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APPENDIX I

First Juvenile Employment Questionnaire

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CARDIFF, WITH THE APPROVAL OF DIRECTORS OF EDUCATION

(1) Information is required relating to all boys and girls *eligible* to leave school at the end of the summer term, 1934.

(2) It will facilitate the enquiry if this form is filled in and returned to the Education Office as soon as possible after the end of the summer term.

(3) Head teachers are asked to pay special attention to those boys and girls who leave school at the end of the summer term, 1934, because it is proposed later on to collect information about the industry and occupation in which each child is employed at the end of three months after leaving school. The necessary form and details of this enquiry will be issued in the autumn, but it is mentioned here in order that head teachers might keep track of school-leavers in the intervening period of three months.

(4) The distinction between "industry," "trade," or "service" on the one hand, and "occupation" on the other hand, should be carefully noted. *The business of the child's employer, not the occupation of the child, determines the industry under which the child should be classified.* Thus, if a clerk is employed by a builder, his industry is A5—"building"; if employed by a railway company he should be placed under C6—"railway services."

Examples :

Industry, code letter, and number	Branch of industry	Occupation	Sex (M. or F.)	Whether employ- ment is in locality (L), elsewhere in South Wales (SW), or outside South Wales (O)
A 1	—	Dairymaid.. ..	F	SW
A 7	Toffee manufacturer	Machine minder ..	F	L
A 13	Repairs	Mechanic	M	L
A 13	Aircraft manufacturer	Mechanic	M	O
C 6	—	Refreshment room boy	M	L
C 9	Cinema	Attendant ..	F	L
D	Textile—artificial silk	Machine minder ..	F	O

2 LIST OF INDUSTRIES, TRADES, AND SERVICES TO BE USED IN
CLASSIFYING SCHOOL-LEAVERS

*Code Letter
and Number*

A.—Industries engaged in construction, extraction, manufacture, etc.

1. Agriculture.
2. Clothing trades (tailoring and millinery).
3. Boot and shoe manufacture and repair.
4. Bricks, pipes, tiles manufacture.
5. Building and public works contracting.
6. Chemicals manufacture.
7. Food industries (manufacture or preparation).
8. Drink industries (manufacture or preparation).
9. General and electrical engineering.
10. Iron and steel manufacture.
11. Coal-mining.
12. Stone quarrying and mining.
13. Construction and repair of motor-cars, lorries, omnibuses, etc.
14. Printing and publishing.
15. Manufacture of furniture, upholstery, house and shop fittings.

B.—Wholesale and retail trading.

C.—Services.

1. Commerce, banking, insurance, and finance.
2. Local government service (excluding gas, water, electricity, tramway, etc., undertakings).
3. National government.
4. Personal service (domestic, hotel, boarding-house, restaurant, and club service).
5. Professional service (legal, medical, educational, accountancy, etc.).
6. Railway service.
7. Tramway and omnibus service and other road transport.
8. Gas, water, electricity.
9. Entertainments and sports.
10. Laundries, job dyeing, dry-cleaning.

D.—Industries and services not separately specified above.

Please describe Industry or Service.

Please detach and return.

3

CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOL-LEAVERS

Name of local education authority.....

Name of school.....

Type of school.....

(Elementary, Secondary, Junior Technical, etc.)

	No. of Boys	No. of Girls
(1) Number of boys and girls <i>eligible</i> to leave school at the end of the summer term, 1934 ..		
(2) Number known to be taking up employment in the locality on leaving school		
(3) Number who are unemployed but are: ..		
(a) Continuing at school		
(b) Staying at home, and not seeking employment		
(c) Seeking employment and not still at school		
(4) Number known to be proceeding immediately to further education:		
(a) Junior technical schools		
(b) Public or private commercial schools		
(c) Other private schools		
(d) University or college		
(5) Number known to be leaving the district on leaving school:		
(a) for employment		
(b) for non-employment (if not included under (4) above)		
(6) Number about whom nothing is known on leaving school		

Note:—The total of 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 should agree with the figures given under (1)

4
**OCCUPATIONAL DISTRIBUTION OF BOYS AND GIRLS WHO ARE KNOWN
 TO BE ENTERING EMPLOYMENT IMMEDIATELY ON LEAVING SCHOOL**

Industry, code letter, and number	Branch of industry	Occupation	Sex (M. or F.)	Whether employ- ment is in locality (L), elsewhere in South Wales (SW), or outside South Wales (O)

For code letter and number see page 2.

