The number of grants made to soldiers from 1919 to 1925 was 1,643, 5,981, 2,892, 1,655, 1,212, 710 and 584 respectively. Entries by soldiers cancelled in the years 1919 to 1923 were included with those given in Table 2. Such cancellations in 1924 and 1925 numbered 630 and 615 respectively.

## 2.—Number of Homestead Entries and Number of Homestead Cancellations from 1874 to Mar. 31, 1925.

Note.—From 1874 to 1894 the departmental years ended Oct. 31; from 1895 to 1899, Dec. 31; from 1900 to 1906, June 30; from 1907, Mar. 31.

Years.	Homesteads.			Homesteads.			Homesteads.	
	Number of Entries.	Number can- celled.	Years.	Number of Entries.	Number can- celled.	Years.	Number of Entries.	Number can- celled.
1874	1,376 889 1892 499 303 1893 347 153 1894 845 457 1895 1,788 1,377 1896 4,068 2,045 1897 2,074 679 1898 2,753 937 1899 7,483 3,485 1900 6,063 1,818 1901 3,753 1,330 1902 1,858 597 1903 2,657 812 1904 2,036 459 1905 2,655 668 1906 4,416 639 1907	3,209 2,394 1,857 2,384 4,848 6,689 7,426 8,167 14,633 31,383 26,073 30,819 41,869 21,647	1,322 899 648 683 301 1,090 1,546 1,746 1,096 1,682 3,296 5,208 8,702 11,296 11,637 14,110 15,668 14,677	1910	41,568 44,479 39,151 33,699 31,829 24,088 17,030 11,199 8,319 4,227 6,732 5,389 7,349 5,343 3,843 3,653	16,832 22,122 18,486 17,101 15,854 12,351 10,070 9,570 6,314 4,115 7,891 7,336 7,806 7,061 4,187 4,168		

In the calendar year 1924 the total number of homestead entries was 3,809 Table 3 is a statement of the homestead entries on Dominion lands for the years 1917 to 1925. Statistics of the origin of those making homestead entries in the fiscal years ended 1920 to 1925 are given in Table 4, and financial statistics of receipts from Dominion lands in Table 5.

The privilege of making pre-emptions or purchased homestead entries was withdrawn by Order in Council as from Mar. 20, 1918, confirmed by c. 19 of the Statutes of 1918, assented to May 24, 1918.

## 3.—Homestead Entries on Dominion Lands in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia, calendar years 1917-1925.

Provinces.	1917.	1918.	1919.	1920.	1921.	1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.
	No.	No.							
Manitoba	1,617	873	1,209	795	1,477	878	556	<b>5</b> 65	414
Saskatchewan	2,967	1,273	1,840	1,726	2,729	2,046	1,664	1,843	2,031
Alberta	3,975	2,163	3,464	2,794	2,936	2,240	1,395	1,181	1,369
British Columbia	209	69	110	120	204	154	139	220	145
Total	8,768	4,378	6,623	5,435	7,346	5,318	3,754	3,809	3,959