

FINDING AID: 76-25

RECORD GROUP: RG 76 - Immigration Branch

SERIES: C-2 - Ships manifest indexes of the Immigrant Program

BAN Number/BOX: 1999-00128-1 - Various reel numbers

REELS: C-4511-4542, C-4624, C-15712, T-479-533, T-976, T-4689-4697, T-4699-4732, T-4734-4757, T-4759-4818, T-4820-4834, T-4836-4849, T-4851-4859, T-4861-4877, T-5460-5507, T-5509-5518, T-5520-5570, T-19185-19345

DESCRIPTION: The finding aid consists of "Ships' Passenger lists and border entry lists in PAC, RG 76 (Records of the Immigration Branch): Microfilm Finding Aid" (first edition, Ottawa, March 1986).

The finding aid is a master microfilm shelf list.

INSTRUCTIONS: The following information is required to order a reel:

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IMMIGRATION RECORDS

Ocean arrivals 1865 to 1935

The National Archives of Canada holds microfilm copies of the passenger manifests of ships arriving at the following ports of entry:

Quebec City/Montreal, Que.: 1865 - 1935
(closed during the winter months)

Halifax, N.S.: 1881 - 1935

Saint John, N.B.: 1900 - 1935

North Sydney, N.S.: 1906 - 1935

Vancouver, B.C.: 1905 - 1935

Victoria, B.C.: 1905 - 1935

(includes some small Pacific ports)

via New York: 1906 - 1931

via eastern U.S. ports: 1905 - 1928

These passenger lists constitute the official record of immigration in this period. They contain information such as name, age, country of origin, occupation and intended destination of passengers. The records are arranged by port and date of arrival, with the exception of the years 1923 to 1924, and some of those for 1919 to 1922, when an individual Form 30A was used.

Indexes exist for the following ports and years only:

Quebec: 1865 to 1869 (25 reels)

Halifax: Jan. 1881 to Feb. 1882 (reel C-15712)

All ports: 1925 to 1935 (database in progress)

In order for you to undertake a meaningful search in the unindexed lists, it is necessary to know the exact month, year and port of arrival. The name of the ship and the last port of sailing are also helpful.

Notes:

- * Arrivals at Montreal between 1865 and 1924 are included in the Quebec lists.
- * The North Sydney lists include mostly ferry arrivals from Newfoundland and St-Pierre et Miquelon, with a few passengers in transit from other countries.
- * The U.S. lists include only the names of passengers who stated that they intended to proceed directly to Canada.
- * Passengers from mainland Europe often boarded transatlantic ships at ports in Great Britain.
- * The Canadian government did not keep records of people leaving the country.
- * The Form 30A series (1919-1924) and the 1925-1935 indexes do not include passengers in transit to the United States.

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PASSENGER LISTS: SAINT JOHN 1900 - 1922

| <u>Microfilm</u> | <u>Starts with:</u> | <u>Ends with:</u> |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| T-504 | 1900 Jan. 4 | 1901 Feb. 11 |
| T-505 | 1901 Feb. 16 | 1904 March 28 |
| T-506 | 1904 March 28 | 1906 Jan. 26 |
| T-507 | 1906 Jan. 26 | 1907 March 28 |
| T-508 | 1907 March 28 | 1908 Apr. 17 |
| T-4820 | 1908 Apr. 17 | 1909 Nov. 28 |
| T-4821 | 1909 Nov. 28 | 1910 Apr. 1 |
| T-4822 | 1910 Apr. 1 | 1911 Jan. 10 |
| T-4823 | 1911 Jan. 10 | 1911 March 31 |
| T-4824 | 1911 March 31 | 1911 Nov. 25 |
| T-4825 | 1911 Nov. 25 | 1912 March 29 |
| T-4826 | 1912 March 29 | 1912 July 5 |
| T-4827 | 1912 July 5 | 1913 March 19 |
| T-4828 | 1913 March 19 | 1913 Apr. 25 |
| T-4829 | 1913 Apr. 30 | 1914 March 31 |
| T-4830 | 1914 March 31 | 1915 Apr. 17 |
| T-4831 | 1915 Apr. 17 | 1916 Nov. 27 |
| T-4832 | 1916 Nov. 27 | 1917 Oct. 2 |
| T-4833 | 1917 Oct. 15 | 1918 Dec. 30 (see also T-4834) |
| T-4834 | 1918 Jan. 3 | 1918 Dec. 1 (see also T-4833) |
| T-14836 | 1918 Dec. 30 | 1919 Mar. 6 |
| T-14837 | 1919 Mar. 6 | 1919 Apr. 25 |
| T-14838 | 1919 Apr. 29 | 1920 Jan. 16 |
| T-14839 | 1920 Jan. 20 | 1920 Mar. 28 |
| T-14840 | 1920 Mar. 28 | 1920 Aug. 30 |
| T-14841 | 1920 Aug. 30 | 1921 Jan. 7/9 |
| T-14842 | 1921 Jan. 7 | 1921 Mar. 19 |
| T-14843 | 1921 Mar. 21 | 1921 Oct. 1 |
| T-14844 | 1921 Oct. 10 | 1922 Sept. 30 |

Saint John 1919 - 1924: see Immigration Form 30A

PASSENGER LISTS: SAINT JOHN 1925 - 1935

| <u>Microfilm</u> | <u>Starts with:</u> | <u>Ends with:</u> |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| T-14845 | 1925 Jan. 10 (vol. 1, p. 1) | 1925 Feb. 1 (vol. 1, p. 69) |
| T-14846 | 1925 Feb. 1 (vol. 1, p. 69) | 1925 Dec. 6 (vol. 4, p. 88) |
| T-14847 | 1925 Dec. 6 (vol. 4, p. 88) | 1926 Mar. 28 (vol. 3, p. 42) |
| T-14848 | 1926 Mar. 28 (vol. 3, p. 42) | 1927 Jan. 18 (vol. 1, p. 67) |
| T-14849 | 1927 Jan. 18 (vol. 1, p. 68) | 1927 Mar. 27 (vol. 4, p. 76) |
| T-14850 | 1927 Mar. 27 (vol. 4, p. 76) | 1928 Jan. 8 (vol. 1, p. 19) |
| T-14851 | 1928 Jan. 8 (vol. 1, p. 18) | 1928 Apr. 1 (vol. 3, p. 158) |
| T-14852 | 1928 Apr. 1 (vol. 3, p. 159) | 1929 Jan. 21 (vol. 1, p. 78) |
| T-14853 | 1929 Jan. 21 (vol. 1, p. 78) | 1929 Mar. 30 (vol. 3, p. 235) |
| T-14854 | 1929 Mar. 30 (vol. 3, p. 236) | 1929 Nov. 30 (vol. 6, p. 168) |
| T-14855 | 1929 Nov. 30 (vol. 6, p. 168) | 1930 Mar. 17 (vol. 2, p. 190) |
| T-14856 | 1930 Mar. 17 (vol. 2, p. 189) | 1930 Aug. 25 (vol. 5, p. 129) |
| T-14857 | 1930 Aug. 25 (vol. 5, p. 128) | 1931 Apr. 5 (vol. 2, p. 199) |
| T-14858 | 1931 Apr. 5 (vol. 2, p. 200) | 1935 Oct. 7 (vol. 1, p. 94) |
| T-14859 | 1935 Oct. 7 (vol. 1, p. 93) | 1935 Dec. 16 (vol. 1, p. 181) |

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