

in Force during 1924—concluded.

Manitoba.	Saskatchewan.	Alberta.	British Columbia.	Yukon.
No child between 12 and 16 may hawk or sell newspapers or other articles in the streets or in public places in any incorporated city, town or village during school hours, without a license and badge from the Superintendent of Neglected Children. No license may be issued to a girl.	Municipal councils may pass by-laws regulating, controlling and licensing children under 16 years engaged in street trades; no license may be granted to a boy under 12, or to a girl. A boy between 12 and 14 must have written authority from his parent or guardian in order to make application for a license. No licensee may engage in any such occupation during school hours or after 8 p.m. in winter and 9 p.m. in summer.	Municipal councils may pass by-laws regulating, controlling and licensing children under 18 years engaged as messengers, vendors of newspapers and small wares, and boot-blacks. No license shall be granted to a girl, or to a boy under 12; a boy between 12 and 14 must have written authority from parent or guardian in order to make application for license. Street trades are prohibited during school hours.	—	—

Alberta there were no changes in wage rates down to 1924, although the average earnings of contract miners declined in 1922, to recover partly in 1923. In Nova Scotia rates were reduced substantially early in 1922, but were increased later in the year. In 1924 there was an increase in Nova Scotia in January, while in October decreases were made in Alberta and Vancouver island. In factory labour and in lumbering there were considerable decreases in wages in 1921 and again in 1922, but there were slight increases in factory labour in 1923 and 1924 and greater increases in lumbering.

19.—Index Numbers of Rates of Wages for Various Classes of Labour in Canada, 1901-1924.

1913=100.

Years.	Building Trades.	Metal Trades.	Printing Trades.	Electric Railways.	Steam Railways.	Coal Mining.	Average.	Common Factory Labour.	Miscellaneous Factory Trades.	Lumbering.
1901.....	60.3	68.6	60.0	64.0	70.8	82.8	67.8	-	-	-
1902.....	64.2	70.2	61.6	68.0	73.6	83.8	70.2	-	-	-
1903.....	67.4	73.3	62.6	71.1	76.7	85.3	72.7	-	-	-
1904.....	69.7	75.9	66.1	73.1	78.6	85.1	74.8	-	-	-
1905.....	73.0	78.6	68.5	73.5	78.9	86.3	76.5	-	-	-
1906.....	76.9	79.8	72.2	75.7	80.2	87.4	78.7	-	-	-
1907.....	80.2	82.4	78.4	81.4	85.5	93.6	83.6	-	-	-
1908.....	81.5	84.7	80.5	81.8	86.7	94.8	85.0	-	-	-
1909.....	83.1	86.2	83.4	81.1	86.7	95.1	85.9	-	-	-
1910.....	86.9	88.8	87.8	85.7	91.2	94.2	89.1	-	-	-
1911.....	90.2	91.0	91.6	88.1	96.4	97.5	92.5	94.9	95.4	93.3
1912.....	96.0	95.3	96.0	92.3	98.3	98.3	96.0	98.1	97.1	98.8
1913.....	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
1914.....	100.8	100.5	102.4	101.0	101.7	101.9	101.4	101.0	103.2	94.7
1915.....	101.5	101.5	103.6	97.8	101.7	102.3	101.4	101.0	106.2	89.1
1916.....	102.4	106.9	105.8	102.2	104.9	111.7	105.7	110.4	115.1	109.5
1917.....	109.9	128.0	111.3	114.6	110.1	130.8	117.5	129.2	128.0	130.2
1918.....	125.9	155.2	123.7	142.9	133.2	157.8	139.8	152.3	146.8	150.5
1919.....	148.2	180.1	145.9	163.3	154.2	170.5	160.4	180.2	180.2	169.8
1920.....	180.9	209.4	184.0	194.2	186.6	197.7	192.1	215.3	216.8	202.7
1921.....	170.5	186.8	193.3	192.1	165.3	208.3	186.1	190.6	202.0	152.6
1922.....	162.5	173.7	192.3	184.4	155.1	197.8	176.8	183.0	189.1	146.7
1923.....	166.4	174.0	188.9	186.2	157.4	197.8	178.4	181.7	196.1	170.4
1924.....	169.9	175.4	192.0	187.8	157.4	192.4	179.2	183.4	197.6	183.2