

PROHIBITED CLASSES—concluded.

- (m) Persons not included within any of the foregoing prohibited classes, who upon examination by a medical officer are certified as being mentally or physically defective to such a degree as to affect their ability to earn a living;
- (n) Persons who believe in or advocate the overthrow by force or violence of the Government of Canada or of constituted law and authority, or who disbelieve in or are opposed to organized government, or who advocate the assassination of public officials, or who advocate or teach the unlawful destruction of property;
- (o) Persons who are members of or affiliated with any organization entertaining or teaching disbelief in or opposition to organized government, or advocating or teaching the duty, necessity, or propriety of the unlawful assaulting or killing of any officer or officers either of specific individuals or of officers generally, of the Government of Canada or of any other organized government, because of his or their official character, or advocating or teaching the unlawful destruction of property;
- (q) Persons guilty of espionage with respect to His Majesty or any of His Majesty's allies;
- (r) Persons who have been found guilty of high treason or treason or of conspiring against His Majesty, or of assisting His Majesty's enemies in time of war, or of any similar offence against any of His Majesty's allies;
- (s) Persons who at any time within a period of ten years from the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and fourteen, were deported from any part of His Majesty's dominions or from any allied country on account of treason or of conspiring against His Majesty, or of any similar offence in connection with the war against any of the allies of His Majesty;
- (t) On and after the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, in addition to the foregoing "prohibited classes", the following persons shall also be prohibited from entering or landing in Canada:—Persons over fifteen years of age, physically capable of reading who cannot read the English or French language or some other language or dialect: Provided that any admissible person or any person heretofore or hereafter legally admitted, or any citizen of Canada, may bring in or send for his father or grandfather, over fifty-five years of age, his wife, his mother, his grandmother or his unmarried or widowed daughter, if otherwise admissible, whether such relative can read or not, and such relative shall be permitted to enter; for the purpose of ascertaining whether aliens can read, the immigration officer shall use slips of uniform size prepared by direction of the Minister, each containing not less than thirty and not more than forty words in ordinary use printed in plainly legible type in the language or dialect the person may designate as the one in which he desires the examination to be made, and he shall be required to read the words printed on the slip in such language or dialect; but the provisions of this subsection shall not apply to Canadian citizens and persons who have Canadian domicile, to persons in transit through Canada, or to such persons or classes of persons as may from time to time be approved by the Minister.
- (u) Members of a family (including children over as well as under 18 years of age) accompanying a person who has been rejected, unless in the opinion of the Board of Inquiry no hardship would be involved by separation of the family."

The Immigration Act provides for the rejection and deportation of immigrants belonging to the prohibited classes, and also for the deportation of those who become undesirables within five years after legal entry.

The operation of the above regulations is illustrated in Tables 12 and 13, which give the numbers of immigrants rejected on applying for admission and those deported after admission, the causes of such rejection or deportation, and the nationalities of those deported, for each of the 12 fiscal years ended 1923 to 1934, together with the totals for the 20 fiscal years 1903-22 and the 32 fiscal years from 1903 to 1934 inclusive.

12.—Rejections of Immigrants upon Arrival at Ocean Ports, by Principal Causes and Nationalities, fiscal years ended 1923-34, with Totals 1903-22 and 1903-34.

Item.	1903 to 1922.	1923.	1924.	1925.	1926.	1927.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	Total, 1903- 1934.
By Causes—														
Medical causes.....	5,154	37	130	83	40	95	104	94	78	39	26	16	17	5,913
Civil causes.....	10,103	595	862	948	226	594	215	266	243	444	298	213	177	15,184
Totals.....	15,257	632	992	1,031	266	689	319	360	321	483	324	229	194	21,097
By Nationalities—														
British.....	2,120	98	187	199	109	209	150	154	160	251	180	126	123	4,066
United States.....	305	4	6	11	—	5	2	3	8	6	4	13	11	378
Other.....	12,832	530	799	821	157	475	167	203	153	226	140	90	60	16,653