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**VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWNS IN CEYLON IN THE
MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1911.**

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 1,373 (703 males and 670 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 35·29 per 1,000, against 38·85 during the preceding month, 32·80 in the corresponding month of last year, and 29·60 the monthly average for the forty-two months July, 1907, to December, 1910. Of the towns (excluding Vavuniya and Lunugala, which have a population under 1,000), the highest birth-rate was in Mullaittivu (108·19, average 34·40), and the lowest in Hatton and Dikoya (12·64, average 15·33).

3. In the city of Colombo* the births numbered 497 (263 males and 234 females), and were equal to an annual rate† of 32·79 per 1,000, against 36·05 in the preceding month, 30·16 in the corresponding month of last year, and 25·23 the monthly average. Of the wards (omitting Fort and Galle Face and the Pettah, which contain a population mainly floating), the highest birth-rate was in New Bazaar (40·63, average 23·30), and the lowest in St. Paul's (15·95, average 17·43).

Deaths.

4. The deaths registered in the 31 towns during the month numbered 1,440 (792 males and 648 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 30·83 per 1,000, against 29·27 during the preceding month, 28·89 in the corresponding month of last year, and 30·28 the monthly average. Excluding Vavuniya and Lunugala, the highest death-rate was in Mullaittivu (98·69, average 49·02), and the lowest in Nuwara Eliya (14·17, average 13·71).

5. In the city of Colombo* the deaths registered numbered 536 (299 males and 237 females), and were equal to an annual rate† of 33·62 per 1,000, against 29·84 during the preceding month, 29·93 in the corresponding month of last year, and 32·35 the monthly average. The health of the city was slightly worse than usual. Omitting Fort and Galle Face Ward and the Pettah Ward, the lowest death-rate was in Kollupitiya (21·38, average 19·64), and the highest in St Paul's and New Bazaar (each 31·39, against their respective averages 23·60 and 28·64).

Infantile Mortality.

6. The infantile mortality of the 31 towns was equal to a rate of 232 per 1,000 births registered, against 216 in the preceding month, 220 in the corresponding month of last year, and 254 the monthly average. In the towns having an estimated population of 5,000 or more, the infantile mortality ranged from 444 in Batticaloa (average 335), 400 in Nuwara Eliya (average 297), 400 in Kurunegala (average 359), to 167 each in Anuradhapura and Badulla (average 410 and 243 respectively), 160 in Trincomalee (average 274), 156 each in Negombo and Galle (average 164 and 207 respectively).

7. The infantile mortality in the city of Colombo was 247 per 1,000 births registered, against 217 in the previous month, 286 in the corresponding month of last year, and 317 the monthly average, and ranged from 600 in Pettah (average 346) to 197 in New Bazaar (average 388).

Causes of Death.

8. *Infants*.—Out of the 1,440 deaths from all causes at all ages in the 31 towns, 319 were among infants under one year. Of these, the chief causes were 82 *Convulsions* (including 32 in Colombo, 7 in Moratuwa, 6 in Batticaloa, 5 in Kalutara); 57 *Debility* (17 in Colombo, 12 in Jaffna, 4 in Kandy); 52 *Premature Birth* (11 in Colombo, 7 in Jaffna, 6 each in Kandy and Galle, 5 in Moratuwa); 27 *Tetanus* (13 in Colombo, 7 in Galle); 17 *Pneumonia* (9 in Colombo); 16 *Diarrhœa* (6 in Colombo); 16 *Enteritis* (13 in Colombo); 11 *Bronchitis* (7 in Colombo).

* Consequent on the extension of the limits of the Colombo Municipality in February, 1910, by adding about 49 acres to Kotahena Ward, 531 to Maradana Ward, and 1,013 to Kollupitiya Ward, it became necessary to alter the limits of these registration divisions to make them co-terminous with the Municipal divisions, and this was done with effect from October 1, 1910, by Proclamation of September 13, 1910. The population of the town was increased but slightly, as the added parts are not populous. An additional Registrar has from October 1 been appointed to Kollupitiya Ward, owing to the large area of the ward as enlarged, the ward being divided into two registration divisions, north and south.