Second Juvenile Employment Questionnaire

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE, CARDIFF, WITH THE APPROVAL OF DIRECTORS OF EDUCATION

(1) Information is required relating to the employment of all boys and girls *who left school* at the end of the summer term, 1934.

(2) Information is sought about the industry and occupation in which each child is employed *on November 30, 1934*.

(3) In completing the forms on pages 3 and 4, the industries in which juveniles are employed should be indicated by the appropriate code letters and numbers. These are fully set out on page 2—e.g. boot and shoe industry is A3, laundry work is C10, etc.

(4) Boys and girls who are "staying at home," i.e. not seeking employment, should be classified under (E).

(5) Boys and girls who are seeking employment but not in employment at the end of November, should be classified under (F).

(6) Boys and girls who have proceeded to some form of further education should be classified under (G).

(7) Returns for *boys* should be made on page 3; returns for *girls* on page 4.

(8) The distinction between "industry," "trade," or "service" on the one hand, and "occupation" on the other, should be carefully noted. *The business of the child's employer, not the occupation of the child, determines the industry under which the child should be classified.* Thus, if a clerk is employed by a builder, his industry is A5—"building"; if employed by a railway company he should be placed under C6—"railway services."

Examples :

Number of boys	Industry, code letter, and number	Branch of industry	Occupation	Whether employment is in locality (L), elsewhere in South Wales (SW), or outside South Wales (O)
2	A 1	—	Labourers ..	SW
1	A 13	Repairs	Mechanic ..	L
1	D	Hairdressing ..	Assistant ..	O
4	F	Unemployed ..	—	—
1	G	Further education ..	Junior Technical School	—

2 LIST OF INDUSTRIES, TRADES, AND SERVICES TO BE USED IN
CLASSIFYING SCHOOL-LEAVERS

*Code Letter
and Number*

A.—Industries engaged in construction, extraction, manufacture, etc.

1. Agriculture.
2. Clothing trades (tailoring and millinery).
3. Boot and shoe manufacture and repair.
4. Bricks, pipes, tiles manufacture.
5. Building and public works construction.
6. Chemicals manufacture.
7. Food industries (manufacture or preparation).
8. Drink industries (manufacture or preparation).
9. General and electrical engineering.
10. Iron and steel manufacture.
11. Coal-mining.
12. Stone quarrying and mining.
13. Construction and repair of motor-cars, lorries, omnibuses, etc.
14. Printing and publishing.
15. Manufacture of furniture, upholstery, house and shop fittings.

B.—Wholesale and retail trading.

C.—Services.

1. Commerce, banking, insurance, and finance.
2. Local government service (excluding gas, water, electricity, tramway, etc., undertakings).
3. National government.
4. Personal service (domestic, hotel, boarding-house, restaurant, and club service).
5. Professional service (legal, medical, educational, accountancy, etc.).
6. Railway service.
7. Tramway and omnibus service and other road transport.
8. Gas, water, electricity.
9. Entertainments and sports.
10. Laundries, job dyeing, dry-cleaning.

*D.—Industries and services not separately specified. above
Please describe Industry or Service.*

E.—Boys and girls staying at home.

*F.—Boys and girls seeking employment, but not in employment on
November 30, 1934.*

G.—Boys and girls who have proceeded to some form of further education.

CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOL-LEAVERS

3

Boys

Name of local education authority.....

Name of school.....

Type of school.....

(Elementary, Secondary, Junior Technical, etc.)

Number of boys	Industry, code letter, and number	Branch of industry	Occupation	Whether employment is in locality (L), elsewhere in South Wales (SW), or outside South Wales (O)

N.B. Please detach and return to the Education Office as soon as possible after completion

CLASSIFICATION OF SCHOOL-LEAVERS

GIRLS

Name of local education authority.....

Name of school.....

Type of school.....

.(Elementary, Secondary, Junior Technical, etc.)

