

# SUPPLEMENT

TO

# The Ceylon Government Gazette,

PART I.

---

No. 6,355 — FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1910.

---

## VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWNS IN CEYLON IN THE MONTH OF JANUARY, 1910.

### REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

THIS report deals with the Vital Statistics of the 31 principal towns in the Island proclaimed under sections 31 to 36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

#### Births.

2. The births registered in the 31 towns during the month numbered 1,299 (660 males and 639 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 31·06 per 1,000, against 30·10 during the preceding month, 34·06 in the corresponding month of last year, and 29·94 the monthly average for the 30 months, July, 1907, to December, 1909. Of the towns (excluding Vavuniya and Lunugala, which have a population under 1,000), the highest birth-rate was in Mannar (56·44, average 40·56), and the lowest in Hatton and Dikoya (11·84, average 15·80).

3. In the city of Colombo the births numbered 426 (209 males and 217 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 26·74 per 1,000, against 26·89 in the preceding month, 27·02 in the corresponding month of last year, and 25·12 the monthly average. Of the wards (omitting Fort and Galle Face and the Pettah, which contain a population mainly adult and floating), the highest birth-rate was in New Bazaar (30·02, average 23·20), and the lowest in St. Paul's (15·20, average 18·02).

#### Deaths.

4. The deaths registered in the 31 towns during the month numbered 1,530 (816 males and 714 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 29·86 per 1,000, against 29·75 during the preceding month, 38·63 in the corresponding month of last year, and 31·58 the monthly average. The health of the towns was thus better than usual, but slightly worse than in the previous month. Excluding Vavuniya and Lunugala, the highest death-rate was in Mullaittivu (63·01, average 48·83), followed by Mannar (52·35, average 36·48), and the lowest in Kegalla (9·30, average 22·43).

5. In the city of Colombo the deaths registered numbered 521 (265 males and 256 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 30·81 per 1,000, against 33·28 during the preceding month, 41·61 in the corresponding month of last year, and 34·03 the monthly average. The city was thus healthier than usual and than in the previous month. Omitting the Fort and Galle Face Ward and the Pettah Ward, the lowest death-rate was in Kollupitiya (20·80, average 20·20), and the highest in New Bazaar (28·32, average 30·80).

#### Infantile Mortality.

6. The infantile mortality of the 31 towns was equal to a rate of 239 per 1,000 births registered, against 287 in the previous month, 285 in the corresponding month of last year, and 319 the monthly average. In the towns having an estimated population of 5,000 or more, the infant mortality ranged from a rate of 448 in Trincomalee (average 355) to 49 in Negombo (average 206).

7. The infantile mortality in the city of Colombo was 312 per 1,000 births registered, against 374 in the previous month, 367 in the corresponding month of last year, and 407 the monthly average, and ranged from 500 in St. Paul's (average 390) to 93 in Kollupitiya (average 300).

#### Causes of Death.

8. **Infants.**—Out of the 1,530 deaths from all causes at all ages in the 31 towns, 311 were among infants under one year. Of these, the chief causes were 98 *Convulsions* (including 28 in Colombo, 17 in Galle, 9 in Trincomalee); 55 *Debility* (25 in Colombo, 6 in Moratuwa, 4 in Matale); 36 *Premature Birth* (9 in Jaffna, 7 each in Colombo and Moratuwa); 17 *Pneumonia* (10 in Colombo); 16 *Tetanus* (11 in Colombo); 14 *Bronchitis* (11 in Colombo).

9. Out of the 521 deaths from all causes at all ages in the city of Colombo, 133 were among infants under one year. Of these, the chief causes were 28 *Convulsions* (11 in Maradana exclusive of hospitals, 4 in New Bazaar); 25 *Debility* (8 in Slave Island, 5 in New Bazaar); 11 *Bronchitis* (3 each in Kotahena, New Bazaar, and Maradana exclusive of hospitals); 11 *Tetanus* (4 in St. Paul's, 3 in New Bazaar); 9 *Pneumonia* (3 in Kotahena); 7 *Premature Birth* (3 in Kotahena); 7 *Diarrhoea* (2 each in Kotahena, Maradana exclusive of hospitals, and Slave Island).

