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REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL FOR THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1905.

I.—Population.

THE estimated population of the Island on the last day of the quarter was 3,901,471, showing an increase of 65,121 on the previous quarter, due to an excess of 9,202 births over deaths, and a further excess of 55,919 arrivals over departures of Indian coolies.

2. *Arrivals and departures of Indian coolies.*—The number of Indian coolies who arrived in the Island during the quarter amounted to 74,216 and of departures to 18,297, as against their respective averages 39,582 and 24,096 for the corresponding quarters of the last seven years.

II.—Marriages.

3. *Marriages.*—3,095 general marriages (*i.e.*, marriages other than Kandyan or Mohammedan) were registered during the quarter and 1,168 Kandyan marriages.

4. Table VI. in the Appendix shows the marriages solemnized in the general community in each Province and district in the Island, the civil condition, nationality, the highest, lowest, and mean ages of the parties, the mode of solemnization, the number of bridegrooms and brides who were unable to sign their names in the register, &c.

5. Table VII. gives similar information in respect of the Kandyan marriages.

6. *First marriages; re-marriages.*—Of the 3,095 general marriages, 2,688 (equal to 87 per cent.) were between bachelors and spinsters, 289 between widowers and spinsters, 62 between bachelors and widows, 46 between widowers and widows, 6 between divorced men and spinsters, 3 between bachelors and divorced women, and 1 between a widower and a divorced woman. Of the 1,168 Kandyan marriages, 906 were between bachelors and spinsters, 106 between widowers and spinsters, 49 between bachelors and widows, 46 between widowers and widows, 23 between divorced men and spinsters, 21 between divorced women and bachelors, 5 between divorced men and widows, 4 between divorced men and divorced women, and 3 between divorced women and widowers.

7. *Age at marriage.*—The mean age at marriage for the general community was 26·8 for males and 20·5 for females, and for Kandyans 26·1 for males and 19·6 for females. It is likely that in many of these cases the couples had lived as husband and wife for years before registration of marriage, the usual religious ceremony alone having been performed in time. The figures in this chapter are based on actual registration, which is not, except among Kandyans, necessary to the validity of a marriage.

8. *Minors.*—In the general community about 4 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 52 per cent. of the brides, and among the Kandyans 14 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 75 per cent. of the brides, were under 21 years of age.

9. *Mixed marriages.*—There were 30 mixed marriages during the quarter: 2 between Europeans and Burghers, 1 between a European and a Sinhalese, 1 between a European and a Tamil, 7 between Burghers and Sinhalese, 3 between Burghers and Tamils, and 16 between Sinhalese and Tamils.

10. *Signatures in Marriage Register.*—Of the 6,190 persons married in the general community during the quarter, 642 men and 2,199 women signed the register with marks; that is to say, 21 per cent. of the men and 71 per cent. of the women could not write their names. Of the 2,336 Kandyans married, 440 men and 1,100 women signed the register with marks, *i.e.*, 38 per cent. of the men and 94 per cent. of the women could not write their names.

III.—Births and Deaths.

11. *Births.*—The births registered during the quarter numbered 36,510 (38 Europeans, 210 Burghers, 26,242 Sinhalese, 7,690 Tamils, 2,198 Moors, 72 Malays, and 60 Others), and were in the proportion of 39·0 per 1,000 persons living, as against 45·0 in the previous quarter and 37·8, the average of the corresponding quarters in the period 1898–1904.

12. *Deaths.*—The number of deaths registered during the quarter amounted to 27,308 (33 Europeans, 144 Burghers, 16,715 Sinhalese, 7,663 Tamils, 2,551 Moors, 97 Malays, and 105 Others), and were equal to an annual rate of 29·1 per 1,000 persons living, as against the average of 25·9 for the second quarter in the period 1898–1904 and 28·2, the rate in the preceding quarter.

13. The births and deaths and their rates are compared in the following Table A with the results obtained in the previous quarter, the corresponding quarter of the previous year, and the average rates for the second quarter in 1898–1904:—

TABLE A.

	Births.	Deaths.	Per Mille per Annum.	
			Birth-rate.	Death-rate.
Average for seven previous second quarters in 1898–1904	33,478	22,916	37·8	25·9
Second quarter, 1904	35,222	20,763	37·7	22·2
First quarter, 1905	41,535	26,017	45·0	28·2
Second quarter, 1905	36,510	27,308	39·0	29·1

14. *Sex.*—Of the total number of births (36,510), 18,743 were of males and 17,767 were of females, *i.e.*, 1,055 males to 1,000 females. Of the total number of deaths (27,308), 13,718 were of males and 13,590 were of females. Out of equal numbers living of each sex, there died 888 males to 1,000 females.

15. *Infantile mortality.*—The deaths of infants under one year of age numbered 6,395, and were in the proportion of 175 to 1,000 registered births. The rate of infantile mortality varied in different districts from 495 (for Tamils) in Mannar, 446 (for Sinhalese), 412 (for Moors), and 382 (for Tamils) in Batticaloa, 377 (for Tamils) and 351 (for Moors) in Puttalam, 350 (for Tamils) in Mullaitivu, 297 (for Tamils) in Trincomalee, 291 (for Sinhalese) in Puttalam, 268 (for Sinhalese) in Anuradhapura, 241 (for Sinhalese) in Badulla, 215 (for Sinhalese) in Kurunegala to 126 (for Sinhalese) in Negombo, 117 (for Sinhalese) in Colombo, 116 (for Sinhalese) in Matara, 112 (for Sinhalese) in Galle, and 98 (for Sinhalese) in Kalutara.

IV.—State of Public Health.

16. The general health of the population of the Island during the quarter was worse than usual. The death-rate for the quarter (29·1) shows an excess as compared with the average (25·9), as well as the rates for the preceding quarter (28·2) and the corresponding quarter of the previous year (22·2). Six of the nine Provinces shared in the deterioration in health, the exceptions being the Central, the Northern, and the Sabaragamuwa Provinces. The Eastern Province suffered worst, its death-rate rising to 67·2 from an average of 33·0.

17. Tables III., IV., and V. in the Appendix show the number of births and deaths registered in the several Provinces and districts of the Island and in the revenue subdivisions of those districts for the quarter under review, and their average for the corresponding quarters of the period 1898-1904. The birth-rates and death-rates for all ages and for infants in the several Provinces and districts of the Island are shown for the Sinhalese only in the districts which are mainly inhabited by the Sinhalese, and for Tamils only where the Tamils form the bulk of the population. In the Puttalam District, where the Sinhalese and Moors are found in almost equal numbers, and in the Batticaloa District, which is inhabited almost in equal numbers by Tamils and Moors, the figures are given for the different sections of the population.

18. The healthiest Province in the quarter was as usual the Western (24·3 for all races and 22·5 for the Sinhalese), and the healthiest district for all races was Nuwara Eliya (19·2), and for the Sinhalese, Kalutara (19·4).

19. *Western Province.*—The Sinhalese inhabitants of the Western Province, who number nearly 819,000, showed a death-rate of 22·5 per 1,000 per annum and fared worse than usual in health, the average death-rate for the second quarters of the period 1898-1904 being 18·8. Of its three districts, Colombo and Negombo showed a deterioration in health, while the Kalutara District showed a very slight improvement. The provincial birth-rate (37·0) showed an excess of 1·5 per 1,000 on the average (35·5), all the three districts sharing in this improvement. The death-rate in the Colombo District rose to 24·2 from an average of 19·0, and was the least healthy of the three districts in the Province. The death-rate in the Negombo District (21·4) was 4·0 per 1,000 above the average 17·4. The Kalutara District, which usually takes a lower place than Negombo and Colombo in point of health, as may be seen from the average death-rates, ranks this quarter as the healthiest district not only in the Province but also in the Island. The death-rate recorded in the quarter was 19·4 as against the average 19·5, and the birth-rate 40·3 as against the average 37·6. The infantile death-rate of the district, 98 per 1,000 births registered, was the lowest among the districts of the Island.

20. *Central Province.*—The death-rate among the Sinhalese in this Province, who at the beginning of the quarter were estimated to number about 310,000, was equal to 26·2, and showed a slight improvement on the average (26·6). The Districts of Kandy and Nuwara Eliya showed diminished death-rates as compared with the average, while the Matale District showed an increase. The death-rates of the three districts varied from 31·7 in Matale and 25·9 in Kandy to 20·7 in Nuwara Eliya. The births registered in the Province were in the proportion of 45·9 per 1,000 per annum. The highest birth-rate among the districts of the Province was in Matale (54·2), and the lowest in Nuwara Eliya (39·3). The birth-rate in the Kandy District was equal to 45·0 as against the average 50·0.

21. *Northern Province.*—The Tamils in the Northern Province, who count more than 336,000, enjoyed better health than usual during the quarter, their death-rate falling to 26·3 from an average of 29·2. The improvement in health, however, was confined to the District of Jaffna alone, which contains more than 91 per cent. of the Tamils in the Province and showed a death-rate of 23·5, a decline of 4·2 per 1,000 from the average 27·7. The other two districts, viz., Mannar and Mullaitivu, showed a great deterioration in health, their death-rates rising to 57·7 and 56·2 respectively from their average rates 47·8 and 47·6. The birth-rate of the Province was 40·1 as against the average 39·9. The increase in the birth-rate, like the decrease in the death-rate, was confined to the Jaffna District, which recorded 40·9 against an average of 40·2. The other two districts, Mannar and Mullaitivu, showed birth-rates of 23·7 and 43·5 as against their respective averages 34·9 and 46·8. The infantile mortality in Mannar District, 495 per 1,000 births, was the highest in the Island.

22. *Southern Province.*—The Southern Province, in which the bulk of the inhabitants are Sinhalese, showed a death-rate of 24·9 during the quarter, a rise of 4·2 on the average 20·7. Each of its three districts fared worse than usual, especially the Hambantota District, the unhealthiest district in the Province, which showed an increase of nearly 10 per 1,000 on the average 21·2. The death-rate in the Matara District (23·5) showed an increase of 4·5 per 1,000 on the average 19·0. In Galle District too the death-rate for the quarter (22·7) was in excess of the average 21·8. The birth-rate of the Province (45·1) was almost double the death-rate 24·9. The birth-rates in the districts ranged from 43·9 in Matara to 45·0 in Galle and 47·7 in Hambantota. The infantile mortality of the Province was in the proportion of 127 per 1,000 births registered, and was the second lowest among the Provinces in the Island.

23. *Eastern Province.*—The Eastern Province, with an estimated Tamil population of more than 102,000, suffered a considerable deterioration in health, the Tamil death-rate for the quarter rising as high as 66·4 from an average of 34·2. The Moors and the Sinhalese in the Province, who number about 68,000 and 9,000 respectively, also fared much worse than usual. The former recorded the high death-rate of 74·1 per 1,000 persons living against an average of 31·7, and the latter 47·0 as against the average, 35·7.

The District of Batticaloa containing nearly 85,000 Tamils and 59,000 Moors was mainly responsible for this deterioration in health. In this district the death-rates among the Tamils and Moors were abnormally high, and were equal to 70·5 and 80·8 respectively as against their averages 32·6 and 30·7. The chief causes which contributed to this high mortality were fevers 1,132, diarrhoea and dysentery 599, general dropsy 367, diseases of the integumentary system 275, pneumonia 98, and whooping cough 76. It is noticeable that of the 99 deaths in the Island which were attributed to whooping cough during the quarter, as many as 76 were in the Batticaloa District.

The Colonial Surgeon reports that "during the quarter whooping cough and malarial fevers prevailed in an epidemic form. The mortality was largely affected by the severe epidemic of malarial fever in Kattankudy village, which broke out in April. During the early part of the month the rainfall had been unusually heavy, and pools of stagnant water abounded throughout the village, supplying an extensive breeding area for the anopheles. This village is very thickly populated, and the dwellings are very imperfectly ventilated. And during the early part of the year there had been a great scarcity of food in the district, due to the failure of the paddy cultivation. And the special prevalence of fever and the large death-rate was partly due to the susceptibility to malarial infection caused by the state of malnutrition and debility to which a large proportion of the inhabitants had been reduced by the great scarcity of food."

