

Nationalities of Immigrants.—In the latest fiscal year ended Mar. 31, 1928, British subjects immigrating to Canada numbered 54,248 and American citizens 21,368, or together about 49·8 p.c. of the total number of immigrants shown in Table 6.

It has previously been pointed out that male immigrants are likely to include a large number of transients, and that the immigration of females is more likely to represent a permanent addition to the population of the country, and the national or racial distribution of that addition. Out of 51,321 females immigrating to Canada in the fiscal year ended Mar. 31, 1928, 22,553 or 44 p.c. were British subjects and 7,840 or 15 p.c. American citizens. Thus nearly 60 p.c. were British or Americans by nationality. The remainder were practically all Continental Europeans, among whom Poles, with 5,996 or 11·6 p.c. of the whole, were the largest single group.

6.—Nationalities of Immigrants arriving via Ocean Ports and from the United States, fiscal years ended Mar. 31, 1927 and 1928.

Nationalities.	1927.			1928.		
	Via Ocean Ports.	From U.S.	Total.	Via Ocean Ports.	From U.S.	Total.
British Subject.....	50,378	2,239	52,617	51,552	2,696	54,248
U. S. Citizen.....	95	17,820	17,915	108	21,260	21,368
Mexican.....	16	4	20	6	6	11
Central American.....	7	—	7	—	—	—
South American.....	—	—	—	5	—	5
Argentinian.....	—	—	—	9	2	11
Brazilian.....	6	1	7	2	1	3
Chilian.....	—	—	—	6	—	6
West Indian (not British).....	—	—	—	1	1	2
Austrian.....	794	55	849	1,320	69	1,389
Belgian.....	2,210	33	2,243	2,317	30	2,347
Bulgarian.....	106	—	106	253	1	254
Czechoslovakian.....	6,671	7	6,678	6,025	10	6,035
Finnish.....	5,842	17	5,859	5,313	27	5,340
French.....	326	20	346	635	39	674
German.....	2,282	72	2,354	4,716	113	4,829
Greek.....	357	7	364	551	10	561
Dutch.....	1,525	42	1,567	1,593	32	1,625
Hungarian.....	4,447	21	4,468	4,357	40	4,397
Italian.....	3,269	44	3,313	3,546	28	3,574
Jugo-Slav.....	5,388	4	5,390	4,193	12	4,205
Polish.....	17,920	90	18,010	18,958	109	19,067
Rumanian.....	2,527	36	2,563	4,173	35	4,208
Russian.....	8,122	193	8,315	2,932	141	3,073
Danish.....	2,031	44	2,075	3,831	54	3,885
Icelandic.....	29	3	32	30	4	34
Norwegian.....	3,377	118	3,495	4,314	118	4,432
Swedish.....	1,966	95	2,061	2,552	100	2,652
Swiss.....	756	33	789	788	40	828
Ukrainian.....	503	7	510	209	5	214
Albanian.....	8	1	9	13	2	14
Estonian.....	83	—	83	133	—	133
Latvian.....	96	1	97	109	7	116
Lithuanian.....	1,032	7	1,039	1,411	7	1,418
Portuguese.....	7	—	7	—	—	—
Spanish.....	17	2	19	3	1	9
Luxemburger.....	21	—	21	31	—	31
African (not British).....	—	—	—	—	1	1
Arabian.....	4	1	5	8	—	8
Armenian.....	27	3	30	5	1	6
Chinese.....	2	—	2	—	—	—
Japanese.....	457	—	457	462	—	462
Korean.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Persian.....	15	—	15	3	—	3
Syrian.....	215	4	219	108	6	112
Turkish.....	34	1	35	7	—	7
Total.....	122,966	21,025	143,991	126,596	25,007	151,597