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VITAL STATISTICS OF CEYLON.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL FOR THE THIRD QUARTER OF 1893.

I.—Population.

THE estimated population of the Island on the last day of the quarter was 3,131,892, an increase of nearly 5,000 on the previous quarter.

Table I. in the appendix gives the area and estimated population of each Province and district of the Island in the quarter.

Arrivals and Departures of Indian Coolies.—The arrivals of Indian coolies this quarter (22,267), though larger than the average number for the third quarter in the period 1887–90 (21,638), is far below the numbers for the corresponding quarter in the last two years, when the arrivals were respectively 33,278 (third quarter of 1891) and 46,625 (third quarter of 1892). The number of departures in the quarter, instead of showing a decrease proportionate to the fall in the arrivals, was larger than in the third quarter of any previous year since 1887, except 1892.

II.—Marriages.

Marriages.—The number of general marriages—i.e., marriages other than Kandyan or Mohammedan—registered in this quarter was 2,844, and of Kandyan marriages 1,528.

Table VII. in the appendix shows the marriages solemnized among the general community in every Province and district of the Island, the civil condition, nationality, the highest, lowest, and mean ages of the parties, the mode of solemnisation, the number of bridegrooms and brides who were unable to sign their names in the register, &c.

Table VIII. gives similar information in respect of Kandyans.

First Marriages; Re-marriages.—Of the 2,844 general marriages, 2,494 (equal to 88 per cent.) were between bachelors and spinsters, 57 between bachelors and widows, 245 between widowers and spinsters, 45 between widowers and widows, 3 between divorced men and spinsters. Of the 1,528 Kandyan marriages, 1,242 (equal to 81 per cent.) were between bachelors and spinsters, 59 between bachelors and widows, 148 between widowers and spinsters, 37 between widowers and widows, 22 between divorced men and spinsters, 3 between divorced men and widows, 12 between divorced women and bachelors, 2 between divorced women and widowers, and 3 between divorced men and divorced women.

Age at Marriage.—The mean age at marriage for the general community was 27.1 for males and 19.7 for females; and for Kandyans 28 for males and 21 for females.

Minors.—In the general community 8 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 74 per cent. of the brides were under 21, and amongst the Kandyans 12 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 63 per cent. of the brides were under 21.

Mixed Marriages.—There were 18 mixed marriages in the quarter: 4 between Europeans and Burghers, 6 between Burghers and Sinhalese, and 8 between Sinhalese and Tamils.

Signature in Marriage Register.—Of the 5,688 persons married among the general community this quarter, 450 men and 2,253 women signed the register with marks; that is to say, 77 per cent. of the men and 21 per cent. of the women were able to write their names. Of the 3,056 persons married among the Kandyans, 643 men and 1,463 women signed the register with marks; or, in other words, 58 per cent. of the men and 4 per cent. of the women were able to write their names.

III.—Births and Deaths.

Births.—The births registered in the quarter numbered 23,150, and were in the proportion of 30.4 to 1,000 persons living, as against 28.5, the average of the corresponding period for the ten years 1883–92, and 31.1, the rate in the third quarter of last year.

Deaths.—The deaths registered in the quarter amounted to 22,443, including 24 Europeans, 108 Burghers, 15,067 Sinhalese, 5,520 Tamils, 1,623 Moors, 63 Malays, and 38 others, and corresponded to an annual rate of 29.5 per 1,000, as against 23.7, the average of the corresponding period for the ten years 1883–92.

Province of Sabaragamuwa.—The mortality among the 220,610 Sinhalese estimated to be living in the Province of Sabaragamuwa at the beginning of the quarter was at the annual rate of 34.7, which, though still above the usual mortality of the Province, is a decline on the rates for the first and second quarters of this year.

The District of Kégalla, which suffered very severely during the last two quarters, chiefly from fever and want of wholesome food, shows this quarter an improvement, the death-rate falling to 34.9 from 39.0 and 48.0 per 1,000 in the first and second quarters respectively. The reduction in the death-rate is noticeable in every division of the district, but it was most marked in Kinigoda kóralé. In this kóralé the death-rate, which increased from 26.4 in the third quarter of last year to 34.6 in the fourth quarter, and from which to 58.7 and 63.5 in the first and second quarters of this year, fell to 43.1 this quarter. The Panawa kóralé division shows a still greater reduction in the death-rate from 55.3 in the last quarter to 22.2 this quarter.

Province of Uva.—The health of the Sinhalese population in the Province of Uva, which in the past two quarters (first quarter 39.5, second quarter 36.5) was better than usual, shows this quarter a still greater improvement, the death-rate being 31.7, as against a mean rate for the corresponding quarter in 1891-92 of 40.4 per 1,000. The improvement was general, and shared by every division of the district.

Northern Province.—The death-rate of the Tamils in the Northern Province, who are estimated at 309,643, was in the quarter the lowest for any Province in the Island, being at the annual rate of 18.7 per 1,000, a rate lower than the Northern Province showed in the corresponding period in 1891-92 (20.3), and in the preceding quarters of the year 23.3 (first quarter) and 21.9 (second quarter).

In the Jaffna District, which contains more than nine-tenths of the Tamils living in the Province, the death-rate for the quarter (17.7) was about the average for the period in 1891-92 (17.9). As usual, Valikámam East and North, in the Jaffna District, came next to Alutkúru Kóralé South, the healthiest division in the Island.

The improvement in health was mainly in the other districts of the Province, chiefly in Mannár, where the death-rate (19.3) fell exactly by half from a mean rate for the period in 1891-92 of 38.6.

In the Mullaitivu District the rate was slightly higher, being 56.6 this quarter, as against a mean rate of 49.5 in the third quarter of 1891-92, while in the Vavuniya District the rate fell from 47.7 to 26.7.

Eastern Province.—In the Eastern Province the health of the population this quarter was below the average. The death-rate of the Tamils living in the Batticaloa District was 29.7, which, though the same as the rate for the corresponding quarter of last year, exceeded the rate for the period in 1891 (26.0). But it is among the Mohammedans of this district that the death-rate was much heavier than usual, which accounts for the high death-rate of the Province in the quarter. The rate was 34.5, as against a mean rate for the third quarter in 1891-92 of 27.3, and 21.2, and 18.1 respectively in the first and second quarters of this year. In the Trincomalee District the death-rate was about the average.

V.—Causes of Death.

The causes of death registered in the Island during the quarter are given in detail in Table XI. in the appendix. They may be summarised as follows:—

TABLE B.

District.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Fever.	Dysentery and Diarrhoea.	Violence.				All other Causes.	Total.
					Accidents.	Homicide.	Suicide.	Execution.		
CEYLON ...	137	3	6,132	6,197	400	19	32	2	9,516	22,438
Colombo ...	21	2	631	562	57	1	6	—	1,201	2,481
Negombo ...	10	—	349	137	11	2	2	—	390	901
Kalutara ...	8	—	239	258	25	1	6	—	427	964
Kandy ...	5	—	277	967	43	4	2	2	956	2,286
Mátalé ...	5	—	225	315	11	—	—	—	344	900
Nuwara Eliya ...	1	—	52	419	20	1	1	—	391	885
Jaffna ...	—	—	557	133	22	—	4	—	645	1,361
Mannár ...	—	—	22	21	1	—	—	—	67	111
Mullaitivu ...	—	—	39	15	—	—	—	—	46	100
Vavuniya ...	—	—	22	4	1	—	—	—	25	52
Galle ...	5	—	329	677	45	1	3	—	830	1,890
Mátara ...	—	—	263	656	21	1	1	—	439	1,381
Hambantota ...	—	—	254	152	17	2	—	—	186	611
Batticaloa ...	—	—	450	125	21	—	—	—	429	1,025
Trincomalee ...	—	—	56	22	1	—	—	—	75	154
Kurunégala ...	41	—	1,034	347	29	2	1	—	973	2,427
Puttalam ...	1	—	85	35	2	—	—	—	111	234
Chilaw ...	8	—	158	61	5	1	—	—	166	399
Anurádhapura ...	2	—	250	86	3	—	—	—	255	596
Badulla ...	6	—	309	465	13	2	2	—	546	1,283
Ratnapura ...	4	—	167	331	21	1	3	—	428	955
Kégalla ...	29	1	364	439	31	—	1	—	586	1,442

Fever and Diarrhoeal Diseases.—Of the 22,438 deaths registered in the quarter, 6,132 were reported due to various forms of fever and 6,334 to diarrhoeal diseases, i.e., fever contributed 27 per cent. and diarrhoeal diseases 28 per cent. of the total deaths from all causes. Under the head "Diarrhoeal Diseases" is included Cholera, which accounted for 137 deaths, and to which cause probably many deaths, really due to acute diarrhoea, have been attributed.

Smallpox accounts for 3 deaths this quarter, (2 in Colombo and the other in Kégalla) and measles 50 (Jaffna 22, Colombo, Galle, and Kurunégala 6 in each).

The other chief natural causes of death were infantile convulsion 1,474, phthisis 663, general dropsy 600, debility 589, worms 558, mæmia 554, pneumonia 325, old age 323, puerperal convulsion 315, thrush 165, rheumatism 155, ulcer 51, bronchitis 125, serofula 96 (of which 49 in Kurunégala), premature birth 94 (of which 52 in Badulla), starvation and want of breast milk 91 (of which 36 in Kandy, 28 in Badulla), asthma 89, doehmius duodenalis 64 (of which 25 in Badulla, 22 in Kandy), parangi 58 (of which 35 in Kurunégala).

Deaths by Violence.—Of the 453 deaths attributed to these causes, 106 are attributed to fall from trees, 84 to drowning, 40 to snake-bite, 31 to burns and scalds, 27 to injury at birth, 13 to gunshot wounds, 10 to fall of heavy substances, 4 to wasp stings, 3 to crocodiles, 1 to elephant, 1 to buffalo, 4 to sunstroke, 1 to lightning, 4 to being run over by carts, and 2 to being run over by railway trains. 32 deaths are attributed to suicide (20 by hanging, 5 by poison, 4 by gunshot wounds, 1 by cut or stab wound, 1 by drowning, and 1 by other and undefined means).

19 deaths were attributed to murder and other forms of homicide (Kandy 4, Negombo, Hambantota, Kurunégala, and Badulla 2 in each, Colombo, Kalutara, Nuwara Eliya, Galle, Mátara, Chilaw, and Ratnapura, 1 in each).

Two men were judicially executed this quarter.

VI.—Health of the Estate Population.

The total number of births reported for registration this quarter from the estates in the Central and Uva Provinces was 1,299 (of which 11 were Europeans, 2 Burghers, 14 Sinhalese, 1,269 Tamils, 1 Moor, 1 Malay, and 1 other), and the total number of deaths was 1,906 (of which 3 were Europeans, 7 Sinhalese, 1,893 Tamils, 1 Moor, and 2 Malays), corresponding respectively to an annual rate of 24.0 and 35.2 per 1,000. The causes of deaths are given in detail in Table XII., and may be summarized as follows:—

Fever	...	...	100	Dochmius Duodenalis (Anchyllostomiasis)	38
Diarrhoea	...	...	370	Bronchitis	39
Dysentery	...	...	497	Pneumonia	94
Want of Breast Milk	...	...	37	Diseases of Parturition	33
Old Age	...	...	49	Debility	284
Infantile Convulsion	...	...	60	Other Causes	355

The subjoined table gives the birth- and death-rates among the estate labourers in each district of the Central and Uva Provinces:—

TABLE C.