Number of girls	Industry, code letter, and number	Branch of industry	Occupation	Whether employment is in locality (L), elsewhere in South Wales (SW), or outside South Wales (O)

N.B. Please detach and return to the Education Office as soon as possible after completion

APPENDIX III

A. MALES

OCCUPATIONAL ANALYSIS (1931 CENSUS)

Administrative County of :	Total occupied males aged 14-17 yrs. (inclusive)	Percentage of total occupied males (14-17 years inclusive) engaged in :									
		Agric- ulture	Mining, and quarry- ing	Metal work	Manu- facture of foods, drinks, and tobacco	Building, painters, decora- tors, etc.	Trans- port and commu- nication	Com- merce, finance, clerks, typists, etc.	Enter- tain- ments and sports	Personal service	All others
Carmarthenshire ..	4,682	25.2	23.3	10.6	0.7	1.8	6.9	9.1	0.3	1.8	20.3
Brecknockshire ..	1,428	30.2	29.1	3.8	1.5	1.4	11.1	11.1	0.0	2.1	9.8
Glamorganshire ..	32,256	3.0	36.8	7.1	1.4	2.0	17.4	13.6	0.4	1.9	16.4
Monmouthshire ..	11,732	6.5	37.3	6.4	1.3	1.8	15.9	12.7	0.3	2.1	15.7
The four counties	50,098	6.7	35.5	7.2	1.3	1.9	15.9	12.9	0.3	1.9	16.4
South Wales 1921 Census (14-17 yrs)	57,283	2.7	46.0	13.5	0.9	1.9	11.9	8.9	0.2	1.2	12.8

APPENDIX III

B. FEMALES

OCCUPATIONAL ANALYSIS (1931 CENSUS)

Administrative county of	Total occupied females aged 14-17 years	Percentage of total occupied females (14-17 years inclusive) engaged in								All others
		Agriculture	Metal workers	Textile and textile goods workers	Makers of foods, drinks, and tobacco	Transport and communication	Commerce, finance, typists, clerks, etc.	Entertainments and sports	Personal service	
Carmarthenshire ..	2,136	8.4	6.7	5.7	0.2	0.5	13.5	0.1	51.6	13.3
Brecknockshire ..	693	1.6	—	2.6	0.4	0.4	11.7	—	79.4	3.9
Glamorganshire ..	14,911	0.4	1.5	6.9	2.1	1.1	25.4	0.2	51.1	11.3
Monmouthshire ..	4,717	0.4	1.5	2.9	1.4	0.9	24.1	0.1	58.2	10.5
The four counties	22,457	1.2	2.0	5.8	1.7	1.0	23.6	0.2	53.6	11.0
South Wales 1921 Census (14-17 yrs.)	22,506	0.9	4.6	13.9	2.0	2.2	25.7	0.7	42.6	7.4

APPENDIX IV

A. RESULTS OF QUESTIONNAIRE No. 1 (BOYS)

Local education authority	No. of boys <i>eligible</i> to leave school at the end of the summer term, 1934	Percentage of those eligible to leave who remained at school pending employment	No. of boys who <i>left</i> school at the end of the summer term, 1934	Percentage of those who left school						
				<i>a</i>	<i>b</i>	<i>c</i>	<i>d</i>	<i>e</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>g</i>
				To take up employment locally	To take up employment in other districts	Not seeking employment	Seeking employment but unemployed	To proceed to further education (not secondary schools)	To leave the district, but not for employment	Those about whom nothing was known
Breconshire ..	209	31·1	144	43·7	7·6	5·6	31·9	—	—	11·2
Carmarthenshire ..	505	44·4	281	37·7	2·5	6·1	49·5	2·1	—	2·1
Glamorganshire ..	1,489	35·1	967	39·7	3·4	1·8	45·3	8·1	0·3	1·4
Monmouthshire ..	1,300	42·9	742	50·0	2·8	1·3	35·3	10·4	—	0·2
Swansea ..	585	44·6	324	62·8	0·4	1·5	30·5	3·1	0·4	1·3
Merthyr Tydfil ..	231	75·8	56	57·1	1·8	1·8	37·5	1·8	—	—
Llanelli ..	222	66·2	75	70·7	—	1·3	25·4	1·3	1·3	—
Newport ..	471	30·6	327	26·4	1·2	—	53·5	6·1	—	12·8
Port Talbot ..	122	36·9	77	48·1	2·6	—	49·3	—	—	—
Neath ..	154	33·1	103	24·3	—	—	25·2	5·8	—	44·7
Pontypridd ..	266	69·5	81	19·8	4·9	—	72·8	2·5	—	—
Rhondda ..	726	60·9	284	34·2	4·2	5·3	40·8	13·3	1·1	1·1
Mountain Ash ..	254	57·5	108	51·9	5·6	4·6	33·3	4·6	—	—
Aberdare ..	365	73·7	96	39·7	1·0	—	58·3	1·0	—	—
Barry ..	146	70·0	57	49·1	8·8	1·8	17·5	17·5	—	5·3
Abertillery ..	89	33·7	59	42·4	1·6	—	39·0	8·5	—	8·5
Ebbw Vale ..	150	40·7	89	20·2	5·6	1·1	41·6	31·5	—	—
Totals ..	7,284	46·9	3,870	42·4	2·9	2·1	41·3	7·4	0·2	3·7

