Birthplace.—British-born immigrants to Canada in 1952 numbered 44,942 and made up 27 p.c. of the total immigration; the increase over 1951 amounted to 31 p.c. Immigrants born in Continental Europe totalled 105,532, constituting a decrease of 29 p.c. from the previous year. They accounted for 64 p.c. of the immigration compared with 76 p.c. in 1951. Of the 105,532, 19·8 p.c. were born in Italy, 19·7 p.c. in The Netherlands, 19·4 p.c. in Germany and 8·4 p.c. in Poland. The number of United States-born immigrants in 1952 was slightly higher than in 1951, accounting for 5 p.c. of the total as compared with 3 p.c. in the previous year.

5.—Birthplaces of Immigrant Arrivals, 1950-52

Note.—Figures for 1942-49 are given in the corresponding table of previous Year Books beginning with the 1948-49 edition.

| Country of Birth   | 1950  | 1951   | 1952   | Country of Birth   | 1950  | 1951   | 1952  |
|--|---|--|--|--|---|--|---|
|  | No.   | No.  | No.  |  | No.   | No.  | No.   |
| Commonwealth— British Isles— England. Northern Ireland Scotland. Wales. Lesser Isles   | 8,419<br>680<br>3,032<br>287<br>38                  | 18,723<br>1,302<br>9,199<br>635<br>99                  | 26, 221<br>2, 826<br>10, 611<br>1, 049<br>137          | Continent of Asia—<br>China<br>Israel<br>Japan<br>Other  | 1,873<br>—<br>18<br>214   | 2,967<br>—<br>19<br>714  | 2,510<br>539<br>34<br>539   |
| Other Commonwealth— Africa (British) Australia Canada India New Zealand West Indies (British) Other Republic of Ireland Continent of Africa (other than British) | 93<br>317<br>878<br>199<br>194<br>326<br>938<br>614 | 196<br>462<br>719<br>369<br>199<br>584<br>1,754<br>938 | 330<br>667<br>795<br>468<br>227<br>673<br>938<br>1,516 | Continent of Europe  Austria Belgium Czechoslovakia Denmark Finland France Germany Greece Hungary Ltaly Latvia Lithuania Netherlands, The Norway | 754<br>706<br>1,848<br>—<br>1,238<br>3,918<br>828<br>1,947<br>9,004<br>1,580<br>973<br>7,125<br>237 | 4,091<br>4,235<br>4,401<br>7,198<br>24,257<br>2,758<br>2,099<br>23,806<br>2,679<br>1,519<br>18,781 | 3,112<br>1,941<br>1,893<br>2,030<br>2,276<br>4,505<br>20,423<br>1,542<br>1,999<br>20,930<br>1,545<br>898<br>20,850<br>1,193 |
| Continent of North America— Central America Mexico United States Other   | 22<br>16<br>5,909<br>54                             | 20<br>38<br>5,982<br>98                                | 31<br>121<br>7,603<br>109                              | Norway. Poland. Roumania. Switzerland. Union of Soviet Social- ist Republics! Yugoslavia. Other.   | 9,944<br>1,212<br>482<br>2,043<br>1,558<br>3,932  | 17,907<br>2,930<br>1,337<br>4,489<br>5,651<br>16,417   | 2,769<br>3,106<br>2,106   |
| Continent of South<br>America  | 254   | 350  | 501  | Grand Totals   | 73,912 2  | 194,3913   | 164,498   |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In both Europe and Asia. <sup>2</sup> Includes 6 born at sea and 98 others not stated. <sup>3</sup> Includes 8 born at sea and 302 others not stated. <sup>4</sup> Includes 4 born at sea and 230 others not stated.

Origin.—Of the 47,872 immigrants of British stock entering Canada in 1952, 61 p.c. were English, 25 p.c. Scottish, 12 p.c. Irish and 2 p.c. Welsh. Immigrants of Continental European stocks, who together numbered 113,461 and accounted for 69 p.c. of the total, were 25.9 p.c. German, 19.0 p.c. Italian, 19.0 p.c. Netherlanders, 5.0 p.c. Jewish, 5.0 p.c. Polish, 4.4 p.c. French and 2.5 p.c. Ukrainian.