to the Province. Of the remaining 12.6 per cent. 10.7 were born in the following countries, viz., Scotland, Ireland, Nova Scotia, England and Wales, New Brunswick, Other British Possessions, United States and Quebec.

| Birthplaces. | Persons. | | Increase or Decrease. | | Rate per cent. to | |
|----------------------------|------------------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | 1871. | 1881. | Numeri- cal. | Centesi- mal. | Popu- lation of Province. | Total Popula- tion, 1881. |
| | | | | | | |
| Nova Scotia | 351 ,3 60 | 405,687 | 54,327 | 15.4 | 92.1 | 9•3 |
| Scotland | 14,316 | 10,851 | | -24.1 | 2.4 | •25 |
| Ireland | 7,558 | 5,600 | 1,958 | -25.7 | 1.3 | •13 |
| England and Wales | 4,003 | 4,813 | 805 | 20.1 | 1.1 | -11 |
| New Brunswick | 3,413 | 4,482 | 1,069 | 31•3 | 1.0 | •1 |
| United States | 2,239 | 3,004 | 765 | 34.1 | •6 | •07 |
| Other British Possessions | 2,158 | 2,575 | 417 | 19.7 | •6 | •5 |
| Prince Edward Island | 1,457 | 1,639 | 182 | 12.5 | •4 | •03 |
| Quebec | 348 | 441 | 93 | 26•7 | •1 | ***** |
| Ontario. | 223 | 333 | 110 | 49.3 | •06 | |
| Germany | 235 | 254 | 19 | 80 [.] 8 | •05 | |
| France | 120 | 222 | 102 | 85.0 | ~05 | ····· |
| Sweden, Norway and Denmark | 58 | 114 | 56 | 96·5 | •02 | |
| Italy | 26 | 36 | 10 | 38.5 | | |
| Spain and Portugal | 26 | 23 | 3 | 11.5 | | |
| Russia and Poland | 6 | 10 | 4 | 66.6 | · | ••••• • • |
| British Columbia | | 6 | 6 | | | ······ |
| The Territories | ******* | 1 | 1 | | | |
| Man itoba | 6 | | 6 | | ***** | |
| Other Countries | 98 | 166 | 68 | 69.4 | ·02 | , |
| At Sea | 47 | 45 | 2 | -4.3 | | |
| Not given | 98 | 270 | 172 | 175.5 | •05 | ***** |

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50. Over 92 per cent. of the population were natives of the Province. The greater portion of the remainder were born in New Brunswick, England and the United States, there being a decrease in number of the natives of Scotland and Ireland.