

8.—Applications for Employment, Positions Offered and Placements Effected by Employment Offices, 1932-42, and by Provinces, 1941 and 1942

NOTE.—For figures by provinces from 1920 to 1940, see corresponding table of previous Year Books, commencing with the 1926 edition. Totals for the years 1920-31 are given at p. 766 of the 1938 edition. These statistics were provided by the employment offices of the Employment Service of Canada up to Aug. 1, 1941, and from that date by the Employment and Claims Offices of the Unemployment Insurance Commission.

Year and Province	Applications Registered		Vacancies Notified		Placements Effected	
	Men	Women	Men	Women	Men	Women
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Totals, 1932	512,695	139,733	282,643	83,385	278,975	73,239
Totals, 1933	531,041	143,180	282,120	87,565	278,589	73,508
Totals, 1934	569,301	155,064	327,907	99,885	324,900	81,191
Totals, 1935	498,466	157,955	268,300	108,274	265,212	88,590
Totals, 1936	515,930	164,123	241,095	114,278	237,476	93,974
Totals, 1937	543,343	168,880	290,790	127,598	286,618	102,918
Totals, 1938	584,727	197,937	276,851	124,390	275,338	106,957
Totals, 1939	579,645	208,327	271,654	130,739	270,020	114,862
Totals, 1940	653,445	235,150	344,921	166,955	336,507	138,599
Totals, 1941	568,695	262,767	344,796	206,998	331,997	175,766
Totals, 1942	1,044,610	499,519	949,909	431,933	597,161	298,460
Prince Edward Island..... 1941	1	1	1	1	1	1
..... 1942	3,499	1,413	1,756	582	1,811	538
Nova Scotia..... 1941	18,258 ¹	16,705 ¹	16,930 ¹	15,757 ¹	16,630 ¹	15,012 ¹
..... 1942	51,962	23,858	54,611	21,381	35,299	16,617
New Brunswick..... 1941	7,736	6,696	7,419	6,957	7,285	6,346
..... 1942	31,853	11,952	37,256	10,924	20,440	7,951
Quebec..... 1941	192,734	94,605	94,701	87,549	92,163	66,028
..... 1942	295,166	112,446	293,505	98,580	153,878	64,983
Ontario..... 1941	196,260	84,895	134,132	53,654	123,048	49,705
..... 1942	367,064	197,908	314,237	180,261	217,441	122,864
Manitoba..... 1941	45,572	18,144	22,636	11,542	24,000	10,973
..... 1942	66,967	39,366	48,578	28,364	32,424	20,505
Saskatchewan..... 1941	19,513	9,068	15,293	8,412	16,059	7,569
..... 1942	37,345	21,523	30,852	17,580	20,119	12,977
Alberta..... 1941	35,533	11,567	23,117	9,508	23,191	7,141
..... 1942	62,862	28,711	50,094	22,456	38,064	16,424
British Columbia..... 1941	53,089	21,087	30,568	13,529	29,621	12,992
..... 1942	127,892	62,342	119,020	51,805	77,085	35,601

¹ Prince Edward Island figures are included with those for Nova Scotia, as the Charlottetown office did not commence operations until December, 1941.

Administrative Organization.—The Unemployment Insurance Act is administered by a Commission of three members, whose head office is at Ottawa. The field organization consists of five regional offices, four district offices, which perform some of the functions of the regional offices, and over 200 local offices. The last-mentioned, which are now called Employment and Selective Service Offices, are both employment offices and the offices at which insured workers register their claims for benefit when they become unemployed. In addition, they are now also responsible for the local administration of the National Selective Service program (see p. 695). About 250 Inspectors of Insurance Revenue examine insurance books and employers' records to ensure compliance with the Act. The machinery for appeals and references on disputed benefit claims consists of courts of referees and an umpire.

A National Employment Committee and regional and local employment committees provide assistance in regard to the employment service. An Unemployment Insurance Advisory Committee gives advice on questions connected with the insurance side of the Commission's work and also reports annually to Parliament on the financial condition of the Fund.

For further details, see the 1942 Year Book, p. 690.