The health of the inhabitants of the Trincomalee District was also worse than usual, their death-rate (46·5) showing an increase of nearly 5 per 1,000 on the average 41·6. The births registered in the Province presented an annual rate of 44·9, 40·4, and 28·0 in the case of Tamils, Moors, and Sinhalese respectively. The infantile mortality among the Tamils of the Province was 368 and among the Moors 398.

24. *North-Western Province.*—In the North-Western Province the rate of mortality for the quarter (31·7) shows an increase of 3·1 per mille on the average 28·6. All its three districts appear to have suffered more than usual. In the Kurunegala District, as well as in the Chilaw District, the rate of mortality, viz., 34·3 and 20·2 respectively, was in excess of the average by nearly 3 per 1,000. The deterioration in the health of the Puttalam District during the quarter is very striking. Each section of the population experienced much worse health than usual, especially the

Tamils, whose death-rate rose to 68.9 from an average of 33.7. The infantile mortality recorded among the Tamils was as high as 377 per 1,000 births registered. The Moors and Sinhalese of the District presented death-rates of 49.5, and 42.7 as against their respective averages 39.3 and 32.3. The deaths of infants among the former were in the proportion of 351 per 1,000 births registered.

25. *North-Central Province*, constituting the single District of Anuradhapura, recorded a death-rate of 43.5, a great deterioration from the average 36.6, and the rate recorded in the corresponding quarter of the previous year 31.2, but a considerable improvement on the rate for the preceding quarter 62.7. The rate of mortality among infants was equal to 268 per 1,000 registered births. The birth-rate (42.2) shows an improvement on the average (39.0), but is below the death-rate (43.5).

26. *Province of Uva*.—The Province of Uva or the Badulla District also fared worse than usual in point of health. The rate of mortality for the quarter (38.5) showed an excess of 3.7 on the average (34.8) and the birth-rate (40.6), a diminution of 9.1 on the average (49.7). Compared with the corresponding quarter of the previous year too, the death-rate for the quarter was higher and the birth-rate lower.

27. *Province of Sabaragamuwa*.—This Province, which includes the Districts of Ratnapura and Kegalla and contains a Sinhalese population of about 273,000, presented almost normal health during the quarter, the death-rate being 27.4 and the average 27.3. The Ratnapura District, which is larger in size but contains a smaller population than Kegalla, showed a death-rate of 30.5, an increase on the average (27.3). In the Kegalla District the death-rate (25.0) was below the average (27.4). The birth-rate of the Province was 44.3 as against the average 47.4. The birth-rate in the Kegalla District (46.1) was higher, and the birth-rate in the Ratnapura District (42.1) lower than their respective averages 44.3 and 44.1. The infantile mortality of the Ratnapura District was 157 per 1,000 births registered.

V.—Causes of Deaths.

28. The causes of deaths registered in the Island during the quarter are given in Table X., and are summarized below:—

TABLE B.

District.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Diarrhoea & Dysentery.	Fevers.	Violence.				All other Causes.	Total.
					Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.	Execution.		
CEYLON ...	—	22	5,467	6,346	348	33	38	6	15,048	27,308
Colombo ...	—	17	473	908	51	5	9	4	2,227	3,694
Negombo ...	—	—	92	275	12	2	1	—	526	908
Kalutara ...	—	—	305	202	18	1	5	—	749	1,280
Kandy ...	—	—	718	250	46	1	5	1	1,479	2,500
Matale ...	—	—	135	132	8	1	2	—	462	740
Nuwara Eliya ...	—	1	223	64	9	—	1	—	460	758
Jaffna ...	—	—	136	638	22	1	6	—	1,027	1,830
Mannar ...	—	—	68	91	1	1	—	—	201	362
Mullaittivu ...	—	—	50	40	3	—	—	—	124	217
Galle ...	—	—	379	216	22	2	2	1	961	1,583
Matara ...	—	1	414	250	20	3	—	—	616	1,304
Hambantota ...	—	—	190	411	14	—	1	—	313	929
Batticaloa ...	—	—	599	1,132	19	2	—	—	1,026	2,778
Trincomalee ...	—	—	73	73	2	—	—	—	161	309
Kurunegala ...	—	—	288	450	32	6	3	—	1,577	2,356
Puttalam ...	—	—	49	127	1	—	—	—	201	378
Chilaw ...	—	—	55	80	10	—	—	—	287	432
Anuradhapura ...	—	—	157	271	2	2	—	—	462	894
Badulla ...	—	2	434	319	13	2	2	—	831	1,603
Ratnapura ...	—	—	309	211	24	4	1	—	572	1,121
Kegalla ...	—	1	320	206	19	—	—	—	786	1,332

29. *Smallpox*.—Twenty-two deaths from smallpox were reported for registration during the quarter (17 in Colombo, 2 in Badulla, 1 each in Nuwara Eliya, Matara, and Kegalla).

30. *Cholera*.—There were no deaths from cholera registered during the quarter.

31. *Fever and diarrhoeal diseases*.—Of the 27,308 deaths registered in the Island during the quarter, 5,467 were due to diarrhoeal diseases and 6,346 were reported as due to various kinds of fever, *i.e.*, fever and diarrhoeal diseases contributed more than 43 per cent. of the total number of deaths.

32. There were 99 deaths from whooping cough (76 in Batticaloa, of which I have spoken in para. 23 above, 5 in Colombo, 4 in Galle, 3 each in Negombo and Kalutara, 2 each in Jaffna, Trincomalee, Puttalam, and Anuradhapura); measles accounted for 49 deaths (20 in Kandy, 9 in Galle, 7 in Kegalla, 4 in Hambantota, 3 each in Nuwara Eliya and Kurunegala, 2 in Negombo, and 1 in Matara); 18 deaths resulted from influenza (8 in Nuwara Eliya, 3 in Colombo, 2 each in Negombo and Kandy, 1 each in Galle, Ratnapura, and Kegalla); 5 deaths were due to chickenpox (2 in Kalutara, 1 each in Colombo, Kurunegala, and Badulla).

33. The other chief causes of deaths were infantile convulsions 2,693, debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck) 1,205, general dropsy 955, pneumonia 914, phthisis 880, worms 862, anæmia 657, diseases of parturition 550, old age 544, thrush 344, malarial cachexia 195, rheumatism 191, premature birth 149, bronchitis 147, dochmiosis duodenalis 135, tetanus 123, puerperal fever 118, paralysis 112, abscess 100, cirrhosis and other diseases of the liver 86, scrofula 58, asthma 56, cancer 53, starvation (want of breast milk) 51, varicose veins 42, ascites 42, leprosy 30, diabetes 23, and enteritis 23.

34. *Deaths by violence*.—Of the 348 deaths attributed to accidents, as many as 83 were due to drowning, 75 to falls from trees, 46 to snake bites, 31 to burns and scalds, 17 to falling into wells, 16 to injuries at birth, 15 to gunshot wounds, 8 to falls of heavy substances, 6 to being run over by carts, 5 to injuries caused by crocodiles, 5 to being run over by trains, 4 deaths were due to injuries caused by buffaloes, 3 to injuries caused by bulls, 2 to being struck by lightning, 1 to injuries caused by "arana" (a Brahmin lizard), 1 to injuries caused by machinery, 1 to falling into a pit, 1 to injuries caused by an elephant, 1 to foreign body in air passage, 1 to explosion in a plumbago pit, 1 to injuries received by striking against a railway engine, and 1 to injuries caused by a fish.

35. *Suicide*.—Thirty-eight deaths were attributed to suicide, of which 21 were by hanging, 7 by drowning, 4 by poison, 3 by gunshot wounds, 2 by cuts or stabs, and 1 otherwise.

36. *Homicide*.—Thirty-three deaths were due to homicide (6 in Kurunegala, 5 in Colombo, 4 in Ratnapura, 3 in Matara, 2 each in Negombo, Galle, Batticaloa, Anuradhapura, and Badulla, 1 each in Kalutara, Kandy, Matale, Jaffna, and Mannar).

37. *Executions.*—There were six judicial executions registered during the quarter, 4 in Colombo, 1 each in Kandy and Galle).

VI.—Health of the Estate Population.

38. The total number of births reported for registration from the estates of the Central, Uva, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces, and in the Colombo and Kalutara Districts of the Western Province, was 2,624 (4 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 82 Sinhalese, 2,503 Tamils, 26 Moors, and 3 Malays), and the total number of deaths was 2,477 (2 European, 2 Burghers, 54 Sinhalese, 2,401 Tamils, 16 Moors, 1 Malay, and 1 Other), corresponding respectively to an annual birth-rate of 2.0 and a death-rate of 23.6, as against the respective averages of 22.1 and 26.4. The Colombo District leads with the high death-rate of 48.8, followed by Ratnapura (39.8), their rates being about double those of the Central Province. The causes of deaths are given in Table XI., and may be summarized as follows:—

TABLE C.

Debility ...	500	Fevers ...	123	Bronchitis ...	41
Diarrhoea ...	384	Dropsy ...	79	Phthisis ...	38
Dysentery ...	381	Old age ...	75	Parturition ...	36
Pneumonia ...	243	Doehmius duodenalis ...	72	Anæmia ...	30
Infantile convulsions ...	126	Malarial cachexia ...	65	All other causes ...	284

39. The following Table D gives the estate population at the Census of 1901, their birth- and death-rates for the second quarters of 1905 and 1904, the first quarter of 1905, and the average for the second quarters in 1898-1904:—

TABLE D.

District.	Population at the Census of 1901.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			
		Average of Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter of 1904.	First Quarter of 1905.	Second Quarter of 1905.	Average of Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter of 1904.	First Quarter of 1905.	Second Quarter of 1905.
Kandy ...	155,444	22.3	27.3	25.0	23.8	28.0	17.8	20.1	22.8
Matale ...	26,136	22.2	26.4	25.0	25.9	29.4	19.1	28.6	25.2
Nuwara Eliya ...	103,564	19.8	21.7	15.7	23.2	17.6	13.5	16.2	18.2
Badulla ...	51,788	24.6	29.3	26.2	32.9	25.9	16.1	19.9	21.0
Ratnapura ...	16,642	23.3	25.5	23.9	29.6	35.9	27.7	28.3	39.8
Kegalla ...	41,499	25.9	28.9	32.8	23.6	36.3	17.9	18.7	28.7
Colombo ...	8,302	18.5	15.0	21.0	18.8	45.6	27.9	24.4	48.8
Kalutara ...	16,965	18.3	26.7	28.0	23.4	33.9	22.0	34.9	29.5
Total ...	420,340	22.1	25.9	23.6	25.0	26.4	17.4	20.5	23.6

40. *Kandy District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kandy District was 924 (879 Tamils, 28 Sinhalese, 10 Moors, 4 Burghers, 2 Europeans, and 1 Malay), and the deaths numbered 884 (849 Tamils, 25 Sinhalese, 7 Moors, 1 European, 1 Burgher, and 1 Other). The birth-rate during the quarter was equal to 23.8, as against an average of 22.3 for the corresponding period of 1898-1904; and the death-rate was equal to 22.8, as against an average of 28.0. The most fatal cause of death was debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck), which accounted for 196 deaths. The other chief causes of deaths were diarrhoeal diseases 284 (124 from diarrhoea and 160 from dysentery), pneumonia 76, infantile convulsions 53, fevers 45, general dropsy 27, doehmius duodenalis 26, and bronchitis 17.

41. *Matale District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Matale District amounted to 169 (151 Tamils, 10 Sinhalese, 4 Moors, 2 Burghers, and 2 Malays), and the deaths numbered 164 (157 Tamils, 4 Sinhalese, and 3 Moors). The birth-rate for the quarter was equal to 25.9, as against an average of 22.2; and the death-rate was 25.2, as against the average 29.4 for the corresponding period of 1898-1904. Diarrhoeal diseases caused 31 deaths (16 from diarrhoea and 15 from dysentery). The other principal causes of death were debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck) 30, pneumonia 20, general dropsy 18, malarial cachexia 15, old age 9.

