

increasing immigration in the early spring months before the St. Lawrence is open for traffic. Arrivals for the calendar years 1931-37 are given at p. 164 of the 1939 Year Book. Statistics on a fiscal-year basis will be found in the Report of the Department of Mines and Resources.

Destinations of Immigrants.—Immigrants entering the Dominion are required to give the province of intended destination, but it does not necessarily mean that this is the province of eventual residence. It is believed, however, that the figures for later years give a truer picture of actual residence than did those for the earlier years, when 'boom' conditions tended to create a class of 'floaters' who flocked to new jobs, quite possibly in other provinces, as soon as the ones on which they were originally employed ended. Of the provinces, Ontario has received the largest number of immigrants in each year since 1905. In 1929 and 1930, Manitoba was in second place, while in the nine latest years Quebec has stood second as the immediate destination of new arrivals.

9.—Destinations of Immigrants into Canada, by Provinces, Calendar Years 1929-41

NOTE.—The 1934-35 edition of the Year Book gives similar information for the fiscal years 1901 to 1934.

Year	Mari- time Prov- inces	Quebec	Ontario	Mani- toba	Saskat- chewan	Alberta	British Colum- bia and Yukon	N.W.T.	Not Given	Total
1929.....	4,961	23,952	61,684	38,340	11,336	15,300	9,417	2	1	164,993
1930.....	4,060	18,405	37,851	23,837	6,435	7,812	6,395	9	2	104,806
1931.....	2,547	5,452	12,316	1,056	1,352	2,213	2,583	11	Nil	27,530
1932.....	1,762	4,134	9,312	757	971	1,692	1,960	3	"	20,591
1933.....	1,281	2,755	6,210	558	727	1,296	1,552	2	1	14,382
1934.....	1,027	2,456	5,582	390	519	1,098	1,402	2	Nil	12,476
1935.....	1,060	2,258	4,786	708	408	735	1,315	7	"	11,277
1936.....	981	1,995	4,913	938	528	917	1,366	5	"	11,643
1937.....	1,136	2,611	6,463	1,430	616	1,175	1,667	3	"	15,101
1938.....	1,270	3,301	7,107	1,673	684	1,648	1,557	4	"	17,244
1939.....	1,167	3,433	5,957	1,316	1,227	1,695	2,190	9	"	16,994
1940.....	1,642	2,556	4,447	314	250	458	1,653	4	"	11,324
1941.....	1,717	1,931	3,365	193	186	288	1,647	2	"	9,329

Occupations of Immigrant Arrivals.—The specific classes of immigrants most universally acceptable to Canada are those who settle on the land or those females who enter domestic service.