

11.—Record of Industrial Disputes, 1901-1926.

Years.	Number of Disputes.		Disputes in existence in the year.	
	Inexistence in the year.	Beginning in the year.	Employees involved.	Time loss in working days.
1901.....	104	104	28,036	632,302
1902.....	121	121	12,264	120,940
1903.....	146	146	50,041	1,226,500
1904.....	99	99	16,482	265,004
1905.....	89	83	16,223	217,244
1906.....	141	141	26,050	359,797
1907.....	149	144	36,224	621,962
1908.....	68	65	25,293	708,285
1909.....	69	69	17,332	871,845
1910.....	84	82	21,280	718,635
1911.....	99	96	30,094	2,045,650
1912.....	150	148	40,511	1,099,208
1913.....	113	106	39,536	1,287,678
1914.....	44	40	8,678	430,054
1915.....	43	38	9,140	106,149
1916.....	75	74	21,157	208,277
1917.....	148	141	48,339	1,134,070
1918.....	196	191	68,489	763,341
1919.....	298	290	138,988	3,942,189
1920.....	285	272	52,150	886,754
1921.....	145	138	22,930	856,461
1922.....	85	70	41,050	1,975,296
1923.....	91	77	32,868	768,474
1924.....	73	63	32,494	1,770,825
1925.....	83	81	25,796	1,743,996
1926.....	77	73	24,142	296,811
Total.....	3,075¹	2,957	885,627¹	25,159,656

¹In these totals, figures for disputes extending over the end of a year are counted more than once.

Table 12 is a record of disputes by months since 1921, from which it appears that the greatest time losses usually occur in the spring and summer months. The long-drawn-out coal strikes in most cases caused the important losses during those months. The heavy loss of working time in May and June, 1921, was chiefly due to strikes in the building trades against reductions in wages, while in 1920 the loss during those two months and also in July was a result of strikes in the building and metal trades and in coal-mining. The greatest time loss in 1926 was from May to August, although it was also heavy in February, September and October. The largest number of employees involved was in July.

12.—Monthly Record of Strikes and Lockouts, 1921-1926.

Months.	Disputes in existence.						Number of employees involved.					
	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.
Jan.....	23	22	18	13	12	11	1,765	3,435	2,852	14,294	731	823
Feb.....	31	24	20	17	14	10	2,906	3,200	3,950	12,933	3,066	2,450
Mar.....	32	20	19	13	15	14	3,458	2,569	1,533	827	11,891	1,032
April.....	29	26	27	16	13	14	4,453	13,086	2,561	8,667	12,149	924
May.....	56	31	39	14	19	15	9,323	13,433	4,767	7,955	13,240	4,018
June.....	50	25	28	26	23	15	10,239	11,093	6,268	12,296	14,701	2,881
July.....	41	21	23	19	21	18	9,413	15,553	18,095	8,701	13,458	11,891
Aug.....	31	25	20	16	20	14	3,442	25,364	3,651	9,472	13,430	4,326
Sept.....	26	23	18	9	14	14	3,948	17,736	1,729	7,687	1,297	2,347
Oct.....	17	18	16	7	8	12	1,897	3,240	2,322	8,023	705	2,564
Nov.....	18	14	15	3	11	13	3,354	2,036	2,237	853	3,025	1,133
Dec.....	18	15	13	3	9	10	3,759	2,950	2,446	125	1,532	198
Year.....	145¹	85¹	91¹	73¹	83¹	77¹	22,930¹	41,050¹	32,868¹	32,494¹	25,796¹	24,142

¹See next page for note.