

The number of juveniles immigrated to Canada in each year since 1901, together with the number of applications for their services, is given in Table 12, from which it may be seen that the applications in recent years were from 7 to 15 times the number of young persons immigrated.

12.—Juvenile Immigrants and Applications for their Service, 1901-1927.

NOTE.—Juvenile immigrants are included in the total number of immigrants recorded elsewhere.

Fiscal Years.	Juvenile Immigrants.	Applications for their services.	Fiscal Years.	Juvenile Immigrants.	Applications for their services.
	No.	No.		No.	No.
1901.....	977	5,783	1916.....	821	31,725
1902.....	1,540	8,537	1917.....	251	28,990
1903.....	1,979	14,219	1918.....	-	17,916
1904.....	2,212	16,573	1919.....	-	11,718
1905.....	2,814	17,833	1920.....	155	10,235
1906.....	3,258	19,374	1921.....	1,426	19,841
1907 ¹	1,455	15,800	1922.....	1,211	15,371
1908.....	2,375	17,239	1923.....	1,184	17,005
1909.....	2,424	15,417	1924.....	2,080	22,193
1910.....	2,422	18,477	1925.....	2,000	13,971
1911.....	2,524	21,768	1926.....	1,862	13,988
1912.....	2,689	31,040	1927.....	1,741	12,446
1913.....	2,642	33,493			
1914.....	2,318	32,417	Total.....	46,160	514,273
1915.....	1,899	30,854			

¹ Nine months.

Oriental Immigrants.—The immigration to Canada of labourers belonging to the Asiatic races, able because of their low standard of living to underbid the white man in selling his labour, is fundamentally an economic rather than a racial problem, affecting most of all those portions of the country which are nearest to the East and the classes which feel their economic position threatened. A record of Oriental immigration since the commencement of the century is given in Table 13.

13.—Record of Oriental Immigration, 1901-1927.

Fiscal Years.	Chi- nese.	Japan- ese.	East Indians.	Total.	Fiscal Years.	Chi- nese.	Japan- ese.	East Indians.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.	No.
1901.....	2,544	6	-	2,550	1915.....	1,258	592	-	1,850
1902.....	3,587	-	-	3,587	1916.....	89	401	1	491
1903.....	5,329	-	-	5,329	1917.....	393	648	-	1,041
1904.....	4,847	-	-	4,847	1918.....	769	883	-	1,652
1905.....	77	354	45	476	1919.....	4,333	1,178	-	5,511
1906.....	168	1,922	337	2,427	1920.....	544	711	-	1,255
1907 ¹	291	2,042	2,124	4,457	1921.....	2,435	532	10	2,977
1908.....	2,234	7,601	2,623	12,458	1922.....	1,746	471	13	2,230
1909.....	2,106	495	6	2,607	1923.....	711	369	21	1,101
1910.....	2,302	271	10	2,583	1924.....	674	448	40	1,162
1911.....	5,320	437	5	5,762	1925.....	-	501	46	547
1912.....	6,581	765	3	7,349	1926.....	-	421	62	483
1913.....	7,445	724	5	8,174	1927.....	2	475	60	537
1914.....	5,512	856	88	6,456					
					Total.....	61,297	23,103	5,549	89,949

¹ Nine months.

Chinese Immigrants.—As a result of the influx of Chinese into Canada, legislation was passed in 1885 (48-49 Vict., c. 71), providing that thereafter Chinese of the labouring class should be required as a condition of their entry into Canada to pay a head tax of \$50 each; on Jan. 1, 1901 (62-64 Vict., c. 32), this amount was increased to \$100 and on Jan. 1, 1904 (3 Edw. VII, c. 8) to \$500. This tax was paid by Chinese immigrants, with the exception of consular officers, merchants and clergymen and their families, tourists, men of science, students and teachers, a record showing the number of Chinese admitted who paid the tax, the number exempt from it and the revenue realized being given by years from 1886 in Table 14.