

In 1940 there were 510 cases where mothers received extra allowances for incapacitated husbands.

36.—Mothers' Allowances in British Columbia, Fiscal Years 1921-40

Year	Families Assisted ¹	Children Assisted ¹	Benefits Paid ²		
			Chargeable to Province	Chargeable to Municipalities	Total
	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$
1921.....	3	3	3	3	273,575
1922.....	771	1,978	487,888	Nil	487,888
1923.....	785	1,990	414,227	"	414,227
1924.....	847	2,240	423,233	"	423,233
1925.....	943	2,544	463,669	"	463,669
1926.....	986	2,723	518,471	"	518,471
1927.....	1,100	3,050	612,645	"	612,645
1928.....	1,233	2,757	628,600	"	628,600
1929.....	1,370	3,028	677,510	"	677,510
1930.....	1,468	3,229	759,698	"	759,698
1931.....	1,568	3,295	816,272	"	816,272
1932.....	1,547	3,213	842,977	"	842,977
1933.....	1,514	3,274	468,511	311,129	779,640
1934.....	1,436	3,147	469,916	151,586	621,502
1935.....	1,410	2,922	365,288	224,334	589,622
1936.....	1,485	3,026	403,558	212,997	616,555
1937.....	1,567	3,191	443,803	238,785	682,588
1938.....	1,692	3,481	747,878	Nil	747,878
1939.....	1,751	3,626	790,101	"	790,101
1940.....	1,762	3,617	810,688	"	810,688

¹ Years ended Sept. 30 for 1921-32, and fiscal years ended Mar. 31 from 1933. ² Fiscal years ended Mar. 31 in all cases.

³ Not available.