10. **General Mortality (One year and over).**—Out of the 1,219 deaths of persons one year and over in age in the 31 towns, there were 171 from *Diarrhoea* (24 in Colombo); 117 from *Pneumonia* (36 in Colombo, 10 in Galle); 95 from *Dysentery*; 94 from *Phthisis* (49 in Colombo, 11 in Galle); 57 from *Dochmius Duodenalis*; 40 from *Malarial Cachexia*; 31 from *Bronchitis*; 29 from *Enteric Fever* (18 in Colombo, 6 in Moratuwa).

11. The highest mortality in the town of Colombo was from *Phthisis* (13 per cent. of all deaths one year and over), followed by *Pneumonia* (9 per cent.), *Diarrhoea* (6 per cent.), *Bronchitis* (6 per cent.), *Dysentery* (5 per cent.), and *Enteric Fever* (5 per cent.). Out of 94 deaths from *Phthisis* in all towns, 49 occurred in Colombo. This and *Pneumonia* were responsible for 96 deaths at all ages in the city, or 18 per cent. of the deaths from all causes in it.

With my report for last month there was a chart issued showing the mortality from *Phthisis*, *Pneumonia*, and *Enteric Fever* in each month of the years 1907–1909.

12. Taking all the towns together, *Diarrhoea* and *Dysentery* contributed the highest mortality (19 per cent.); followed by *Bronchitis* and *Pneumonia* (12 per cent.), *Infantile Convulsions* (8 per cent.), and *Phthisis* (6 per cent.).

13. For detailed information see Tables I. and II. for all towns, and Tables III. and IV. for the city of Colombo, in the Appendix.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, February 15, 1910.

ABUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

Table I.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during January, 1910, their Proportion per 1,000 of the Population per Annum, the Deaths of Children under One Year and their Proportion per 1,000 Registered Births, together with the Average Birth- and Death-rates and Infantile Mortality from July, 1907, to December, 1909, and the Mean Temperature and Rainfall in the month in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of Ord. No. 1 of 1895.

