

**30.—Applications for Employment, Positions Offered and Placements Effected by Employment Offices 1949-58, and by Province, 1957 and 1958—concluded**

Year and Province		Applications Registered		Vacancies Notified		Placements Effected	
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Quebec.....	1957	740,606	221,855	190,919	96,108	148,569	66,766
	1958	747,771	251,423	148,358	84,616	132,237	66,149
Ontario.....	1957	948,018	372,783	269,687	139,023	226,199	103,540
	1958	1,006,625	386,594	233,348	127,003	206,905	98,131
Manitoba.....	1957	126,889	56,417	40,954	24,460	32,982	18,151
	1958	124,209	58,538	39,941	24,727	34,277	19,175
Saskatchewan.....	1957	86,931	33,652	32,759	17,082	25,569	11,554
	1958	85,185	35,423	27,551	15,098	24,697	11,139
Alberta.....	1957	166,996	63,209	60,157	39,012	47,439	25,827
	1958	165,602	65,301	58,954	35,652	48,193	23,770
British Columbia.....	1957	356,292	130,894	75,628	60,457	63,543	48,153
	1958	365,220	150,343	68,431	66,524	62,018	57,053

**Section 6.—Vocational Training\***

The federal Department of Labour, under the authorization of the Vocational Training Co-ordination Act 1942, co-operates with the provinces in promoting and developing vocational training in Canada by sharing with the provincial governments the costs of establishing and operating various types of schools and training programs designed to fit trainees for employment.

The federal-provincial program under which all classes and training projects are operated is known as 'Canadian Vocational Training'. In conducting this program, the Minister of Labour receives advice and co-operation from the Vocational Training Advisory Council which consists of representatives of provincial governments, employers, organized labour and other bodies concerned with vocational training in Canada. Problems regarding apprenticeship, including federal participation therein, are referred to the Apprenticeship Training Advisory Committee which reports to the Minister through the Council.

The established procedure is to have all training programs operated by or under the supervision of the appropriate provincial authority and to reimburse the provinces for provincial government expenditures in connection with such projects. Where classes or training programs are operated for Federal Government departments, the Armed Forces, or other federal agencies, the provinces are reimbursed for the full costs; otherwise they are reimbursed for one-half of such expenditures subject to the limitation of funds voted for such purpose by Parliament.

There are three federal-provincial agreements governing the nature and extent of the sharable expenditures for different types of training: the Vocational and Technical Training Agreement No. 2, the Apprenticeship Training Agreement, and the Special Vocational Training Projects Agreement.

**Vocational and Technical Training Agreement.**—This Agreement which provides for the expenditure, over the five-year period that began Apr. 1, 1957, of \$40,000,000 of Federal Government assistance to the provinces in the building, equipping and operating of vocational and technical schools, institutes and training centres, was signed by all

\* More detailed information is given in the annual report *Canadian Vocational Training Branch*, published as a supplement to the annual report of the Department of Labour.