materials and fuel ...		1729	
TOTAL ...		7,042	6,687

* Including electricity generated in other works under the same ownership.

Table X B.—Consumption of coal, coke and electricity

Kind of fuel	1935	1930
	Th. tons	Th. tons
Coal ...	34.6	23.9
Coke ...	8.4	4.8
Electricity:—	Th. B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)	Th. B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)
Generated in same works...	4,311	3,174
Generated in other works under same ownership ...	122	63
Purchased ...	19,063	8,315
Total electricity consumed ...	23,496	11,552

EMPLOYMENT

Table XI A.—Average numbers employed

Persons employed	Males		Females		Total	
	Under 18	All ages	Under 18	All ages	Under 18	All ages
	Operatives (average for the year) ...	2,236	12,490	9,530	25,271	11,766	37,761
Administrative, technical and clerical staff* ...	309	3,960	610	3,001	919	6,961
TOTAL ...	2,545	16,450	10,140	28,272	12,685	44,722
Average number of out-workers...	17		691		708	
	2		306		308	

* As at 12th October, 1935, and 18th October, 1930.

Table XI B.—Operatives employed in one week in each month of 1930 and 1935 by firms furnishing returns in respect of the twelve months ended December

Mid week of*	Operatives employed		Monthly index†	
	1930	1935	1930	1935
January ...	19,690	27,948	81.7	95.7
February ...	19,696	28,194	81.7	96.5
March ...	19,789	28,310	82.1	96.9
April ...	19,745	28,491	81.9	97.5
May ...	19,989	28,978	82.9	99.2
June ...	19,991	28,936	82.9	99.1
July ...	20,009	28,796	83.0	98.6
August ...	20,231	29,115	83.9	99.7
September ...	20,310	29,916	84.2	102.4
October ...	20,442	30,144	84.8	103.2
November ...	20,907	30,763	86.7	105.3
December ...	20,846	30,967	86.4	106.0
Average for the twelve months ...	20,137	29,213	83.5	100.0
Proportion of total operatives represented ...	63.84	77.36	...	...

* For the ending date of each week see page xiv.

† Based on the estimated average for the year 1935.

Table XI C.—Average numbers employed, 1924-1935

Year	Operatives	Administrative, technical and clerical staff	Total (excluding outworkers)
1924 ...	22,682	4,611	27,293
1930 ...	31,541	6,298	37,839
1935 ...	37,761	6,961	44,722

WAGES

Table XII.—Wages paid by firms furnishing returns of wages

The aggregate amount of wages paid by firms furnishing returns of wages was £2,232,000 in 1935 representing 43.5 per cent. of the net output of these firms, the corresponding figures for 1930 being £1,376,000 and 46.5 per cent. The figures for these firms given below indicate the size of the sample and the extent to which it is representative.

Firms furnishing returns of wages	1935		1930	
	Aggregate	Proportion of trade	Aggregate	Proportion of trade
Gross output...	£'000	Per cent.	£'000	Per cent.
Net output ...	9,445	60.0	5,839	41.6
Operative staff employed:—	No.		No.	
During mid-week of October:—				
Males ...	7,780	60.5	*	*
Females ...	15,753	60.5		
Total ...	23,533	60.5	14,622	45.8
Average for the year ...	23,047	61.0	14,493	46.0
Administrative, technical and clerical staff ...	4,229	60.8	*	*
Number of establishments ...	211	43.3	...	...

* Not recorded separately.

COUNTRY TABLES (1935)

Note.—The figures given in the following tables relate only to firms whose returns were made on schedules for the Manufactured Stationery Trade.

No production was recorded for Northern Ireland.