42. *Nuwara Eliya District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Nuwara Eliya District amounted to 600 (584 Tamils, 10 Sinhalese, and 6 Moors), and the deaths numbered 470 (462 Tamils, 7 Sinhalese, and 1 Moor). The birth-rate for the quarter was equal to 23.2, as against the average 19.8; and the death-rate was equal to 18.2, as against an average of 17.6 for the corresponding period of 1898-1904. Debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck) was responsible for 112 deaths. The other chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 128 (67 from diarrhoea and 61 from dysentery), pneumonia 67, old age 24, infantile convulsions 19, dropsy 11, bronchitis 11, and fevers 10.

43. *Badulla District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Badulla District amounted to 425 (417 Tamils, 5 Sinhalese, 2 Europeans, and 1 Moor), and the deaths numbered 271 (268 Tamils and 3 Sinhalese). The birth-rate during the quarter was equal to 32.9, against an average of 24.6; and the death-rate was equal to 21.0, against an average of 25.9 for the corresponding period of 1898-1904. The principal causes of death were general debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck) 72, diarrhoeal diseases 67 (35 from diarrhoea and 32 from dysentery), pneumonia 37, fevers 27, infantile convulsions 11, and old age 9.

44. *Ratnapura District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Ratnapura District amounted to 123 (113 Tamils, 7 Sinhalese, and 3 Moors), and the deaths numbered 165 (157 Tamils, 4 Sinhalese, 2 Moors, 1 European, and 1 Burgher). The birth-rate for the quarter was equal to 29.6, as against an average of 23.3; and the death-rate was 39.8, as against an average of 35.9. The chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 78 (55 from dysentery and 23 from diarrhoea), debility 21, infantile convulsions 11, doehmius duodenalis 9.

45. *Kegalla District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kegalla District amounted to 245 (234 Tamils, 10 Sinhalese, and 1 Moor), and the deaths numbered 297 (290 Tamils, 3 Sinhalese, 3 Moors, and 1 Malay). The birth-rate for the quarter was equal to 23.6, as against the average 25.9; and the death-rate was equal to 28.7, as against an average of 36.3 for the corresponding period of 1898-1904. The chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 102 (71 from diarrhoea and 31 from dysentery), debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck) 38, doehmius duodenalis 23, pneumonia 19, fevers 13, infantile convulsions 13, malarial cachexia 12, and old age 9.

46. *Colombo District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Colombo District amounted to 39 (37 Tamils and 2 Sinhalese), and the deaths numbered 101 (97 Tamils and 4 Sinhalese). The birth-rate for the quarter was equal to 18.8, as against the average 18.5; and the death-rate was equal to 48.8 as against the average 45.6. The chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 30 (22 from diarrhoea and 8 from dysentery), anæmia 12, debility 11, and pneumonia 7.

55. The low birth- and death-rates of the Fort and Galle Face and the Pettah Wards are due to their population being for the most part a floating male adult one. Excluding these two wards, the healthiest division in the town was, as usual, Kollupitiya Ward with a death-rate of 16·8 per mille per annum, and the unhealthiest New Bazaar Ward with 29·2.

56. Only one death from smallpox occurred in the Town during the quarter. The other 15 deaths from this cause shown in Tables XII, and F, were of patients who died in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta (outside the town) and whose deaths were registered by an extra urban registrar.

57. Phthisis, bronchitis, and pneumonia were fatal in 359 (against an average of 274 in the corresponding period of the last seven years), diarrhoea and dysentery in 246 (average 202), infantile convulsions in 132 (average 111), fevers 96 (average 121), debility in 93 (average 84), tetanus in 56 (average 35), old age 49 (average 55), worms 34 (average 27), diseases of the circulatory system 29 (average 22), doelmus duodenalis in 27 (average 12), paralysis 20 (average 14), enteritis in 16 (average 11), parturition in 11 (average 14), and anæmia 5 (average 14).

58. Thirteen deaths were due to accidents, of which three were due to burns and scalds, 3 to drowning, 2 to gun-shot wounds, 1 to cut or stab, 1 to fall from a tree, 1 to being caused by a cart, 1 to injuries caused by machinery.

59. Two deaths were attributed to homicide and two to suicide (1 by poison and the other by hanging).

VIII.—Health of other Towns.

60. The following Table G shows the births and deaths and their rates for each of the towns of the Island for the second quarters of 1904 and 1905 with the average birth- and death-rates of the second quarters of the preceding seven years:—

TABLE G.

Towns.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1901.	Second Quarter, 1905.			Birth-rate per Mille per Annum			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				
		Total Births.	Total Deaths.	Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.	Average of Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average of S. cond Quarters 1898-1904 (crude).	Average of Second Quarters 1898-1904 (exclusive of Hospitals and Jails).	Second Quarter, 1904.	2nd Quarter, 1905.	
											Inclusive of Hospitals and Jails.	Exclusive of Hospitals and Jails.
<i>Western Province.</i>												
Colombo ...	155,869	891	1,420	338	21·2	22·2	21·1	31·2	23·8	29·4	33·7	24·9
Negombo ...	19,819	192	168	20	36·3	32·5	38·1	28·5	26·2	24·3	33·4	29·4
Moratuwa ...	29,600	255	149	—	36·1	34·2	31·9	20·2	19·6	18·0	18·6	18·6
Kalutara ...	11,500	96	102	23	34·0	34·6	32·7	27·0	22·6	22·6	34·8	26·9
Panadure ...	3,845	38	36	20	35·3	22·9	37·4	35·8	21·0	29·9	35·4	15·7
<i>Central Province.</i>												
Kandy ...	26,511	173	251	92	27·9	28·8	24·7	38·1	27·6	33·6	35·8	22·7
Gampola ...	3,791	33	47	28	32·6	53·9	31·3	74·0	29·4	43·9	44·6	18·0
Nawalapitiya ...	3,454	35	55	43	29·6	29·3	37·2	87·4	23·1	52·2	58·5	12·8
Matale ...	4,951	46	77	41	31·3	35·2	34·8	80·1	25·5	57·9	58·3	27·2
Nuwara Eliya ...	5,072	22	31	13	16·7	13·8	13·5	34·8	19·6	14·4	19·0	11·0
<i>Northern Province.</i>												
Jaffna ...	33,879	350	240	13	40·1	41·4	40·5	32·6	32·3	42·5	27·8	26·3
Mannar ...	5,332	28	46	9	22·9	21·8	21·1	22·3	26·3	23·3	34·6	27·8
Mullaitivu ...	1,308	8	23	7	45·1	32·7	23·6	55·9	41·9	50·6	67·8	47·2
Vavuniya ...	566	4	27	14	29·6	20·8	27·6	69·1	32·5	34·7	186·1	89·6
<i>Southern Province.</i>												
Galle ...	37,165	294	252	32	27·3	31·0	30·5	24·1	23·0	26·9	26·1	22·8
Matara ...	11,848	79	89	10	35·1	31·7	21·2	22·4	18·5	18·7	28·3	25·1
Hambantota ...	2,843	26	20	3	31·6	28·7	35·2	27·7	25·1	42·4	27·1	23·0
Tangalla ...	2,333	20	16	3	36·7	55·6	32·2	25·5	18·4	22·9	25·7	20·9
<i>Eastern Province.</i>												
Batticaloa ...	9,969	83	153	13	34·9	31·2	32·5	31·8	37·5	31·2	60·0	54·9
Trincomalee ...	11,887	110	135	6	31·9	35·8	37·1	42·0	41·6	31·4	45·5	43·5
<i>North-Western Province.</i>												
Kurunegala ...	6,483	59	138	65	26·2	25·4	32·3	65·8	34·3	41·2	75·6	40·0
Puttalam ...	5,115	60	91	24	35·8	39·7	46·5	37·7	30·0	32·7	70·6	51·9
Kalpitiya ...	1,487	6	26	—	—	—	15·4	—	—	—	66·6	66·6
Chilaw ...	4,168	33	48	1	26·8	34·4	30·4	24·7	19·9	17·7	44·2	43·3
<i>North-Central Province.</i>												
Anuradhapura ...	3,672	32	85	18	18·6	17·5	29·9	50·9	35·3	43·7	79·5	62·6
<i>Province of Uva.</i>												
Badulla ...	5,924	47	72	44	30·4	30·2	29·7	48·7	24·2	47·6	45·6	17·7
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>												
Ratnapura ...	4,084	35	51	27	29·9	30·0	32·4	55·9	30·2	44·1	47·2	22·2
Kegalla ...	2,340	27	33	27	39·1	31·3	44·2	58·9	18·3	36·2	54·0	9·8

61. The death-rates for the quarter under report are given inclusive of hospital and jail deaths as well as exclusive. In some of the towns which attract large numbers of estate coolies and destitute poor to the hospitals the difference between the two rates is striking, *e.g.*, Nawalapitiya 58·5 and 12·8, Kegalla 54·0 and 9·8, Kurunegala 75·6 and 40·0, Matale 58·3 and 27·2, Badulla 45·6 and 17·7, Gampola 44·6 and 18·0, and Ratnapura 47·2 and 22·2.

Registrar-General's Office,
Colombo, September 12, 1905.

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Registrar-General.

APPENDIX.

Table I.—Area, Estimated Population, and the Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province and District.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.*	MARRIAGES.			BIRTHS.			DEATHS.		
			Total.	General.	Kandyan.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	25321½	3,756,303	4,263	3,095	1,168	36,510	18,743	17,767	27,307	13,718	13,590
Western ...	1,432	972,345	1,434	1,434	—	8,512	4,430	4,082	5,882	3,000	2,876
Central ...	2,299½	646,568	372	104	268	5,700	2,920	2,780	3,998	2,028	1,970
Northern ...	3,363	350,711	477	477	—	3,515	1,762	1,753	2,409	1,270	1,139
Southern ...	2,146½	611,483	769	767	2	6,744	3,472	3,272	3,816	1,879	1,937
Eastern ...	4,036½	184,166	71	68	3	1,929	962	967	3,088	1,451	1,637
North-Western ...	2,996½	379,586	494	185	309	4,013	2,068	1,945	3,166	1,548	1,618
North-Central ...	4,002½	79,154	121	10	111	812	414	398	894	467	427
Uva ...	3,154½	191,456	222	16	206	1,790	913	877	1,603	846	757
Sabaragamuwa ...	1,901	340,834	303	34	269	3,495	1,802	1,693	2,452	1,223	1,229
Western.											
Colombo ...	560½	565,359	863	863	—	4,487	2,346	2,141	3,694	1,887	1,807
Negombo ...	247	162,652	281	281	—	1,609	808	801	908	457	451
Kalutara ...	623	244,334	290	290	—	2,416	1,276	1,140	1,280	662	618
Central.											
Kandy ...	911	392,350	213	70	173	3,498	1,756	1,742	2,500	1,266	1,234
Matale ...	925½	96,193	80	15	65	1,107	577	530	740	374	366
Nuwara Eliya ...	462	158,025	49	19	30	1,095	587	508	758	388	370
Northern.											
Jaffna ...	1,265	311,597	428	428	—	3,174	1,582	1,592	1,830	937	893
Mannar ...	943½	24,052	45	45	—	178	81	94	362	204	158
Mullaittivu ...	1,154	15,062	4	4	—	163	96	67	217	129	88
Southern.											
Galle ...	652½	275,985	327	325	2	3,021	1,548	1,473	1,583	777	806
Matara ...	481½	222,166	320	320	—	2,383	1,249	1,134	1,304	647	657
Hambantota ...	1,012½	113,332	122	122	—	1,340	675	665	929	455	474
Eastern.											
Batticaloa ...	2,871½	154,461	42	39	3	1,625	816	809	2,779	1,307	1,472
Trincomalee ...	1,165	29,705	29	29	—	304	146	158	369	144	165
North-Western.											
Kurunegala ...	1,844½	269,660	351	62	289	3,113	1,607	1,506	2,356	1,116	1,240
Puttalam ...	889½	29,662	39	19	20	257	137	120	378	206	172
Chilaw ...	262½	80,264	104	104	—	643	324	319	432	226	206
North-Central.											
Anuradhapura ...	4,002½	79,154	121	10	111	812	414	398	894	467	427
Uva.											
Badulla ...	3,154½	191,456	227	16	206	1,790	913	877	1,603	846	757
Sabaragamuwa.											
Ratnapura ...	1,259	138,580	122	21	101	1,408	717	691	1,121	579	542
Kegalla ...	642	202,254	181	13	168	2,087	1,085	1,002	1,331	644	687

* The estimate of the population in this Table and in Tables III., IV., and V. is based on the Census of March 1, 1901, and the returns of births and deaths registered.

