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MADAM SECRETARY: I have the honor to transmit herewith a selected list of references to bulletins and articles published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

This list has been compiled as a means of ready reference to the material contained in the publications of the Bureau, and especially to render accessible the recent articles published in the Monthly Labor Review.

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The references given on the following pages do not constitute a complete catalog of publications of the Bureau of Labor Statistics but, as noted in the title above, are a selected list. A list of the Bureau's bulletins published since July 1912, classified by subject, is available in a printed leaflet, and a chronological list of all its publications is given in the list of publications of the Department of Labor. A detailed index to the material carried in the Monthly Labor Review is published for each volume (6 numbers).

The Bureau has a limited number of its bulletins for distribution and as long as the supply lasts they are furnished free upon request. This also applies to single copies of the Monthly Labor Review, but regular distribution of the Review is on a subscription basis, the subscriptions being handled by the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. The free-distribution supply of some of the publications noted in this list is exhausted (indicated by an asterisk), but most if not all of them can be purchased at a nominal charge from the Superintendent of Documents, or consulted in local libraries, many of which are depositories for publications of the Federal Government.

The letters M. L. R. indicate the Monthly Labor Review.

Child Labor

Child labor in the United States, 1933, as reflected by employment certificates issued. Prepared by United States Children's Bureau. (M. L. R., Dec. 1934—reprint.)

Since the creation of the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor, all original investigations of matters pertaining to child labor in the United States, conducted by the Department of Labor, have been made by that bureau, which will be glad to furnish lists of publications upon request.

Collective Bargaining and Agreements

- *Collective bargaining in the anthracite coal industry. (Bul. 191, 1916.)
- *Collective agreements in the men's clothing industry. (Bul. 198, 1916.)
- *Collective bargaining by actors. (Bul. 402, 1926.)
- Trade agreement in the silk-ribbon industry of New York City. (Bul. 341, 1923.)
- Trade agreements, 1927. (Bul. 468.)
- Selection of employees' representatives. (M. L. R., Jan. 1935—reprint.)
- Employee elections conducted by National Labor Relations Board. (M. L. R., May 1935.)

Conciliation and Arbitration

- Monthly reports on the conciliation work of the United States Department of Labor are published in each issue of the Monthly Labor Review.
- History of the Shipbuilding Labor Adjustment Board, 1917-1919. (Bul. 233.)
- National War Labor Board: History of its formation and activities, etc. (Bul. 287, 1921.)
- Analysis of labor provisions of the Transportation Act. (M. L. R., Apr. 1920.)
- *Use of Federal power in settlement of railway labor disputes. (Bul. 303, 1922.)
- Results of arbitration proceedings under Railroad Labor Act of 1926. (M. L. R., Oct. 1927.)
- Kansas Court of Industrial Relations. (Bul. 322, 1923.)
- Industrial council in the electrical construction industry. (M. L. R., Aug. 1923.)
- *Joint industrial control in the book and job printing industry. (Bul. 481, 1928.)
- Results of arbitration cases involving wages and hours, 1865-1929. (M. L. R., Nov. 1929.)
- Arbitration in the dress industry in New York City. (M. L. R., Dec. 1931—reprint.)
- Operation of Industrial Disputes Investigation Act of Canada. (Bul. 233, 1918.)
- *Joint industrial councils in Great Britain. (Bul. 255, 1919.)

Cooperative Movement

- *Cooperative credit societies (credit unions) in America and in foreign countries. (Bul. 314, 1922.)
- Consumers', credit, and productive cooperative societies, 1929. (Bul. 531.)
- Operations of cooperative credit societies in 1933. (M. L. R., Sept. 1934—reprint.)
- Operations of local consumers' cooperative societies in 1933. (M. L. R., Nov. 1934.)
- Operations of cooperative productive enterprises, 1933. (M. L. R., Feb. 1935.)
- Activities of cooperative housing societies, 1933. (M. L. R., Apr. 1935.)
- The cooperative movement—a selected bibliography. (M. L. R., Sept. 1930.)
- Development of cooperative movement throughout the world. (M. L. R., Dec. 1933.)
- *Cooperative burial associations in the North Central States. (M. L. R., Oct. 1931.)
- Directory of consumers' cooperative associations in the United States. (Mimeo-graphed, 1934.)
- Organization and management of consumers' cooperative associations and clubs (with model bylaws). (Bul. 598, 1934.)