APPENDIX IV

B. RESULTS OF QUESTIONNAIRE No. 1 (GIRLS)

Local education authority	No. of girls eligible to leave school at the end of the summer term, 1934	Percentage of those eligible to leave who remained at school pending employment	No. of girls who left school at the end of the summer term, 1934	Percentage of those who left school						
				a	b	c	d	e	f	g
				To take up employment locally	To take up employment in other districts	Not seeking employment	Seeking employment but unemployed	To proceed to further education (not secondary schools)	To leave the district, but not for employment	Those about whom nothing was known
Breconshire ..	188	30.0	132	11.4	6.8	49.2	26.5	—	—	6.1
Carmarthenshire ..	476	38.2	294	19.4	4.8	46.9	20.1	3.7	2.0	3.1
Glamorganshire ..	1,326	33.9	877	13.3	5.9	41.1	36.6	2.3	0.3	0.5
Monmouthshire ..	1,349	46.1	726	20.0	9.2	30.9	34.4	2.6	0.8	2.1
Swansea ..	583	36.4	371	28.6	6.5	39.6	21.3	0.8	0.5	2.7
Merthyr Tydfil ..	181	55.8	80	20.0	7.5	43.8	27.5	1.2	—	—
Llanely ..	142	45.1	78	35.9	2.6	35.9	23.0	2.6	—	—
Newport ..	442	18.3	361	12.5	1.7	9.4	58.4	8.0	—	10.0
Port Talbot ..	127	24.4	96	12.5	3.1	30.2	45.8	6.3	—	2.1
Neath ..	194	15.5	164	21.4	1.2	24.4	12.8	0.6	0.6	39.0
Pontypridd ..	307	74.6	78	6.4	2.6	35.9	53.8	—	—	1.3
Rhondda ..	781	51.5	379	7.4	13.5	48.0	28.5	1.6	0.3	0.7
Mountain Ash ..	286	55.6	127	11.0	14.2	42.5	29.1	0.8	2.4	—
Aberdare ..	256	64.1	92	4.3	13.0	46.6	34.0	—	1.1	1.0
Barry ..	151	49.0	77	31.2	2.6	18.2	42.9	3.9	—	1.2
Abertillery ..	81	29.6	57	14.0	28.1	47.4	—	—	—	10.5
Ebbw Vale ..	203	52.7	96	13.5	18.8	37.5	29.2	1.0	—	—
Totals	7,073	42.2	4,085	16.4	7.4	36.3	32.8	2.5	0.6	4.0