† The city-rate is worked out independently of the ward-rates and on a different basis of population, and takes into account hospital events, &c., not assignable to wards.

9. In the city of Colombo; out of the 536 deaths from all causes at all ages, 123 were among infants under one year. Of these, the chief causes were 32 *Convulsions* (13 in Maradana exclusive of hospitals, 8 in Kollupitiya, 4 in St. Paul's, 3 in Slave Island); 17 *Debility* (4 in Slave Island, 3 each in New Bazaar and Maradana hospitals); 13 *Enteritis* (7 in Maradana exclusive of hospitals, 2 each in St. Paul's and Kotahena); 13 *Tetanus* (7 in Kotahena, 3 in New Bazaar); 11 *Premature Birth* (3 each in Kotahena and Kollupitiya, 2 each in Maradana hospitals and Slave Island); 9 *Pneumonia* (5 in Kotahena, 2 in Maradana exclusive of hospitals); 7 *Bronchitis* (4 in New Bazaar); 6 *Diarrhœa* (2 in Maradana exclusive of hospitals).

* 10. **General Mortality (One Year and over).**—Out of the 1,121 deaths of persons one year and over in age in the 31 towns, there were 139 from *Pneumonia* (60 in Colombo, 8 in Moratuwa, 6 each in Batticaloa and Kegalla, 5 each in Kalutara, Jaffna, Kurunegala, and Kalpitiya); 122 from *Diarrhœa* (19 in Ratnapura, 10 in Kandy, 9 each in Colombo, Matale, and Lunugala, 8 each in Jaffna and Matara); 113 from *Phthisis* (64 in Colombo, 10 in Galle, 7 in Kandy, 6 in Moratuwa); 61 from *Dysentery* (20 in Colombo, 9 in Ratnapura, 6 in Badulla); 61 from *Dochmius Duodenalis* or *Anchylostomiasis* (14 in Colombo, 8 in Kandy, 6 each in Matale and Kegalla); 42 from *Enteritis* (31 in Colombo, 5 in Badulla, 3 in Galle); 40 from *Malarial Cachexia* (5 each in Matale and Trincomalee, 4 each in Moratuwa, Batticaloa, and Badulla); 39 from *Remittent Fever* (8 each in Colombo and Jaffna, 5 in Chilaw, 4 in Matara); 38 from *Enteric Fever* (25 in Colombo, 8 in Moratuwa); 22 from *Bright's Disease* and *Nephritis* (9 in Colombo, 2 each in Moratuwa, Kandy, Jaffna, and Galle); 20 from *Puerperal Fever* (9 in Colombo, 2 each in Negombo and Anuradhapura); 19 from *Bronchitis* (15 in Colombo).

11. The highest mortality in the city of Colombo was from *Phthisis* (15 per cent. of all deaths one year and over), followed by *Pneumonia* (14 per cent.), *Enteritis* (7 per cent.), *Enteric Fever* (6 per cent.), *Dysentery* (5 per cent.). Out of the 113 deaths from *Phthisis* in all towns at all ages, 64 occurred in Colombo. *Phthisis* and *Pneumonia* were together responsible for 133 deaths at all ages in the city, or nearly 25 per cent. of the deaths from all causes.

12. Taking all the towns together, *Diarrhœa* and *Dysentery* contributed the highest mortality (nearly 14 per cent.), followed by *Bronchitis* and *Pneumonia* (13 per cent.), *Phthisis* (8 per cent.), and *Infantile Convulsions* (7 per cent.).

Meteorology.

13. *Rainfall.*—Kalutara records the highest rainfall (6.54 inches), as in the previous month. The next highest, 4.39 inches, was in Tangalla. Colombo records 0.45 inches. In Negombo, Mannar, and Kurunegala there was no rainfall at all.

14. *Temperature.*—The mean temperature varied from 69.4 in Badulla to 80.6° in Ratnapura, and was 78.0° in Colombo, 76.0° in Kandy, and 75.9° in Anuradhapura. Information in respect of Nuwara Eliya, which usually records the lowest temperature, has not been received.

* 15. 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, March 14, 1911.