- Organization and management of cooperative gasoline and oil associations (with model bylaws). (Bul. 606, 1934.)
- Organization and management of cooperative housing associations (with model bylaws). (Bul. 608, 1934.)

Employment and Unemployment

- Trend of employment: A monthly report, issued in printed pamphlet form, showing trend of industrial employment and pay rolls by industry, State, and city; employment in the executive departments of the Federal Government; and employment created by various public works projects. Also contains data on average hourly and weekly earnings and wage-rate changes. Summary data on employment in manufacturing and nonmanufacturing industries are issued in a press release in advance of the printed report. The monthly reports are also carried in the Monthly Labor Review.
- Revised indexes of factory employment and pay rolls, 1919-1933. (Bul. 610.)
- Employment created during one year (August 1933-July 1934) by public works. (M. L. R., Oct. 1934.)
- First year's work of United States Employment Service (July 1, 1933-June 30, 1934). (M. L. R., Oct. 1934—reprint.)
- Monthly reports on the work of the United States Employment Service are carried in the Monthly Labor Review.
- Employment, hours, earnings, and production, January 1933 to January 1935. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935—reprint.)
- Unemployment surveys in specified localities:
- *Baltimore, Md., February 1930. (M. L. R., Apr. 1930—reprint.)
 - Bloomington, Ind., February 1930. (M. L. R., July 1930.)
 - Bridgeport, Conn., 1934. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935—reprint.)
 - *Buffalo, N. Y., November 1933. (M. L. R., Mar. 1934.)
 - *Cincinnati, Ohio, May 1934. (M. L. R., Sept. 1934.)
 - Columbus, Ohio, 1921-1925. (Bul. *409; summary, M. L. R., July 1926.)
 - *Kansas, 1930-1934. (M. L. R., Sept. 1934.)
 - Lancaster, Pa., 1934. (M. L. R., May 1935—reprint.)
 - *Lincoln, Nebr., 1933. (M. L. R., Sept. 1934.)
 - Louisville, Ky., March-May 1933. (M. L. R., May 1934.)
 - Massachusetts, January 1934. (M. L. R., Dec. 1934 and Apr. 1935.)
 - Philadelphia and Allegheny counties, Pa., February 1934. (M. L. R., Oct. 1934.)
 - Springfield, Ohio, 1934. (M. L. R., Apr. 1935.)
 - *Syracuse, N. Y., November 1931. (M. L. R., Apr. 1932.)
- *Family unemployment in Buffalo, N. Y., November 1931. (M. L. R., May 1932.)
- Family unemployment in Syracuse, N. Y., November 1931. (M. L. R., June 1932—reprint.)
- Unemployment as a cause of family dependency. (M. L. R., Dec. 1929—reprint.)
- Unemployment survey of Metropolitan Life Insurance Co. (M. L. R., Mar. 1931—reprint.)
- Social and economic character of unemployment in Philadelphia, April 1930. (Bul. *555; summary, M. L. R., July 1930.)
- Fluctuation of employment in Ohio, 1914-1929. (Bul. 553.)
- Fluctuation of employment in Ohio in 1933 and comparison with previous years. (M. L. R., Feb. 1935.)

Fluctuation of employment in automobile manufacturing and related industries in Ohio, 1923-1928. (M. L. R., July 1930.)

Fluctuation of employment in mining and quarrying in Ohio, 1914-1929. (M. L. R., Aug. 1930.)

*Causes of seasonal fluctuations in construction industry. (M. L. R., Sept. 1931—reprint.)

*Employment in the construction of an apartment house, 1931-32. (M. L. R., Oct. 1932.)

Decrease in railroad employment. (M. L. R., Jan. 1931—reprint.)