District.	Population at the Census of 1891.	Birth-rate.				Death-rate.			
		1891.		1892.		1891.		1892.	
		Third Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.
Kandy	91,775	29.1	29.8	25.8	23.4	26.2	29.4	39.8	38.5
Mátalé	14,342	19.1	28.8	26.0	24.3	28.2	33.6	38.0	42.6
Nuwara Eliya	61,836	17.2	27.3	26.9	27.8	14.8	31.5	35.2	38.3
Badulla	29,967	23.6	27.3	27.7	27.3	22.8	33.7	26.6	33.2

Kandy District.—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kandy District was 558, of which 5 were Europeans, 10 Sinhalese, 541 Tamils, and 1 Malay; and the deaths numbered 899, of which 891 were Tamils, 4 Sinhalese, 2 Europeans, and 2 Malays. The Tamil birth-rate in the quarter was equal to 23.4, against a mean rate of 29.4 in the corresponding period of 1891-92, and the Tamil death-rate was equal to 38.5, as against a mean rate of 27.8 in the third quarter of 1891-92. As usual the most fatal cause was diarrhoeal diseases, which caused 414 deaths (216 from diarrhoea and 198 from dysentery), or nearly 46 per cent. of the total number of deaths (899). The other chief causes of death were debility 99, including mostly deaths of infants from inability to suck milk, fever 54, infantile convulsion 34, pneumonia 34, general dropsy 31, starvation and want of breast milk 24, old age 22, dochmius duodenalis 18, bronchitis 15.

Mátalé District.—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Mátalé District was 91 (of which 88 were Tamils, 1 European, 1 Sinhalese, and 1 of other nationality), and the deaths numbered 156 (of which 154 were Tamils and 2 Sinhalese), and corresponded to an annual birth-rate of 24.3 (against a mean rate of 23.9 in the corresponding period of 1891-92) and a death-rate of 42.6 (against a mean rate of 30.9 in the third quarter of 1891-92) respectively. Dysentery and diarrhoea caused 72 deaths, i.e., 46 per cent. of the total number of deaths (156), fever caused 17, debility 11 (mostly of infants from inability to suck milk), pneumonia 10, bronchitis 6, general dropsy 5, want of breast milk 4, old age 4, and infantile convulsion 4.

Nuwara Eliya District.—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Nuwara Eliya District was 440 (3 Europeans, 1 Burgher, 2 Sinhalese, and 434 Tamils), and the deaths numbered 599 (1 European, 597 Tamils, and 1 Moor), and corresponded to an annual birth-rate of 27.8 (against a mean rate of 22.2 in the corresponding quarter of 1891-92), and a death-rate of 38.3 (against a mean rate of 23.1 in the third quarter of 1891-92) respectively. Dysentery and diarrhoea were fatal in 293 cases, or nearly 49 per cent. of the total deaths (599). 92 are attributed to debility (mostly of infants from inability to suck milk), 33 to pneumonia, 26 to fever, 24 to general dropsy, 16 to old age, 16 to influenza, 10 to bronchitis, 10 to infantile convulsion, 9 to burns and scalds and 7 to child-birth.

Badulla District.—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Badulla District was 210 (1 European, 1 Burgher, 1 Sinhalese, 1 Moor, and 206 Tamils), and the deaths numbered 252 (1 Sinhalese and 251 Tamils), and corresponded to an annual birth-rate of 27.3 (against a mean rate of 26.9 in the corresponding period of 1891-92), and a death-rate of 33.2 (against a mean rate of 28.2 in the third quarter of 1891-92), respectively. Dysentery and diarrhoea were fatal in 88 cases, or nearly 35 per cent. of the total deaths (252), debility in 32 (mostly of infants from inability to suck milk), dochmius duodenalis in 18, pneumonia in 17, infantile convulsion in 12.

VII.—Health of the Town of Colombo.

The deaths recorded in the town of Colombo this quarter and the last two preceding quarters largely exceed the numbers for any previous quarter since 1887, when the vital statistics of the town were first collected. This is due, as explained in my last report, to the improved system of registration of deaths in force in the town from the beginning of the year.

There were no deaths in the quarter from cholera or smallpox. Dysentery and diarrhoea were fatal to 263 (267 in the previous quarter), infantile convulsions to 111 (140 in the previous quarter), fever to 163 (233 in the previous quarter), malarial cachexia to 24 (17 in the previous quarter), phthisis to 90 (88 in the previous quarter), bronchitis and pneumonia to 26 (63 in the previous quarter), childbirth to 7 (18 in the previous quarter), premature birth to 10 (3 in the previous quarter), debility to 59 (41 in the previous quarter), old age to 25 (23 in the previous quarter), anchylostomiasis to 4 (10 in the previous quarter). Measles was fatal to 3, whooping cough to 2, and influenza to 4.

There were 31 accidental deaths this quarter, of which 15 (10 in St. Paul's Ward) were attributed to injury at birth, 3 to drowning, 3 to being run over by railway and other carriages, 2 to fall of heavy substances, 1 to gun-shot wound, 1 to burns, 1 to being tossed by a bull, and 5 to other causes.

One death resulted from homicide.

The town population of Colombo comprises different nationalities, who are found in every ward or division of the town in varying proportions as to sex and age. The race, sex, and age distribution of the population of the different wards not being known, their true sanitary condition cannot be ascertained. The only means now available is to correct the death rates of the wards by the birth-rates, and by the race and sex distribution as found at the last Census, and which was as follows:—

Wards.	Population at Census, 1891.		Population in every 100 living.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Fort	1,405	125	92	8
Kollupitiya	7,570	5,879	56	44
Kotahena	14,798	13,137	53	47
Maradana	12,665	10,897	53	47
New Bazaar	7,705	6,796	53	47
Pettah	5,806	2,155	73	27
Slave Island	7,682	5,940	56	44
St. Paul's	9,601	6,721	59	41
St. Sebastian	4,452	3,491	56	44

The preponderance of males over females, though noticeable all over the town, varies in the different wards. It is greatest in those divisions of the town inhabited by immigrants, who are for the most part adults. The age constitution of a population, which contains a large proportion of adults is more favourable towards producing a low death-rate than a population in which the proportion of the sexes is more or less equal.

The lowest death-rate in the town this quarter was in the Pettah Ward (15.9). But the rate for this ward is untrustworthy for purposes of comparison, as it comprises for the most part a male population, mainly adults, and less stationary than in any other ward of the town. Omitting this and the Fort Ward, of which the population consists of only the residents in the hotels and the workmen employed in the harbour, the death-rate is lowest in the Kollupitiya Ward being 20.9 per 1,000. Next in point of health comes the Maradana Ward. Here the death-rate 27.3, though not the next lowest, is lower than the birth-rate (30.5), which can be said of no other ward in the town. The healthiness of these two wards (which cover more than half the area of the town), is due to the population being less dense than in the other wards, and to the fact that in these two wards reside the wealthier classes. The Kotahena Ward comes next (excluding St. Paul's Ward, where, as in Pettah, the population is more or less a floating one, and contains an undue proportion of male adults) with a death-rate of 25.6. The density of this ward is almost the same as that of Maradana, but some parts of it are thickly populated, principally by fishermen, which probably tends to lower the sanitary condition of this ward. Then comes the New Bazaar and St. Sebastian Wards, and last comes the Slave Island Ward with a death-rate of 38.4, the highest in any division of the town.

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APPENDIX.

Table I.—Area, Estimated Population, Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in the Third Quarter of 1893.

Province and District.	Area in Square Miles.	Population, July 1, 1893.*	MARRIAGES.			BIRTHS.				DEATHS.			
			Total.	General.	Kandyan.	Total.	Legitimate.		Illegitimate.†		Total.	Males.	Females.
							Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.			
CEYLON	25,364	3,024,620	4,372	2,844	1,528	23,150	8,420	7,737	3,572	3,421	22,443	11,716	10,727
Western	1,371	776,292	1,154	1,154	—	5,467	2,576	2,325	329	237	4,346	2,292	2,054
Central	2,239	473,748	905	91	814	3,346	1,168	1,081	540	557	4,071	2,188	1,883
Northern	3,171	323,372	576	573	3	2,607	840	760	526	481	1,624	840	784
Southern	1,980	491,582	723	723	—	4,689	1,489	1,379	631	590	3,882	1,890	1,992
Eastern	3,657	149,812	108	106	2	1,590	372	354	434	430	1,179	658	521
North-Western	3,024	317,146	348	156	192	2,262	798	721	377	366	3,060	1,597	1,463
North-Central	4,047	74,387	36	3	33	641	150	113	193	185	596	309	287
Uva	3,790	159,476	268	17	251	1,511	450	429	306	326	1,283	694	589
Sabaragamuwa	2,085	258,805	254	21	233	1,637	577	575	236	249	2,402	1,248	1,154
Western.													
Colombo	542	453,270	676	676	—	2,877	1,357	1,225	163	132	2,481	1,351	1,130
Negombo	248	136,262	209	209	—	1,316	559	545	133	79	901	475	426
Kalutara	581	186,760	269	259	—	1,274	660	555	33	26	964	466	498
Central.													
Kandy	904	287,662	148	44	104	1,854	617	576	320	341	2,286	1,248	1,038
Mátalé	982	76,158	184	21	163	673	208	206	134	125	900	458	442
Nuwara Eliya	353	109,928	573	26	547	819	343	299	86	91	885	482	403
Northern.													
Jaffna	875	284,631	505	505	—	2,262	720	613	484	445	1,361	708	653
Mannár	431	23,689	41	41	—	208	87	113	6	2	111	55	56
Mullaittivu	927	7,263	15	15	—	61	15	16	13	17	100	53	47
Vavuniya	937	7,849	15	12	3	76	18	18	23	17	52	24	28
Southern.													
Galle	537	225,923	317	317	—	1,758	784	729	115	130	1,890	879	1,011
Mátara	548	178,230	254	254	—	1,457	515	455	251	236	1,381	688	693
Hambantota	896	87,429	152	152	—	874	190	195	265	224	611	32	288
Eastern.													
Batticaloa	2,595	124,253	80	79	1	1,369	289	284	393	403	1,025	576	449
Trincomalee	1,062	25,559	28	27	1	221	83	70	41	27	154	82	72
North-Western.													
Kurunégala	1,840	227,335	217	39	178	1,648	547	485	305	311	2,427	1,253	1,174
Puttalam	1,184	26,198	36	22	14	187	75	77	23	12	234	132	102
Chilaw		63,613	95	95	—	427	176	159	49	43	399	212	187
North-Central.													
Anurádhapura	4,047	74,387	36	3	33	641	150	113	193	185	596	309	287
Uva.													
Badulla	3,790	159,476	268	17	251	1,511	450	429	306	326	1,283	694	589
Sabaragamuwa.													
Ratnapura	1,434	107,707	134	11	123	846	346	338	70	92	960	498	462
Kégalla	651	151,098	120	10	110	791	231	237	166	157	1,442	750	692

* The estimate of the population is based on the Census of February 26, 1891, and the subsequent returns of Births and Deaths.