Table II.—Birth- and Death-rates in the Second Quarter of 1905, the corresponding Quarter of 1904, the First Quarter of 1905, and the Mean Rates for the Second Quarters of 1898-1904.

Province and District.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			
	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.
CEYLON	37.8	37.7	45.0	39.0	25.9	22.2	28.2	29.1
Western	33.4	31.7	46.3	35.1	20.7	19.0	21.9	24.3
Central	35.5	38.5	38.1	35.4	26.6	20.2	24.7	24.8
Northern	40.1	39.1	35.4	40.2	29.6	34.5	38.4	27.5
Southern	39.3	40.0	51.7	44.2	21.1	20.1	25.8	25.0
Eastern	46.6	48.7	37.4	42.0	33.0	29.4	42.2	67.2
North-Western	39.7	41.0	51.7	42.4	29.3	21.7	28.3	33.4
North-Central	38.6	41.1	50.9	41.1	38.1	32.9	62.8	45.3
Uva	41.0	44.5	40.6	37.5	31.5	27.6	38.7	33.6
Sabaragamuwa	40.7	38.5	50.2	41.1	29.7	20.7	29.6	28.8
Western.								
Colombo	31.1	29.7	43.0	31.8	21.3	20.3	22.9	26.2
Negombo	37.6	34.6	54.1	39.7	18.1	14.1	17.7	22.4
Kalutara	37.0	34.3	48.7	39.7	21.1	19.1	22.7	21.0
Central.								
Kandy	37.3	40.7	39.7	35.8	28.2	21.5	25.6	25.5
Matale	43.2	45.7	47.8	46.2	29.5	23.2	30.7	30.9
Nuwara Eliya	26.2	28.7	28.3	27.8	19.9	15.1	19.0	19.2
Northern.								
Jaffna	40.0	39.0	34.8	40.9	27.7	33.8	29.0	23.5
Mannar	38.8	33.2	32.0	29.7	47.6	48.2	72.9	60.4
Mullaivivu	41.4	49.1	53.5	43.4	39.7	26.7	60.7	57.8
Southern.								
Galle	36.2	36.4	48.5	43.9	22.2	20.7	22.7	23.0
Matara	44.0	39.7	53.4	43.0	19.6	18.7	21.9	23.5
Hambantota	39.5	49.6	56.1	47.4	21.4	21.2	41.0	32.9
Eastern.								
Batticaloa	47.7	48.5	36.8	42.2	32.2	29.6	43.5	72.2
Trincomalee	40.7	49.5	40.5	41.0	36.8	28.1	35.5	41.7
North-Western.								
Kurunegala	39.3	43.8	56.1	46.3	32.0	22.6	29.1	35.0
Puttalam	36.6	37.5	41.3	34.7	34.9	29.9	49.7	51.1
Chilaw	32.5	32.7	51.7	32.1	16.6	15.7	17.9	21.6
North-Central.								
Anuradhapura	38.6	41.1	50.9	41.1	38.1	32.9	62.8	45.3
Uva.								
Badulla	41.0	44.5	40.6	37.5	31.5	27.6	38.7	33.6
Sabaragamuwa.								
Ratnapura	41.6	40.6	47.0	40.7	29.1	24.5	36.1	32.4
Kegalla	40.1	37.2	52.5	41.4	30.1	18.1	25.1	26.4

Table III.—Sinhalese Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in Sinhalese Districts in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.	Births.		Deaths.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.
			Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	
CEYLON ...	25331½	2,510,717	23,853	26,242	13,891	16,715	40.8	40.5	51.5	41.9	23.8	20.4	26.9	26.7	151
WESTERN ...	1,432	818,477	6,762	7,547	3,579	4,583	35.5	33.3	49.2	37.0	18.8	17.3	20.3	22.5	114
<i>Colombo</i> ...	561½	461,371	3,635	3,976	2,051	2,783	33.7	32.4	47.5	34.6	19.0	18.0	20.7	24.2	117
Colombo Municipality	10	66,667	453	490	556	668	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alutkuru Korale															
South ...	72	72,044	580	565	293	378	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hewagam Korale ...	167	69,980	605	668	265	407	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Salpiti Korale ...	75	101,129	737	796	416	439	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Siyane Korale East ^o	116½	54,739	486	601	189	347	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Siyane Korale West ^o	120½	96,912	729	856	319	544	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Negombo</i> ...	247½	145,905	1,282	1,450	578	779	38.5	34.6	54.7	39.8	17.4	13.0	17.0	21.4	126
Negombo Local Board	7½	14,406	129	112	91	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Alutkuru Korale															
North ...	159	97,189	844	942	343	431	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hapitigam Korale ...	81½	34,310	309	396	144	244	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Katutura</i> ...	623½	211,201	1,845	2,121	950	1,021	37.6	34.2	49.0	40.3	19.5	19.0	21.5	19.4	98
Katutura Local Board	1½	9,182	75	65	55	80	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Katutura Totamune	88½	97,679	853	940	455	457	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pasdun Korale East ^o	280½	25,901	204	282	105	114	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pasdun Korale West ^o	123½	24,921	232	306	112	118	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rayigam Korale ...	130	53,518	452	528	225	252	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
CENTRAL ...	2,299½	310,498	3,533	3,556	1,901	2,032	49.2	51.6	52.3	45.9	26.6	22.0	28.1	26.2	154
<i>Kandy</i> ...	911	199,460	2,299	2,237	1,209	1,288	50.0	52.0	52.9	45.0	26.4	22.0	28.3	25.9	150
Kandy Municipality	11	14,162	116	109	112	127	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Harispattu ...	50½	31,725	416	394	192	176	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pata Dumbara ...	107	38,579	465	463	221	262	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pata Hewaheta ...	57½	13,344	167	196	77	82	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tumpane ...	46½	12,422	152	126	85	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uda Bulatgama ...	230	12,457	98	86	60	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uda Dumbara ...	238½	21,466	239	227	126	159	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Udu Nuwara ...	34½	14,409	176	181	82	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uda Palata ...	106	22,453	235	246	139	121	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yati Nuwara ...	29½	18,443	235	209	115	113	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Matale</i> ...	925½	62,180	763	840	431	492	52.8	55.5	56.9	54.2	30.0	24.0	30.8	31.7	172
Matale Local Board	4½	1,985	19	23	18	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Matale South ...	163½	27,580	363	402	185	181	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Matale East ...	373½	14,919	174	190	98	126	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Matale North ...	388½	17,696	207	225	130	159	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Nuwara Eliya</i> ...	462½	48,858	471	479	261	25	41.5	45.0	43.6	39.3	26.0	19.0	24.3	20.7	138
Nuwara Eliya Local Board and outside	4½	2,054	13	10	12	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kotmale ...	236½	15,003	138	15	89	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Uda Hewaheta ...	108½	18,800	187	180	88	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Walapane ...	113½	13,001	133	137	72	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SOUTHERN ...	2,146½	580,443	5,387	6,527	2,784	3,610	40.1	40.7	52.9	46.1	20.7	19.7	25.6	24.9	127
<i>Galle</i> ...	652½	259,122	2,331	2,905	1,320	1,467	38.7	38.0	49.9	45.0	21.8	20.3	22.0	22.7	112
Galle Municipality ...	46½	27,687	200	236	151	171	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Four Gravets beyond Municipal limits and Akmimana ...	24½	20,774	181	217	95	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gangaboda Pattuwa ...	128½	33,360	296	366	159	188	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellaboda Pattuwa ...	83½	69,941	606	780	341	407	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Talpe Pattuwa ...	97	55,224	548	694	279	320	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Walallawiti Korale ...	146	45,483	437	556	261	247	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hinidum Pattuwa ...	166	6,654	63	56	34	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Births and deaths for this division being available from 1901 only, the averages shown are for the four years, 1901-1904.

Table III.—continued.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.	Births.		Deaths.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.
			Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	
<i>Malara</i>	481 1/4	211,833	2,046	2,320	923	1,239	42.0	39.8	54.3	43.9	19.0	18.3	21.8	23.5	116
Matara Local Board	1 1/2	10,399	88	72	65	78	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Four Gravets beyond Local Board limits	7 7/8	16,605	154	186	67	75	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellaboda Pattuwa	51 1/2	46,045	433	459	176	213	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Weligama Korle	111	56,438	524	610	228	303	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Morawak Korale	160	16,906	199	196	97	131	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kandaboda Pattuwa	70	27,710	291	368	141	245	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gangaboda Pattuwa	79 3/4	37,730	357	429	159	194	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Hambantota</i>	1,012 3/4	109,487	1,010	1,302	541	904	39.7	50.1	56.9	47.7	21.2	20.8	41.4	33.1	181
Hambantota Four Gravets	1 1/2	1,086	10	9	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Magam Pattu, excl. of Four Gravets	641	6,767	72	85	65	69	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Giruwa Pattu East	122 1/2	12,211	128	185	71	134	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Giruwa Pattu West	247 3/4	89,423	800	1,023	397	697	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EASTERN	4,036 1/2	8,881	91	62	80	104	41.7	36.9	40.0	28.0	35.7	36.4	52.8	47.0	516
<i>Batticaloa</i> †	2,871 1/2	7,642	80	56	73	90	40.7	36.5	39.1	29.4	37.6	38.1	56.0	47.2	446
Batticaloa Local Board	1 1/2	245	2	3	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu North	148	32	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu South	74	16	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna Pattu	677 1/2	3,294	27	23	39	42	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chammanturai	160	619	13	12	12	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eravur and Rukam Pattus	372 1/2	176	1	2	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Koralai Pattu	290	165	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eruvil and Porativu Pattus	247	778	6	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus	41	126	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Akkarai Pattu	374	1,154	12	10	11	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Panawa Pattu	486 1/2	1,037	12	5	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
NORTH-WESTERN	2,996 1/8	327,191	3,125	3,557	2,169	2,583	41.2	42.6	53.9	43.6	28.6	21.0	26.3	31.7	210
<i>Kurunegala</i>	1,844 7/8	247,160	2,470	2,886	1,805	2,113	43.1	44.8	57.3	46.8	31.6	22.4	28.5	34.3	215
Kurunegala Local Board	1 1/2	3,763	31	42	58	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hiriyala Hatpattu	387 1/2	30,145	359	336	239	295	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wendawili do.	177	43,573	469	635	309	358	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dambadeni do.	164 1/4	44,522	443	538	333	374	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dewamedi do.	186 3/8	33,626	348	410	243	327	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Katugampola do.	358 3/8	55,253	442	532	290	330	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wanni do.	569 3/8	36,278	378	393	333	346	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Puttalam</i> °	889 3/4	11,935	108	103	94	127	37.4	42.8	48.0	34.6	32.3	25.5	42.5	42.7	291
Puttalam Local Board	8 3/8	723	7	9	9	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demala Hatpattu	441 1/4	6,666	77	70	64	75	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kalpitiya Division	315	1,115	5	4	6	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Puttalam Division	124 3/8	3,431	19	20	15	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Chilaw</i>	262 1/4	68,096	546	568	270	343	34.8	34.6	42.6	33.4	17.3	15.1	15.5	20.2	171
Chilaw Town	2 3/4	2,557	17	22	14	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pitigal Korale North	132 2/4	7,211	55	70	45	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pitigal Korale Central†	88 3/4	29,334	226	253	120	130	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pitigal Korale South†	40	28,994	239	223	99	95	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* For Tamil Statistics see Table IV. and for Mohammedan Statistics see Table V.

