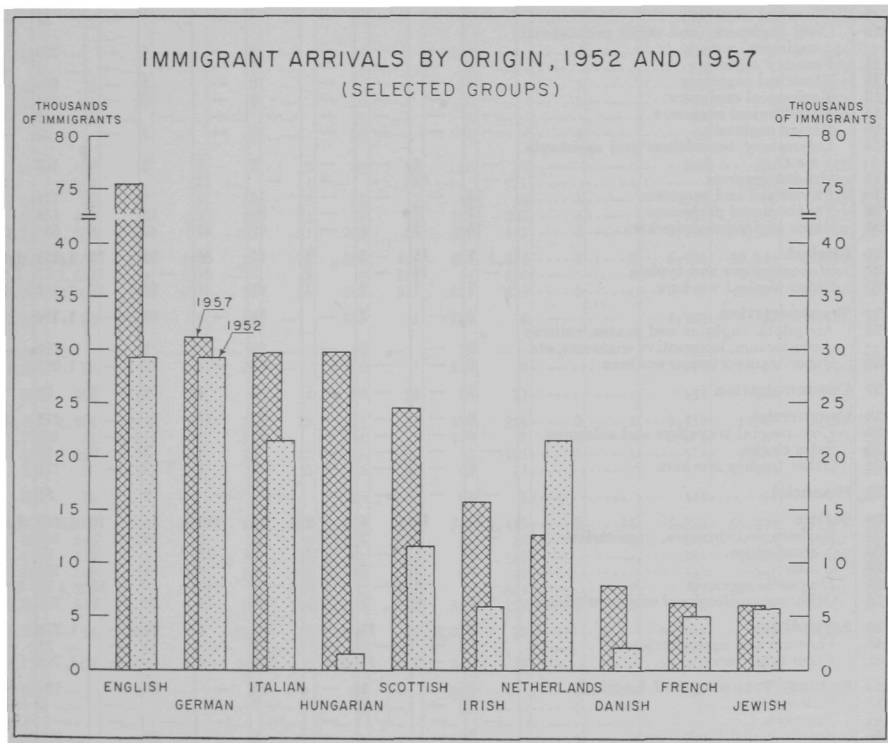


7.—Origins of Immigrant Arrivals 1955-57—concluded

| Origin | 1955 | 1956 | 1957 | Origin | 1955 | 1956 | 1957 |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | No. | No. | No. | | No. | No. | No. |
| Other— | | | | Other—concluded | | | |
| Arabian | 56 | 87 | 91 | Negro | 414 | 572 | 723 |
| Armenian | 144 | 189 | 285 | Persian | 15 | 11 | 24 |
| Chinese | 2,602 | 2,103 | 1,686 | Turkish | 20 | 56 | 93 |
| East Indian | 249 | 332 | 334 | Not stated | 52 | 80 | 146 |
| Indian (American) | 28 | 31 | 24 | | | | |
| Japanese | 102 | 124 | 185 | Totals, Other | 4,019 | 4,106 | 4,064 |
| Lebanese ¹ | 326 | 494 | 453 | | | | |
| Mexican | 11 | 27 | 20 | Grand Totals | 109,946 | 164,857 | 282,164 |

¹ Includes a few minor groups, such as German, French, Italian, etc.

² Reported as Swiss origin but evidently one of the constituent races
³ Includes 118 Syrian in 1955, 80 in 1956 and 92 in 1957.



Destination and Occupation.—Approximately 54 p.c. of the immigrants admitted to Canada in 1957 declared that they would enter the labour force. The other 46 p.c. were wives, children, other dependants and retired persons. Of the workers, 11.4 p.c. were classed as professional and managerial, 7.2 p.c. were in agricultural occupations, 11.6 p.c. in service occupations, 35.9 p.c. in manufacturing, mechanical and construction trades, and 12.9 p.c. were general labourers. Almost 50 p.c. of the gainfully occupied female immigrants were in service occupations.

Ontario absorbed 52.1 p.c. of the arrivals in 1957, Quebec 19.5 p.c., British Columbia and the Prairie Provinces 26.6 p.c. and the Atlantic Provinces 1.8 p.c.