

licenses. The total area of surveys is 32,574,987 acres, including 22,510,903 acres of land surveys, 8,945,119 acres of timber, 652,848 acres of coal lands and 466,117 acres of mineral claims. The area included in cities is 56,270 acres and in district municipalities 888,378 acres. The area of the province is 238,469,600 acres, of which 92,800,000 acres is above timberline, and 91,432,100 acres is forested—39,352,000 acres carrying over 1,000 ft. per acre and 17,281,600 acres from 5,000–30,000 ft. per acre. The area suitable for agriculture is estimated at 22,608,000 acres. On Vancouver island, an area of 2,110,054 acres is included in the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Ry. land grant, embracing the southeastern portion of the island, and applications for lands in this area are made to the land agent of that railway at Victoria.

8.—Homestead Entries in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and British Columbia, by Nationalities, made during the Fiscal Years 1916-1921.

Nationalities.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Canadians from Ontario.....	1,885	1,500	1,179	599	937	665
“ Quebec.....	505	496	425	260	298	270
“ Nova Scotia.....	137	124	138	53	106	78
“ New Brunswick.....	82	70	87	31	83	52
“ Prince Edward Island.....	54	51	49	17	47	37
“ Manitoba.....	1,137	657	403	238	365	237
“ Saskatchewan.....	280	284	177	75	126	105
“ Alberta.....	310	233	158	87	144	134
“ British Columbia.....	63	68	47	28	37	27
Persons who had previous entry.....	2,779	1,642	1,087	606	875	871
Newfoundlanders.....	14	4	8	2	10	8
Canadians returned from the United States.....	19	17	10	6	13	3
Americans.....	2,416	1,734	2,084	870	1,318	1,072
English.....	2,374	1,469	888	639	1,252	821
Scotch.....	700	496	285	182	360	242
Irish.....	314	194	142	87	154	114
French.....	111	65	54	38	58	32
Belgians.....	103	46	39	19	26	36
Swiss.....	37	30	24	8	13	18
Italians.....	100	48	25	21	12	19
Roumanians.....	40	24	19	7	10	12
Syrians.....	5	5	2	1	4	1
Germans.....	170	75	10	7	5	22
Austro-Hungarians.....	1,745	735	125	38	69	170
Dutch.....	50	41	42	15	13	9
Danes (other than Icelanders).....	100	57	46	29	35	46
Icelanders.....	74	36	38	10	20	14
Swedes.....	342	235	195	60	82	71
Norwegians.....	309	226	248	83	92	84
Russians (other than Mennonites, Doukhobors and Finns).....	719	489	217	74	105	91
Chinese.....	4	-	1	4	1	-
Japanese.....	2	3	2	2	-	-
Persians.....	-	-	2	-	-	2
Australians.....	4	10	6	1	5	2
New Zealanders.....	2	-	2	-	1	1
Greeks.....	3	1	-	1	1	-
Hindus.....	4	3	-	-	-	-
Bulgarians.....	4	2	4	-	-	-
Serbians.....	4	2	2	1	4	-
Spaniards.....	-	3	1	-	-	-
Turks.....	4	-	-	-	-	-
Hebrews.....	6	-	2	-	-	-
Other nationalities.....	19	24	46	28	51	23
Total.....	17,030	11,199	8,319	4,227	6,732	5,389