APPENDIX V

A. INDUSTRIES ENTERED LOCALLY BY SCHOOL-LEAVERS (BOYS)

Local education authority			Boys who left the elementary schools at the end of the summer term, 1934, to enter the following occupations in the locality:											Total	
			Agriculture	Building and public works contracting	Manufacture of food and drink	General and electrical engineering	Iron and steel and tin-plate manufacture	Coal-mining	Construction and repair of motor cars, lorries, etc.	Wholesale and retail trading	Transport services	Entertainments and sports	Laundries and job dyeing, etc.		All others
Breconshire .. ..	..	..	36.5	3.2	1.6	—	—	33.3	1.6	19.0	—	—	1.6	3.2	63
Carmarthenshire .. ..	..	..	59.4	—	—	—	3.8	16.0	—	11.3	1.9	—	—	7.6	106
Glamorganshire .. ..	..	..	13.3	4.4	2.3	0.8	3.1	34.1	1.6	31.5	1.6	1.0	—	6.3	384
Monmouthshire .. ..	..	..	11.6	5.4	1.1	2.7	3.2	27.8	1.3	39.1	0.5	0.3	0.3	6.7	371
Swansea .. ..	..	..	2.9	3.9	2.9	2.0	12.3	—	2.9	59.3	0.5	0.5	1.5	11.3	204
Merthyr Tydfil .. ..	..	..	—	—	3.1	3.1	3.1	31.3	3.1	43.8	—	—	6.3	6.2	32
Llanelli .. ..	..	..	—	1.9	7.6	1.9	32.1	—	3.8	43.3	1.9	—	1.9	5.6	53
Newport .. ..	..	..	2.3	4.7	7.0	4.7	9.3	—	5.8	38.3	3.5	2.3	4.7	17.4	86
Port Talbot .. ..	..	..	5.4	2.7	—	2.7	16.2	8.1	—	56.8	2.7	—	—	5.4	37
Neath .. ..	..	..	—	—	4.0	4.0	16.0	8.0	4.0	52.0	—	—	—	12.0	25
Pontypridd .. ..	..	..	12.5	18.7	—	—	—	6.3	—	56.2	—	—	—	6.3	116
Rhondda .. ..	..	..	1.0	2.1	5.1	—	—	51.6	—	26.9	1.0	—	1.0	11.3	97
Mountain Ash .. ..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—	58.9	1.8	35.7	—	—	—	3.6	56
Aberdare .. ..	..	..	13.3	2.6	—	2.6	—	65.8	—	10.5	2.6	—	—	2.6	38
Barry .. ..	..	..	10.7	—	—	7.1	3.6	—	7.1	32.1	3.6	—	—	35.8	28
Abertillery .. ..	..	..	—	—	—	—	—	88.0	—	12.0	—	—	—	—	25
Ebbw Vale .. ..	..	..	11.1	—	5.6	—	—	27.8	—	44.4	—	—	—	11.1	18
Totals .. ..	..	..	12.4	3.6	2.3	1.7	5.5	25.8	1.8	36.2	1.2	0.5	0.8	8.2	1,639

APPENDIX V

B. INDUSTRIES ENTERED LOCALLY BY SCHOOL-LEAVERS (GIRLS)

Local education authority	Girls who left the elementary schools at the end of the summer term, 1934, to enter the following occupations in the locality :									
	Agri- culture	Clothing manufac- ture	Manufac- ture of food and drink	Iron and steel and tinplate manufac- ture	Whole- sale and retail trading	Personal service	Laundries and job dyeing, etc.	All others	Total	
Breconshire	6·7	—	—	—	6·7	86·6	—	—	15	
Carmarthenshire	28·1	12·3	1·7	3·5	5·3	43·8	—	5·3	57	
Glamorganshire	1·7	6·8	2·6	0·9	10·3	63·2	0·9	13·6	117	
Monmouthshire	1·3	1·3	1·3	1·3	13·9	70·6	1·3	9·0	144	
Swansea	—	5·7	—	3·8	24·5	51·9	3·8	10·3	106	
Merthyr Tydfil	—	6·7	—	—	13·3	80·0	—	—	15	
Llanelly	—	7·1	—	—	32·1	35·7	14·4	10·7	28	
Newport	—	11·2	6·6	2·2	22·3	42·3	6·6	8·8	45	
Port Talbot	—	33·3	—	—	25·0	41·7	—	—	12	
Neath	2·9	20·0	2·9	2·9	2·9	54·3	—	14·1	36	
Pontypridd	—	20·0	—	—	20·0	60·0	—	—	5	
Rhondda	—	14·3	—	—	10·7	57·1	—	17·9	28	
Mountain Ash	—	7·1	—	—	7·1	85·8	—	—	14	
Aberdare	—	—	—	—	—	25·0	25·0	50·0	4	
Barry	—	4·2	—	—	4·2	79·2	—	12·4	24	
Abertillery	—	—	—	—	50·0	50·0	—	—	8	
Ebbw Vale	—	—	—	—	15·4	76·9	—	7·7	13	
Totals	3·3	7·3	1·5	1·6	14·8	59·5	2·2	9·8	671	