† Births and Deaths for the divisions as at present constituted of this district being available from 1901 only, the averages shown for them are for the four years, 1901-1904.

‡ Births and Deaths for this division being available from 1899 only, the averages shown are for the six years 1899-1904.

Table III.—continued.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.	Births.		Deaths.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.
			Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	
NORTH-CENTRAL	4,002 $\frac{1}{4}$	62,818	605	661	569	682	39.0	43.4	53.3	42.2	36.6	31.2	62.7	43.5	268
<i>Anuradhapura</i> ...	4,002 $\frac{1}{4}$	62,818	605	661	569	682	39.0	43.4	53.3	42.2	36.6	31.2	62.7	43.5	268
Anuradhapura Town	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	1,054	5	11	13	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nuwaragam Palata...	1,490 $\frac{3}{4}$	26,405	247	275	228	271	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hurulu Palata ...	1,040	19,867	197	172	178	210	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kalagam Palata ...	311	14,053	136	177	133	162	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tamankaduwa Palata	1,155	1,439	20	26	17	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
UYA	3,154 $\frac{1}{2}$	128,008	1,529	1,296	1,070	1,228	49.7	51.5	47.4	40.6	34.8	31.7	46.3	38.5	241
<i>Badulla</i> ...	3,154 $\frac{1}{2}$	128,008	1,529	1,296	1,070	1,228	49.7	51.5	47.4	40.6	34.8	31.7	46.3	38.5	241
Badulla Local Board	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,746	32	31	32	31	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Yatikinda Division ...	183 $\frac{1}{2}$	22,055	268	243	159	168	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna do. ...	359	9,784	97	84	86	108	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Buttala do. ...	567 $\frac{1}{2}$	14,847	185	133	160	165	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellawaya do. ...	1,019 $\frac{1}{2}$	7,641	81	58	72	87	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Udukinda do. ...	188 $\frac{1}{2}$	30,766	366	325	242	206	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wellassa do. ...	645 $\frac{1}{2}$	21,075	291	230	195	271	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Wiyaluwa do. ...	187 $\frac{1}{2}$	18,094	209	192	124	192	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
SABARAGAMUWA	1901	272,909	2,810	3,018	1,721	1,865	47.4	40.8	54.3	44.3	27.3	20.2	30.0	27.4	147
<i>Ratnapura</i> ...	1259	120,093	1,249	1,261	770	914	44.1	42.4	50.3	42.1	27.3	23.4	36.7	30.5	157
Ratnapura Local Board	2 $\frac{1}{2}$	3,251	26	29	29	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kuruwiti Korale ...	211 $\frac{3}{4}$	31,018	280	308	170	199	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nawadun do. ...	193 $\frac{3}{4}$	24,909	260	291	165	196	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Atakalan do. ...	171 $\frac{1}{2}$	18,551	223	204	124	171	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kadawata do. ...	180 $\frac{1}{2}$	9,935	117	119	78	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kolonna do. ...	169	10,778	108	93	61	105	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kukulu do. ...	224 $\frac{1}{2}$	8,156	80	69	50	46	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Meda do. ...	156 $\frac{1}{2}$	13,495	155	148	93	106	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Kegalla</i> ...	642	152,816	1,561	1,757	952	951	44.3	39.5	57.5	46.1	27.4	17.7	24.7	25.0	139
Kegalla Local Board ^o	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,802	17	25	13	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paranakuru Korale ^o	56 $\frac{1}{2}$	27,109	296	323	135	175	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Beligal do. ...	162 $\frac{1}{2}$	40,957	410	447	241	215	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Galboda do. ...	56 $\frac{1}{2}$	21,270	238	256	150	141	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kinigoda do. ...	42	17,305	188	207	128	108	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Atulugam do. ...	125 $\frac{1}{2}$	11,765	115	114	62	81	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dehigampal do. ...	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	16,532	147	212	92	102	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Panawal do. ...	40	6,836	64	63	38	55	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lower Bulatgama ...	84 $\frac{1}{2}$	9,240	86	110	51	56	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Births and Deaths for this division being available from 1901 only, the averages shown are for the four years, 1901-1904.

Table IV.—Tamil Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in the Tamil Districts, in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.	Births.		Deaths.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year, 1,000 Births registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.
			Average for Second quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1901.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	
NORTHERN	3363½	336,181	3,261	3,365	2,388	2,206	39.9	39.0	35.3	40.1	29.2	34.0	31.9	26.3	165
<i>Jaffna</i>	1265	307,475	2,992	3,133	2,067	1,798	40.2	39.2	34.8	40.9	27.7	33.8	28.7	23.5	147
Jaffna Division	18½	42,910	430	400	326	266	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valikamam East	40½	25,706	213	235	111	101	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valikamam North	36½	46,478	404	423	239	213	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valikamam West	38½	47,233	444	457	280	214	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vadamaradchi East	34½	4,090	60	52	63	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vadamaradchi West	55	50,700	447	484	339	259	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tenmaradchi	80	37,837	425	444	365	272	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pachchilaipalli	87	5,878	55	42	64	74	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karaichchi	123½	2,770	11	6	16	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Punakari	226½	4,732	60	51	49	98	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Islands ^o	69½	34,285	408	477	196	202	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Delft ^o	18½	4,239	42	55	21	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
T'annukkai	446½	617	5	7	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Mannar</i>	943½	16,070	141	95	198	231	34.0	27.4	31.5	23.7	47.8	42.9	71.2	57.7	495
Mannar Island Division	47½	5,772	50	43	70	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mantai Division	644½	5,654	44	28	59	113	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nanaddan Division	251	4,644	47	24	69	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Mullaittivu†</i>	1154½	12,636	128	137	123	177	46.8	47.6	53.2	43.5	47.6	28.9	59.6	56.2	350
Maritime Pattus	393½	6,246	89	78	67	83	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vavuniya North	316	2,430	26	16	24	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Vavuniya South	445	3,960	31	43	38	71	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
EASTERN	4036½	102,059	1,149	1,143	836	1,690	47.6	47.7	38.6	44.9	34.2	30.6	40.9	66.4	368
<i>Batticaloa†</i>	2871½	84,647	984	961	658	1,488	49.6	48.6	38.0	45.5	32.6	30.9	41.3	70.5	382
Batticaloa Local Board	281½	8,484	81	68	74	134	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu North	148	13,984	167	179	124	311	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu South	74	8,780	123	129	76	155	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna Pattu	677½	678	5	7	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chammanturai Pattu	160	3,181	29	19	21	45	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eravur and Rukam Pattus	372	8,536	102	100	75	222	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Koralai Pattu	290	6,090	90	76	61	93	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eruvil and Porativu Pattus	247	13,949	170	171	97	161	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus	41	14,806	143	151	89	263	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Akkarai Pattu	374	5,422	55	59	31	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Panawa Pattu	486½	737	8	2	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Trincomalee</i>	1165	17,412	165	182	178	202	38.4	42.9	41.5	41.9	41.6	29.4	38.9	46.5	297
Trincomalee Town	1	9,322	79	90	103	110	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kaddukkulam Pattu	490½	1,935	22	27	29	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Koddiyar Pattu	223	4,147	50	48	31	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tampalakamam Pattu	450½	2,008	14	17	15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
NORTH-WESTERN	2996½	25,538	137	164	218	220	21.3	21.9	31.3	25.8	33.0	24.1	46.7	34.5	329
<i>Puttalam</i>	889½	7,336	57	53	68	126	28.9	27.0	34.0	29.0	33.7	25.8	60.9	68.9	377
Puttalam Local Board	8½	1,126	7	12	15	38	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demala Hatpattu	441½	348	2	2	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kalpitiya Division	315	2,124	21	13	25	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Puttalam Division	124½	3,738	27	26	23	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Births and deaths for this division being available from 1901 only, the averages shown are for the four years, 1901 to 1904.

† Births and deaths for the divisions as at present constituted of this district being available from 1901 only, the averages shown for them are for the four years, 1901-1904.

Table V.—Moor Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in Batticaloa and Puttalam Districts, in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on April 1, 1905.	Births.		Deaths.		Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 year to 1,000 Births registered in the Second Quarter of 1905.
			Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	Average for Second Quarters, 1898-1904.	Second Quarter, 1904.	First Quarter, 1905.	Second Quarter, 1905.	
EASTERN ...	4,036½	67,639	750	681	490	1,249	48.3	53.8	36.6	40.4	31.7	27.3	44.3	74.1	398
<i>Batticaloa</i> ...	2,871½	58,610	652	589	426	1,181	45.8	52.2	36.3	40.3	30.7	27.5	46.6	80.8	412
Batticaloa Local Board	281¼	353	2	1	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu North	148	12,265	181	146	145	478	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu South	74	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna Pattu	677½	129	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chammanturai Pattu	160	5,845	62	48	40	141	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eravur and Rukam Pattus	372½	6,317	71	56	51	99	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Koralai Pattu ...	290	4,053	46	40	22	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eruvil and Porativu Pattus	247	177	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus	41	18,594	185	165	98	241	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Akkarai Pattu	374	8,937	103	111	54	150	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Panawa Pattu	486½	1,893	14	22	11	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
NORTH-WESTERN ...	2,996½	24,622	244	279	200	252	42.5	40.6	46.6	45.4	32.8	28.9	35.0	41.0	287
<i>Puttalam.</i> ...	889¾	9,879	99	94	93	122	41.8	38.5	40.1	38.2	39.3	38.9	47.9	49.5	351
Puttalam Local Board	8½	2,775	27	34	23	34	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demala Hatpattu	441¼	456	4	5	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kalpitiya Division	315	4,781	50	29	54	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Puttalam Division	124½	1,867	18	26	12	22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Births and deaths for the divisions as at present constituted of this district being available from 1901 only, the averages shown for them are for the four years 1901-1904.

Table VI.—Marriages (General), Civil Condition, Nationality, Age, Mode of Solemnization, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province and District.	Total Marriages.	MARRIAGES.												Signed Register with Marks.														
		Contracted between						Of		Contracted between Persons of same Race.						Persons not 21 Years of Age.		Males.		Females.								
		Bachelors and Spinsters.	Bachelors and Widows.	Widowers and Spinsters.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Bachelors and Divorced Women.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Divorced Women and Widows.	Widowers.	Widows.	European and Burgher.	European and Sinhalese.	European and Tamil.	Burgher and Sinhalese.	Burgher and Tamil.	Sinhalese and Tamil.	Others.	Males.	Females.	Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.	Lowest Female Age.	Marriges solemnized by Ministers.	Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	3095	2688	1336	108	2	2	1	1	1	7	3	16	2251	2304	687	1	129	1632	68	26.8	16	55	20.5	12	667	642	2099	
Western	1434	1230	175	41	2	2	1	1	1	4	1	9	2043	1285	67	1	43	612	65	26.6	18	50	20.7	13	428	252	829	
Central	104	86	16	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	1	64	36	4	57	68	28.9	16	50	21.4	13	35	20	64	
Northern	477	413	10	39	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	477	3	17	301	58	26.1	16	55	19.5	13	117	58	328	
Southern	767	685	17	57	7	1	1	1	1	2	4	758	3	4	758	3	48	458	62	27.5	18	55	20.8	14	91	237	638	
Eastern	68	57	2	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	63	4	4	48	40	26.1	19	35	18.9	12	19	14	55	
North-Western	185	164	4	12	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	152	26	11	113	50	25.7	18	35	19.7	13	51	43	141	
North-Central	10	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	7	—	3	38	29.1	22	39	22.4	15	—	6	9	
Uva	16	13	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	—	8	50	27.9	22	38	21.4	16	2	3	12	
Sabaragamuwa	34	31	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	30	4	2	22	48	26.4	19	36	19.8	14	6	9	23	
Western.																												
Colombo	863	744	14	93	10	2	1	1	1	4	1	4	2046	749	40	1	25	362	65	26.6	18	50	20.7	14	283	123	440	
Negombo	281	247	3	29	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	4	2	250	25	17	154	56	25.5	19	30	20.0	15	135	53	178		
Kalutara	290	239	9	38	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	286	2	1	96	58	27.6	20	45	21.4	13	10	76	211		
Central.																												
Kandy	70	59	—	8	3	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	42	25	2	38	68	29.2	16	50	21.7	15	24	11	40	
Matale	15	11	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	12	3	1	8	45	28.7	20	40	21.1	14	2	5	10	
Nuwara Eliya	19	16	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	10	8	1	11	60	28.2	20	40	20.8	13	9	4	14	
Northern.																												
Jaffna	428	381	7	31	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	428	—	15	287	58	26.2	16	55	19.7	13	73	53	293	
Mannar	45	29	3	8	5	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	45	—	2	31	45	19.7	20	27	18.2	13	44	5	31	
Mullativu	4	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	4	—	—	3	40	28.2	22	30	20.5	16	—	—	4	
Southern.																												
Galle	325	287	8	26	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	320	1	4	138	62	29.6	20	55	22.2	15	5	5	91	247	
Matare	320	289	6	23	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	317	2	28	237	60	25.6	18	40	19.4	14	3	108	273	
Hambantota	122	109	3	8	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	121	—	16	83	60	27.1	18	46	20.7	15	1	38	118	
Eastern.																												
Batticaloa	39	32	1	2	4	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	36	—	2	26	40	26.8	19	35	19.4	12	11	10	31	
Trincomalee	29	25	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	27	—	2	22	40	25.2	20	26	18.2	14	8	4	24	
North-Western.																												
Kurunegala	62	56	1	2	1	2	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	55	5	4	35	40	25.5	20	35	19.8	13	4	15	54	
Puttalam	19	15	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	8	10	1	14	50	28.1	20	34	19.6	16	12	4	14	
Chilaw	104	93	2	9	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	89	11	6	64	50	25.4	18	30	19.6	13	35	24	73	
North-Central.																												
Anuradhapura	10	9	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	3	7	—	3	38	29.1	22	39	22.4	15	—	6	9	
Uva.																												
Badulla	16	13	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	11	4	—	8	50	27.9	22	36	21.4	16	2	3	12	
Sabaragamuwa.																												
Ratnapura	21	18	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	18	3	—	12	48	27.7	21	35	20.8	14	4	4	14	
Kegalla	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	12	1	2	10	35	24.5	19	22	18.2	15	2	6	9	