Stability of railroad employment. (M. L. R., Aug. 1928.)

Stability of employment in the men's clothing industry. (M. L. R., Jan. 1929—reprint.)

Report of Advisory Committee on Employment Statistics. (Bul. 542, 1931.)

Laws relating to employment agencies in the United States, as of January 1, 1933. (Bul. 581.)

Laws relating to employment agencies in the United States enacted in 1933. (Pamphlet.)

Public employment services. (M. L. R., Jan. 1931—reprint.)

The work of European labor exchanges. (M. L. R., Dec. 1928—reprint.)

Measures to combat unemployment in Europe. (M. L. R., Apr. 1928—reprint.)

Proceedings of International Association of Public Employment Services.

Some of the proceedings of this association have been published in bulletin form by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the latest bulletin (No. 538) containing the proceedings of the seventeenth and eighteenth meetings, held in 1929 and 1930, respectively.

Effects of technological changes upon employment. (*See* Productivity of labor and technological unemployment.)

Five-Day Week

*Five-day week and other proposals for a shorter work week: A list of references. (M. L. R., Feb. 1931—reprint.)

Extent of five-day week in American industry in 1932. (M. L. R., Nov. 1932—reprint.)

Housing and Construction Activities

Building construction: Data on building permits issued in principal cities of the United States are collected by the Bureau and published monthly in a printed pamphlet, preceded by a press release giving summary figures. The data show number and estimated cost of all kinds of new construction projects, and of alterations and repairs to existing buildings, the number of families provided for in new dwellings, and the value of contracts awarded for all construction projects financed from Federal funds. Some of this material is also published in the Monthly Labor Review. The latest detailed report on building permits published by the Bureau in bulletin form (No. 545) covered 1930, with comparative data for each year back to 1921.

Trend toward apartment-house living in American cities, 1927. (M. L. R., June 1928.)

*Causes of seasonal fluctuations in the construction industry. (M. L. R., Sept. 1931—reprint.)

Relative cost of material and labor in building construction, 1931-32. (M. L. R., Oct. 1932—reprint.)

Relative cost of material and labor in construction of water and sewerage systems. (M. L. R., Jan. 1935—reprint.)

- Relation of repairs to total building construction, 1921-1932. (M. L. R., May 1933.)
- *Employment in the construction of an apartment house, 1931-32. (M. L. R., Oct. 1932.)
- Elapsed time in building construction, 1929 and 1931. (M. L. R., Jan. 1933—reprint.)
- Extent of housing construction in comparison with increase in number of families, 1930-1932. (M. L. R., July 1933.)
- Trend of building construction in groups of cities of classified size, 1921-1932. (M. L. R., July 1933.)
- Housing by employers in the United States. (Bul. 263, 1920.)
- Housing activities of labor groups. (M. L. R., Aug. 1928—reprint; chap. VII of Bul. *465, Beneficial activities of American trade-unions.)
- Labor and the Tennessee Valley experiment (including information on housing). (M. L. R., June 1934.)
- Federal aid to housing in the United States. (M. L. R., Nov. 1934.)
- *Recent developments in subsistence-homesteads movement. (M. L. R., Feb. 1934.)
- Subsistence homesteads for industrial and rural workers at end of 1934. (M. L. R., Jan. 1935—reprint.)
- Housing situation in Philadelphia, 1934. (M. L. R., Apr. 1935.)
- Housing conditions in American cities. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935.)
- Activities of cooperative housing societies, 1933. (M. L. R., Apr. 1935.)
- Organization and management of cooperative housing associations (with model bylaws). (Bul. 608, 1934.)
- *Government aid to home owning and housing of working people in foreign countries. (Bul. 158, 1914.)

