

Ports of Arrival of Immigrants.—Throughout the greater part of our history, Quebec has been the port at which the greatest number of our immigrants have landed. In the past years, up to 1935, there was a great increase in the percentage of immigrants arriving at the port of Halifax. This would appear to have been due to increasing immigration in the early spring months before the St. Lawrence is open for traffic. Figures for recent years are given in Table 9.

9.—Immigrants Arriving in Canada, by Chief Ports of Arrival, calendar years 1930-35.

| Port. | 1930. | 1931. | 1932. | 1933. | 1934. | 1935. |
|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Quebec..... | 34,098 | 6,940 | 3,558 | 3,063 | 2,889 | 2,901 |
| Saint John..... | 11,538 | 1,162 | 46 | 30 | 25 | 20 |
| Halifax..... | 29,890 | 2,389 | 1,950 | 1,446 | 1,965 | 1,494 |
| North Sydney..... | 619 | 300 | 219 | 223 | 260 | 247 |
| Sydney..... | 7 | 18 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 7 |
| Montreal..... | 218 | 131 | 69 | 58 | 64 | 54 |
| Vancouver..... | 973 | 367 | 294 | 223 | 274 | 187 |
| Victoria..... | 266 | 135 | 84 | 56 | 53 | 51 |
| New York..... | 1,506 | 854 | 632 | 738 | 850 | 943 |
| Boston..... | 13 | 2 | — | 9 | 1 | 10 |
| Charlottetown..... | — | — | — | — | 1 | — |
| Other ports..... | 46 | 37 | 27 | 34 | 22 | 72 |
| From the United States..... | 25,632 | 15,195 | 13,709 | 8,500 | 6,071 | 5,291 |
| Totals..... | 104,806 | 27,530 | 20,591 | 14,382 | 12,476 | 11,277 |

Destinations of Immigrants.—Table 10 shows that in the eight latest calendar years the province of Ontario continued to receive the largest number of immigrants, as has been the case since 1905. In 1929 and 1930 Manitoba was in second place, while in the five latest years Quebec stood second as the immediate destination of new arrivals. The 1934-35 edition of the Year Book gives similar information, by fiscal years, from 1901 to 1934.

10.—Destinations of Immigrants into Canada, by Provinces, calendar years 1929-36.

| Calendar Year. | Maritime Provinces. | Quebec. | Ontario. | Manitoba. | Saskatchewan. | Alberta. | British Columbia and Yukon. | Not Shown. | Total. |
|----------------|---------------------|---------|----------|-----------|---------------|----------|-----------------------------|------------|----------------------|
| 1929..... | 4,961 | 23,952 | 61,684 | 38,340 | 11,336 | 15,300 | 9,417 | 1 | 164,993 ¹ |
| 1930..... | 4,060 | 18,405 | 37,851 | 23,837 | 6,435 | 7,812 | 6,395 | 2 | 104,806 ¹ |
| 1931..... | 2,547 | 5,452 | 12,316 | 1,056 | 1,352 | 2,213 | 2,583 | — | 27,530 ¹ |
| 1932..... | 1,762 | 4,134 | 9,312 | 757 | 971 | 1,692 | 1,960 | — | 20,591 ¹ |
| 1933..... | 1,281 | 2,755 | 6,210 | 558 | 727 | 1,296 | 1,552 | 1 | 14,382 ¹ |
| 1934..... | 1,027 | 2,456 | 5,582 | 390 | 519 | 1,098 | 1,402 | — | 12,476 ¹ |
| 1935..... | 1,060 | 2,258 | 4,786 | 708 | 408 | 735 | 1,315 | — | 11,277 ¹ |
| 1936..... | 981 | 1,995 | 4,913 | 938 | 528 | 917 | 1,366 | — | 11,643 ¹ |

¹Includes immigrants destined for the Northwest Territories: 2 in 1929, 9 in 1930, 11 in 1931, 3 in 1932, 2 in 1933, 2 in 1934, 7 in 1935 and 5 in 1936.

Occupations of Immigrant Arrivals.—The immigrants most universally acceptable to Canadians are those who settle on the land or those females who enter domestic service. In Table 11 will be found statistics of the occupations and destinations of immigrants arriving in Canada during the calendar year 1935.