

# FOREIGN IMMIGRANTS

Large Numbers Come From Nations at War With Britain.

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Ottawa, Aug. 17.—During the past ten years 191,850 immigrants from Austria-Hungary and 36,299 immigrants from Germany, two nations at war with Britain, arrived in Canada. During the year 1913-1914 28,323 from the former country and 5,537 from the latter entered the Dominion.

It is conceivable that a large portion of those who have arrived during the past ten years are naturalized Canadians. It is to be noted, however, that during the past three years (three years being the period necessary for naturalization) 71,849 Austrians arrived and 15,154 Germans.

The above figures are from the official statistics just issued by the department of immigration. Of the nations intimately connected with the present war, Bulgaria sent 14,123 men to Canada in the ten years; Belgium, 14,561; Italy, 112,730; Russia, 91,243; Japan, 12,473; Servia, 1,023; and Greece, 7,123.