

8.—Strikes and Lockouts, by Provinces, 1924.

Provinces.	Disputes.		Number of employees involved.	Time loss.	
	Number.	P.c. of total.		Working days.	P.c. of total.
Nova Scotia.....	9	12.3	12,747	322,574	18.2
New Brunswick.....	1	1.4	57	1,026	0.1
Quebec.....	23	31.5	5,430	80,209	4.5
Ontario.....	18	24.7	775	53,506	3.0
Manitoba.....	2	2.7	103	6,992	0.4
Saskatchewan.....	1	1.4	38	133	0.0
Alberta.....	9 ¹	12.3	7,146	1,002,179	56.6
British Columbia.....	9 ¹	12.3	4,152	291,195	16.5
Interprovincial ²	2	2.7	2,046	13,011	0.7
Total.....	73	100.0¹	32,494	1,770,825	100.0

¹ One strike in both Alberta and British Columbia counted in each but only once in the total. In this case the number of employees and time loss in each province was allocated to it.

² Strike in Note ¹ excepted.

An analysis of industrial disputes by industries is given in Table 9. A very large proportion (87.8 p.c.) of the time loss was in the mining industry. Only 7.9 p.c. of the total time was lost in manufactures; 4.6 p.c. of this was in the printing and publishing group and was caused by the continuation in six cities of the printing strike begun in 1921. Workers in the clothing industries also lost a large absolute number of working days, although the proportion to the total was only 1.8 p.c.; over 3,400 employees, or 10.5 p.c. of the total number, were affected. This was the second greatest number of workers involved, the striking coal-miners, numbering over 21,000, taking first place.

9.—Strikes and Lockouts, by Industries, 1924.

Industries.	Disputes.		Number of employees involved.	Time loss.	
	Number.	P.c. of total.		Working days.	P.c. of total.
Logging.....	1	1.4	1,567	44,770	2.6
Fishing and trapping.....	2	2.7	621	4,800	0.3
Mining, non-ferrous smelting and quarrying.....	15	20.5	21,214	1,555,105	87.8
Manufacturing—					
Clothing, including knitted goods.....	8	11.0	3,424	30,688	1.8
Leather, fur and products.....	5	6.8	888	11,697	0.7
Pulp and paper products.....	2	2.7	156	756	0.0
Printing and publishing.....	9	12.3	536	79,695	4.6
Saw and planing mill products.....	1	1.4	350	2,100	0.1
Wood products.....	1	1.4	275	12,100	0.7
Iron and steel products.....	2	2.7	26	874	0.0
Non-metallic mineral products.....	2	2.7	88	957	0.0
Construction—					
Buildings and structures.....	13	17.8	883	7,850	0.4
Shipbuilding.....	1	1.4	150	5,100	0.3
Waterworks, gas and sewer construction.....	1	1.4	75	150	0.0
Transportation and Public Utilities—					
Steam railways.....	1	1.4	50	50	0.0
Electric railways.....	1	1.4	4	661	0.0
Telegraphs and telephones.....	2	2.7	83	750	0.0
Service—					
Public administration.....	1	1.4	1,969	12,279	0.7
Recreational.....	4	5.5	60	418	0.0
Personal, domestic.....	1	1.4	25	25	0.0
Total.....	73	100.0	32,494	1,770,825	100.0