Table VII.—Marriages (Kandyan), Civil Condition, Age, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province and District.	Contracted between										Persons not 21 Years of Age.		Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.	Lowest Female Age.	Signed the Register with Marks.	
	Total Marriages.	Bachelors and Spinsters.	Bachelors and Widows.	Widowers and Spinsters.	Widowers and Widows.	Divorced Men and Spinsters.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Divorced Women and Bachelors.	Divorced Women and Widows.	Divorced Men and Divorced Women.	Males.	Females.							Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	1168	906	49	106	46	28	5	21	3	4	159	874	67	26.1	17	55	19.6	13	440	1100
Central	268	216	6	22	5	8	1	8	1	1	33	212	67	25.4	18	55	18.9	13	95	244
Northern	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southern	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	25	23.0	21	18	18.0	18	2	2
Eastern	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	30	27.0	23	26	21.0	15	3	3
North-Western	309	230	16	40	10	7	1	4	—	1	42	221	57	25.8	18	37	19.9	14	97	303
North-Central	111	72	8	13	12	2	2	1	—	1	5	67	55	28.0	20	36	21.4	16	28	96
Uva	206	163	14	17	11	1	—	—	—	—	13	143	58	27.6	17	50	20.2	14	120	203
Sabaragamuwa	269	220	5	14	8	10	1	8	2	1	66	228	65	25.2	18	52	18.6	13	95	249
Central.																				
Kandy	173	143	2	18	—	4	1	4	1	—	24	150	64	24.1	18	50	17.8	13	55	154
Matale	65	49	4	2	5	2	—	2	—	1	5	43	67	28.6	18	55	21.5	14	22	61
Nuwara Eliya	30	24	—	2	—	2	—	2	—	—	4	19	40	25.8	20	28	19.5	15	18	29
Northern.																				
Mullaivivu	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southern.																				
Galle	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	25	23.0	21	18	18.0	18	2	2
Matara	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eastern.																				
Batticaloa	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	30	27.0	23	26	21.0	15	3	3
Trincomalee	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
North-Western.																				
Kurunegala	289	217	14	38	8	7	—	4	—	1	40	208	57	25.7	18	37	19.9	14	85	283
Futtalam	20	13	2	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	2	13	45	27.0	20	28	20.0	16	12	20
North-Central.																				
Anuradhapura	111	72	8	13	12	2	2	1	—	1	5	67	55	28.0	20	36	21.4	16	28	96
Uva.																				
Badulla	206	163	14	17	11	1	—	—	—	—	13	143	58	27.6	17	50	20.2	14	120	203
Sabaragamuwa.																				
Ratnapura	101	79	4	7	5	1	—	3	2	—	15	79	64	26.9	18	52	18.4	14	41	91
Kegalla	168	141	1	7	3	9	1	5	—	1	51	149	65	24.1	18	51	18.2	13	54	158

Table VIII.—Return of Births of each Nationality in the Island registered during the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province and District.	All Races.						Europeans.			Burghers.			Sinhalese.			Tamils.			Moors.			Malays.			Others.				
	Males.		Females.		Persons.	Males.		Females.		Persons.	Males.		Females.		Persons.	Males.		Females.		Persons.	Males.		Females.		Persons.	Males.		Females.	
	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Females.	Persons.	
CEYLON	36,510	18,743	17,767	38	20	18	210	111	99	26,242	13,488	12,754	7,690	3,940	7,750	2,198	1,108	1,090	72	37	35	60	39	21					
Western.	8,512	4,430	4,082	19	8	11	136	76	61	7,547	3,907	3,640	367	201	166	388	205	183	29	15	14	26	18	8					
Central.	5,700	2,920	2,780	12	8	4	25	11	14	3,556	1,789	1,767	1,737	927	810	348	171	177	14	9	5	8	5	3					
Northern.	3,515	1,762	1,753	1	1	—	2	1	1	18	10	8	3,163	1,684	1,681	127	65	62	1	—	—	1	1	1	—				
Southern.	6,744	3,472	3,272	—	—	—	14	6	8	6,527	3,369	3,158	3,163	57	34	139	60	79	6	3	3	1	1	—					
Eastern.	1,929	962	967	3	—	—	21	11	10	62	29	33	1,143	570	573	681	344	337	8	1	7	11	7	4					
North-Western.	4,013	2,068	1,945	—	—	—	4	2	2	557	1,830	1,727	1,64	85	79	279	147	132	7	3	4	2	1	1					
North-Central.	812	414	398	—	—	—	2	1	1	661	339	322	57	30	27	87	40	47	3	2	1	2	2	—					
Uva.	1,790	913	877	3	3	—	3	1	2	1,296	659	637	436	225	211	43	21	22	1	—	—	8	3	6					
Sabaragamuwa.	3,495	1,802	1,693	—	—	—	3	2	1	3,018	1,556	1,462	364	185	179	106	55	51	3	3	—	1	1	—					
Western.	4,487	2,346	2,141	19	8	11	128	73	55	3,976	2,067	1,909	150	84	66	162	84	78	28	14	14	24	16	8					
Colombo.	1,609	808	801	—	—	—	6	2	4	1,450	728	722	126	63	57	30	12	18	1	—	—	2	2	—					
Negombo.	2,416	1,276	1,140	—	—	—	2	1	1	2,121	1,112	1,009	97	54	43	196	109	87	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Kalutara.	3,498	1,756	1,742	9	5	4	21	9	12	2,287	1,129	1,108	956	483	471	256	116	140	11	7	4	8	5	3					
Central.	1,107	577	530	—	—	—	2	1	1	840	426	414	182	98	84	80	50	30	3	2	1	—	—	—					
Kandy.	1,095	587	506	3	3	—	2	1	1	479	234	245	599	344	255	12	5	7	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Matale.	3,174	1,582	1,592	1	1	—	2	1	1	—	1	—	3,133	1,557	1,576	35	21	14	1	—	—	1	1	—					
Nuwara Eliya.	178	84	94	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	95	44	51	83	40	43	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Northern.	163	96	67	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	9	8	137	83	64	9	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Jaffna.	3,021	1,548	1,473	—	—	—	10	4	6	2,905	1,491	1,414	26	15	11	79	37	42	1	1	—	—	—	—					
Mannar.	2,383	1,249	1,134	—	—	—	4	2	2	2,320	1,220	1,100	24	14	10	35	13	22	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Mullaitivu.	1,340	675	665	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,302	658	644	7	4	3	25	10	15	5	2	3	1	1	—					
Southern.	1,625	816	809	—	—	—	14	7	7	56	24	32	961	478	483	589	304	285	—	—	—	5	3	2					
Galle.	304	146	158	3	—	—	7	4	3	6	5	1	182	92	90	92	40	52	8	1	7	6	4	2					
Matara.	3,113	1,607	1,506	—	—	—	2	2	—	2,886	1,479	1,407	61	36	25	163	89	74	1	1	—	—	—	—					
Hambantota.	257	137	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	103	55	48	53	29	24	94	50	44	5	2	3	2	1	1					
Eastern.	643	324	319	—	—	—	2	—	2	563	296	272	50	20	30	22	8	14	1	—	—	—	—	—					
Batticaloa.	812	414	398	—	—	—	2	1	1	661	339	322	57	30	27	87	40	47	3	2	1	2	2	—					
Trincomalee.	1,790	913	877	3	3	—	8	1	2	1,296	659	637	436	225	211	43	21	22	1	1	—	8	3	5					
North-Western.	1,408	717	691	—	—	—	1	—	1	1,261	645	616	120	56	64	24	14	10	2	2	—	—	—	—					
Kurunegala.	2,087	1,085	1,002	—	—	—	2	—	—	1,737	911	846	244	129	115	82	41	41	1	1	—	—	—	—					
Puttalam.																													
Chilaw.																													
North-Central.																													
Anuradhapura.																													
Uva.																													
Badulla.																													
Sabaragamuwa.																													
Ratnapura.																													
Kegalla.																													

Table IX.—Deaths among the various Races registered in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, in each Month of the Second Quarter of 1905.