† "Illegitimate" means here the issue of an unregistered union, not necessarily a bastard. A large number of people who marry are content with the customary or religious ceremonies, and do not think it necessary to comply with the requirements of modern legislation, which is itself rather uncertain as to what constitutes a legal marriage.

Table II.—Birth and Death Rates in the Third Quarter of 1892, the First, Second, and Third Quarters of 1893, and the Average Rate for the Third Quarter in the years 1883-92.

Province and District	Birth-rate per 1,000 per Annum.					Death-rate per 1,000 per Annum.				
	Average of Ten previous Third Quarters 1883-1892.	Third Quarter of 1892.	First Quarter of 1893.	Second Quarter of 1893.	Third Quarter of 1893.	Average of Ten previous Third Quarters 1883-1892.	Third Quarter of 1892.	First Quarter of 1893.	Second Quarter of 1893.	Third Quarter of 1893.
CEYLON ...	28.5	31.1	32.6	31.7	30.4	23.7	24.0	34.5	33.7	29.5
Western ...	25.1	33.7	31.1	29.3	27.9	17.9	17.8	23.5	28.7	22.2
Central ...	27.3	29.5	36.0	30.0	28.1	25.8	30.0	35.0	36.6	34.2
Northern ...	30.4	29.8	31.1	33.4	31.9	19.9	20.8	24.5	23.1	19.8
Southern ...	26.9	28.1	32.4	36.9	32.9	22.4	22.0	32.4	29.6	31.3
Eastern ...	39.6	35.9	38.0	43.8	41.9	25.0	28.2	29.3	33.7	31.1
North-Western ...	33.5	30.4	39.3	32.5	28.6	32.1	25.1	63.2	47.5	38.7
North-Central ...	36.1	32.7	29.7	31.2	34.5	30.7	39.6	50.2	41.9	32.0
Uva ...	32.3	38.5	39.7	45.0	37.5	32.2	32.7	37.1	34.0	31.8
Sabaragamuwa ...	24.5	26.0	29.9	26.0	25.3	25.8	25.1	39.0	45.0	37.1
Western.										
Colombo ...	23.0	37.3	27.0	25.5	25.2	16.7	18.0	22.1	28.8	21.7
Negombo ...	33.6	34.8	45.7	40.5	38.2	19.4	15.0	29.8	38.9	26.1
Kalutara ...	34.1	24.4	30.4	30.3	26.9	19.6	19.5	22.1	21.2	20.4
Central.										
Kandy ...	26.4	28.7	28.2	27.5	25.6	25.9	27.6	32.9	35.1	31.6
Matalé ...	31.8	32.0	43.0	36.3	35.3	32.9	35.6	58.7	48.5	47.2
Nuwara Eliya ...	26.4	29.6	25.7	32.4	29.5	21.5	32.3	23.9	32.1	31.9
Northern.										
Jaffna ...	30.1	29.9	30.7	32.9	31.4	18.1	18.3	22.4	21.5	18.0
Mannár ...	33.3	26.3	33.4	36.6	34.8	30.1	32.9	34.7	29.6	18.6
Mullaittivu ...	32.0	37.0	43.3	46.4	33.8	38.4	32.1	59.1	57.0	55.4
Vavuniya ...	30.8	32.6	28.9	31.2	38.5	36.2	65.2	36.7	29.2	26.3
Southern.										
Galle ...	25.7	29.6	34.3	37.7	30.8	23.1	23.5	30.4	31.2	33.1
Mátara ...	26.7	24.8	29.2	31.2	32.4	21.3	20.8	26.3	27.2	30.7
Hambantota ...	30.7	31.2	34.0	46.3	39.7	22.9	20.3	49.8	30.4	27.7
Eastern.										
Batticaloa ...	41.3	37.0	39.4	45.5	43.5	24.9	28.3	29.1	34.0	32.6
Trincomalee ...	31.6	30.4	30.9	35.9	34.3	25.5	27.6	30.3	32.3	23.9
North-Western.										
Kurunégala ...	35.9	31.2	41.4	32.7	29.2	36.3	27.8	80.9	53.0	43.0
Puttalam ...	31.3	28.4	34.7	36.9	28.5	17.8	28.9	56.5	44.2	35.7
Chilaw ...	25.6	28.2	33.4	29.9	26.6	17.1	14.0	27.6	29.5	24.8
North-Central.										
Anurádhapura ...	36.1	32.7	29.7	31.2	34.5	30.7	39.6	50.2	41.9	32.0
Province of Uva.										
Badulla ...	32.3	38.5	39.7	45.0	37.5	32.2	32.7	37.1	34.0	31.8
Province of Sabaragamuwa										
Ratnapura ...	28.1	31.7	36.3	32.2	31.2	28.4	28.3	38.0	37.9	35.4
Kégalla ...	21.7	22.0	25.2	21.5	21.0	23.9	22.8	39.8	50.0	38.3

Table III.—Sinhalese Births and Deaths, with the Birth-rate and Death-rate for all Ages and for Infants.

Province, District, and Division.	Population at the Census of 1891.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate.			Death-rate.			Deaths of Children under 1 year to 1,000 Births in the Third Quarter of 1893.
				Third Quarter.			Third Quarter.			
				1891.	1892.	1893.	1891.	1892.	1893.	
CEYLON	2,042,387	15,863	15,067	29·4	32·1	30·6	27·2	22·5	29·0	151
WESTERN PROVINCE.	647,614	4,544	3,340	26·3	35·2	27·2	16·6	16·7	20·0	98
<i>Colombo District</i>	365,735	2,410	1,827	24·4	41·5	25·4	15·0	17·0	19·3	76
Colombo Municipality	59,962	234	473	13·1	14·7	15·5	15·4	17·2	31·3	436
Alutkuru Koralé South	56,762	319	173	24·2	22·8	21·7	11·4	9·8	11·8	44
Héwágam Koralé	52,505	511	327	34·1	55·6	37·2	22·2	22·3	23·8	86
Salpiṭi Koralé	79,007	566	296	29·0	33·4	27·7	15·7	19·0	14·5	69
Siyané Koralé	117,499	780	558	22·8	63·1	25·6	12·9	16·6	18·2	37
<i>Negombo District</i>	116,310	1,001	691	29·9	30·6	33·3	20·1	13·7	23·0	123
Negombo Local Board	10,927	174	119	42·9	63·0	61·2	35·4	33·7	41·8	178
Alutkuru Koralé North	78,891	580	373	28·3	26·1	28·4	16·8	11·2	18·3	102
Hápiṭigam Koralé	26,492	247	199	29·3	30·8	36·4	23·5	12·9	29·3	134
<i>Kalutara District</i>	165,569	1,133	822	27·9	24·6	26·5	17·8	18·0	19·2	85
Kalutara Local Board	8,445	66	52	22·9	20·1	30·7	21·5	22·9	24·2	61
Kalutara Totamuna	63,156	453	291	28·5	23·7	27·7	18·8	18·5	17·8	68
Pasdun Koralé	36,658	206	198	28·7	27·3	21·9	19·5	20·2	21·0	136
Rayigam Koralé	57,310	408	281	27·4	24·3	27·5	15·0	15·4	19·0	81
CENTRAL PROVINCE.	248,381	2,073	2,040	32·4	29·1	32·9	33·1	27·4	32·4	185
<i>Kandy District</i>	157,056	1,184	1,176	27·9	31·1	29·8	27·8	24·8	29·6	157
Kandy Municipality	9,704	35	60	12·7	12·9	14·7	20·5	27·8	25·1	200
Hárispattu	25,201	191	223	28·8	35·7	30·0	29·9	25·6	35·0	178
Páta Dumbara	25,433	236	182	25·4	32·6	31·5	22·3	24·0	24·3	119
Páta Héwáheta	11,764	111	83	34·9	38·8	36·6	25·5	22·1	29·0	189
Tumpané	10,975	50	109	33·5	33·7	25·9	40·8	27·8	40·4	314
Uḍa Bulatgama	10,521	45	49	20·0	16·7	17·0	18·5	14·0	18·5	222
Uḍa Dumbara	18,432	191	139	31·1	36·8	40·6	33·3	26·7	29·5	63
Uḍu Nuwara	10,928	119	90	43·3	31·5	42·4	31·0	26·5	32·1	176
Uḍa Paláta	16,640	99	125	22·3	25·1	23·7	24·7	17·9	29·9	71
Yaṭinuwara	13,458	87	111	28·0	33·4	25·8	33·4	35·8	32·9	276
<i>Mátalé District</i>	52,734	531	634	45·5	35·5	40·0	36·6	47·8	273	273
Mátalé Local Board	1,753	9	24	25·1	18·5	21·1	75·2	56·2	111	111
Mátalé South	22,858	216	287	43·4	35·2	37·4	35·3	49·8	259	259
Mátalé East	13,090	135	148	39·0	37·7	40·7	34·7	44·6	311	311
Mátalé North	15,033	171	175	56·7	35·9	45·6	35·7	46·7	269	269
<i>Nuwara Eliya District</i>	38,591	358	230	32·9	37·9	35·8	25·0	26·6	23·0	145
Nuwara Eliya Local Board and outside	1,317	11	6	12·0	15·0	32·9	9·0	17·9	18·0	91
Kotmalé	12,854	89	75	28·6	30·6	27·1	21·5	20·5	22·9	191
Uḍa Héwáheta	14,745	154	82	34·6	39·3	40·4	25·0	31·6	21·5	104
Walapané	9,675	104	67	38·7	48·4	40·6	27·7	28·4	26·2	173
SOUTHERN PROVINCE.	464,414	3,842	3,519	27·6	27·2	32·6	27·7	20·5	29·9	125
<i>Galle District</i>	208,764	1,585	1,628	30·2	27·1	29·6	22·0	20·5	30·4	132
Galle Municipality	23,914	143	174	35·2	32·2	23·2	21·3	20·8	28·2	119
Four Gravets beyond Municipal limits and										
Akmánana	17,288	103	101	24·9	24·7	23·1	18·1	14·1	22·7	97
Gangaboda Pattuwa	26,055	217	228	35·4	26·1	32·1	21·7	18·0	33·8	74
Wellaboda Pattuwa	54,676	419	416	26·3	25·2	30·0	21·0	20·9	29·7	138
Talpe Pattuwa	45,189	369	365	31·2	29·9	31·8	24·7	22·0	31·4	136
Walalláwiṭi Koralé	36,034	284	282	28·6	24·8	30·9	22·6	20·4	30·7	180
Hinidum Pattuwa	5,608	50	62	43·1	26·0	34·9	21·2	33·1	43·3	160
<i>Mátara District</i>	169,688	1,403	1,298	27·3	25·3	32·6	32·0	20·5	30·2	110
Mátara Local Board	6,909	54	73	30·3	26·9	30·6	31·4	26·3	41·4	74
Four Gravets beyond Local Board limits	14,944	135	136	25·7	24·0	35·2	21·7	18·4	35·5	111
Wellaboda Pattuwa	37,122	323	297	34·7	29·3	33·9	32·3	18·8	31·2	127
Welligam Koralé	43,962	370	329	26·9	29·5	32·7	25·3	20·9	29·1	114
Morawak Koralé	13,831	88	100	30·2	23·5	25·6	34·8	29·4	29·1	170
Kandaboda Pattuwa	21,990	167	141	19·3	19·2	30·9	48·0	22·2	26·1	66
Gangaboda Pattuwa	30,930	266	222	23·3	20·0	34·4	34·0	16·5	28·7	102

Table III.—continued.