Industrial Accidents and Accident Prevention

- Statistics of industrial accidents in the United States to the end of 1927. (Bul. 490.)
- Industrial injuries in the United States, 1917-1932. (M. L. R., May 1934—reprint.)
- Accidents in manufacturing industries, 1926-1932. (M. L. R., Dec. 1933—reprint.)
- Accident experience in the iron and steel industry to the end of 1932. (M. L. R., Sept. 1933—reprint.)
- *Accidents to telegraph messengers, 1931. (M. L. R., Jan. 1934.)
- Accident experience of Government employees, 1921-1932. (M. L. R., Mar. 1934—reprint.)
- Industrial accidents to employed minors in California, 1932. (M. L. R., Nov. 1934—reprint.)
- Causes and prevention of accidents in the iron and steel industry, 1910-1919. (Bul. 298.)
- *Accidents and accident prevention in machine building. (Bul. 256, 1919.)
- Settlements for accidents to American seamen. (Bul. 466, 1928; summary, M. L. R., June 1928—reprint.)
- Cost of industrial accidents to the State, the employer, and the man. (M. L. R., Nov. 1930—reprint.)
- Proceedings of Industrial Accident Prevention Conference, held at Washington, D. C., July 14-16, 1926. (Bul. 428; summary, M. L. R., Aug. 1926.)
- Causes of death, by occupation. (Bul. 507, 1930.)
- Standardization of industrial accident statistics. (Bul. 276, 1920.)

- Minimum standards for the safety and health of workers in manufacturing industries. (Pamphlet, 1934.)
- Safety and health standards for mercantile establishments. (M. L. R., Dec. 1934.)
- Status of industrial safety codes and regulations in the various States. (M. L. R., Nov. 1933—reprint.)
- Safety specifications in New York building construction. (M. L. R., May 1929—reprint.)
- Many articles on industrial accidents and accident prevention appear in the annual proceedings of the International Association of Industrial Accident Boards and Commissions and of the Association of Governmental Officials in Industry of the United States and Canada. These proceedings have been published in bulletin form by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Safety Codes

- *Safety code for the protection of industrial workers in foundries. (Bul. 336, 1923.)
- A revision of this code has been published by the American Standards Association.
- Rules governing the approval of headlighting devices for motor vehicles. (Bul. 350, 1924.)
- *Safety code for the construction, care, and use of ladders. (Bul. 351, 1923.)
- A revision of this code is in process of publication by the American Standards Association.
- Safety code for laundry machinery and operations. (Bul. 375, 1924.)
- *Code of lighting school buildings. (Bul. 382, 1928.)
- A revision of this code has been published by the American Standards Association.
- Safety code for paper and pulp mills. (Bul. 410, 1926.)
- *Safety code for power presses and foot and hand presses. (Bul. 430, 1926.)
- Safety code for rubber mills and calenders. (Bul. 447, 1927.)
- Safety code for forging and hot-metal stamping. (Bul. 451, 1927.)
- Safety code for mechanical power-transmission apparatus—first revision. (Bul. 463, 1928.)
- Textile safety code. (Bul. 509, 1929.)
- Code for identification of gas-mask canisters. (Bul. 512, 1930.)
- Safety code for woodworking plants, as revised 1930. (Bul. 519.)
- Safety code for the use, care, and protection of abrasive wheels, as revised 1930. (Bul. 527.)
- Code of lighting: Factories, mills, and other work places, as revised 1930. (Bul. 556.)
- Safety codes for the prevention of dust explosions. (Bul. 562, 1931.)

Industrial Disputes

- A monthly report on industrial disputes in the United States is published in each issue of the Monthly Labor Review. A report covering the calendar year is also carried in the Review, the one for 1934 being in the May 1935 issue.
- Review of industrial disputes in the United States from 1919 to 1933. (M. L. R., July 1934—reprint.)
- Injunctions in labor disputes: Select list of references. (M. L. R., Sept. 1928—reprint.)
- Anti-injunction laws in labor disputes. (M. L. R., July 1932—reprint.)
- Jurisdictional disputes. (M. L. R., Nov. 1925—reprint.)