APPENDIX VI

A. LOCAL OCCUPATIONAL DISTRIBUTION IN DECEMBER OF BOYS WHO LEFT SCHOOL AT END OF SUMMER TERM, 1934

Local education authority	Occupations in which boys who had left school at the end of the summer term, 1934, were engaged locally at the beginning of December, 1934 :												
	Agriculture	Building and public works contracting	Manufacture of food and drink	General and electrical engineering	Iron and steel and tin-plate manufacture	Coal-mining	Construction and repair of motor cars, lorries, etc.	Wholesale and retail trading	Transport services	Entertainments and sports	Laundries and job dyeing, etc.	All others	Total
Glamorganshire	8.2	4.0	2.5	0.5	4.8	41.3	1.7	29.2	0.3	0.3	0.2	7.0	647
Monmouthshire	9.8	2.9	1.8	1.6	3.0	40.6	1.4	32.6	0.5	0.5	0.2	5.1	559
Swansea	1.3	2.6	3.2	1.9	10.4	0.6	1.0	61.2	4.5	1.0	0.6	11.7	309
Merthyr Tydfil	1.4	—	1.4	1.4	1.4	35.6	—	52.0	2.7	—	—	4.1	73
Llanelly	—	3.0	7.5	—	34.3	—	4.5	40.3	1.5	—	—	8.9	67
Newport	0.3	4.8	3.5	4.0	11.0	—	3.0	50.8	4.6	0.8	2.2	15.0	372
Port Talbot	4.3	3.0	3.0	4.3	7.2	11.6	7.2	52.2	—	—	—	7.2	69
Pontypridd	9.1	10.9	1.8	1.8	3.6	9.1	5.5	47.3	1.8	—	—	9.1	55
Rhondda	1.4	1.4	2.2	0.7	—	54.6	0.7	31.9	—	—	0.7	6.4	141
Mountain Ash	3.3	—	—	—	—	70.0	1.1	21.2	—	1.1	—	3.3	90
Aberdare	2.8	—	1.9	2.8	—	63.9	—	20.4	0.9	0.9	—	6.4	108
Abertillery	—	3.6	—	—	—	89.3	—	7.1	—	—	—	—	28
Ebbw Vale	4.3	4.3	4.3	—	4.3	34.9	—	43.6	—	—	—	4.3	23
Totals	5.2	3.2	2.5	1.7	6.0	30.6	1.8	38.3	1.5	0.5	0.5	8.2	2,541

APPENDIX VI

B. LOCAL OCCUPATIONAL DISTRIBUTION IN DECEMBER OF GIRLS WHO LEFT SCHOOL AT THE END OF THE SUMMER TERM, 1934

Local education authority	Occupations in which girls who had left school at the end of the summer term, 1934, were engaged locally at the beginning of December, 1934								
	Agri-culture	Clothing manufac-ture	Manufac-ture of food and drink	Iron and steel and tinplate manufac-ture	Wholesale and retail trading	Personal service	Laundries and job dyeing, etc.	All others	Total
137 Glamorganshire	—	9.0	1.3	0.9	9.4	74.0	0.9	4.5	223
Monmouthshire	0.9	4.0	3.1	2.3	12.5	71.4	1.4	4.4	224
Swansea	—	14.6	0.6	2.9	30.4	39.2	2.3	10.0	171
Merthyr Tydfil	—	6.7	—	—	26.6	60.0	—	6.7	15
Llanelly	—	1.7	—	20.3	23.7	37.3	13.6	3.4	59
Newport	—	7.7	15.5	1.4	20.3	38.6	7.7	8.8	207
Port Talbot	3.3	26.7	13.3	10.0	6.7	36.7	—	3.3	30
Pontypridd	2.1	6.4	8.5	—	32.0	46.8	—	4.2	47
Rhondda	—	8.4	1.7	—	11.9	72.9	1.7	3.4	59
Mountain Ash	—	3.0	—	—	39.4	57.6	—	—	33
Aberdare	—	—	3.7	—	25.9	55.6	7.4	7.4	27
Abertillery	—	—	—	—	41.7	58.3	—	—	12
Ebbw Vale	—	—	—	—	11.1	77.8	—	11.1	9
Totals	0.4	8.0	4.7	2.8	18.9	56.2	3.2	5.8	1,116

APPENDIX VII

(A) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BOYS AND GIRLS REACHING THE AGES OF 14, 15, 16, AND 17 IN SOUTH WALES¹
(THOUSANDS)