Province and District.	APRIL.							MAY.							JUNE.									
	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
CEYLON ...	7,709	11	47	4635	2232	731	33	20	9547	14	51	5872	2655	874	29	52	10052	8	46	6208	2776	946	35	33
Western	1,600	5	33	1233	181	120	15	13	2128	6	28	1687	230	134	13	30	2154	4	34	1663	288	130	21	14
Central	1,117	5	5	617	412	72	3	3	1415	2	5	708	629	62	4	5	1466	2	1	707	667	83	2	4
Northern	802	—	1	14	723	64	—	—	825	2	—	3	754	61	—	5	782	—	—	11	729	41	—	1
Southern	1,102	—	2	1041	17	37	5	—	1280	—	5	1210	26	36	3	—	1434	1	3	1359	28	38	5	—
Eastern	864	—	4	32	498	319	7	4	1104	1	11	29	610	447	1	5	1120	—	5	43	582	483	2	5
North-Western	776	—	—	618	83	74	1	—	954	—	1	789	87	73	2	2	1436	—	2	1176	150	105	2	1
North-Central	313	—	1	251	42	19	—	—	298	—	—	231	43	17	4	3	283	—	—	200	39	39	1	4
Uva	489	—	—	378	59	11	1	—	576	3	—	443	110	17	1	2	538	1	—	407	117	9	2	2
Sabaragamuwa	646	1	1	451	177	15	1	—	967	—	1	772	166	27	1	—	839	—	1	642	176	18	—	2
Western.																								
Colombo	975	5	32	724	105	81	15	13	1347	6	27	1043	125	103	13	30	1372	4	33	1016	187	98	20	14
Negombo	216	—	—	185	28	3	—	—	333	—	—	289	42	2	—	—	359	—	1	305	44	9	—	—
Kalutara	409	—	1	324	48	36	—	—	448	—	1	355	63	29	—	—	423	—	—	342	57	23	1	—
Central.																								
Kandy	696	1	3	391	244	51	3	3	905	2	5	457	385	48	4	4	899	1	1	440	394	57	2	4
Matale	213	—	1	152	44	16	—	—	251	—	—	155	82	13	—	1	276	—	—	185	68	23	—	—
Nuwara Eliya	208	4	1	74	124	5	—	—	259	—	—	96	162	1	—	—	291	1	—	82	305	3	—	—
Northern.																								
Jafna	620	—	—	2	603	15	—	—	620	2	—	—	610	6	—	2	590	—	—	—	585	4	—	1
Mannar	116	—	1	2	70	43	—	—	133	—	—	—	80	53	—	—	113	—	—	—	81	32	—	—
Mullaittivu	66	—	—	10	50	6	—	—	72	—	—	3	64	2	—	3	79	—	—	11	63	5	—	—
Southern.																								
Galle	496	—	1	454	11	26	4	—	535	—	3	494	12	24	2	—	552	1	2	519	10	20	—	—
Matara	324	—	1	309	6	8	—	—	461	—	2	439	12	8	—	—	519	—	1	491	13	14	—	—
Hambantota	282	—	—	278	—	3	1	—	284	—	—	277	2	4	1	—	363	—	—	349	5	4	5	—
Eastern.																								
Batticaloa	749	—	3	26	427	291	—	2	995	—	7	21	542	423	—	2	1035	—	4	43	519	467	—	2
Trincomalee	115	—	1	6	71	28	7	2	109	1	4	8	68	24	1	3	85	—	1	—	63	16	2	3
North-Western.																								
Kurunegala	551	—	—	509	20	21	1	—	727	—	—	649	40	35	2	1	1078	—	1	955	64	58	—	—
Puttalam	141	—	—	43	50	48	—	—	99	—	—	35	26	37	—	1	138	—	—	49	50	37	2	—
Chilaw	84	—	—	66	13	5	—	—	128	—	1	105	21	1	—	—	220	—	1	172	36	10	—	1
North-Central.																								
Anuradhapura	313	—	1	251	42	19	—	—	298	—	—	231	43	17	4	3	283	—	—	200	39	39	1	4
Uva.																								
Badulla	489	—	—	378	99	11	1	—	576	3	—	443	110	17	1	2	538	1	—	407	117	9	2	2
Sabaragamuwa.																								
Ratnapura	296	1	1	244	47	3	—	—	450	—	—	371	69	10	—	—	375	—	1	299	72	2	—	1
Kegalla	350	—	—	207	130	12	1	—	517	—	1	401	97	17	1	—	464	—	—	343	104	16	—	1

Table X.—Causes of Deaths registered in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, during the Second Quarter of 1905.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON										DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.																		
	WESTERN PROVINCE.		CENTRAL PROVINCE.		NORTHERN PROVINCE.		SOUTHERN PROVINCE.		EASTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-CENTRAL PROV.	UVA PROV.	SAMARAGAMUWA PROV.		Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.						
	Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Elyya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Galle.	Matara.	Hambantota.	Baticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Katnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
ALL CAUSES ...	27308	3694	908	1280	2500	740	758	1830	362	217	1583	1304	929	2779	309	2356	378	432	894	1603	1121	1331	33	144	1671	7663	2551	97	105
I. Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic diseases ...	12408	386	536	1029	288	305	840	171	109	616	668	612	1817	168	755	200	141	446	769	540	557	8	47	7308	8633	1329	38	45	
II. Parasitic diseases ...	1341	212	86	62	186	72	13	—	—	106	16	—	—	—	246	—	72	21	12	74	162	—	3	1097	163	73	5	—	
III. Diabetic diseases ...	53	—	—	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	—	7	—	1	9	4	4	—	1	15	28	9	—	—	
IV. Constitutional diseases ...	1949	451	102	140	136	31	41	104	10	6	221	156	62	17	6	146	14	32	82	92	70	3	21	1493	311	105	10	6	
V. Developmental diseases ...	697	169	30	55	61	15	33	52	7	3	61	30	11	—	9	—	5	3	88	36	17	—	3	446	186	48	8	6	
VI. Local diseases ...	8068	1147	249	393	660	227	191	667	108	70	492	368	143	534	92	1021	127	309	479	240	390	15	56	5143	2110	681	25	38	
VII. Violence ...	425	69	15	24	53	11	10	29	2	3	27	23	15	21	41	1	10	4	17	29	19	3	2	300	96	17	4	3	
VIII. Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	2867	188	38	70	374	94	158	132	64	26	60	43	86	385	26	138	29	78	147	106	112	4	11	913	1136	289	7	7	
I. Miasmatic diseases ...	6349	874	277	206	265	127	75	590	89	37	225	244	410	204	74	452	122	267	308	212	212	5	11	3891	1630	783	12	17	
2 Diarrheal do. ...	5467	473	92	305	718	135	233	136	68	50	379	414	190	599	73	288	48	157	434	309	320	2	32	3243	1662	486	21	21	
3 Malarial do. ...	385	72	7	13	31	25	4	64	4	9	7	9	7	6	9	25	5	21	21	15	22	1	—	116	220	39	4	6	
4 Zoonogenic do. ...	9	2	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Venereal do. ...	22	11	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Septic do. ...	176	23	9	9	1	3	50	10	13	3	1	3	7	15	6	4	1	1	3	3	2	—	4	38	112	20	1	1	
Parasitic diseases ...	1341	212	86	62	186	72	13	—	—	106	16	—	—	—	1	246	—	21	12	74	162	—	3	1097	163	73	5	—	
III. Diabetic diseases ...	53	—	—	—	2	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	5	2	—	7	—	1	9	4	4	—	1	15	28	9	—	—	
IV. Constitutional diseases ...	1949	451	102	140	136	31	41	104	10	6	221	156	62	17	6	146	14	32	82	92	70	3	21	1493	311	105	10	6	
V. Developmental diseases ...	697	169	30	55	61	15	33	52	7	3	61	30	11	—	9	—	5	3	88	36	17	—	3	446	186	48	8	6	
Diseases of—																													
1 Nervous system ...	3113	519	72	297	114	17	40	277	28	27	387	312	114	63	36	256	59	22	232	92	81	3	27	2181	665	208	13	16	
2 Organs of special sense ...	14	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3 Circulatory system ...	205	63	6	13	25	5	17	3	1	16	14	5	1	—	5	1	2	3	3	8	14	4	4	127	64	4	1	1	
4 Respiratory do. ...	1813	244	17	28	183	60	99	198	36	36	29	10	3	163	26	194	49	109	191	13	62	2	11	766	824	188	6	16	
5 Digestive do. ...	296	82	4	8	38	13	14	38	8	2	13	6	4	6	2	7	3	2	12	19	15	5	7	138	121	20	2	3	
6 Lymphatic system and Ductless Glands ...	23	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7 Urinary system ...	55	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	—	1	4	29	16	3	—	2	
8 Reproductive system: (a) Organs of Generation ...	19	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
(b) Parturition ...	550	59	29	23	67	20	10	9	—	1	21	16	12	15	1	105	—	41	20	28	49	—	2	455	67	24	2	—	

Table XI.—Causes of registered Deaths on Estates in the Central, Uva, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces and in the Colombo and Kalutara Districts of the Western Province during the Second Quarter of 1905.

Causes of Death.	Central Province.				Prov. of Uva.			Prov. of S'gamuwa.		Western Province.	
	Ceylon.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Colombo.	Kalutara.		
ALL CAUSES ...	2477	884	164	470	271	165	297	101	125		
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic diseases	999	361	57	157	103	90	132	40	59		
II.—Parasitic diseases	86	35	2	2	3	9	25	—	10		
III.—Dietetic diseases	11	—	2	6	—	1	1	1	—		
IV.—Constitutional diseases	80	16	7	17	3	5	10	18	4		
V.—Developmental diseases	80	20	9	25	9	3	9	1	4		
VI.—Local diseases	592	206	36	134	65	31	70	27	23		
VII.—Violence	35	20	2	3	4	1	4	—	1		
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes	594	226	49	126	84	25	46	14	24		
I.											
Miasmatic diseases	143	53	8	21	28	2	15	5	11		
Diarrhoeal do.	765	284	31	128	67	78	102	30	45		
Malarial do.	71	18	17	4	6	7	12	4	3		
Zoogenous do.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Venereal do.	6	3	—	—	1	—	—	1	—		
Septic do.	14	3	1	4	1	3	2	—	—		
II.											
Parasitic diseases	86	35	2	2	3	9	25	—	10		
III.											
Dietetic diseases	11	—	2	6	—	1	1	1	—		
IV.											
Constitutional diseases	80	16	7	17	3	5	10	18	4		
V.											
Developmental diseases	80	20	9	25	9	3	9	1	4		
VI.											
Diseases of—											
Nervous system	157	62	5	31	13	13	15	5	13		
Organs of special sense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Circulatory system	50	15	3	14	3	3	8	3	1		
Respiratory system	294	95	21	80	44	10	28	7	9		
Digestive system	40	15	6	4	4	1	3	7	—		
Lymphatic system and ductless glands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Urinary system	9	2	—	2	—	4	—	1	—		
Reproductive system:											
(a) Organs of generation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
(b) Parturition	36	17	1	3	1	—	10	4	—		
Organs of Locomotion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Integumentary system	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—		
VII.											
Accident or negligence	29	17	—	3	4	1	4	—	—		
Homicide	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Suicide	6	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	1		
Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
VIII.											
Ill-defined and not specified causes	594	226	49	126	84	25	46	14	24		
Miasmatic Diseases.											
Smallpox	4	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	—		
Chickenpox	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—		
Measles	10	7	—	3	—	—	—	—	—		
Whooping Cough	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Simple and ill-defined Fever	109	39	8	9	23	2	13	5	10		
Enteric Fever	8	5	—	—	2	—	—	—	1		
Influenza	11	2	—	8	—	—	1	—	—		
Diarrhæal Diseases.											
Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Diarrhœa	384	124	16	67	35	23	71	22	26		
Dysentery	381	160	15	61	32	55	31	8	19		
Malarial Diseases.											
Remittent Fever	6	1	2	1	2	—	—	—	—		
Ague	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Malarial Cachexia	65	17	15	3	4	7	12	4	3		
Zoogenous Diseases.											
Hydrophobia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Cowpox and other effects of Vaccination	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Venereal Diseases.											
Syphilis	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—		
Gonorrhœa, stricture of Urethra	3	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—		

Table XI.—Causes of Deaths registered, &c.—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Central Province.				Prov. of Uva.		Prov. of S'gamuwa.		Western Province.	
	Ceylon.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Colombo.	Kalutara.	
Ileus, Obstruction of Intestine ...	4	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Peritonitis ...	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ascites ...	12	2	2	—	—	—	1	7	—	
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Other diseases of Liver ...	3	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Digestive System ...	3	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.</i>										
Diseases of the Lymphatic System ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Spleen ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Urinary System.</i>										
Nephritis ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bright's Disease ...	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	
Uræmia ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Suppression of Urine ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Calculus (Stone) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Bladder ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Urinary System ...	5	1	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Organs of Generation.</i>										
Diseases of Uterus and Vagina... ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Disorders of Menstruation ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Testes, Penis, Scrotum, &c. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Parturition.</i>										
Abortion, Miscarriage ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Puerperal Mania ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Puerperal Convulsions ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	
Placenta Prævia, Flooding ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined accidents of Childbirth ...	33	16	1	3	1	—	8	4	—	
<i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion.</i>										
Arthritis, Ostitis, Periostitis ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Organs of Locomotion ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>										
Carbuncle ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Plegmon, Cellulitis ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ulcer, Bed sore ...	6	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>										
Fractures, Contusions ...	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Gun-shot wounds ...	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Burn, Scald ...	11	9	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	
Poison ...	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Drowning ...	11	6	—	1	1	1	2	—	—	
Suffocation ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Snake-bite ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Otherwise ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	
<i>Homicide.</i>										
Murder, Manslaughter ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Suicide.</i>										
Gun-shot wounds ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Poison ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hanging ...	6	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Otherwise ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Execution.</i>										
Hanging ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>										
General Dropsy ...	79	27	18	11	9	3	7	—	4	
Debility ...	500	196	30	112	72	21	38	11	20	
Sudden deaths (causes unascertained) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Abscess ...	9	2	1	3	2	1	—	—	—	
Tumour ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hæmorrhage ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other ill-defined and not specified causes ...	5	—	—	—	1	—	1	3	—	