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Table I.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during February, 1911, 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, 1910, and the Mean Temperature and Rainfall in the month in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Towns.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1901.	Population estimated to the Middle of 1911 by Inter-censal 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/Persons.	Males.	Females/Persons.		Crude, February, 1911.	Corrected,* July 1907, to Dec. 1910.	February, 1911.	July, 1907, to Dec. 1910.	Feb.-Mar., 1911.†					
All 31 Towns	423,109	507,042§	703	670	1,373	648	1,440	305	35.29	29.18	30.28	30.83	319	254	232		
<i>Western Province.</i>																	
Colombo	155,869	197,613§	263	234	497	287	536	78	25.23	30.21	32.35	33.62	123	317	247	78.0	0.45
Negombo	19,819	20,778	23	22	45	13	35	8	37.73	16.93	24.26	17.27	7	164	156	—	0.00
Moratuwa	29,600	36,190	66	62	128	40	80	—	32.55	28.82	20.21	27.20	22	156	172	—	—
Kalutara	11,500	12,196	21	25	46	12	36	3	33.17	49.17	35.27	28.10	9	162	196	—	6.54
Panadure	3,845	4,465	8	4	12	5	10	3	33.63	20.44	27.74	21.70	1	201	83	—	—
<i>Central Province.</i>																	
Kandy	26,511	30,725	40	34	74	53	89	16	28.53	30.97	29.16	32.48	19	230	257	76.0	0.14
Gampola	3,791	4,990	10	17	27	5	15	5	35.54	26.12	42.11	27.63	7	248	259	—	0.26
Nawalapitiya	3,454	4,312	8	7	15	14	19	14	24.73	15.12	23.28	18.02	4	285	267	—	—
Hatton and Dikoya	2,858	4,125	4	—	4	2	6	5	15.33	12.64	3.16	—	—	0	0	—	0.98
Matale	4,951	5,873	5	7	12	27	39	27	31.38	26.64	40.43	30.35	3	251	250	—	0.11
Nuwara Eliya	5,072	9,634	1	9	10	6	14	6	15.39	10.82	13.71	14.17	4	297	400	—	Not received
<i>Northern Province.</i>																	
Jaffna	33,879	35,892	53	45	98	40	80	3	40.19	27.97	33.72	29.47	34	270	347	78.6	0.05
Mannar	3,338	3,338	5	8	13	7	11	—	40.84	50.77	37.47	49.04	2	191	154	80.0	0.00
Mullaitivu	1,308	1,446	5	7	12	4	10	—	34.40	108.19	90.16	49.02	5	198	417	—	Not received
Vavuniya	566	607	—	—	—	2	3	2	24.85	21.48	125.85	25.83	—	337	—	—	do.
<i>Southern Province.</i>																	
Galle	37,165	41,259	67	61	128	47	89	8	29.65	40.44	25.59	28.07	20	207	156	78.2	2.10
Matara	11,848	13,859	14	34	48	27	48	8	38.37	45.15	37.02	36.42	10	164	208	—	1.00
Weligama	7,430	11,153	12	12	24	9	18	—	22.05	28.05	11.84	—	5	99	208	—	—
Hambantota	2,843	3,148	5	6	11	8	15	—	36.77	45.55	62.11	32.41	4	329	364	79.2	0.37
Tangalla	2,333	2,760	5	7	12	5	10	—	36.68	56.67	47.22	3.877	2	204	167	—	4.39
<i>Eastern Province.</i>																	
Batticaloa	9,969	10,629	10	8	18	16	30	4	31.81	22.07	31.88	32.88	8	335	444	78.1	0.48
Trincomalee	11,887	11,295	19	6	25	9	25	—	28.61	28.85	34.23	33.46	4	274	160	80.4	0.17
<i>North-Western Province.</i>																	
Kurunegala	6,483	8,823	10	10	20	22	35	11	26.49	29.55	35.46	41.77	8	359	400	79.3	0.00
Patalagam	5,115	5,263	15	8	23	9	13	4	37.24	56.97	22.29	39.46	7	277	304	77.9	0.25
Kalpitiya	1,487	1,695	1	1	2	5	4	—	25.34	15.38	69.23	30.63	2	293	—	—	—
Chilaw	4,168	4,664	6	6	12	11	24	3	35.34	33.54	58.69	32.32	1	186	83	—	0.10
<i>North-Central Province.</i>																	
Anuradhapura	3,672	5,445	7	5	12	6	11	1	24.11	28.73	38.30	54.46	2	410	167	75.9	0.38
<i>Province of Uva.</i>																	
Badulla	5,924	7,025	7	11	18	16	35	21	30.67	33.40	25.98	27.54	3	243	167	69.4	2.14
Lunugala	—	416**	—	—	—	7	10	17	49.33	0	43.66	—	2	178	—	—	—
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>																	
Ratnapura	4,084	4,752	12	9	21	24	45	10	31.59	57.60	27.43	37.45	1	226	48	80.6	2.00
Kegalla	2,340	2,672	1	5	6	19	27	4	28.19	29.27	19.51	21.48	—	220	0	—	—