Towns.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1901.	Population estimated to the Middle of 1910 by Intercensal Increase.	Total Births.		Total Deaths.		Deaths in Hospitals and Jails of Non-residents.		Birth-rate.		Death-rate.		Deaths of Children under One Year.	Deaths of Children under One Year of Age to 1,000 Births.	Mean Temperature.	Rainfall in Inches.						
			Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Corrected.*											
											July, 1907, to Dec., 1909.	January, 1910.					July, 1907, to Dec., 1909.	January, 1910.				
<b>All 31 Towns</b>	423,109	492,398	660	639	316	714	1,299	816	714	1,530	348	1,182	29-94	31-06	28-26	31-58	29-86	311	319	239	77-3	0-95
<b>Western Province.</b>	155,869	187,554	209	217	265	256	426	265	521	80	441	25-12	26-74	27-68	34-03	30-81	407	312	407	312	77-3	0-95
Colombo	19,819	20,683	20	21	21	9	41	21	30	6	24	42-77	23-34	13-66	28-40	13-93	206	49	206	49	77-3	0-00
Negombo	29,600	35,493	73	60	41	42	83	41	83	—	88	32-53	44-12	27-53	20-91	25-99	22	165	22	165	77-3	0-00
Moratuwa	11,500	12,127	23	25	14	15	29	14	29	3	26	34-02	46-60	25-24	29-79	24-59	7	220	7	220	77-3	4-40
Panadura	3,845	4,401	7	8	13	5	18	13	5	9	9	35-37	40-13	24-08	30-77	25-57	1	253	1	253	77-3	—
<b>Central Province.</b>	26,511	30,289	30	23	44	29	53	44	73	12	61	29-02	20-60	23-71	29-77	24-86	8	298	8	298	77-3	—
Kandy	3,791	4,859	4	9	12	3	15	12	3	7	8	35-91	31-50	19-38	46-98	20-50	1	321	1	321	77-3	1-99
Gampola	3,454	4,220	2	3	14	10	24	14	24	20	4	24-85	13-95	11-16	22-78	13-20	2	355	2	355	77-3	—
Navalapitiya	2,858	3,979	2	2	24	19	43	24	43	3	3	15-80	11-84	8-86	9-54	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Hatton and Dikoya	4,951	5,776	7	6	13	19	10	29	15	14	14	10-45	26-50	28-54	42-86	32-52	4	314	4	314	77-3	1-54
Matale	5,072	9,054	11	4	7	9	15	7	16	5	11	15-43	19-51	14-30	14-30	18-73	3	370	3	370	77-3	4-92
Nuwara Eliya	33,879	35,691	65	53	51	63	118	51	114	—	114	42-16	38-93	37-61	34-20	39-63	32	316	32	316	77-3	5-02
<b>Northern Province.</b>	3,338	3,338	6	10	9	4	13	9	13	—	13	40-56	56-44	45-85	36-48	52-35	5	477	5	477	77-3	1-02
Jaffna	1,308	1,432	3	—	4	3	3	4	3	—	7	32-00	24-67	57-56	43-83	63-01	3	2-2	3	2-2	77-3	2-44
Mannar	566	603	—	—	2	—	—	2	—	1	1	23-45	—	19-53	148-56	23-49	—	—	—	—	77-3	1-15
Mullaitivu	37,165	40,844	66	48	70	76	134	70	146	15	131	29-79	38-62	37-76	27-53	36-92	29	256	29	256	77-3	5-66
Vavuniya	11,848	13,651	30	21	14	23	37	14	23	—	37	38-48	43-99	31-91	25-12	30-90	9	218	9	218	77-3	—
Galle	7,430	10,720	17	15	12	5	17	12	5	—	17	18-31	35-15	18-67	9-93	—	4	103	4	103	77-3	2-00
Mataara	2,843	3,117	6	5	6	5	11	6	11	—	11	37-00	41-55	41-55	30-69	43-50	4	398	4	398	77-3	—
Weligama	2,333	2,716	2	1	5	2	3	5	2	7	6	32-86	13-00	26-01	40-15	27-48	3	290	3	290	77-3	—
Hambantota	9,969	10,564	7	10	15	18	17	15	18	33	28	33-79	18-94	31-22	37-03	32-18	6	233	6	233	77-3	3-05
Tangalla	11,987	11,295	12	17	16	23	29	16	23	39	39	27-75	30-23	40-65	34-32	47-15	13	355	13	355	77-3	1-96
<b>Southern Province.</b>	6,483	8,564	8	14	19	16	22	19	16	35	14	25-55	30-25	28-87	59-06	34-01	3	491	3	491	77-3	—
Batticaloa	5,115	5,248	5	13	10	6	16	10	6	16	2	35-35	40-38	31-42	42-86	32-16	4	356	4	356	77-3	—
Mataara	1,487	1,673	2	1	8	—	3	8	—	8	8	25-28	21-11	56-29	28-79	—	3	445	3	445	77-3	—
Trincomalee	4,168	4,614	8	11	10	8	18	10	8	18	17	35-66	48-49	43-38	31-06	44-19	1	212	1	212	77-3	—
<b>North-Western Province.</b>	3,672	5,241	6	6	13	8	12	13	8	21	6	23-54	26-96	33-70	56-32	38-83	5	534	5	534	77-3	—
Kurunegala	5,924	6,910	12	7	22	12	19	22	12	34	24	30-58	32-37	17-04	27-56	17-42	2	304	2	304	77-3	—
Puttalam	—	416	2	—	13	15	2	13	15	28	28	41-08	56-61	—	40-27	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Puttalam	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Kalpitiya	4,084	4,683	11	5	35	14	16	35	14	49	42	30-59	40-23	17-60	38-94	18-21	291	291	291	77-3	—	
Chilaw	2,340	2,638	4	4	8	6	8	8	6	14	12	26-79	35-71	8-93	22-43	9-30	2	220	2	220	77-3	—
<b>North-Central Province.</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Batticaloa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Trincomalee	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
<b>Province of Uva.</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Badulla	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Lunugala	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
<b>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</b>	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Ratnapura	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—
Kegalla	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	77-3	—