Industrial Hygiene and Occupational Diseases

- Occupation hazards and diagnostic signs: A guide to impairments to be looked for in hazardous occupations. (Bul. 582, 1933.)
- Causes of death, by occupation. (Bul. 507, 1930.)
- Discussions of industrial accidents and diseases at the 1933 meeting of the International Association of Industrial Accident Boards and Commissions, Chicago, Ill. (Bul. 602.)
- Occupational-disease legislation in the United States. (M. L. R., June 1934—reprint.)
- Occupational diseases: Definition, cause, prevalence, and prevention. (M. L. R., July 1929—reprint.)
- Minimum standards for the safety and health of workers in manufacturing industries. (Pamphlet, 1934.)
- *Lead poisoning in potteries, tile works, and porcelain-enameled sanitary ware factories. (Bul. 104, 1912.)
- *Lead poisoning in the smelting and refining of lead. (Bul. 141, 1914.)
- *Lead poisoning in the manufacture of storage batteries. (Bul. 165, 1914.)
- A new test for industrial lead poisoning. (Bul. 460, 1928.)
- Deaths from lead poisoning, 1925-27. (Bul. 488.)
- Hygiene of the painter's trade. (Bul. 120, 1913.)
- Spray-painting practices and hazards. (M. L. R., May 1929—reprint.)
- *Industrial poisons used in the rubber industry. (Bul. 179, 1915.)
- *Industrial poisons used or produced in the manufacture of explosives. (Bul. 219, 1917.)
- *Industrial poisoning in making coal-tar dyes and dye intermediates. (Bul. 280, 1921.)
- *Carbon-monoxide poisoning. (Bul. 291, 1921.)
- Radium poisoning. (M. L. R., June 1929—reprint.)
- Final report on benzol poisoning by National Safety Council committee. (M. L. R., Sept. 1926.)
- Survey of hygienic conditions in the printing trades. (Bul. 392, 1925.)
- Health survey of the printing trades, 1922 to 1925. (Bul. 427.)
- *Mortality from respiratory diseases in dusty trades (inorganic dusts). (Bul. 231, 1918.)
- The problem of dust phthisis in the granite-stone industry. (Bul. 293, 1922.)
- *Effects of the air hammer on the hands of stonecutters. (Bul. 236, 1918.)
- *Preventable death in the cotton-manufacturing industry. (Bul. 251, 1919.)
- Anthrax as an occupational disease. (Bul. 267, 1920.)
- Phosphorus necrosis in the manufacture of fireworks and in the preparation of phosphorus. (Bul. 405, 1926.)
- Mule spinner's cancer. (M. L. R., Sept. 1928—reprint.)
- Duration of wage earners' disabilities. (M. L. R., Mar. 1920—reprint.)
- Health of the workers. (M. L. R., Jan. 1925—reprint.)
- Health of working boys in New York City. (M. L. R., July 1927—reprint.)
- General health work of labor organizations. (M. L. R., Dec. 1928—reprint; also in Bul. *465, Beneficial activities of American trade-unions.)
- Work environment as a factor in the general health of workers. (M. L. R., Jan. 1932.)
- Proposed outline of industrial medical course for medical schools (including list of references on industrial hygiene). (M. L. R., Nov. 1930—reprint.)

Industrial Relations and Labor Conditions

- *Industrial relations in the West Coast lumber industry. (Bul. 349, 1923.)
- *Labor relations in the Fairmont (W. Va.) bituminous-coal field. (Bul. 361, 1924.)
- Labor conditions in the shoe industry in Massachusetts, 1920-1924. (Bul. 384.)
- Labor relations in the lace and lace-curtain industries in the United States. (Bul. 399, 1925.)
- Conditions in the shoe industry in Haverhill, Mass., 1928. (Bul. 483.)
- Labor conditions in the Territory of Hawaii, 1929-30. (Bul. 534.)
- Cargo handling and longshore labor conditions. (Bul. 550, 1932; summary, M. L. R., Oct. and Nov. 1930—reprint; Feb. 1931.)
- Labor through the century 1833-1933. (Bul. 605.)
- National economic councils: A list of references. (M. L. R., May 1931—reprint.)
- Labor in the shirt industry, 1933. (M. L. R., Sept. 1933—reprint.)
- Labor conditions in sugar-beet fields, and suggested remedies. (M. L. R., July 1934—reprint.)
- Labor conditions in the onion fields of Ohio. (M. L. R., Feb. 1935—reprint.)
- Industrial homework, 1934. (M. L. R., Apr. 1935.)
- *Chinese migrations, with special reference to labor conditions. (Bul. 340, 1923.)
- Postwar labor conditions in Germany. (Bul. 380, 1925.)
- Works council movement in Germany. (Bul. 383, 1925.)
- Labor conditions of women and children in Japan. (Bul. 558, 1931.)

International Labor Organization

- The work of the International Labor Organization. (M. L. R., May 1927—reprint.)
- International Labor Office. (M. L. R., Jan. 1932—reprint.)
- International labor conventions. (M. L. R., Apr. 1934—reprint.)
- Report of United States delegation at the International Labor Conference, Geneva, June 1933. (M. L. R., Dec. 1933.)
- Report of United States delegation at the International Labor Conference, June 1934. (M. L. R., Sept. 1934—reprint.)

Labor Legislation (Other Than Workmen's Compensation)

- Labor laws of the United States. (Bul. 370.)
- Basic volume containing all legislation up to and including 1924.
- Labor laws of the United States, 1925 to 1932. (Buls. *403, *434, 470, 486, 528, *552, 590.)
- Labor legislation enacted in 1933. (M. L. R., Mar. 1934—reprint.)
- Labor legislation enacted in 1934. (M. L. R., Dec. 1934—reprint.)
- Labor legislation enacted by Seventy-third Congress. (M. L. R., Aug. 1934—reprint.)
- Decisions of courts and opinions affecting labor, 1931 and 1932 (with a cumulative index to all previous volumes). (Bul. 592.)
- *Labor laws that have been declared unconstitutional. (Bul. 321, 1922.)
- Proceedings of National Conference for Labor Legislation, held at Washington, D. C., February 14 and 15, 1934. (Bul. 583.)
- *Comparative digest of labor legislation for States of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, Tennessee. (Bul. 603, 1933.)

Federal legislation concerning railroad employees. (M. L. R., Apr. 1929—reprint.)

For later legislation regarding railroad employees, see Labor legislation enacted by Seventy-third Congress (M. L. R., Aug. 1934.)

Laws relating to employment agencies in the United States, as of January 1, 1933. (Bul. 581.)

Laws relating to employment agencies in the United States enacted in 1933. (Pamphlet.)

Laws relating to prison labor in the United States, as of July 1, 1933. (Bul. 596.)

Laws relating to prison labor in the United States enacted in 1933 and 1934. (M. L. R., Nov. 1934—reprint.)

Anti-injunction laws in labor disputes. (M. L. R., July 1932—reprint.)

Laws regulating hours of labor of motor-bus drivers, as of January 1, 1933. (M. L. R., Jan. 1933—reprint.)

Legal restrictions on hours of labor of men in the United States, as of January 1, 1934. (M. L. R., April 1934—reprint.)

Legislation regulating rates of wages of employees on public works, as of February 1, 1932. (M. L. R., Feb. 1932—reprint.)

Prevailing wage rate laws. (Published as Senate Doc. 27, 74th Cong., 1st sess., 1935.)

Labor legislation of Uruguay. (Bul. 494, 1929.)

Labor legislation of Argentina. (Bul. 510, 1930.)

Labor legislation of Venezuela. (Bul. 549, 1931.)

Labor legislation of Paraguay. (Bul. 554, 1931.)

Labor legislation of Ecuador. (Bul. 559, 1931.)

Labor legislation of Mexico. (Bul. 569, 1932.)

Many articles of interest on labor legislation appear in the annual proceedings of the Association of Governmental Officials in Industry of the United States and Canada. These proceedings have been published in bulletin form by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

(See also Minimum wage, Old-age pensions, etc.)

Labor Offices and Labor Statistics

The Bureau of Labor Statistics: Its history, activities, and organization. (Bul. 319, 1922.)