* 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. † Infantile death-rate omitted where the number of births is less than five. ‡ Blank indicates that there are no observatories or rain-gauges. § This includes the population estimated as added on the extension of the town limits. See note * p. 1. ¶ Corrected death-rates for "Hatton and Dikoya," Weligama, Kalpitiya, and Lunugala towns not available, as they were created registration districts after the Census of 1901. The death-rate given for "All Towns" is therefore independent of these towns, but is scarcely affected by their rates. †† Population of Mannar and Trincomalee towns not having been separately enumerated at the Census of 1891, no estimate can be made of the rate of growth, 1891-1900 or 1901-1911. The population estimated for 1911 is the Census population of 1901, less (in the case of Trincomalee) the Military, who are no longer stationed there. ** The population of Lunugala town (as now constituted) enumerated at the Census of 1901; the estimate is of the population at the beginning of October, 1907.

Table II.—Causes of Deaths registered during February, 1911, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

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.	Moretuwa.	Kalutara.	Panadura.	Kandy.	Gampola.	Nawalapitiya.	Hatton and Dikoya.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Matera.	Weligama.	Hambantota.	Tangalla.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Kalpitiya.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Lunugala.	Retnapura.	Kegalle.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.					
All Causes	1,440	586	35	80	36	10	89	15	19	7	4	3	89	48	18	15	10	30	25	35	13	9	24	17	35	17	45	27	5	27	669	499	181	34	25								
I.—Infantile Mortality	319	123	7	22	9	1	19	7	4	—	3	4	34	2	5	—	20	10	5	4	2	8	4	8	7	2	1	—	2	8	154	94	49	11	1								
A.—One Week and under.	49	11	1	4	1	—	6	3	—	—	—	7	1	3	—	5	2	1	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
1. Prematurity	34	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
2. Debility	23	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8. Other causes	6*	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1. Prematurity	23	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Debility	59	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	15	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	16	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4a. Enteritis	7	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
5. Tetanus	11	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
6. Bronchitis	16	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
7. Pneumonia	35†	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
8. Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)	1,121	413	28	58	27	9	70	8	15	6	36	10	46	9	5	3	69	38	13	11	8	22	21	27	6	7	23	15	32	15	44	27	3	19	515	405	132	23	24				
1. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Influenza	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Simple Fever	12	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Three from Inanition (2 in Puttalam 1 in Colombo), 2 from Prolonged Labour (1 in Jaffna, 1 in Tangalle), and 1 from Constipation (in Jaffna).
 † This includes, besides the 13 deaths mentioned in Table IV., footnote †, 2 each from Thrush, (in Moratuwa), Fever and Congenital Syphilis (in Kandy), Asthma (in Jaffna), Worms (in Negombo, 1 in Panadura), Inanition (in Puttalam), Abscess (1 in Jaffna, 1 in Weligama), and 1 each from Imperforate Anus (in Kalutara), Stomatitis (in Gampola), Intussusception of Intestine (in Nawalapitiya), Congestion of Lungs, (in Galle), Malaria (in Tangalle), Malarial Cachexia (in Batticaloa), and Erysipelas (in Jaffna).