Province, District, and Division.	Population at the Census of 1891.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate.			Death-rate.			Deaths of Children under 1 year to 1,000 Births in the Third Quarter of 1893.
				Third Quarter.			Third Quarter.			
				1891.	1892.	1893.	1891.	1892.	1893.	
<i>Hambantota District</i> ...	85,962	854	593	21·4	31·4	40·3	33·2	20·5	28·0	137
<i>Hambantota, Four Gravets</i> ...	1,043	10	6	19·1	27·5	39·2	72·6	31·4	23·5	200
<i>Mágam Pattuwá (exclusive of Four Gravets)</i> ...	4,896	46	47	25·4	39·1	33·8	40·9	28·9	39·6	130
<i>Giruwá Pattu East</i> ...	10,678	101	73	22·1	42·5	38·2	24·4	23·5	27·6	99
<i>Giruwá Pattu West</i> ...	69,345	697	467	21·1	29·2	40·7	33·4	19·3	27·3	142
NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.	376,390	2,045	2,709	30·9	31·3	29·9	41·6	25·1	39·6	218
<i>Kurunégala District</i> ...	212,760	1,581	2,270	32·7	31·9	30·3	47·0	27·9	43·4	240
<i>Kurunégala Local Board</i> ...	2,683	15	68	22·7	23·8	25·7	80·0	41·3	116·5	—
<i>Dambadeniya Hatpattu</i> ...	37,274	282	460	41·1	40·4	30·8	47·7	31·6	50·2	294
<i>Déwamedhi do.</i> ...	30,931	270	381	33·0	36·2	35·4	52·4	26·1	50·0	330
<i>Hiriya do.</i> ...	27,466	200	302	40·6	36·1	29·7	53·9	32·7	44·8	230
<i>Kaṭugampola do.</i> ...	44,577	218	396	22·0	20·8	19·7	35·3	19·1	35·9	183
<i>Wanni do.</i> ...	34,755	328	307	32·1	32·1	33·5	43·2	32·8	36·0	171
<i>Wéudawili do.</i> ...	35,074	268	356	32·6	30·4	31·2	52·6	27·3	41·5	246
<i>Chilaw District</i> ...	53,508	376	337	22·7	28·9	27·5	20·8	12·7	24·7	112
<i>Chilaw Town</i> ...	2,170	15	9	14·6	29·3	27·2	14·6	16·5	16·3	133
<i>Piṭigal Kóralé North</i> ...	6,068	44	58	21·7	33·8	29·1	37·5	25·8	38·4	67
<i>Piṭigal Kóralé South</i> ...	45,270	317	270	23·2	28·3	27·3	18·9	11·4	23·3	107
NORTH-CENTRAL PROVINCE.	59,875	567	498	48·6	34·9	38·1	28·3	41·2	33·5	152
<i>Anurádhapura District</i> ...	59,875	567	498	48·6	34·9	38·1	28·3	41·2	33·5	152
<i>Anurádhapura Town</i> ...	921	4	13	30·7	26·7	18·2	35·1	48·9	59·0	250
<i>Nuwaragam Paláta</i> ...	24,810	265	228	51·9	37·7	42·5	29·2	40·1	36·6	170
<i>Hurulu Paláta</i> ...	19,030	199	135	49·6	35·3	42·1	25·9	44·1	28·5	141
<i>Kelégam Paláta</i> ...	13,484	78	100	40·2	28·9	23·8	28·8	39·7	30·5	77
<i>Tamankaduwa Paláta</i> ...	1,630	21	22	65·5	38·8	51·2	36·4	31·6	53·6	286
PROVINCE OF UVA.	114,414	1,232	923	43·5	43·4	42·3	47·1	33·8	31·7	184
<i>Badulla District</i> ...	114,414	1,232	923	43·5	43·4	42·3	47·1	33·8	31·7	184
<i>Badulla Local Board</i> ...	3,035	26	30	26·1	45·8	34·7	121·3	31·0	40·1	115
<i>Yaṭikinda Division</i> ...	18,817	259	147	47·5	44·5	53·3	48·4	30·7	30·3	189
<i>Bintenna do.</i> ...	8,657	82	96	37·7	47·2	37·9	68·3	34·7	44·4	317
<i>Buttala do.</i> ...	14,662	138	128	38·6	39·9	38·2	51·1	44·7	35·4	159
<i>Wellawáya do.</i> ...	7,772	52	70	35·1	42·1	27·9	55·3	30·2	37·0	231
<i>Uḍukinda do.</i> ...	26,361	292	158	46·5	40·8	42·3	30·2	30·7	22·9	175
<i>Wellassa do.</i> ...	19,882	262	183	45·4	38·0	50·0	48·2	39·0	36·3	171
<i>Wiyaluwa do.</i> ...	15,228	131	111	46·4	55·1	33·2	39·1	27·9	28·1	160
PROV. OF SABARAGAMUWA	221,010	1,485	1,930	24·9	27·6	26·7	26·4	24·7	34·7	197
<i>Ratnapura District</i> ...	98,934	784	856	26·2	32·4	31·5	27·7	28·1	34·2	222
<i>Ratnapura Local Board</i> ...	2,865	15	39	26·3	35·8	20·7	13·8	17·9	58·9	400
<i>Kuruwiti Kóralé</i> ...	22,677	160	194	20·6	32·9	27·8	25·9	22·0	33·8	156
<i>Nawadun do.</i> ...	21,823	136	186	26·1	30·5	24·6	32·1	28·3	33·7	235
<i>Atakalan do.</i> ...	15,607	104	145	29·3	28·6	26·9	29·3	35·1	37·5	330
<i>Kaḍawata do.</i> ...	8,648	100	59	24·4	42·4	45·4	15·7	29·0	26·8	120
<i>Kolonná do.</i> ...	9,616	76	60	25·0	26·2	32·1	28·3	23·7	25·4	184
<i>Kukulu do.</i> ...	6,370	60	67	27·3	34·3	37·3	27·3	33·1	41·6	283
<i>Meḍa do.</i> ...	11,328	133	106	35·2	36·4	47·2	63·4	33·5	37·6	256
<i>Kégalla District</i> ...	122,076	701	1,074	23·9	23·6	22·8	25·3	21·9	34·9	171
<i>Beligal Kóralé</i> ...	33,396	171	273	24·0	25·1	20·2	21·1	17·5	32·2	129
<i>Galboḍa do.</i> ...	17,939	116	163	22·1	27·4	25·8	27·8	28·5	36·2	155
<i>Kinigoḍa do.</i> ...	14,606	113	157	27·4	23·7	31·0	36·4	26·4	43·1	239
<i>Paranakúru do.</i> ...	22,878	123	228	28·4	23·2	21·4	29·3	24·5	39·7	146
<i>Aḷugam do.</i> ...	8,889	32	80	17·8	21·9	14·5	26·7	29·1	36·2	187
<i>Dehigampal do.</i> ...	12,114	68	90	19·6	21·2	22·1	20·6	15·0	29·3	103
<i>Panáwal do.</i> ...	5,167	41	29	23·8	23·6	31·4	18·4	25·1	22·2	171
<i>Lower Bulatgama</i> ...	7,087	37	54	21·2	15·0	20·5	14·5	8·4	29·9	108

* No infantile deaths were recorded this quarter.

Table IV.—Tamil Births and Deaths, with the Birth-rate and Death-rate for all Ages and for Infants in Tamil Districts.

Province, District, and Division.	Population at the Census of 1891.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate.			Death-rate.			Deaths of Children under 1 year to 1,000 Births in the Third Quarter of 1893.
				Third Quarter.			Third Quarter.			
				1891.	1892.	1893.	1891.	1892.	1893.	
NORTHERN PROVINCE.	304,355	2,369	1,463	30.7	29.3	30.4	21.0	19.6	18.7	131
<i>Jaffna District</i> ...	275,227	2,135	1,254	31.0	29.3	30.1	18.2	17.7	17.7	128
<i>Jaffna Division</i> ...	39,480	269	170	36.1	32.9	26.3	19.9	17.7	16.6	186
<i>Valikámam East</i> ...	21,184	186	100	33.9	37.7	33.4	18.8	17.6	17.9	129
<i>Valikámam North</i> ...	40,407	337	169	36.4	26.9	31.8	12.8	12.7	16.0	122
<i>Valikámam West</i> ...	42,658	352	154	35.3	29.1	31.5	14.7	16.3	13.8	119
<i>Vadamaradchi</i> ...	49,853	347	248	28.0	26.0	27.1	19.9	18.2	19.4	115
<i>Tenmaradchi</i> ...	37,857	209	185	16.8	24.9	22.4	27.2	23.5	19.8	110
<i>Pachehilaippalli</i> ...	5,746	25	29	25.6*	45.8	17.7	23.6	48.6	20.5	40
<i>Karaichechi</i> ...	1,782	2	3	6.7	9.0	4.5	4.5	18.1	6.8	—*
<i>Punakari</i> ...	4,714	45	48	22.8	28.7	37.7	16.0	15.2	40.2	178
<i>Islands</i> ...	31,546	363	148	34.8	31.2	44.0	14.6	13.6	17.9	124
<i>Mannar District</i> ...	16,098	121	75	32.9	26.3	31.2	43.5	33.8	19.3	91
<i>Mannar Islands Division</i> ...	6,127	62	40	32.2	27.5	42.7	37.9	39.2	27.5	65
<i>Mantai Division</i> ...	4,369	32	19	34.8	16.1	30.4	59.6	26.5	18.0	94
<i>Nanaddan Division</i> ...	5,602	27	16	32.1	32.9	19.7	37.1	33.6	11.7	148
<i>Mullaitivu District</i> ...	6,791	56	94	23.0	35.4	33.7	66.6	32.4	56.6	304
<i>Karikkaddumulai</i> ...	4,481	37	70	19.6	28.9	33.7	59.7	25.3	63.7	351
<i>Mulliyawalai</i> ...	1,637	14	16	29.4	47.9	34.8	83.4	42.8	39.8	286
<i>Tunukkai</i> ...	673	5	8	29.7	49.3	31.0	71.3	55.5	49.6	—*
<i>Vavuniya District</i> ...	6,239	57	40	23.1	30.8	38.3	36.5	59.0	26.7	140
<i>Kilakkumulai</i> ...	2,940	27	15	17.7	27.7	37.7	28.6	45.7	20.9	148
<i>Chinnacheddikulam</i> ...	984	12	3	24.2	43.3	55.4	20.2	128.8	13.9	83
<i>Melpattu</i> ...	1,633	16	20	31.8	28.2	41.2	68.5	58.9	51.5	125
<i>Panankamam</i> ...	682	2	2	23.3	17.6	11.9	17.5	17.6	11.9	500
EASTERN PROVINCE.	86,701	891	652	37.4	35.2	40.5	26.4	30.3	29.7	178
<i>Trincomalee District</i> ...	17,117	149	124	33.0	31.1	35.3	28.1	33.0	29.4	215
<i>Trincomalee Town</i> ...	9,536	94	62	33.4	34.3	40.9	25.1	41.2	27.0	234
<i>Kaddukulam Pattu</i> ...	2,563	48	33	45.1	6.3	28.6	59.1	28.3	52.3	444
<i>Koddiyar Pattu</i> ...	3,420	26	19	31.3	41.2	29.2	19.7	12.6	21.3	38
<i>Tampalakamam Pattu</i> ...	1,595	11	10	14.9	29.8	27.3	14.9	37.3	24.8	91

* No infantile deaths were recorded this quarter.