*Methods of procuring and computing statistical information of the Bureau of Labor Statistics. (Bul. 326, 1923.)

Activities and functions of a State department of labor. (Bul. 479, 1928.)

Personnel research agencies, 1930 edition. (Bul. 518.)

What are labor statistics for? (Bul. 599, 1933.)

*Handbook of labor statistics, 1931 edition. (Bul. 541.)

In this Handbook were brought together in summary form all of the original studies made by the Bureau of Labor Statistics since the preparation of the previous (1929) edition of the Handbook, with summaries of the more important material on labor subjects published by other government offices and by private agencies.

Labor offices in the United States and in Canada. (M. L. R., Aug. 1935—reprint.)

History of Association of Governmental Officials in Industry. (M. L. R., Oct. 1929—reprint.)

Labor Organizations

*Handbook of American trade unions, 1929 edition. (Bul. 506.)

Historical review of trade-union incorporation. (M. L. R., Jan. 1935—reprint.)

- Trade-union organization and membership in United States, 1934. (M. L. R., Feb. 1935—reprint.)
- *International Seamen's Union of America: A study of its history and problems. (Bul. 342, 1923.)
- Beneficial activities of American trade unions. (Bul. *465, 1928; summary, M. L. R., Jan. 1929—reprint.)
- Recreational activities of labor organizations. (M. L. R., May 1928—reprint; chap. VI of Bul. *465.)
- Housing activities of labor groups. (M. L. R., Aug. 1928—reprint; chap. VII of Bul. *465.)
- Labor organizations in Chile. (Bul. 461, 1928.)

Labor Turn-Over

Monthly labor turn-over rates for a number of industries are published in each issue of the Monthly Labor Review.

Special studies for individual industries:

- Automobile, 1931 and 1932. (M. L. R., June 1933.)
- *Boot and shoe, 1931 and 1932. (M. L. R., Oct. 1933.)
- Cotton manufacturing, 1931 and 1932. (M. L. R., Nov. 1933.)
- *Foundries and machine shops, 1931 and 1932. (M. L. R., Feb. 1934.)
- Furniture, 1932 and 1933. (M. L. R., Aug. 1934.)
- Iron and steel, 1932 and 1933. (M. L. R., June 1934.)
- Men's clothing, 1932 and 1933. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935.)
- Sawmill, 1933 and 1934. (M. L. R., May 1935.)
- Slaughtering and meat packing, 1932 and 1933. (M. L. R., Nov. 1934.)
- Labor turn-over in American factories, 1933. (M. L. R., Mar. 1934.)
- A standard procedure for compiling labor turn-over statistics. (M. L. R., Dec. 1931—reprint.)
- Hiring and separation methods in American factories. (M. L. R., Nov. 1932—reprint.)
- Labor turn-over: A selected bibliography. (M. L. R., Apr. 1927—reprint.)

Legal Aid

Growth of legal-aid work in the United States. (Bul. 398, 1926.)

Minimum Wage

- Minimum-wage legislation in various countries. (Bul. 467, 1928.)
- Minimum-wage legislation in the United States. (M. L. R., Dec. 1933—reprint.)
- Interstate compact for establishing uniform minimum wage. (M. L. R., July 1934—reprint.)

National Recovery Administration

- Summaries of the labor provisions of the N. R. A. codes have been published in the Monthly Labor Review, beginning with the September 1933 issue, and reprinted in pamphlet form. Other developments under the "recovery" program are also followed in each issue of the Review.
- Analysis of labor provisions of N. R. A. codes. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935—reprint.)
- Employment, hours, earnings, and production, January 1933 to January 1935. (M. L. R., Mar. 1935—reprint.)

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- The Negro: A selected bibliography. (M. L. R., Jan. 1926—reprint.)
Housing of Negroes in Washington, D. C. (M. L. R., May 1930.)
The Negro in the industrial depression. (M. L. R., June 1931—reprint.)