\* I.e., rate calculated on the basis that the age- and sex-constitution of the population of each town is the same as for the whole Island, and also (as in crude rate) excluding non-residents omitted where the number of births is less than five. † Blank indicates that there are no observatories or rain-gauges. ‡ Infantile death-rate not available, as they were created registration districts after the Census of 1901. § Corrected death-rates for "Hattion and Dikoya," Weligama, and Kalpitiya towns of growth, 1891-1900 or 1901-1910. ¶ Population of Mannar and Trincomalee towns not having been separately enumerated at the Census of 1891, no estimates can be made of the town (as now constituted) was not enumerated at the Census of 1901; the estimate is of the population at the beginning of October, 1907. †† The population of Lunugala at the beginning of October, 1907.

Table II.—Causes of Deaths registered during January, 1910 in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1896.

Causes of Deaths.	All 31 Towns.												Deaths among all Races.																											
	Western Province.				Central Province.				Northern Province.				Southern Province.				Eastern Province.		North-Western Province.			North-Central Province.		Province of Sabaragamuwa.																
	Colombo.	Negombo.	Moratuwa.	Kalutara.	Pandure.	Kandy.	Gampola.	Navalapitiya.	Hatton and Dikoya.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Matara.	Weligama.	Hambantota.	Tangalla.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunnegala.	Puttalam.	Kalpitiya.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Lunugala.	Katnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.		
All Causes	521*	30	83	29	18	73	15	24	43	29	16	14	13	7	2	146	37	17	11	7	33	39	35	16	8	18	21	34	28	49	14	6	43	664	584	185	27	21		
i.—Infantile Mortality	311	133	2	7	1	8	1	2	—	4	3	5	3	—	29	9	4	4	3	—	6	13	3	4	3	1	5	2	—	2	1	10	134	93	55	12	6			
A.—One Week and under.																																								
1. Prematurity	35	6	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Debility	29	13	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	33	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Tetanus	11	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8. Other causes	8†	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.																																								
1. Prematurity	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Debility	26	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	65	22	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	14	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Tetanus	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Bronchitis	14	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7. Pneumonia	16	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
8. Other causes	53†	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)	1,219	388	28	17	61	22	17	65	14	22	43	25	13	82	8	4	2	117	28	13	7	4	27	26	32	12	5	17	16	32	28	49	12	5	33	530	491	130	15	15
1. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Measles	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Influenza	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Simple Fever	19	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

\* Includes 4 deaths of town residents which occurred in the Enteric Hospital, Kanatta, vide Table IV, footnote (\*).

† Three from Prolonged Labour (2 in Jaffna, 1 in Kalutara), 2 from Thrush (in Moratuwa), and 1 each from Imperforate Anus (in Colombo), Atelectasis (in Galle), and Starvation (in Puttalam).

‡ This contains, besides the 33 deaths described in Table IV, footnote (†), 7 deaths from Enteritis (5 in Galle, 1 each in Jaffna and Batticaloa), 2 each from Dysentery (in Jaffna) and Thrush (in Moratuwa), and 1 each from Fever, Abscess, Erysipelas, Nephritis, and Measles (in Jaffna), Worms (in Weligama), Peritonitis (in Moratuwa), Stomatitis (in Chilaw), and Malarial Cachexia (in Badulla).



