The Regional Director for the Yukon and Northwest Territories, located at Ottawa, is responsible for payments to families in those areas. Close co-operation is maintained with the Departments of Citizenship and Immigration and of Northern Affairs and National Resources which are responsible for the welfare of Indians and Eskimos, respectively (see Population Chapter, pp. 159 and 160).

1.—Family Allowance Statistics, by Province, Years Ended Mar. 31, 1952-54

Province or Territory	Year Ended Mar. 31-	Families Receiving Allowance in March	Children for Whom Allowance Paid in March	Average Number of Children per Family in March	Average Allowance—		Net Total Allowances
					per Family	per Child	Paid During Fiscal Year
		No.	No.	No.	\$	\$	\$
Newfoundland	1952	52,552	150,995	2-87	17·11	5-96	10,613,908
	1953	53,800	157,280	2-92	17·43	5-96	11,038,874
	1954	55,102	163,292	2-96	17·70	5-97	11,497,719
Prince Edward Island	1952	13,248	34,698	2·62	15·73	6·01	2,495,987
	1953	13,207	35,060	2·65	15·99	6·02	2,522,830
	1954	13,205	35,441	2·68	16·22	6·04	2,558,097
Nova Scotia	1952	93.051	222,664	2·39	14·43	6·03	15,949,541
	1953	94,414	227,698	2·41	14·56	6·04	16,297,170
	1954	95,715	233,076	2·43	14·73	6·05	16,716,374
New Brunswick	1952	73,167	195,355	2.67	15·99	5·99	13,892,907
	1953	74,426	201,240	2.70	16·23	6·00	14,287,535
	1954	75,189	205,785	2.74	16·50	6·03	14,700,819
Quebec	1952	542,651	1,454,369	2·68	16·08	6-00	102,883,812
	1953	564,219	1,507,272	2·67	16·12	6-03	107,084,124
	1954	585,050	1,562,685	2·67	16·20	6-06	111,441,301
Ontario	1952	651,272	1,327,304	2·04	12·20	5·98	93,207,144
	1953	681,870	1,405,125	2·06	12·35	5·99	98,303,868
	1954	712,592	1,489,030	2·09	12·54	6·00	104,409,819
Manitoba	1952	110,466	235,347	2·13	12·78	6-00	16,703,467
	1953	113,329	244,376	2·16	12·93	6-00	17,283,660
	1954	116,238	253,803	2·18	13·11	6-00	17,979,854
Saskatchewan	1952	119,006	267, 625	2·25	13 · 64	6·06	19,424,562
	1953	120,781	272, 958	2·26	13 · 73	6·07	19,723,352
	1954	128,753	281, 344	2·27	13 · 80	6·07	20,244,540
Alberta	1952	140,497	303,646	2·16	12.99	6·01	21,573,430
	1953	147,006	320,934	2·18	13.12	6·01	22,575,584
	1954	154,258	339,803	2·20	13.24	6·01	23,958,080
British Columbia	1952	166,734	329,130	1·97	11.81	5·98	23,063,643
	1953	173,993	347,610	2·00	12.02	6·02	24,399,859
	1954	181,241	367,834	2·03	12.26	6·04	25,904,496
Yukon and Northwest Territories	1952 1953 1954	4,077 4,296 4,366	9,053 9,619 9,951	2·22 2·24 2·28	13 · 26 13 · 67 13 · 94	5·97 6·10 6·11	649, 273 680, 828 702, 801
Canada	1952	1,966,721	4,530,186	2·38	13 · 82	6·00	320,457,673
	1953	2,041,341	4,729,172	2·32	13 · 94	6·02	334,197,685
	1954	2,116,709	4,942,044	2·33	14 · 08	6·03	350,113,902

¹ Based on gross payments for March.

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