

of British and 288,978, or 50.35 p.c., were of foreign origin. Of the total population of 1,698,220, 971,830, or 57.23 p.c., were of British and 726,390, or 42.77 p.c., were of foreign origin.

**17.—Origins of the Population of the Prairie Provinces born in Canada, United States or Elsewhere, 1916.**

Origins.	Canada.	United States.	Elsewhere.	Total.
English.....	251,397	52,200	182,718	486,315
Irish.....	149,271	29,770	25,523	204,564
Scotch.....	175,681	22,665	71,481	269,827
Welsh.....	4,131	1,751	5,242	11,124
<b>Total British.....</b>	<b>580,480</b>	<b>106,386</b>	<b>284,964</b>	<b>971,830</b>
French.....	70,263	10,972	8,752	89,987
German.....	61,805	32,882	42,281	136,968
Belgian.....	2,639	321	6,124	9,084
Austro-Hungarian.....	54,064	1,588	80,598	136,250
Danish.....	2,871	2,574	4,111	9,556
Dutch.....	12,884	4,411	5,058	22,353
Icelandic.....	7,896	881	7,023	15,800
Indian.....	38,748	399	—	39,147
Italian.....	1,451	278	3,619	5,348
Jewish.....	7,472	847	15,062	23,381
Norwegian.....	11,330	18,854	17,265	47,449
Poles, (not otherwise specified).....	11,337	812	15,641	27,790
Russian.....	26,486	3,227	34,022	63,735
Swedish.....	10,183	8,702	18,335	37,220
Ukranian.....	16,227	—	19,876	36,103
Others and not specified.....	10,287	4,721	11,211	26,219
<b>Total Foreign.....</b>	<b>345,943</b>	<b>91,469</b>	<b>288,978</b>	<b>726,390</b>
<b>Grand Total.....</b>	<b>926,423</b>	<b>197,855</b>	<b>573,942</b>	<b>1,698,220</b>

**Distribution by Age and Sex.**—The numerical distribution of the population by age and sex is given for the three provinces as a whole, and for each of the provinces in Table 18. Between the ages of 20 and 34 there were 273,998 males and 203,397 females, representing 29.3 p.c. of the total male and 26.7 p.c. of the total female population.

**Conjugal Condition.**—Tables 19 and 20 relate to the conjugal condition of the people. The former table shows that in 1916, of the total male population of 935,652, 588,193, or 62.9 p.c., were single and 329,508, or 35.2 p.c., were married, the rest comprising widowed, divorced or “not given.” The female population of 762,568 comprised 425,672, or 55.8 p.c., single and 311,029, or 40.8 p.c., married, the rest being widowed, divorced or “not given.” Table 20 shows the proportion of males to females, single and married (the latter including married, widowed and divorced), by specified age groups. For the total population in 1916 of 15 years of age and over, the proportion of married males to 1,000 females is 1,004 in Manitoba, 1,040 in Saskatchewan and 1,037 in Alberta.