Table I.—General summary

Particulars	Unit	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
Value of products (Gross output) ...	£'000	14,732	998	15,730
Cost of materials, fuel and electricity used	"	6,570	472	7,042
Amount paid for work given out ...	"	131	11	142
Net output ...	"	8,031	515	8,546
Average number of persons employed (excluding outworkers) ...	No.	41,152	3,570	44,722
Net output per person employed (excluding outworkers) ...	£	195	144	191
Number of returns ...	No.	439	33	472
Number of establishments ...	"	453	34	487

Table II.—Output

Kind of output	Unit	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
Notepaper and pads ...	Th. cwt.	132.7	22.9	155.6
	£'000	319	66	385
Envelopes ...	Th. cwt.	660.2	85.4	745.6
	£'000	2,050	308	2,358
Boxed stationery (i.e., notepaper and envelopes packed together in cardboard boxes) and compendiums ...	Th. cwt.	111.2	16.9	128.1
	£'000	320	38	358
Paper bags ...	Th. cwt.	1,766.9	48.2	1,815.1
	£'000	2,441	68	2,509
Picture postcards ...	Th. gross	*	*	474.2
	£'000	*	*	110
Plain postcards and letter cards	Th. gross	*	*	398.0
	£'000	*	*	18
Other cards, printed or not (menu, visiting cards, etc.)† ...	£'000	*	*	5
	£'000	*	*	85
Christmas cards and greeting cards ...	Th. cwt.	1,109.4	106.5	1,215.9
	£'000	742	76	818
Playing cards ...	Th. doz. packs	*	*	2.3
	£'000	*	*	1
Calendars ...	Th. gross	*	*	206.0
	£'000	*	*	339
Pattern cards ...	£'000	*	*	47
	Th. gross	20.1	—	20.1
Tickets, showcards and posters, mounted or not ...	£'000	89	—	89
	£'000	108	8	116
Luggage labels ...	Th. gross	*	*	749
	£'000	*	*	3,203.0
Other and unclassified labels	£'000	*	*	218
	£'000	140	—	140
Paper patterns and transfers	£'000	428	—	428
	Th. cwt.	*	*	229.1
Paper tubes and bobbins	£'000	*	*	555
	Th. cwt.	*	*	64.5
Bottle caps, milk discs, jam-pot covers and the like ...	£'000	177	—	177
	£'000	68	—	68
Cake boards ...	Th. cwt.	1.1	—	1.1
	£'000	4	—	4
	£'000	3	—	3

Crimped confectionery cases and similar goods† ...	£'000			147
Dish papers, d'oyleys, serviettes and similar fancy paper goods	Th. cwt.	*	*	242.3
	£'000			453
	£'000			91
Paper novelties ...	£'000			187
Bonbons and crackers ...	£'000	315	—	315
Counter check books, continuous invoice forms and the like ...	£'000	685	—	685
Letter files, loose-leaf systems, index cards and other office systems ...	£'000	*	*	976
Picture and photo mounts of paper and cardboard ...	£'000	46	—	46
	Th. cwt.	*	*	199.6
Toilet paper ...	£'000	*	*	370
	£'000			71
Other manufactures of paper or cardboard ...	Th. cwt.	2.3	2.9	5.1
	£'000	4	9	13
	£'000	244	3	247
Purchased paper, cut, corrugated, perforated or otherwise processed ...	Th. cwt.	*	*	453.6
	£'000			581
Rubber stamps and accessories ...	£'000	156	5	161
	£'000	121	—	121
Other stationers' goods not of paper or cardboard ...	£'000	*	*	101
	£'000			14.449
TOTAL OF THE ABOVE	£'000	13,588	861	14,449
Other goods:—				
Manuscript books (account books, etc.) ...	£'000	521	80	601
Albums and diaries ...	£'000	78	8	86
Ink, gum and sealing wax ...	£'000	1	—	1
Boxes and cartons of paper and cardboard ...	£'000	135	13	148
Other goods ...	£'000	113	13	126
Electricity sold ...	£'000	5	—	5
Waste paper sold ...	£'000	8	2	10
		Amount received	Amount received	Amount received
Printing and other work done:—				
Letterpress printing ...	£'000	184	5	189
Lithographic printing ...	£'000	24	—	24
Other and unclassified printing	£'000	26	3	29
Gold blocking, stamping, lettering and gilding ...	£'000	24	3	27
Relief and die stamping ...	£'000	7	—	7
Binding, ruling, stitching, etc. ...	£'000	27	2	29
Other work ...	£'000	76	8	84
Total—Printing and other work done ...	£'000	368	21	389
Total—Value of goods made and work done ...	£'000	14,732	998	15,730

* Owing to the possible disclosure of information relating to individual firms, separate particulars cannot be given.