Ages	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945
14 years	35	36	36	47	46	40	39	39	37	36	31	31	30	30	28
15 "	37	35	36	36	47	46	40	39	39	37	36	31	31	30	29
16 "	40	37	35	36	36	47	47	40	39	39	37	36	31	31	30
17 "	42	40	37	35	36	36	46	45	40	39	39	37	36	31	31
Total	154	148	144	154	165	169	170	163	155	151	143	135	128	122	118

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(B) ESTIMATED NUMBER OF BOYS AND GIRLS LIKELY TO BE AVAILABLE FOR EMPLOYMENT IN SOUTH WALES¹
AT THE END OF THE YEARS SPECIFIED BELOW
(THOUSANDS)

14 years	17	18	18	23	23	20	19	19	18	18	15	15	15	15	14
15 "	25	24	24	24	32	31	27	27	27	25	24	21	21	20	20
16 "	31	29	27	28	28	37	35	31	30	30	29	28	24	24	23
17 "	37	35	32	30	31	31	40	39	35	34	34	32	31	31	27
Total	110	106	101	105	114	119	121	116	110	107	102	96	91	90	84

¹ I.e. Glamorganshire, Monmouthshire, Brecknockshire, and Carmarthenshire.

APPENDIX VIII

TOTAL NUMBER OF JUVENILES PLACED IN EMPLOYMENT (1927-33)

Juvenile Advisory or Employment Committee	Total placings		Local placings				Placings in other districts			
	Boys	Girls	Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls	
	Number	Number	Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total	Number	Percentage of total
Aberdare	754	745	506	67·1	313	42·0	248	32·9	432	58·0
Abertillery ..	782	776	164	21·0	110	14·2	618	79·0	666	85·8
Bargoed	891	946	411	46·1	166	17·5	480	53·9	780	82·5
Barry	462	578	425	92·0	534	92·4	37	8·0	44	7·6
Cardiff	10,682	9,847	10,374	97·1	9,644	97·9	308	2·9	203	2·1
Ebbw Vale	318	469	83	26·1	183	39·0	235	73·9	286	61·0
Llanelly	1,185	1,217	1,092	92·2	1,167	95·9	93	7·8	50	4·1
Merthyr	749	428	589	78·6	212	49·5	160	21·4	216	50·5
Neath	541	656	351	64·9	455	69·4	190	35·1	201	30·6
Newport*	1,746	1,920	1,734	99·3	1,830	95·3	12	0·7	90	4·7
Pontypool	548	899	329	60·0	324	36·0	219	40·0	575	64·0
Pontypridd ..	785	466	486	61·9	261	56·0	299	38·1	205	44·0
Port Talbot ..	771	729	545	70·7	441	60·5	226	29·3	288	39·5
Rhondda*	841	582	478	56·8	91	15·6	363	43·2	491	84·4
Swansea	4,063	3,847	4,034	99·3	3,583	93·1	29	0·7	264	6·9
Total	25,118	24,105	21,601	86·0	19,314	80·1	3,517	14·0	4,791	19·9

* The figures for these committees refer only to the years 1930-33.

APPENDIX IX

PLACING WORK OF THE NORTH AND SOUTH WALES SECONDARY SCHOOLS' EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEES

Year	Local placings							Placings in other districts						
	Total number placed locally	Percentage placed in the undermentioned industries and services						Total number placed in other districts	Percentage placed in the undermentioned industries and services					
		Wholesale and retail trading	Engineering	Personal service (including nursing)	Clerks, typists, etc.	G.P.O.	All others		Wholesale and retail trading	Personal service (including nursing)	Clerks, typists, etc.	Engineering	Clothing trades	All others
							A.	Boys						
1931	45	31.1	8.9	—	35.6	8.8	15.6	39	41.0	25.6	2.6	20.5	—	10.3
1932	54	20.4	9.3	—	35.2	5.5	29.6	34	17.6	26.5	20.6	11.8	—	23.5
1933	92	15.2	4.4	—	23.9	5.4	51.1	53	17.0	28.3	3.8	26.4	—	24.5
							B.	Girls						
1931	47	55.3	—	8.5	25.5	6.4	4.3	57	—	96.4	1.8	—	—	1.8
1932	69	27.5	—	15.9	36.2	7.3	13.1	86	2.3	88.4	2.3	—	4.7	2.3
1933	85	41.2	—	14.1	37.6	—	7.1	114	1.8	61.4	1.8	—	—	35.0

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