

The Interprovincial Migration of Canadian-born.—Table 25 shows the extent of the migration of the population born in the eastern provinces to the Prairie Provinces and British Columbia. Of the total population born in Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and living in Canada, 9·88 p.c. had moved from the province of birth to some other province in 1921, as against 9·46 p.c. in 1911. Of the total migration (568,965) from the eastern provinces reported in the 1921 census, 68·88 p.c. took up residence in the western provinces, while out of a total migration (481,935) from the eastern provinces in the previous census, 73·20 p.c. were living in the west. The interprovincial movement of the Maritime Provinces-born has been largely to the extreme west, Alberta and British Columbia, while that from Quebec and Ontario has been more largely to the middle west, Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

25.—Interprovincial Movement of Population from Eastern to Western Provinces, 1921 and 1911.

| Provinces of birth. | Born in specified province. | Migrants. | | | | Distribution of migrants in the Western Provinces. | | | | |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------|---------------------|---------------------------|--|---------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| | | Total. | | Living in the West. | | Man. | Sask. | Alta. | B.C. | |
| | | No. | Per cent. | No. | Per cent of all migrants. | | | | | |
| Prince Edward Island.. | 1921 | 101,513 | 17,331 | 17·07 | 8,431 | 48·65 | 1,103 | 2,375 | 2,458 | 2,495 |
| | 1911 | 103,410 | 13,966 | 13·51 | 6,810 | 48·76 | 967 | 1,515 | 1,846 | 2,482 |
| Nova Scotia..... | 1921 | 506,824 | 42,963 | 8·48 | 24,342 | 56·66 | 3,229 | 5,120 | 7,423 | 8,570 |
| | 1911 | 476,210 | 32,311 | 6·79 | 19,761 | 61·16 | 2,955 | 3,400 | 5,003 | 8,403 |
| New Brunswick..... | 1921 | 378,902 | 33,295 | 8·79 | 14,929 | 44·84 | 1,767 | 2,824 | 4,041 | 6,297 |
| | 1911 | 345,253 | 25,961 | 7·52 | 12,513 | 48·20 | 1,569 | 1,916 | 2,876 | 6,152 |
| Quebec..... | 1921 | 2,266,062 | 145,179 | 6·41 | 52,739 | 36·33 | 11,794 | 17,735 | 14,970 | 8,240 |
| | 1911 | 1,939,886 | 113,068 | 5·83 | 41,342 | 36·56 | 10,765 | 12,969 | 10,112 | 7,496 |
| Ontario..... | 1921 | 2,505,562 | 330,197 | 13·18 | 291,447 | 88·26 | 67,206 | 104,961 | 68,919 | 50,361 |
| | 1911 | 2,232,325 | 296,629 | 13·29 | 272,364 | 91·82 | 73,110 | 96,206 | 57,530 | 45,518 |
| Total..... | 1921 | 5,758,863 | 568,965 | 9·88 | 391,888 | 68·88 | 85,099 | 133,015 | 97,811 | 75,963 |
| | 1911 | 5,097,064 | 481,935 | 9·46 | 352,790 | 73·20 | 89,366 | 116,006 | 77,367 | 70,951 |

Increase of British-born (including Canadian-born) and Foreign-born Population.—In Table 26 it is shown that of the total increase (1,581,840) in population from 1911 to 1921, the Canadian-born account for 1,213,065 or 76·7 p.c.; natives of the British Islands, 220,887 or 13·9 p.c.; natives of other British possessions, including born "at sea," 10,338 or 0·7 p.c., leaving 137,550 or 8·7 p.c. of the total increase from 1911 to 1921 attributable to non-British sources. Of these 137,550 added to the population from alien birthplaces, immigrants born in United States supplied 70,344 or 51·1 p.c. The census of 1911 showed a ten-year increase in population of 1,835,328, of which Canadian-born contributed 947,867 or 51·7 p.c., born elsewhere in the Empire, 413,178 or 22·5 p.c., and alien-born, 474,283 or 25·8 p.c.