

ineligible to receive certificates of naturalization for a period of 10 years after the termination of the War was removed. All these Acts have been consolidated in R.S.C. 1927, c. 138. At the present time any alien may apply for naturalization, regardless of his nationality, but, according to Sect. 4, Part II of the Act, the granting of a certificate of naturalization to any alien is left entirely to the discretion of the Minister, who may, without assigning any reason, give or withhold the certificate as he thinks most conducive to the public good. Since Jan. 15, 1932, female British subjects, marrying aliens, retain British nationality, unless they, by marriage, acquire their husbands' nationalities, and the wives of aliens no longer become British subjects through their husbands' naturalization. They must apply to the Secretary of State.

Table 10 shows the number of naturalization certificates issued to single persons or heads of families under these Acts during the calendar years from 1929 to 1938. The total numbers of persons naturalized during the fiscal years 1938 and 1939, were 27,455 and 21,418, respectively, including (except as stated above) the wives and minor children of those to whom naturalization certificates were issued.

#### 10.—Naturalizations in Canada, by Principal Nationalities, Calendar Years 1929-38.

NOTE.—Dashes in this table indicate that naturalizations were not reported under the corresponding stub items.

Nationality.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.	1934.	1935.	1936.	1937.	1938.
Albanian.....	9	4	4	2	2	4	4	5	13	1
Argentinian.....	1	4	3	2	2	5	4	10	3	2
Austrian.....	890	1,004	1,050	1,057	659	804	1,015	996	1,069	750
Austro-Hungarian.....	5	4	5	3	5	Nil	3	4	6	Nil
Belgian.....	264	274	257	284	305	267	383	373	486	314
Brazilian.....	3	1	Nil	2	Nil	2	Nil	4	Nil	2
Bulgarian.....	64	41	37	44	30	37	46	53	72	44
Chinese.....	24	23	22	5	1	1	7	6	2	4
Costa Rican.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Nil	Nil	Nil
Czechoslovak.....	287	287	646	1,078	964	910	1,052	1,080	1,364	991
Danish.....	208	217	249	285	390	418	677	771	686	327
Danziger.....	Nil	1	2	5	4	5	2	7	10	4
Dutch.....	112	143	203	229	197	181	356	434	442	262
Egyptian.....	1	1	Nil	21	2	Nil	1	Nil	2	Nil
Estonian.....	9	10	14	16	24	34	51	44	34	29
Finnish.....	288	276	319	329	359	410	601	601	687	624
French.....	118	119	154	127	126	103	154	219	277	195
German.....	288	420	449	530	675	899	1,495	2,079	1,851	997
Greek <sup>1</sup> .....	173	181	97	121	113	157	216	193	185	175
Hungarian.....	184	396	780	829	721	856	1,166	1,138	1,224	913
Icelandic.....	12	17	30	21	8	24	31	29	22	14
Italian.....	1,739	1,186	1,183	1,418	1,265	779	829	894	1,067	969
Japanese.....	18	33	7	Nil	1	10	49	49	41	16
Latvian.....	25	25	29	34	29	39	61	56	55	41
Lithuanian.....	55	46	130	192	275	332	427	514	396	286
Luxemburger.....	4	2	4	8	5	Nil	4	12	8	6
Memel (Territory).....	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	Nil	Nil	Nil
Mexican.....	1	Nil	2	Nil	1	Nil	3	"	1	1
Montenegrin.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	"	2	Nil
Norwegian.....	424	381	412	453	498	521	687	737	724	395
Palestinian.....	6	6	4	1	5	10	15	11	9	8
Persian.....	1	4	1	4	3	Nil	3	4	2	6
Polish.....	1,295	1,218	2,623	4,240	3,749	4,279	6,113	6,302	6,949	5,104
Roumanian.....	671	588	614	781	720	852	1,195	1,157	1,087	848
Russian.....	1,687	1,940	2,527	2,936	1,970	1,807	2,178	2,256	2,216	1,475
Spanish.....	7	8	8	9	5	5	5	7	11	2
Swedish.....	295	310	442	375	385	444	638	704	681	376
Swiss.....	26	38	27	61	47	64	90	125	152	147
Syrian.....	-	-	53	86	77	60	69	55	80	70
Turkish <sup>2</sup> .....	160	174	56	40	30	33	54	28	31	29
United States.....	1,073	1,104	1,652	1,877	1,374	1,240	1,905	2,170	2,013	1,098
Yugo-Slav (Serb-Croat-Slovene).....	295	404	646	1,018	1,160	979	882	888	845	686
All others.....	12	16	11	24	54	47	66	55	61	77
<b>Totals.....</b>	<b>10,734</b>	<b>10,906</b>	<b>14,752</b>	<b>18,527</b>	<b>16,240</b>	<b>16,618</b>	<b>22,541</b>	<b>24,070</b>	<b>24,866</b>	<b>17,288</b>

<sup>1</sup> Includes 1 Greek Macedonian for 1930. Palestinian, and Mesopotamian Turks.

<sup>2</sup> Includes also Syrian, Armenian, Greek, Bulgarian,