Table VII.—Marriages (General), Civil Condition, Nationality, Age, Mode of Solemnization, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Third Quarter of 1893.

PROVINCE AND DISTRICT.	MARRIAGES.																												Signed Register with Marks.					
	Total Marriages.	Contracted between								Of		Contracted between					Contracted between Persons of same Race.					Of Persons not 21 Years of Age.		Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.			Lowest Female Age.	Marriages solemnized by Ministers.	Males.	Females.
		Bachelors and Spinners.	Widows.	Widowers and Spinners.	Widows.	Divorced Men and Spinners.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Divorced Women and Bachelors.	Divorced Women and Widows.	Widowers.	Widows.	European and Burgher.	European and Sihalase.	European and Tamil.	Burgher and Sihalase.	Burgher and Tamil.	Sihalase and Tamil.	Other mixed Marriages.	European.	Burgher.	Sihalase.	Tamil.	Others.												Males.	Females.
CEYLON	2844	2494	57	245	45	3	—	—	—	290	102	4	—	—	—	6	—	8	16	38	1997	775	233	2103	75	27.1	16	52	19.7	9	612	650	2253	
Western Province	1154	1012	17	110	73	2	—	—	—	123	30	4	—	—	—	4	—	6	10	24	1065	41	69	883	75	27.1	18	50	19.6	12	298	236	810	
Central Province	91	73	5	9	4	—	—	—	—	13	9	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	3	56	28	3	50	60	30.0	18	45	21.1	14	31	23	68		
Northern Province	573	513	10	34	16	—	—	—	—	50	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	569	36	413	60	27.1	18	45	20.0	12	156	96	489		
Southern Province	723	646	15	57	4	1	—	—	—	61	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	718	1	105	518	62	26.7	16	45	19.8	12	162	221	648		
Eastern Province	106	84	2	14	6	—	—	—	—	20	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	101	5	82	55	27.1	16	35	18.3	9	24	21	86		
North-Western Province	156	131	5	18	2	—	—	—	—	20	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	129	25	13	132	6	26.1	19	40	18.9	13	74	44	122		
North-Central Province	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	2	30	26.7	20	30	21.3	14	—	1	3	
Province of Uva	17	15	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	12	3	—	7	48	30.8	21	27	21.0	16	9	6	10		
Prov. of Sabaragamuwa	21	17	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	16	4	1	16	64	29.1	20	52	20.2	16	8	2	17		
Western Province.																																		
Colombo	676	606	10	53	6	1	—	—	—	59	16	4	—	—	—	4	—	3	10	24	608	23	48	530	63	26.4	18	50	19.3	12	183	140	442	
Negombo	209	190	3	15	1	—	—	—	—	16	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	189	17	18	194	54	25.9	19	40	18.3	14	90	36	166		
Kalutara	269	216	2	42	6	1	—	—	—	48	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	268	1	3	159	75	29.7	19	45	21.4	12	25	60	202		
Central Province.																																		
Kandy	44	39	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	28	11	2	29	54	28.2	18	31	20.4	14	15	9	28		
Mátalé	21	14	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	6	1	12	60	30.7	20	29	20.7	14	—	4	16		
Nuwara Eliya	26	20	1	4	1	—	—	—	—	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	14	11	—	9	55	32.5	23	45	23.0	15	—	10	24		
Northern Province.																																		
Jaffna	505	464	5	27	5	—	—	—	—	32	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	502	33	359	60	27.2	18	45	20.2	12	112	79	430	
Mannár	41	26	1	5	9	—	—	—	—	14	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	32	53	27.1	21	35	18.4	12	39	11	36		
Mullaitivu	15	14	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	2	13	30	25.4	19	23	10.7	13	2	5	12	
Vavuniya	12	9	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	1	9	45	26.6	18	24	18.1	15	3	1	11	
Southern Province.																																		
Galle	317	270	7	36	4	—	—	—	—	40	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	313	—	14	189	60	28.6	18	45	21.0	13	11	74	258		
Mátara	254	235	8	10	—	1	—	—	—	10	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	254	—	41	199	48	25.7	16	38	19.3	12	—	97	240		
Hambantota	152	141	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	151	1	50	130	62	24.7	16	45	18.6	12	1	50	150		
Eastern Province.																																		
Batticaloa	79	61	2	11	5	—	—	—	—	16	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	75	4	60	55	27.4	19	35	18.3	9	19	16	66		
Trincomalee	27	23	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	26	1	22	37	26.2	18	32	18.4	12	5	5	20		
North-Western Province.																																		
Kurunégala	39	33	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	7	2	34	50	26.0	20	28	20.0	16	14	13	31		
Puttalam	22	18	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	10	4	19	60	26.7	20	40	19.2	13	13	9	20		
Chilaw	95	80	1	14	—	—	—	—	—	14	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	87	8	7	79	40	25.9	19	27	18.5	15	47	22	71		
North-Central Province.																																		
Anurádhapura	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	2	30	26.7	20	30	21.3	14	—	1	3	
Province of Uva.																																		
Badulla	17	15	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	3	—	7	48	30.8	21	27	21.0	16	9	6	10		
Prov. of Sabaragamuwa																																		
Ratnapura	11	9	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	2	1	9	32	24.7	20	20	18.8	16	3	1	10		
Kégalla	10	8	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2	—	7	64	31.9	21	52	21.8	16	5	1	7		

Table VIII.—Marriages (Kandyan), Civil Condition, Age, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Third Quarter of 1893.

PROVINCE AND DISTRICT.	Total Marriages.	Contracted between										Persons not 21 Years of Age.							Signed the Register with Marks.	
		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.	Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.	Lowest Female Age.	Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	1528	1242	59	148	37	22	3	12	2	3	181	971	69	28	16	59	21	13	643	1463
Central ...	814	677	33	67	18	9	2	6	1	1	51	448	69	28	18	55	22	13	342	772
Northern ...	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	40	32	25	26	23	20	1	3
Eastern ...	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	36	28	20	18	17	17	1	2
North-Western ...	192	138	4	38	3	4	1	3	—	1	33	139	55	26	17	35	20	15	67	186
North-Central ...	33	26	3	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	10	46	31	20	50	24	18	9	32
Uva ...	251	200	16	18	13	2	—	1	—	1	32	163	69	29	18	59	22	14	132	244
Sabaragamuwa ...	233	198	2	22	3	6	—	2	—	—	63	208	60	24	16	30	17	13	91	224
Central.																				
Kandy ...	164	89	—	7	5	—	1	1	—	1	19	78	54	26	18	45	25	13	27	92
Matalé ...	163	130	12	18	—	3	—	—	—	—	9	105	69	28	20	55	21	14	55	158
Nuwara Eliya ...	547	458	21	42	13	6	1	5	1	—	23	265	59	30	18	50	22	13	260	522
Northern.																				
Vavuniya ...	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	40	32	25	26	23	20	1	3
Eastern.																				
Batticaloa ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	20	20	20	18	18	18	1	1
Trincomalee ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	36	36	36	17	17	17	—	1
North-Western.																				
Kurunégala ...	178	132	3	32	2	4	1	3	—	1	31	131	55	26	17	35	20	15	60	172
Puttalam ...	14	6	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	8	45	30	18	30	21	16	7	14
North-Central.																				
Anurádhapura ...	33	26	3	2	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	10	46	31	20	50	24	18	9	32
Province of Uva.																				
Badulla ...	251	200	16	18	13	2	—	1	—	1	32	163	69	29	18	59	22	14	132	244
Province of.																				
Sabaragamuwa.																				
Ratnapura ...	123	102	2	14	2	1	—	2	—	—	33	109	60	25	16	30	17	13	58	117
Kégalla ...	110	96	—	8	1	5	—	—	—	—	30	105	40	22	18	26	17	15	33	107

Table IX.—Return of Births of each Nationality, in each Province and District in the Island, registered during the Third Quarter of 1893.

