

16 is a record of unemployment in trade unions for the past 14 years, by provinces. The maximum of unemployment in 1928 was in February, when the percentage stood at 7.0; in 1927, the December figure of 6.6 p.c. constituted the maximum. In 1928 the minimum, reached in September, was 2.2 p.c., while the minimum for 1927 was 3.1 p.c., likewise in September. Employment among organized workers, as indicated by these statistics, was more active on the average in 1928 than in 1927, the average of the monthly figures of unemployment for 1928 being 4.5 p.c., while for 1927 the corresponding figure was 4.9 p.c.

16.—Percentages of Unemployment in Trade Unions, by Provinces, 1915-1928.

Note.—For the percentages of unemployment for 12 months in 1921 and 1922, see p. 732 of the 1922-23 Year Book; for 12 months in 1923, see p. 688 of the 1924 Year Book; for 12 months in 1924, see page 700 of the 1925 Year Book, for 12 months in 1925, see p. 704 of the 1926 Year Book and for 12 months in 1926, p. 757 of the 1927-28 Year Book.

Months.	Years.	Nova Scotia and P.E.I.	New Brunswick.	Quebec.	Ontario.	Manitoba.	Saskatchewan.	Alberta.	British Columbia.	Canada.
Dec.	1915	.2	.7	9.5	8.1	3.2	7.0	4.3	14.8	7.9
June.	1916	.5	.9	1.8	1.7	1.2	2.6	3.0	5.8	2.1
Dec.	1916	.3	.2	3.7	1.6	1.0	1.6	1.7	2.4	2.0
June.	1917	.3	.2	2.5	.9	.6	.3	.8	1.8	1.2
Dec.	1917	2.6	4.1	3.2	2.5	1.1	2.4	1.6	3.2	2.5
June.	1918	.2	.3	.5	.4	.3	.2	.4	.9	.4
Dec.	1918	2.0	.4	2.2	2.9	1.3	2.2	2.1	4.0	2.5
June.	1919	2.7	2.4	4.0	1.8	1.2	2.5	1.7	3.4	2.6
Dec.	1919	1.5	2.0	3.2	1.9	5.0	6.0	2.8	18.6	4.3
June.	1920	.6	.4	3.1	1.6	1.4	2.2	1.2	5.8	2.1
Dec.	1920	6.9	11.0	19.6	12.3	7.8	10.1	9.2	11.6	13.1
June.	1921	14.3	11.7	20.7	6.7	8.0	6.8	9.4	24.4	15.2
Dec.	1921	5.9	6.9	26.8	9.7	15.5	10.4	6.8	24.7	13.1
June.	1922	7.2	3.5	5.4	3.9	6.7	5.0	7.1	7.1	5.3
Dec.	1922	3.2	6.1	7.8	4.7	7.8	4.1	5.1	13.3	6.4
June.	1923	2.2	1.0	5.7	1.6	5.6	1.3	4.5	4.0	3.4
Dec.	1923	7.3	3.6	9.7	6.4	6.5	4.2	6.0	7.1	7.2
June.	1924	6.4	5.2	9.4	4.9	4.9	2.3	3.7	2.2	5.8
Dec.	1924	4.7	6.9	22.4	8.1	8.9	4.2	5.0	10.2	11.6
June.	1925	3.4	3.4	10.2	3.8	4.3	2.4	10.8	4.1	6.1
Dec.	1925	4.3	3.0	14.2	6.4	3.8	3.5	4.4	6.9	7.9
June.	1926	3.8	1.6	8.9	1.9	2.6	.8	4.9	2.6	4.1
Dec.	1926	3.2	2.2	7.6	5.6	4.3	2.1	6.7	7.5	5.9
Jan.	1927	3.0	3.4	7.8	6.8	6.3	6.1	4.0	6.9	6.4
Feb.	1927	3.8	2.3	7.2	7.2	8.1	3.3	4.2	7.4	6.5
Mar.	1927	13.1	1.6	6.5	4.9	5.6	4.1	4.4	4.4	5.7
April.	1927	5.5	2.7	9.3	4.0	6.2	5.1	7.2	3.6	6.0
May.	1927	5.8	1.9	8.8	3.1	3.7	1.7	6.5	3.9	5.2
June.	1927	1.8	2.3	4.0	3.1	2.6	1.1	4.6	2.7	3.2
July.	1927	1.2	2.3	5.2	2.7	2.3	1.5	1.8	4.0	3.3
Aug.	1927	1.5	1.2	5.4	3.1	2.3	.9	3.5	4.7	3.7
Sept.	1927	1.4	1.1	4.8	2.2	2.4	2.1	1.4	4.1	3.1
Oct.	1927	1.1	.9	5.6	3.2	4.2	1.8	4.4	4.9	3.9
Nov.	1927	2.5	1.7	7.8	3.5	5.1	3.4	4.6	8.0	5.2
Dec.	1927	4.3	1.5	9.3	5.1	5.4	5.6	3.7	10.5	6.6
Jan.	1928	5.5	1.5	7.9	7.0	6.3	5.0	4.4	9.1	6.8
Feb.	1928	9.0	1.7	9.1	5.6	7.3	6.0	4.4	8.0	7.0
Mar.	1928	10.9	2.3	7.0	5.8	7.5	7.5	5.5	5.0	6.5
April.	1928	7.4	1.8	6.2	4.1	5.2	4.2	6.8	3.3	5.2
May.	1928	5.6	1.5	4.8	2.7	2.9	3.0	4.3	3.0	3.7
June.	1928	.5	.8	5.6	2.4	2.1	1.1	3.3	3.6	3.2
July.	1928	1.5	.7	2.6	2.6	1.8	.6	4.5	2.8	2.5
Aug.	1928	1.6	.7	4.0	1.9	1.4	.8	1.2	2.8	2.4
Sept.	1928	.9	.5	3.5	1.2	1.2	.6	4.2	3.3	3.2
Oct.	1928	1.1	1.0	5.7	1.8	1.7	1.5	1.4	5.8	3.1
Nov.	1928	1.1	1.1	6.3	2.8	5.4	1.4	2.9	7.8	4.2
Dec.	1928	3.9	.9	10.7	4.0	8.1	4.4	6.9	6.9	6.6