**Table III.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during the Month of January, 1910, and their Proportion per 1,000 of the Population, and the Deaths of Children under One Year and their Proportion per 1,000 Registered Births, together with the Average Birth- and Death-rates and Infantile Mortality from January, 1908, to December, 1909, in each Ward of the City of Colombo.**

Wards.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1901.	Population estimated to the beginning of 1910 by Inter-censal Increase.	Total Births registered.			Total Deaths including Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.			Deaths of Non-residents.	Deaths of Residents.	Per Mille per Annum.						Deaths of Children under One Year.	Deaths of Children under One Year of Age to 1,000 Births registered.
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.			Birth-rate.		Crude Death-rate.		Corrected Death-rate.			
											Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1909.	January, 1910.	Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1909.	January, 1910.				
			209	217	426	285	256	521			80	441	25.25	26.74	30.94	27.68		
City of Colombo ..	155,869	185,704	209	217	426	285	256	521	80	441	25.25	26.74	30.94	27.68	30.81	133	333	312
Fort and Galle Face	2,285	2,285†	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	5.25	10.31	6.82	—	—	—	139	—
Pettah ..	7,561	7,561†	1	3	4	6	3	9	—	9	6.90	6.23	12.30	14.02	—	1	386	—
San Sebastian ..	9,349	10,796	13	12	25	12	14	26	—	26	21.69	27.04	23.81	28.12	—	7	329	280
St. Paul's ..	20,260	24,522	17	15	32	17	27	44	—	44	18.02	15.20	24.31	20.90	—	16	390	500
Kotahena ..	33,355	39,011	36	50	86	39	45	84	—	84	22.70	25.73	25.70	25.13	—	24	356	279
New Bazaar ..	17,470	20,595	26	27	53	25	25	50	—	50	23.20	30.02	30.80	28.32	—	17	415	321
Maradana Hospitals			26	30	56	85	57	142	80	62	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	—
Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals) ..	30,381	38,029	38	24	62	40	45	85	—	85	22.50	18.95	29.17	25.98	—	28	371	452
Slave Island ..	16,927	20,504	24	28	52	22	16	38	—	38	24.57	29.53	28.01	21.53	—	18	368	346
Kollupitiya ..	18,261	23,975	28	26	54	19	24	43	—	43	16.19	26.12	20.20	20.80	—	5	300	279

\* For explanation of "corrected death-rate" see note \* Table I. The population of the several wards of the city not being available by age- and sex-constitution, their corrected death-rates cannot be calculated.

† Infantile death-rates omitted where number of births is less than five.

‡ The population of these two wards being a fluctuating one, their estimated population cannot be calculated. Hence the Census figures are retained.

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths registered during the Month of January, 1910, in each Ward and Race of the City of Colombo.

Causes of Deaths.	City of Colombo.	Ward.										Deaths among all Races.						
		Fort and Calle Face.	Pettah.	San Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
<b>All Causes</b>	521*	—	9	26	44	84	50	142	85	38	48	5	35	254	114	79	19	15
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b>	133	—	1	7	16	24	17	17	28	18	5	1	8	58	25	28	9	4
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																		
1. Prematurity	6	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—
2. Debility	13	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	4	3	—	1	—
3. Convulsions	6	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	3	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	7	—	—	—	2	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	1†	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>																		
1. Prematurity	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	12	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	22	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	7	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	4	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	11	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	9	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	34‡	—	—	—	—	5	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)</b>	388	—	8	19	28	60	33	125	57	20	38	4	27	196	89	51	10	11
1. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Influenza	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

\* Includes 4 deaths of town residents who died in the Enteric Hospital at Kanatta (of a Tamil removed from New Bazaar, a Sinhalese and a Malay from Maradana exclusive of hospitals, and a Sinhalese from Kollupitiya).  
 † Represents the death of a Sinhalese from Impuriforate Anus (in Maradana hospitals).  
 ‡ Fifteen from Enteritis (7 each in Maradana hospitals and Maradana exclusive of hospitals and 1 in Kotahena), 3 from Syphilis (1 each in San Sebastian, Kotahena and Maradana hospitals), 2 from Abscess (1 each in Maradana exclusive of hospitals and Slave Island), 2 from Dysentery (1 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena), 2 from Typhus (in St. Paul's), 1 each from Cerebritis (in Pettah), Intestinal Obstruction (in San Sebastian), Phthisis (in St. Paul's), Fever and Worms (in Kotahena), Heart Disease (in New Bazaar), Protoplasm of Gut (in hospitals), Dropsy, Laryngitis, and Inflammation of Lungs (in Kollupitiya).