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths registered during the Month of February, 1911, in each Ward and Race of the City of Colombo.

Causes of Deaths.	City of Colombo.	Ward.										Deaths among all Races.							
		Port and Galle Face.	Petah.	San Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollipitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
All Causes	536	3	10	22	61	79	51	136	91	36	47	4	18	259	138	79	28	15	
I.—Infantile Mortality	123	—	3	8	10	23	13	11	29	13	13	2	3	65	27	10	6	1	
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																			
1. Prematurity	11	—	—	—	—	3	—	2	1	2	3	—	—	9	5	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	9	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	1	1	—	—	—	3	3	1	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	2	—	—	3	3	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	8	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	3	2	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	1*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>																			
1. Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a Enteritis	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	14†	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)	413	3	7	14	51	56	38	125	62	23	34	2	15	194	111	60	17	14	
1. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Influenza	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Represents the death of a Tamil from Starvation (in Slave Island).

† Includes 4 deaths from Starvation (2 in Maradana hospitals and 1 each in Maradana, exclusive of hospitals and Kollipitiya), 2 each from Worms (1 each in New Bazaar and Slave Island), and Gastritis (1 each in New Bazaar and Maradana hospitals), and 1 each from Dysentery and Burns, Accident (in Maradana hospitals), Inflammation of the Kidneys and Inflammation of the Brain (in Maradana, exclusive of hospitals), Remittent Fever (in Slave Island), and Tubercular Meningitis (in Kotahena).

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths registered during the Month of February, 1911, in each Ward and Race of the City of Colombo—contd.

Causes of Deaths.	City of Colombo.	Ward.										Deaths among all Races.							
		Port and Galle Race.	Pettah.	San Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)—contd.																			
5. Simple Fever ..	4																		
6. Enteric Fever ..	25				5	6	1	6	3	1	4	1	1	2	2	15	5	2	2
7. Remittent Fever ..	7					2			3							3	1		
8. Ague ..	1																1		
9. Malarial Cachexia ..	1																		
10. Cholera ..	9				3	1		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	1	1
11. Diarrhoea ..	31				2	3		2	2	4	19	8	1	1	11	11	8	4	1
11(a) Enteritis ..	20				2	3		4	1	2	2	1	1	1	9	9	4	1	1
12. Dysentery ..	14										14	1	1	1	9	8	4	1	1
13. Doehnius Duodenalis ..	1				6	8		13	1	1	18	12	2	1	30	14	13	2	3
14. Cancer ..	64					1					1	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1
15. Phthisis ..	4					1					1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1
16. Other Tubercular Diseases ..	1																		
17. Anemia ..	3					1					1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1
18. Diabetes Mellitus ..	4				2	1		1				1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1
19. Convulsions ..	5				1	4		2				3	3	3	6	6	2	2	1
20. Tetanus ..	15				2	5		7			18	8	2	2	1	1	2	1	1
21. Bronchitis ..	60				12	5		1			1	8	1	4	23	20	8	4	3
22. Pneumonia ..	4				4	2		2			1	1	1	2	3	3	3	1	1
23. Other Diseases of Respiratory System ..	9										2	2	2	2	5	5	3	1	1
24. Bright's Disease and Nephritis ..	3											1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
25. Puerperal Convulsions ..	9					3					3	2	2	2	6	6	2	1	1
26. Puerperal Fever ..	9											2	3	3	1	1	1	1	1
27. Miscarriage ..																			
28. Other and undefined Accidents of Child-birth ..	3										2								
29. Starvation ..																			
30. Accidents or Negligence ..	12				1	1					7								
31. Homicide ..	4					1					2								
32. Suicide ..	2					1					1								
33. Execution ..	1					6					1								
34. All other Causes ..	97*		1	6	10	17	5	24	6	11	2	17	2	47	25	18	4	1	1

* Here are included 31 deaths from Enteritis (19 in Maradana hospitals, 8 in Maradana, exclusive of hospitals), 14 from Old Age (5 in Kotahena, 4 in Maradana, exclusive of hospitals), 8 from Debility (5 in Kotahena).