Table XII.—Causes of Deaths registered in the Colombo Municipality in the Second Quarter of 1905.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Municipality.	WARD.										NATIONALITY.						
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
ALL CAUSES ...	1426 ^a	11	22	63	143	247	137	338	244	128	87	15	87	678	293	250	46	51
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases ...	399	—	6	13	30	81	30	105	69	44	21	3	29	198	85	56	14	16
II.—Parasitic Diseases ...	61	—	1	—	2	7	3	26	5	12	5	—	2	28	22	4	6	—
III.—Dietetic Diseases ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
IV.—Constitutional Diseases ...	172	—	3	8	11	25	12	41	42	16	14	3	13	83	34	28	6	5
V.—Developmental Diseases ...	59	—	1	2	6	12	5	3	13	11	6	—	3	26	8	15	3	4
VI.—Local Diseases ...	590	6	9	31	81	100	70	110	106	41	36	5	35	270	125	121	13	21
VII.—Violence ...	17	4	—	—	—	3	—	6	2	—	2	2	1	9	3	1	—	1
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes	120	1	2	9	13	19	17	45	7	4	3	2	4	62	16	26	5	5
I.																		
Miasmatic Diseases ...	67	—	1	1	2	18	5	16	5	7	12	—	2	39	9	10	4	3
Diarrhœal do. ...	246	—	3	9	14	48	13	72	50	30	7	2	25	113	55	34	9	8
Malarial do. ...	59	—	—	3	13	10	9	10	8	5	1	—	—	31	15	8	1	3
Zoogenous do. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Venereal do. ...	7	—	2	—	—	1	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	5	1	1	—	—
Septic do. ...	20	—	—	—	1	4	2	6	5	1	1	—	2	10	5	2	—	1
II.—Parasitic Diseases ...	61	—	1	—	2	7	3	26	5	12	5	—	2	28	22	4	5	—
III.—Dietetic Diseases ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
IV.—Constitutional Diseases ...	172	—	3	8	11	25	12	41	42	16	14	3	13	83	34	28	6	5
V.—Developmental Diseases ...	59	—	1	2	6	12	5	3	13	11	6	—	3	26	8	15	3	4
VI.																		
Diseases of Nervous System ...	237	3	5	11	32	53	33	11	47	23	19	—	15	106	40	57	10	9
Do. Organs of Special Sense ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Do. Circulatory System ...	29	1	1	2	4	1	3	8	5	1	3	1	3	15	5	4	—	1
Do. Respiratory System ...	215	1	2	15	36	43	22	37	42	11	6	1	8	94	57	44	1	10
Do. Digestive System ...	60	1	1	—	4	1	4	29	8	5	7	2	6	28	12	10	2	—
Do. Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Do. Urinary System ...	17	—	—	1	3	2	5	5	—	—	1	1	1	9	3	2	—	1
Do. Reproductive System :—																		
(a) Organs of Generation ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
(b) Parturition ...	11	—	—	2	2	—	—	2	4	1	—	—	1	5	2	3	—	—
Do. Organs of Locomotion ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Do. Integumentary System ...	16	—	—	—	—	—	3	13	—	—	—	—	1	8	6	1	—	—
VII.																		
Accident or Negligence ...	13	3	—	—	—	3	—	5	1	—	1	2	1	5	3	1	—	—
Homicide ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Suicide ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Execution ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
VIII.																		
Ill-defined and not specified Causes ...	120	1	2	9	13	19	17	45	7	4	3	2	4	62	16	26	5	—
Miasmatic Diseases.																		
Smallpox ...	16	—	—	1	1	9	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	5	1	—	—
Chickenpox ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Measles ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Whooping Cough ...	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
Mumps ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diphtheria ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Typhus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cerebro-spinal Fever ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Simple and ill-defined Fever ...	11	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	3	3	2	—	—	6	—	3	1	—
Enteric Fever ...	33	—	1	—	—	6	2	14	1	4	5	—	1	18	4	5	3	—
Influenza ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Diarrhœal Diseases.																		
Cholera ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Diarrhœa ...	153	—	—	3	10	31	9	46	31	21	2	2	17	79	29	18	4	—
Dysentery ...	93	—	3	6	4	17	4	26	19	9	5	—	8	34	26	16	5	—

* Inclusive of 18 deaths of town residents which occurred at the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta (outside the town), and were registered by an extra urban Registrar.

Table XII.—Causes of Deaths, &c.—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Municipality.	WARD.										NATIONALITY.						
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
<i>Malarial Diseases.</i>																		
Remittent Fever ...	51	—	—	3	12	10	9	7	5	4	1	1	—	26	13	7	1	3
Ague ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Malarial Cachexia ...	7	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	4	2	1	—	—
<i>Zoogenous Diseases.</i>																		
Hydrophobia ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Venereal Diseases.</i>																		
Syphilis ...	6	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	4	1	1	—	—
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Septic Diseases.</i>																		
Phagedæna ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Erysipelas ...	4	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	11	—	—	—	—	1	—	4	4	1	1	—	—	7	1	—	—	1
Puerperal Fever ...	3	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—
<i>Parasitic Diseases.</i>																		
Thrush ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Worms (animal) ...	34	—	—	—	2	7	2	2	4	12	5	—	—	21	5	2	5	—
Dochmius Duodenalis ...	27	—	1	—	—	—	1	24	1	—	—	—	—	7	17	2	—	—
<i>Dietetic Diseases.</i>																		
Starvation, want of Breast milk ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Scurvy ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Constitutional Diseases.</i>																		
Rheumatism ...	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1
Cancer ...	3	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1
Tabes Mesenterica ...	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Phthisis ...	148	—	3	7	10	18	10	38	37	14	11	2	9	76	29	23	5	4
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	5	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	1	1	3	—	—
Diabetes Mellitus ...	6	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	3	1	1	—	—
Leprosy ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elephantiasis ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Parangi ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>																		
Premature Birth ...	10	—	—	—	1	1	—	2	3	2	1	—	—	5	2	2	—	1
Old Age ...	49	—	1	2	5	11	5	1	10	9	5	—	3	21	6	13	3	3
<i>Nervous System.</i>																		
Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes ...	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—
Apoplexy ...	9	1	—	1	3	1	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	5	1	2	—
Paralysis ...	20	—	—	—	—	10	—	2	7	1	—	—	—	3	12	3	1	—
Epilepsy ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	1	3	—	—	—
Convulsions ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Infantile Convulsions ...	132	1	2	4	22	40	17	—	29	9	8	—	—	63	17	37	6	3
Tetanus ...	56	—	3	6	6	2	15	4	2	12	6	—	—	3	18	14	14	3
Paraplegia, diseases of the Spinal Cord... Other and undefined diseases of Brain or Nervous System ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>																		
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Otitis and other disease of Ear ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Circulatory System.</i>																		
Pericarditis ...	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Valve disease of Heart... Angina pectoris, Syncope Aneurism ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Embolism, Thrombosis ...	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
Varicose veins ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Heart or Circulatory System ...	23	—	1	1	2	1	3	6	5	1	3	1	2	15	2	3	—	—

Table XIII.—Deaths of Males and Females at different Periods, &c.—continued.

District, and Nationality.	ALL AGES.		AGES AT DEATH.														Age not stated.																			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	One Week and under		Three Months and under		Between Three Months and One Year.		1 year and under		2 years and under		3 years and under		4 years and under		5 years and under		6 years and under		7 years and under		8 years and under		95 years and under		100 years & upwards.								
				M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M		F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F				
Matale.	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Burghers	492	232	260	15	18	19	21	12	9	16	21	7	13	13	28	13	11	11	20	15	17	17	9	7	9	9	11	1	—	—						
Sinhalese	194	108	86	4	2	4	3	3	4	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	11	17	17	9	6	13	5	3	—	—							
Tamil	52	33	19	5	3	1	3	1	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
Moors	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Malays	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Others	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Total	740	374	366	53	50	23	27	15	14	26	22	8	13	16	34	13	17	17	38	34	34	17	17	17	18	22	11	15	14	8	1	3				
Nuwara Eliya.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Europeans	6	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Burghers	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Sinhalese	252	108	144	18	20	7	12	8	10	6	5	13	12	4	3	2	7	4	7	9	4	4	8	11	9	6	6	5	3	1	2	2	2			
Tamil	491	274	217	30	24	31	13	17	11	12	7	8	15	10	17	18	15	4	16	12	20	24	27	22	35	14	17	12	10	8	9	6	2	2		
Moors	9	2	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Malays	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Total	758	388	370	48	47	38	25	10	13	14	27	19	25	13	18	7	10	26	34	32	31	31	46	23	19	20	16	13	12	7	4	4	—	—		
Northern.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Jaffna.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Europeans	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Burghers	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sinhalese	1798	923	875	128	107	81	66	44	37	32	43	30	32	28	50	34	28	21	30	34	36	106	82	57	80	58	77	64	51	48	37	20	13	4	4	
Tamil	25	7	18	2	3	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Moors	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Others	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total	1830	937	893	130	110	82	68	44	38	41	37	32	44	31	32	21	28	50	73	108	86	57	81	58	77	67	52	52	54	37	20	13	5	4	1	
Mannar.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burghers	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sinhalese	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tamil	231	136	95	12	9	4	6	10	7	9	8	2	4	3	4	1	2	3	7	10	11	19	16	11	19	6	11	4	6	3	5	2	—	—		
Moors	128	65	63	12	8	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Total	362	204	158	24	17	7	9	10	17	12	9	2	6	5	7	1	4	8	14	12	30	20	29	15	24	11	14	7	11	5	3	7	2	—	—	
Mullaitivu.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sinhalese	24	16	8	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tamil	177	102	75	16	8	7	5	9	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Moors	13	8	5	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Others	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total	217	129	88	21	8	7	5	6	3	1	4	1	1	1	4	1	3	6	17	16	10	4	19	6	11	3	5	5	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	

Table XIII. — Deaths of Males and Females at different Periods, &c. — continued.

Province, District, and Nationality.	ALL AGES.		AGES AT DEATH.																Age not stated.																				
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	1 year and under.		2 years and under.		3 years and under.		4 years and under.		5 years and under.		10 years and under.		15 years and under.		20 years and under.		25 years and under.		35 years and under.		45 years and under.		55 years and under.		65 years and under.		75 years and under.		85 years and under.		95 years and under.		100 years and upwards.			
				M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M		F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M
Patalani.	127	62	65																																				
Sinhalese ...	126	71	55																																				
Tamil ...	122	70	52																																				
Moors ...	2	1	1																																				
Others ...	378	206	172																																				
Chilaw.	348	178	169																																				
Sinhalese ...	70	40	30																																				
Tamil ...	16	7	9																																				
Moors ...	1	1	0																																				
Others ...	432	226	206																																				
North-Central.	682	347	335																																				
Auradhapura ...	124	75	49																																				
Sinhalese ...	75	37	38																																				
Tamil ...	5	3	2																																				
Moors ...	7	7	0																																				
Others ...	894	467	427																																				
Uva.	4	3	1																																				
Europeans ...	1228	626	602																																				
Sinhalese ...	326	188	148																																				
Tamil ...	37	29	8																																				
Moors ...	4	2	2																																				
Malays ...	4	2	2																																				
Others ...	1603	846	757																																				
Sabarasgamuwa.	914	456	458																																				
Europeans ...	188	111	77																																				
Sinhalese ...	15	9	6																																				
Moors ...	1	1	0																																				
Others ...	1121	579	542																																				
Kegalle.	951	453	498																																				
Sinhalese ...	331	165	166																																				
Tamil ...	45	22	23																																				
Moors ...	2	2	0																																				
Malays ...	1	1	0																																				
Others ...	1331	644	687																																				