

men usually hold the key positions in an industry and are not laid off as soon as women when work is slack. A further point of contrast between men and women is that whatever overtime there was in this week was almost wholly concentrated among the men workers. Figures showing the per cent of workers on a full time, undertime and overtime basis are as follows:

	NUMBER OF WORKERS			PER CENT OF WORKERS		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
Total <sup>1</sup> .....	1452	465	987	100.0	100.0	100.0
Full time workers.....	599	281	318	41.3	60.4	32.2
Undertime workers.....	786	130	656	54.1	28.0	66.5
Overtime workers.....	67	54	13	4.6	11.6	1.3

<sup>1</sup> Represents the number of workers for whom records of hours actually worked were secured.

#### EXTENT OF UNDERTIME

The amount of time lost by employees not working the full schedule indicates more specifically the seriousness of the undertime situation. In the week studied, the number of hours of lost time varied from less than one for 5 per cent of the workers to 40 hours or more for 2 per cent. More than two-thirds of the workers lost at least five hours of working time, 43 per cent 10 hours or more.

AMOUNT OF UNDERTIME	NUMBER OF WORKERS			PER CENT OF WORKERS		
	Total	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women
Total undertime workers...	786	130	656	100.0	100.0	100.0
Under one hour.....	42	12	30	5.3	9.2	4.6
1 hour and under 5.....	209	46	163	26.6	35.4	24.8
5 hours and under 10.....	197	20	177	25.1	15.4	27.0
10 hours and under 15.....	121	19	102	15.4	14.6	15.5
15 hours and under 20.....	82	11	71	10.4	8.5	10.8
20 hours and under 30.....	91	9	82	11.6	6.9	12.5
30 hours and under 40.....	31	11	20	3.9	8.5	3.1
40 hours and over.....	13	2	11	1.7	1.5	1.7

#### EXTENT OF OVERTIME

Only 13 women worked beyond their schedule and none exceeded the 54 hour legal maximum. For eight of these women there were between five and ten hours of overtime work. For men the number of hours of overtime was greater than for women, as was the relative number of workers having overtime. One man had 21 hours of work beyond his schedule; four men had at least 15 hours. The amount of overtime worked by men and women is as follows: