

2. France: A woman who married a Frenchman before August 19th, 1927, acquired French nationality and lost British status. If the marriage occurred after August 10, 1927, and before October 20, 1945, the woman is deemed to have retained British nationality, unless before the marriage she made a formal declaration that she desired to acquire French nationality. A woman who married a French national on or after October 20, 1945, acquired French nationality unless, prior to her marriage, she filed a declaration declining it. However, such nationality could be removed from her within six months after the date of marriage by the French Government. In the absence of a declaration by the woman or by the Government, a woman who married a Frenchman in the period from October 20,