† So far as recorded separately.

Table III A.—Materials, fuel and electricity purchased and used

Kind of materials, etc.	Unit	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
Paper of all kinds	Th. tons	244.2	12.9	257.1
	£'000	4,424	320	4,744
Cardboard and pasteboard	Th. tons	30.7	1.6	32.3
	£'000	369	15	384
Fuel and electricity used for all purposes :—	£'000	54	2	56
Coal	Th. tons	31.7	2.9	34.6
	£'000	33	3	36
Coke	Th. tons	8.3	0.1	8.4
	£'000	13	*	13
Heavy fuel oil	Th. galls.	262	10	272
	£'000	5	*	5
Purchased electricity†	Th.	2	—	2
	B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)	18,182	1,003	19,185
All other purchased materials and fuel...	£'000	69	4	73
	£'000	1,602	127	1,729
TOTAL	£'000	6,570	472	7,042

* Less than £500.

† Including electricity generated in other works under same ownership.

Table III B.—Consumption of electricity

Electricity consumed	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
	Th. B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)	Th. B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)	Th. B.T.U. (Kw.-hrs.)
Generated in same works	4,311	—	4,311
Generated in other works under same ownership	122	—	122
Purchased	18,060	1,003	19,063
Total	22,493	1,003	23,496

Table IV A.—Numbers employed in week ended 12th October, 1935

Persons employed (excluding outworkers)	Males		Females		Total	
	Under 18	All ages	Under 18	All ages	Under 18	All ages
England and Wales :—						
Operatives	2,216	12,199	8,881	23,424	11,097	35,623
Administrative, etc.*	294	3,748	567	2,787	861	6,535
Total	2,510	15,947	9,448	26,211	11,958	42,158
Scotland :—						
Operatives	87	664	934	2,602	1,021	3,266
Administrative, etc.*	15	212	43	214	58	426
Total	102	876	977	2,816	1,079	3,692
Great Britain :—						
Operatives	2,303	12,863	9,815	26,026	12,118	38,889
Administrative, etc.*	309	3,960	610	3,001	919	6,961
TOTAL	2,612	16,823	10,425	29,027	13,037	45,850

* Administrative, technical and clerical staff.

Table IV B.—Operatives employed in one week in each month of 1935

Week ended	Males and females		
	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
January 19	33,517	3,000	36,517
February 16	33,613	3,046	36,659
March 16	33,604	3,102	36,706
April 13	33,541	3,135	36,676
May 18	34,078	3,165	37,243
June 15	34,241	3,041	37,282
July 13	34,179	3,108	37,277
August 17	34,443	3,163	37,606
September 14	35,325	3,236	38,561
October 12	35,623	3,266	38,889
November 16	36,448	3,230	39,678
December 14	36,794	3,239	40,033
Average for the twelve months	34,617	3,144	37,761

Table IV C.—Numbers of outworkers at two specified periods in 1935

Country	January			July		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
England and Wales... ..	18	608	626	16	768	784
Scotland	—	—	—	—	5	5
Great Britain	18	608	626	16	773	789

Table V.—Firms employing not more than ten persons on the average

Particulars	England and Wales	Scotland	Great Britain
Number of returns received	No. 613	No. 63	No. 676
Average number of persons employed :—			
Males... ..	2,164	219	2,383
Females	908	158	1,066
Total	3,072	377	3,449