Province and District.	All Races.			Europeans.			Burghers.			Sinhalese.			Tamils.			Immigrants.			Moors.			Malays.			Others.			
	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	
CEYLON ...	23,150	11,992	11,158	44	21	23	75	29	46	16,863	8,228	7,635	5,189	2,68	2,509	—	—	—	1,909	1,004	905	48	22	26	22	2	14	
Western	5,467	2,905	2,562	18	9	9	39	17	22	4,544	2,410	2,134	337	171	166	—	—	—	482	277	205	32	15	17	15	6	9	
Central	3,346	1,708	1,638	19	10	9	13	5	8	2,073	1,069	1,004	1,106	547	559	—	—	—	131	75	56	1	1	—	3	1	2	
Northern	2,607	1,366	1,241	—	—	—	2	—	2	12	8	4	2,369	1,246	1,123	—	—	—	224	112	112	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Southern	4,089	2,120	1,969	2	—	2	5	2	3	3,842	2,012	1,830	35	17	18	—	—	—	196	87	109	8	2	6	1	—	1	
Eastern	1,590	806	784	2	—	2	7	2	5	63	29	34	891	460	431	—	—	—	625	314	311	2	1	1	—	—	—	
North-Western	2,262	1,175	1,087	—	—	—	5	2	3	2,045	1,050	995	76	45	31	—	—	—	133	77	56	3	1	2	—	—	—	
North-Central	641	343	298	—	—	—	—	—	—	567	299	268	30	18	12	—	—	—	42	24	18	1	1	—	1	—	—	
Uva	1,511	756	755	3	2	1	2	1	1	1,232	609	623	230	119	111	—	—	—	41	24	17	1	1	—	2	—	—	
Sabaragamuwa	1,637	813	824	—	—	—	2	—	2	1,485	742	743	115	57	58	—	—	—	35	14	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Western.																												
Colombo	2,877	1,520	1,357	18	9	9	33	15	18	2,410	1,269	1,141	54	23	31	—	—	—	315	183	132	32	15	17	15	6	9	
Negombo	1,316	692	624	—	—	—	3	1	2	1,001	527	474	279	145	134	—	—	—	33	19	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kalutara	1,274	693	581	—	—	—	3	1	2	1,133	614	519	4	3	1	—	—	—	134	75	59	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Central.																												
Kandy	1,854	937	917	14	7	7	7	3	4	1,184	605	579	561	271	290	—	—	—	86	50	36	1	1	—	1	—	1	
Mátalé	673	342	331	1	—	1	1	—	1	531	273	258	10	47	55	—	—	—	37	21	16	—	—	—	1	1	—	
Nuwara Eliya	819	429	390	4	3	1	5	2	8	258	191	167	443	229	214	—	—	—	8	4	4	—	—	—	1	—	1	
Northern.																												
Jaffna	2,262	1,204	1,058	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	2,135	1,132	1,008	—	—	—	125	72	53	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Mannár	208	93	115	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	121	60	61	—	—	—	87	33	54	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Mullaittivu	61	28	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	56	26	30	—	—	—	5	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Vavuniya	76	41	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	8	4	57	28	29	—	—	—	7	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Southern.																												
Galle	1,758	890	859	1	—	1	2	1	1	1,585	827	758	14	5	9	—	—	—	154	65	89	2	1	1	—	—	—	
Mátara	1,457	766	691	1	—	1	1	1	—	1,403	737	666	19	12	7	—	—	—	32	16	16	1	—	1	—	—	—	
Hambantota	874	455	419	—	—	—	2	—	2	854	448	406	2	—	2	—	—	—	10	6	4	5	1	4	1	—	1	
Eastern.																												
Batticaloa	1,369	682	687	—	—	—	1	—	1	53	24	29	742	375	367	—	—	—	573	283	290	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Trincomalee	221	124	97	2	—	2	6	2	4	10	5	5	149	85	64	—	—	—	52	31	21	2	1	1	—	—	—	
North-Western.																												
Kurunégala	1,648	852	796	—	—	—	1	1	—	1,581	812	769	10	6	4	—	—	—	54	32	22	2	1	1	—	—	—	
Puttalam	187	98	89	—	—	—	—	—	—	88	44	44	33	17	16	—	—	—	66	37	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chilaw	427	225	202	—	—	—	4	1	3	376	194	182	33	22	11	—	—	—	13	8	5	1	—	1	—	—	—	

North-Central. Anurádhapura	641	343	298	—	—	—	—	—	—	567	299	268	30	18	12	—	—	—	42	24	18	1	1	—	1	1	—
Uva. Badulla ...	1,511	756	755	3	2	1	2	1	1	1,232	609	623	230	119	111	—	—	—	41	24	17	1	1	—	2	—	2
Sabaragamuwa. Ratnapura ...	846	416	430	—	—	—	1	—	1	784	389	395	52	23	29	—	—	—	9	4	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kégalla ...	791	397	394	—	—	—	1	—	1	701	353	348	63	34	29	—	—	—	26	10	16	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table X.—Deaths according to Race registered in each Month in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, in the Third Quarter of 1893.

PROVINCE AND DISTRICT.	JULY.							AUGUST.							SEPTEMBER.										
	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 ...	8395	942	5735	1926	639	25	19	7849	1032	5201	2026	555	16	9	6199	534	4131	1568	429	22	10				
Western	1726	629	1359	176	124	17	15	1543	725	1162	201	132	9	7	1077	218	819	128	87	16	7				
Central	1458	33	794	624	43	1		1517	21	708	762	40	4		1086	22	533	507	33	3	1				
Northern	551	1	4	500	46			596	1	5	540	50			477	2	3	423	49						
Southern	1331	2	1184	24	119	2		1342	2	1232	22	84	2		1209	1	6	1103	19	77	2	1			
Eastern	443	3	41	237	162			379	1	38	190	149			357	6	17	225	108	1					
North-Western	1163	3	1014	73	68	4	1	1051	2	944	64	40	1		846		751	56	39						
North-Central	236		197	13	25		1	211		178	18	15			149		123	11	15						
Uva	462	1	332	107	20	1	1	440		311	115	13	1		381		280	85	15		1				
Sabaragamuwa	1015		810	172	32		1	770		623	114	32		1	617		497	114	6						
Western.																									
Colombo	978	628	732	94	86	17	15	888	525	637	127	78	9	7	615	217	458	61	54	16	7				
Negombo	391	1	309	71	10			312	1	242	61	8			198	1	140	32	5						
Kalutara	357		318	11	28			343	1	283	13	46			264		221	15	28						
Central.																									
Kandy	783	1	2	446	312	21	1	875	1	396	449	24	4		628	1	2	334	266	21	3	1			
Mátalé	355			260	74	21		328		238	76	14			217		136	71	10						
Nuwara Eliya	330	2	1	88	238	1		314	1	74	237	2			241	1	68	170	2						
Northern.																									
Jaffna	451	1		415	35			508			471	37			402	2		368	32						
Mannár	35			27	8			39			27	12			37			21	16						
Mullaittivu	47			44	3			26	1		24	1			27			26	1						
Vavuniya	18			4	14			23		5	18				11		3	8							
Southern.																									
Galle	683	1	567	8	107			625	1	549	5	70			582	1	2	512	11	56					
Mátara	431		403	16	11	1		518	1	489	16	12			432	1	406	6	18	1					
Hambantota	217	1	214		1	1		199		194	1	2	2		195	3	185	2	3	1	1				
Eastern.																									
Batticaloa	367	3	37	172	155			339	1	34	161	142			319	6	15	195	103						
Trincomalee	76		4	65	7			40		4	29	7			38		2	30	5	1					
North-Western.																									
Kurunégala	922	1	850	25	43	2	1	835		785	27	23			670		635	18	17						
Puttalam	75		26	30	19			80		41	23	15	1		79		35	26	18						
Chilaw	166	2	138	18	6	2		136	2	118	14	2			97		81	12	4						
North-Central.																									
Anuradhapura	236		197	13	25		1	211		178	18	15			149		123	11	15						
Uva.																									
Badulla	462	1	332	107	20	1	1	440		311	115	13	1		381		280	85	15		1				
Sabaragamuwa.																									
Ratnapura	354		325	26	3			310		270	35	5			296		261	33	2						
Kégalla	661		485	146	29		1	460		353	79	27	1		321		236	81	4						

Table XI.—Causes of Deaths registered in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, in the Third Quarter of 1893.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.			CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.				SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.							
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Katara.	Kandy.	Matalé.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jafna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Mátara.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunégala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anurádhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kégalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Immigrants.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
ALL CAUSES ...	22443	2481	901	964	2286	900	885	1361	111	100	52	1890	1381	611	1025	154	2427	234	399	596	1283	960	1442	24	108	15067	5520	—	1623	63	38
I. Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic diseases	12900	1266	507	509	1305	550	492	808	54	61	31	1064	931	408	578	89	1440	127	233	365	733	514	835	10	40	8891	3077	—	841	24	17
II. Parasitic diseases	787	147	60	41	94	52	8	3	—	—	—	56	5	1	9	1	93	4	26	13	36	19	119	—	4	621	102	—	57	3	—
III. Dietetic diseases	95	1	1	—	37	4	7	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	2	1	3	1	—	—	29	1	4	—	—	35	57	—	3	—	—
IV. Constitutional diseases	1721	265	90	119	108	27	20	83	5	3	—	255	145	48	23	6	234	13	26	20	46	80	105	5	15	1306	235	—	143	13	4
V. Developmental diseases	420	91	7	29	26	6	26	15	—	—	—	48	28	3	5	3	7	3	3	3	61	24	32	—	2	297	99	—	15	6	1
VI. Local diseases	4611	521	207	205	412	182	159	380	44	21	12	353	187	67	306	50	510	63	85	142	288	194	223	4	36	2889	1228	—	432	12	10
VII. Violence	453	64	15	32	51	11	22	26	1	—	1	49	23	19	21	1	32	2	6	3	17	25	32	4	6	311	105	—	24	1	2
VIII. Ill-defined and not specified causes	1456	126	14	29	253	68	151	46	6	15	8	63	61	65	81	3	108	21	20	50	73	103	92	1	5	717	617	—	208	4	4
I. Miasmatic diseases	6275	641	350	238	274	227	68	580	22	39	22	371	268	254	451	55	1036	87	162	275	306	176	372	4	17	4411	1236	—	586	14	7
2 Diarrheal do.	6335	583	147	266	1002	320	420	133	21	15	4	632	656	152	125	22	388	36	69	88	411	336	459	6	22	4402	1660	—	228	9	8
3 Malarial do.	110	33	4	3	20	3	3	1	—	—	—	7	5	—	—	—	12	2	—	2	11	2	2	—	1	48	57	—	2	1	1
4 Zoogenous do.	15	2	2	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	7	8	—	—	—	—
5 Venereal do.	24	1	—	1	6	—	1	—	—	1	3	1	1	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	13	11	—	—	—	—
6 Septic do.	141	6	4	—	3	—	—	92	11	6	2	2	—	2	1	9	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	10	105	—	25	—	1
II. Parasitic diseases	787	147	60	41	94	52	8	3	—	—	—	56	5	1	9	1	93	4	26	13	36	19	119	—	4	621	102	—	57	3	—
III. Dietetic diseases	95	1	1	—	37	4	7	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	2	1	3	1	—	—	29	1	4	—	—	35	57	—	3	—	—
IV. Constitutional diseases	1721	265	90	119	108	27	20	83	5	3	—	255	145	48	23	6	234	13	26	20	46	80	105	5	15	1306	235	—	143	13	4
V. Developmental diseases	420	91	7	29	26	6	26	15	—	—	—	48	28	3	5	3	7	3	3	3	61	24	32	—	2	297	99	—	15	6	1
VI. Diseases of—																															
1 Nervous system	1703	269	76	132	84	19	29	156	20	8	4	252	103	28	31	29	77	25	19	16	159	91	76	2	17	1088	413	—	169	8	6
2 Organs of special sense	11	1	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	6	5	—	—	—	—
3 Circulatory system	130	43	8	2	12	2	6	2	—	—	—	21	8	—	—	—	1	—	4	—	10	5	6	—	2	98	21	—	9	—	—
4 Respiratory do.	759	40	35	10	125	43	87	126	16	11	6	16	9	5	72	10	27	10	5	13	54	17	22	—	7	276	421	—	53	1	1
5 Digestive do.	313	35	1	7	25	10	11	22	6	1	1	11	29	10	84	2	10	4	11	9	6	9	9	2	4	124	135	—	44	2	2
6 Lymphatic system and Ductless Glands	12	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	6	—	4	—	—
7 Urinary system	31	12	1	4	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	3	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	2	1	1	18	10	—	2	—	—
8 Reproductive system:																															
(a) Organs of Generation	66	8	1	8	10	5	4	1	—	—	—	7	4	2	—	—	2	—	2	2	3	5	2	—	—	55	8	—	3	—	—
(b) Parturition	426	30	7	12	43	26	13	3	—	—	—	14	15	9	8	6	99	8	14	29	37	12	41	—	2	333	68	—	23	—	—

