

program by the Department of Labour is outlined under the appropriate heading and, in Subsection 2, the relationship of the Department of Veterans Affairs to the training of veterans is explained.

The Vocational Training Advisory Council, appointed under the authority of the Act, continued to advise the Minister on the general aspects of training plans. This Council is representative of employers, organized labour, vocational education authorities, veterans' and women's organizations.

**Subsection 1.—The Vocational Training Program of the Department of Labour**

The following table shows the allotment of Dominion funds to the provinces for the year ended Mar. 31, 1946, and the total payments made by the Dominion against these allotments.

**15.—Dominion Allotments for Vocational Training for the Year Ended Mar. 31, 1946 and Claims Paid to Apr. 30, 1946, by Provinces**

Province	Youth Training		Training of Discharged Members of the Forces		Apprentice Training	
	Allotment	Claims Paid to Apr. 30, 1946	Allotment	Claims Paid to Apr. 30, 1946	Allotment	Claims Paid to Apr. 30, 1946
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Prince Edward Island.....	12,000	6,274	30,000	24,186	Nil	-
Nova Scotia.....	25,000	12,807	247,000	165,523	12,500	2,849
New Brunswick.....	35,000	25,960	269,000	255,462	8,000	Nil
Quebec.....	135,000	64,717	435,000	152,684	Nil	-
Ontario.....	75,000	14,225	1,900,000	1,649,111	75,000	29,541
Manitoba.....	15,000	2,096	310,000	299,787	20,000	Nil
Saskatchewan.....	35,000	29,979	305,000	264,446	10,000	6,201
Alberta.....	65,000	13,800	475,000	367,987	10,000	Nil
British Columbia.....	60,000	35,520	261,000	240,452	5,000	4,463
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>457,000</b>	<b>205,378</b>	<b>4,232,000</b>	<b>3,419,668</b>	<b>140,500</b>	<b>43,054</b>

**Youth Training.**—Each province submitted to the Department of Labour a list of the various types of training it proposed to carry on. These, on approval by the Minister of Labour, were incorporated into appropriate schedules which set forth the regulation governing the operation of the different plans. The training consisted, for the most part, of various general and specialized courses for rural young people in agriculture, home craft and handicrafts, and other related subjects.

**Assistance to Students and Universities.**—One part of the Youth Training Agreement in each province was devoted to assistance to students, including not only university students but in several provinces prospective teachers and nurses. Eligible for assistance were students of good academic standing who, without financial aid, could not continue training. At the discretion of the provincial authorities, assistance could be given in the form of a grant or a loan or a combination of both.

The special Student Aid Fund, begun in previous years, was used to assist students to attend a university in another province; payments were made solely by the Dominion, 50 p.c. as a grant and 50 p.c. as a loan.