Occupations and Occupational Changes

- Occupational changes since 1850, as shown by census reports. (M. L. R., Nov. 1933—reprint.)
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Occupations of gainful workers on urban relief. (M. L. R., May 1935.)
The "white-collar workers." (M. L. R., Mar. 1934—reprint.)

Old-Age Care, Insurance, and Pensions

- Public old-age pensions and insurance in United States and foreign countries. (Bul. 561, 1932.)
Public old-age pension legislation in the United States, as of June 1, 1934. (M. L. R., June 1934.)
Experience under State old-age pension acts, 1933. (M. L. R., Aug. 1934.)
Public old-age pensions in the United States: References, 1929-1931. (M. L. R., Mar. 1932—reprint.)
*Extent and distribution of old-age dependency in the United States. (M. L. R., Jan. 1934.)
*Occupational distribution of old-age pensioners in New York. (M. L. R., Feb. 1933.)
Industrial pensions for old age and disability. (M. L. R., Jan. 1926—reprint.)
*Care of aged persons in the United States. (Bul. 489, 1929.)
Homes for the aged, operated by fraternal organizations. (M. L. R., Mar. 1929—reprint (under title "Care of the aged in the United States"); also in Bul. *489.)
Homes for the aged, maintained by religious organizations. (M. L. R., Mar. 1929—reprint (under title "Care of the aged in the United States"); also in Bul. *489.)
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foreign countries are published quarterly. With a few exceptions, all of the data on retail prices are published in the Monthly Labor Review. The latest detailed report on retail prices published by the Bureau in bulletin form (No. 495) covered the period 1890 to 1928.

Data on cost of living have been collected by the Bureau for many years semi-annually, as of June and December, and published in a printed pamphlet and in the Monthly Labor Review, preceded by a press release giving summary figures. The printed report has also included a tabulation of comparative index numbers of cost of living in the United States and certain foreign countries. The Bureau now hopes to be able to make the cost-of-living surveys quarterly instead of semiannually as heretofore. The latest survey was as of March 1935.

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Wholesale Prices

The Bureau collects wholesale prices and compiles index numbers for 784 individual commodities. Index numbers for groups of these commodities are issued weekly in a press release; indexes for groups and subgroups of commodities and the actual prices of the 784 items are published monthly in a printed pamphlet, which also includes data on purchasing power of the dollar at wholesale. A summary of this material is published in the Monthly Labor Review. A comparison of index numbers of wholesale prices in the United States and certain foreign countries is published quarterly in the printed pamphlet on wholesale prices and in the Monthly Labor Review. The latest detailed report on wholesale prices published by the Bureau in bulletin form (No. 572) gave actual prices for the year 1931 and index numbers for each year back to 1920.

*Revised index numbers of wholesale prices, 1923 to July 1927. (Bul. 453.)

Women in Industry

Since the creation of the Women's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor, all original investigations of matters pertaining to women in industry in the United States, conducted by the Department of Labor, have been made by that Bureau, which will be glad to furnish lists of publications upon request.

Workmen's Accident Compensation and Legislation

Workmen's compensation legislation of the United States and Canada, as of July 1, 1926. (Bul. 423.)

Basic volume containing all legislation up to and including 1926.

Workmen's compensation legislation of the United States and Canada, as of January 1, 1929 (with text of legislation enacted in 1927 and 1928). (Bul. 496.)

No complete presentation of workmen's compensation legislation has been made since the publication of Bul. 496, but summaries of the legislation for each subsequent year are available as follows:

1929. (M. L. R., May, Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov., Dec. 1929 and Mar. 1930—reprint.)

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International Association of Industrial Accident Boards and Commissions: Its accomplishments, 1914 to 1928. (M. L. R., Nov. 1928—reprint.)

Workmen's compensation legislation of the Latin American countries. (Bul. 529, 1930.)

New workmen's compensation legislation in Mexico. (M. L. R., Dec. 1931—reprint.)

Many articles of interest on workmen's accident compensation and legislation appear in the annual proceedings of the International Association of Industrial Accident Boards and Commissions. These proceedings have been published in bulletin form by the Bureau of Labor Statistics.