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

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.		CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.			SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROV.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.												
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matigale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Mátara.	Hambantota.	Batfcélos.	Trincomalee.	Karunégala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anurádhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kéegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Immigrants.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.		
Integumentary system	1160	83	78	30	112	75	5	68	2	1	—	28	15	12	103	3	294	16	27	72	19	53	64	—	2	890	141	—	125	1	1		
VII.																																	
Accident or Negligence	400	57	11	25	43	11	20	22	1	—	1	45	21	17	21	1	29	2	5	3	13	21	31	4	5	271	95	—	22	1	2		
Homicide	19	1	2	1	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	2	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	1	15	2	—	1	—	—		
Suicide	32	6	2	6	2	—	1	4	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	3	1	—	—	23	8	—	1	—	—		
Execution	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—		
VIII.																																	
Ill-defined and not specified causes	1456	126	14	29	253	68	151	46	6	15	8	63	61	65	81	3	108	21	20	50	73	103	92	1	5	717	617	—	108	4	4		
Miasmatic Diseases.																																	
Smallpox	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	
Measles	50	7	—	—	—	2	—	22	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	—	6	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	22	26	—	2	—	—	—	
Whooping Cough	15	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	3	—	2	—	—	—	
Mumps	5	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	
Diphtheria	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Simple, ill-defined fever	5284	522	304	125	228	216	41	556	22	39	22	197	174	242	450	56	966	65	129	242	235	112	341	2	15	3561	1131	—	557	14	4		
Enteric Fever	792	100	44	111	37	9	8	—	—	—	—	128	85	12	—	—	61	20	29	6	65	54	23	1	1	728	38	—	22	—	3		
Influenza	123	8	1	2	8	—	18	—	—	—	—	29	8	—	—	—	3	—	2	25	4	10	5	1	1	85	34	—	2	—	—	—	
Other Miasmatic diseases	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diarrhæal Diseases.																																	
Cholera	137	21	10	8	5	5	1	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	41	1	8	2	6	4	20	—	—	122	4	—	11	—	—	—	
Djarrhœa	4077	266	42	184	708	178	170	60	8	6	2	533	398	78	100	13	306	19	21	77	266	275	367	3	5	3118	811	—	136	3	1		
Dysentery	2121	296	95	74	289	137	249	73	13	9	2	144	258	74	25	9	41	16	40	9	139	57	72	3	17	1162	845	—	81	6	7		
Malarial Diseases.																																	
Remittent Fever	23	4	1	—	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	2	4	1	—	—	1	10	10	—	2	—	—	—	
Ague	29	5	—	3	6	—	2	—	—	—	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	17	10	—	—	—	—	—	
Malarial Cachexia	54	24	3	—	8	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	5	2	—	—	2	1	2	—	—	20	34	—	—	—	—	—	
Malarial fever	4	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Zoogenous Diseases.																																	
Hydrophobia	15	2	2	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	7	8	—	—	—	—	—	
Venereal Diseases.																																	
Syphilis	18	1	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	1	3	—	1	—	—	3	—	1	—	3	—	1	—	—	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra	6	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	
Septic Diseases.																																	
Phagedæna	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Erysipelas	61	1	—	—	1	—	—	45	7	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	50	—	8	—	—	—	
Pyæmia, Septicæmia	4	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	
Puerperal Fever	75	4	3	—	1	—	—	47	4	6	2	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	6	51	—	17	—	—	1	

<i>Parasitic Diseases.</i>																																			
Thrush ...	165	7	14	—	33	6	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	9	1	26	—	8	3	4	4	43	—	135	15	—	15	—	—		
Worms (animal) ...	558	136	46	38	39	44	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	5	1	—	—	67	4	18	9	7	14	75	—	477	34	—	40	3	—		
Doehmius Duodenalis (Anchylostomiasis)	64	4	—	3	22	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	25	1	1	—	9	53	—	2	—	—		
<i>Dietetic Diseases.</i>																																			
Starvation, Want of Breast Milk	91	—	1	—	36	4	7	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	1	3	1	—	—	—	28	1	4	—	32	56	—	3	—	—	
Scurvy ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Intemperance: Chronic Alcoholism	3	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Constitutional Diseases.</i>																																			
Rheumatism ...	155	14	—	7	9	1	2	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	33	26	12	1	—	20	—	2	1	3	10	6	—	129	12	—	11	1	—	—	
Rickets ...	90	2	9	—	—	—	—	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	49	10	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32	24	—	33	—	—	—	
Cancer ...	54	10	2	6	7	2	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	5	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	41	9	—	2	—	—	—	1	
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Phthisis ...	664	151	26	43	46	19	12	24	1	1	—	—	—	—	84	40	15	5	1	77	5	9	3	19	38	45	2	9	516	84	—	40	10	3	—
Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula ...	96	10	4	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	49	4	6	11	1	1	5	—	80	8	—	8	—	—	—	—
Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis ...	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	554	57	46	59	43	2	5	28	—	1	—	—	—	—	79	5	13	13	3	51	2	6	1	17	24	45	—	431	80	—	42	1	—	—	
Diabetes Mellitus ...	24	5	2	1	1	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	2	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	11	8	—	3	1	—	—	—	
Leprosy ...	14	9	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Marasmus ...	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Parangi ...	58	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	4	—	1	35	1	1	3	—	—	—	2	55	1	—	2	—	—	—	
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>																																			
Premature Birth ...	94	10	2	1	2	—	8	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	52	6	1	1	66	24	—	3	—	—	—	
Imperforate Anus ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Old Age ...	325	81	5	28	24	6	18	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	45	28	3	3	—	7	3	3	3	9	18	31	1	230	75	—	12	6	1	—	
<i>Nervous System.</i>																																			
Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Softening of Brain ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Apoplexy ...	23	2	3	1	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	—	7	8	—	6	—	—	—	—	
Paralysis ...	47	18	4	6	3	—	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	36	5	—	6	—	—	—	—	
Epilepsy ...	25	5	1	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Convulsions ...	35	—	—	1	6	2	4	7	1	1	—	—	—	—	5	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	16	—	9	—	—	—	—	
Infantile Convulsions	1475	211	67	120	54	12	17	138	19	2	4	240	94	20	27	27	71	15	19	15	153	80	80	65	1	14	957	350	—	142	8	3	—		
Collapse ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tetanus ...	62	25	1	—	11	2	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	28	24	—	6	—	—	—	
Mania ...	17	4	—	2	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Paraplegia, diseases of the Spinal Cord	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Brain or Nervous System	11	3	—	—	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	4	—	—	—	—	—	

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

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.			CENTRAL PROVINCE.				NORTHERN PROVINCE.				SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.																								
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Matarā.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunégala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anurādhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burgher.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Immigrants.	Moors.	Malays	Others																			
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>																																																		
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye ...	5	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—							
Epistaxis and other diseases of Nose ...	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—						
<i>Circulatory System.</i>																																																		
Pericarditis ...	3	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—					
Valve disease of Heart	43	8	—	1	8	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Angina pectoris, Syncope ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Embolism, Thrombosis	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Varicose veins ...	70	24	8	1	2	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Other and undefined diseases of Heart or Circulatory System	13	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
<i>Respiratory System.</i>																																																		
Laryngitis ...	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Croup ...	30	—	—	—	1	—	1	26	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bronchitis ...	126	10	—	3	17	7	14	8	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Asthma ...	89	7	30	5	3	2	1	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Pneumonia ...	325	18	2	2	44	19	34	75	6	11	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Pleurisy ...	11	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Respiratory System ...	172	4	3	—	59	15	36	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Digestive System.</i>																																																		
Stomatitis ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Dentition ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Quinsy ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sore Throat ...	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Dyspepsia ...	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hæmatemesis ...	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Diseases of Stomach ...	8	1	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Enteritis ...	11	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

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

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.					CENTRAL PROVINCE.					NORTHERN PROVINCE.				SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROV.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH CENT. PROV.	UYA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.						
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matalé.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Mátara.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Tincomalee.	Kurunggala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anurádhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kégalla.	Europeans.	Burgers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Immigrants.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.			
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>																																		
Carbuncle	10	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2	—	—	—	—	—		
Phlegmon, Cellulitis	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Lupus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Ulcer, Bed Sore	151	27	9	13	4	1	2	5	2	1	21	15	11	3	3	2	2	5	4	9	9	3	—	—	114	30	—	5	1	1				
Eczema	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—				
Gangrene	5	—	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—				
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System	993	53	67	14	108	73	3	63	—	—	6	1	99	—	291	13	22	67	10	44	59	—	—	1	767	105	—	120	—	—				
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>																																		
Fractures, Contusions	146	19	5	13	16	4	1	3	—	—	21	9	3	2	—	14	1	1	2	2	12	18	1	1	127	12	—	4	1	—				
Gun-shot Wounds	13	3	1	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	11	1	—	1	—	—				
Cut, Stab	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—				
Burn, Scald	31	2	1	—	9	2	10	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	12	17	—	2	—	—				
Poison	6	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—				
Drowning	84	7	3	1	6	—	5	9	1	—	13	4	2	12	—	5	—	3	—	3	3	7	2	4	44	29	—	5	—	—				
Suffocation	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—				
Otherwise	78	24	—	5	6	1	2	4	—	—	7	4	4	4	—	6	1	1	—	1	5	2	4	—	42	23	—	10	—	2				
Snake-bite	40	2	—	3	3	2	2	5	—	—	1	1	7	3	1	4	—	—	—	2	—	3	—	—	29	11	—	—	—	—				
<i>Homicide.</i>																																		
Murder, Manslaughter	19	1	2	1	4	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	2	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	—	15	2	—	1	—	—				
<i>Suicide.</i>																																		
Gun-shot Wounds	4	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—				
Cut, Stab	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—				
Poison	5	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—				
Drowning	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—				
Hanging	20	4	—	4	2	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	14	6	—	—	—	—				
Otherwise	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—				
<i>Execution.</i>																																		
Hanging	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—				
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>																																		
General Dropsy	660	36	6	18	83	26	27	37	6	5	3	46	30	14	66	3	93	14	10	28	22	22	65	—	2	387	196	—	74	1				
Debility	589	68	4	5	118	39	112	3	—	10	5	9	8	41	4	8	5	4	18	41	68	19	1	2	241	322	—	17	3	3				
Sudden deaths (causes unascertained)	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—				
Inflammation	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—				
Other ill-defined and not specified Causes	197	22	4	6	51	3	12	6	—	—	8	23	10	11	—	7	1	6	4	10	11	2	—	1	81	98	—	16	—	1				

Table XII.—Causes of Deaths on Estates in the Central and Uva Provinces for the Third Quarter of 1893.

Causes of Death.	Central Province.			Prov. of Uva.
	Kandy.	Matalé.	Nuwara Eliya.	Badulla.
ALL CAUSES ...	899	156	599	252
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymo- tic diseases ...	491	91	336	104
II.—Parasitic diseases ...	20	3	3	19
III.—Dietetic diseases ...	24	4	5	5
IV.—Constitutional diseases ...	18	4	8	3
V.—Developmental diseases ...	23	4	21	11
VI.—Local diseases ...	141	32	90	61
VII.—Violence ...	13	—	13	4
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	169	18	123	45
I.				
Miasmatic diseases ...	54	19	41	11
Diarrhæal do. ...	414	72	293	88
Malarial do. ...	16	—	1	4
Venereal do. ...	4	—	1	—
Septic do. ...	3	—	—	1
II.				
Parasitic diseases ...	20	3	3	19
III.				
Dietetic diseases ...	24	4	5	5
IV.				
Constitutional diseases ...	18	4	8	3
V.				
Developmental diseases ...	23	4	21	11
VI.				
Diseases of—				
Nervous system ...	44	5	18	16
Organs of special sense ...	1	—	1	—
Circulatory system ...	2	—	1	3
Respiratory system ...	54	18	48	26
Digestive system ...	18	5	10	5
Lymphatic system and Ductless Glands ...	—	1	—	—
Urinary system ...	1	—	2	—
Reproductive system :				
(a) Organs of Generation ...	1	—	2	—
(b) Parturition ...	17	2	7	7
Integumentary system ...	3	1	1	4
VII.				
Accident or negligence ...	13	—	13	4
VIII.				
Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	169	18	123	45
Miasmatic Diseases.				
Measles ...	—	2	—	1
Mumps ...	1	—	—	—
Simple and ill-defined fever ...	45	17	24	7
Enteric fever ...	1	—	1	—
Influenza ...	7	—	16	3
Diarrhæal Diseases.				
Diarrhœa ...	216	12	90	52
Dysentery ...	198	60	203	36
Malarial Diseases.				
Remittent fever ...	2	—	—	3
Ague ...	4	—	—	—
Malarial cachexia... ..	8	—	—	1
Malarial fever ...	2	—	1	—
Venereal Diseases.				
Syphilis ...	2	—	1	—
Gonorrhœa, stricture of Urethra ...	2	—	—	—
Septic Diseases.				
Erysipelas ...	1	—	—	—
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	1	—	—	—
Puerperal fever ...	1	—	—	1
Parasitic Diseases.				
Worms (animal) ...	3	1	3	1
Dœchmius Duodenalis ...	18	2	—	18
Dietetic Diseases.				
Starvation, want of breast milk ...	24	4	5	4
Scurvy ...	—	—	—	1
Constitutional Diseases.				
Rheumatism ...	3	—	2	—
Cancer ...	—	1	—	—

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

Causes of Death.	Central Province.			Prov. of Uva.
	Kandy.	Matalé.	Nuwara Eliya.	Badulla.
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	—	—	1	—
Phthisis ...	6	2	5	3
Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis ...	—	1	—	—
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	9	—	—	—
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>				
Premature birth ...	1	—	5	4
Old age ...	22	4	16	7
<i>Nervous System.</i>				
Apoplexy ...	1	—	—	—
Paralysis ...	—	—	1	—
Epilepsy ...	—	—	—	3
Convulsions ...	4	—	3	—
Infantile convulsions ...	34	4	10	12
Tetanus ...	4	1	3	1
Other and undefined diseases of brain or nervous system ...	1	—	1	—
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>				
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye ...	—	—	1	—
<i>Circulatory System.</i>				
Pericarditis ...	1	—	—	—
Valve disease of heart ...	1	—	1	2
Embolism, Thrombosis ...	—	—	—	1
<i>Respiratory System.</i>				
Croup ...	—	—	1	—
Bronchitis ...	15	6	10	8
Asthma ...	1	1	—	—
Pneumonia ...	34	10	33	17
Pleurisy ...	—	—	1	—
Other and undefined diseases of respiratory system ...	3	1	3	1
<i>Digestive System.</i>				
Stomatitis ...	1	—	—	—
Sore Throat ...	—	—	1	—
Dyspepsia ...	2	—	—	—
Diseases of stomach ...	4	—	1	—
Enteritis ...	1	—	1	—
Ileus, obstruction of intestine ...	—	1	3	—
Stricture or strangulation of intestine ...	—	—	—	1
Peritonitis ...	—	—	1	1
Cirrhosis of liver ...	—	3	—	—
Other diseases of liver ...	5	1	2	1
Other and undefined diseases of digestive system ...	5	—	1	2
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.</i>				
Diseases of spleen ...	—	1	—	—
<i>Diseases of Urinary System.</i>				
Bright's disease ...	—	—	1	—
Diseases of bladder ...	—	—	1	—
<i>Diseases of Organs of Generation.</i>				
Pelvic abscess ...	1	—	2	—
<i>Diseases of Parturition.</i>				
Abortion, miscarriage ...	2	—	—	1
Puerperal Convulsions ...	3	—	—	1
Other and undefined accidents of childbirth ...	12	2	7	5
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>				
Ulcer, Bed sore ...	3	—	—	4
Gangrene ...	—	1	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of integumentary system ...	—	—	1	—
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>				
Burn, scald ...	5	—	9	3
Drowning ...	1	—	2	1
Otherwise ...	6	—	2	—
Snake-bite ...	1	—	—	—
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>				
General Dropsy ...	31	5	24	5
Debility ...	99	11	92	32
Sudden deaths (causes unascertained) ...	1	—	—	—
Other ill-defined and not specified causes ...	38	2	7	8

Table XIII.—Causes of Deaths registered in the Town of Colombo during the Third Quarter of 1893.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Town.	WARDS.										DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.						
		Fort and Cattle Race.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maratana (Hospitals and Wells).	Maratana (exclusive of above).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
ALL CAUSES ...	1061	11	32	54	94	180	108	218	161	132	71	13	68	473	234	202	42	29
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases ...	465	2	15	15	43	90	30	100	87	61	22	4	26	194	126	83	20	12
II.—Parasitic Diseases ...	55	—	—	2	4	9	10	4	19	6	1	—	3	30	7	13	2	—
III.—Dietetic Diseases ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
IV.—Constitutional Diseases ...	126	3	1	9	10	25	18	22	10	19	9	4	6	59	20	23	10	4
V.—Developmental Diseases ...	35	—	2	2	2	7	11	4	4	1	2	—	2	22	3	5	3	—
VI.—Local Diseases ...	265	2	11	18	20	34	36	43	36	35	36	2	26	126	46	52	6	7
VII.—Violence ...	32	4	—	1	10	3	—	7	2	4	1	3	1	6	10	10	—	2
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	83	—	3	7	5	12	3	38	3	6	6	—	4	36	22	16	1	4
I.																		
Miasmatic Diseases ...	166	—	10	5	24	42	18	3	30	29	5	—	11	57	34	48	12	4
Djarrhœal do. ...	263	2	5	10	15	48	11	69	55	31	17	4	14	125	75	31	7	7
Malarial do. ...	30	—	—	—	1	—	1	26	1	1	—	—	1	10	16	2	1	—
Zoogenous do. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Veneral do. ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Septic do. ...	5	—	—	—	3	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	1
II.—Parasitic Diseases ...	55	—	—	2	4	9	10	4	19	6	1	—	3	30	7	13	2	—
III.—Dietetic Diseases ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
IV.—Constitutional Diseases ...	126	3	1	9	10	25	18	22	10	19	9	4	6	59	20	23	10	4
V.—Developmental Diseases ...	35	—	2	2	2	7	11	4	4	1	2	—	2	22	3	5	3	—
VI.																		
Diseases of Nervous System ...	148	—	3	15	11	24	22	7	22	25	19	1	14	71	20	34	4	4
Do. Circulatory System ...	16	—	—	2	2	2	—	—	1	2	4	—	2	7	3	4	—	—
Do. Respiratory System ...	35	1	3	—	3	3	2	14	4	4	1	—	6	17	7	6	—	—
Do. Digestive System ...	24	1	3	—	1	—	3	8	1	—	4	1	2	12	4	2	1	2
Do. Urinary system ...	8	—	—	—	1	—	2	3	1	—	1	—	1	4	1	2	—	—
Do. Reproductive System :—																		
(a) Organs of Generation ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
(b) Parturition ...	9	—	1	—	—	2	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	4	3	2	—	—
Do. Integumentary System ...	24	—	1	—	2	3	2	9	5	1	1	—	1	10	8	3	1	1
VII.																		
Accident or Negligence ...	31	4	—	1	10	3	—	7	1	4	1	3	1	5	10	10	—	2
Homicide ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
VIII.																		
Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	83	—	3	7	5	12	3	38	3	6	6	—	4	36	22	16	1	4
Miasmatic Diseases.																		
Measles ...	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—
Whooping Cough ...	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Simple and ill-defined Fever ...	149	—	8	5	24	36	18	1	25	27	5	10	47	33	44	12	—	3
Enteric Fever ...	8	—	2	—	—	4	—	2	—	—	3	—	7	—	—	—	—	1
Influenza ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—
Diarrhœal Diseases.																		
Diarrhœa ...	102	2	1	5	2	10	—	51	16	10	4	2	3	50	35	11	1	—
Dysentery ...	161	—	4	5	12	38	11	16	39	21	13	2	11	75	40	20	6	7
Malarial Diseases.																		
Remittent Fever ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—
Ague ...	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Malarial Cachexia ...	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	—	—	—	—	9	15	—	—	—
Veneral Diseases.																		
Syphilis ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Septic Diseases.																		
Erysipelas ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Puerperal Fever ...	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1
Parasitic Diseases.																		
Thrush ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—
Worms (animal) ...	48	—	—	2	4	9	10	—	16	6	1	—	3	26	7	10	2	—

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

CAUSES OF DEATH.	WARDS.										DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.							
	Colombo Town.	Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana (Hospitals and jails).	Maradana (exclusive of above).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>																		
Carbuncle ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Phlegmon, Cellulitis ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Ulcer, Bed Sore ...	14	—	1	—	2	3	—	6	—	1	1	—	—	4	7	1	1	1
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System ...	8	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	5	—	—	—	—	5	1	2	—	—
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>																		
Fractures, Contusions ...	9	1	—	—	—	1	—	5	—	1	1	1	1	2	3	2	—	—
Gun-shot wounds ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Burn, Scald ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Drowning ...	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—
Suffocation ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Otherwise ...	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
Injury at Birth ...	15	—	—	1	10	1	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	2	6	6	—	1
<i>Homicide.</i>																		
Murder, Manslaughter ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Execution.</i>																		
Hanging ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Ill-defined and not Specified Causes.</i>																		
General Dropsy ...	12	—	2	—	1	4	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	8	3	—	—	—
Debility ...	59	—	—	6	—	5	1	33	3	6	—	2	—	25	16	12	1	3
Other ill-defined and not specified causes	1	—	1	1	4	3	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	3	3	4	—	1

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