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**VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWNS IN CEYLON IN THE
MONTH OF JANUARY, 1914.**

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

THIS report deals with the Vital Statistics of the 32 principal towns in the Island proclaimed under sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895, the town of Kalmunai in Batticaloa, proclaimed with effect from January, 1914, being included for the first time.

Births.

2. The births numbered 1,536 (793 males and 743 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 32·00 per 1,000, against 31·22 in the preceding month, 30·10 in the corresponding month of last year, and 29·29 the monthly average since July, 1907. The rate ranged from 56·13 in Negombo to 15·22 in Hatton and Dikoya.

3. In the city of Colombo* the births numbered 513 (275 males and 238 females), and were equal to an annual rate† of 24·84 per 1,000, against 25·11 in the preceding month, 25·82 in the corresponding month of last year, and 24·83 the monthly average. The rate ranged from 31·67 in Wellawatta to 8·51 in Kollupitiya.

Deaths.

4. The total deaths amounted to 2,225 (1,180 males and 1,045 females), and were equal to an annual rate of 41·49 per 1,000, against 38·55 in the preceding month, 35·15 in the corresponding month of last year, and 30·56 the monthly average. The rate ranged from 100·50 in Jaffna to 7·19 in Nuwara Eliya.

5. In the city of Colombo* the deaths numbered 627 (350 males and 277 females), and were equal to an annual rate† of 29·83 per 1,000, against 36·61 in the preceding month, 29·20 in the corresponding month of last year, and 31·23 the monthly average. Kollupitiya showed the lowest rate, viz., 5·42, and Kotahena the highest, viz., 29·45.

6. Stillbirths numbered 118 (67 males and 51 females), against 113 in the preceding month.

Infantile Mortality.

7. The infantile mortality was equal to a rate of 380 per 1,000 births registered, against 377 in the preceding month, 339 in the corresponding month of last year, and 266 the monthly average. The rate ranged from 923 in Chilaw to 125 in Kalmunai.

8. The infantile mortality in the city of Colombo was 361 per 1,000 births registered, against 433 in the preceding month, 321 in the corresponding month of last year, and 322 the monthly average since July, 1907, and ranged from 647 in St. Paul's to 91 in Kollupitiya.

Causes of Death.

9. The highest mortality was from *Pneumonia* and *Malaria* (9 per cent. each), *Diarrhoea* and *Debility* (8 per cent. each), *Infantile Convulsions* and *Dysentery* (7 per cent. each), *Phthisis* (5 per cent.), and *Bronchitis* (3 per cent.).

10. In the city of Colombo the highest mortality was from *Pneumonia* (12 per cent.), *Infantile Convulsions* and *Phthisis* (8 per cent. each), *Debility* (7 per cent.), *Enteritis* (6 per cent.), *Bronchitis* (5 per cent.), *Diarrhoea*, *Dysentery*, *Bright's Disease*, and *Nephritis* (3 per cent. each), and *Enteric Fever* (1 per cent.). Three deaths were due to *Plague*.

11. *Infectious Diseases reported.*—The most prevalent infectious disease during the month was *Chickenpox*, of which 103 cases were reported (54 in Colombo, 10 in Kandy, 9 in Galle, 8 in Gampola), followed by *Phthisis* 94 (73 in Colombo, 12 in Galle), *Enteric Fever* 70 (33 in Colombo, 11 in Moratuwa, 7 in Galle), *Measles* 23 (11 in Colombo, 6 in Kandy, 5 in Galle), *Cholera* 17 (13 in Galle, 2 each in Colombo and Negombo), *Continued Fever* 17 (16 in Colombo, 1 in Panadure), *Acute Diarrhoea* 12 (10 in Kalutara, 2 in Colombo), *Mumps* 9 (in Colombo), *Plague* 4 (3 in Colombo, 1 in Kandy), *Dysentery* 4 (2 in Kalutara, 1 each in Moratuwa and Kegalla), and *Beri-beri* 1 (in Colombo).

Meteorology.

12. *Rainfall.*—Batticaloa recorded the highest rainfall (16·74 inches), followed by Badulla (8·49 inches). The next highest records (4·66 inches and 4·42 inches) were in Matale and Kalutara, while in the other towns the rainfall ranged from 3·60 inches in Mullaitivu to 0·15 inch in Negombo.

13. *Temperature.*—The mean temperature varied from 58·3° in Nuwara Eliya to 80·7° in Ratnapura, and was 80·2° in Colombo and 75·9° in Kandy.

14. 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 14, 1914.

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* Consequent on the extension of the Municipal limits of the Colombo town on November 9, 1911, by the addition of Wellawatta, the limits of the registration division of Kollupitiya Ward were altered with effect from January 1, 1912, by Proclamation of December 18, 1911.

† The city-rate is worked out differently from the ward-rates, and takes into account hospital events, &c., not assignable to wards.

Table I.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during January, 1914, their Proportion per 1,000 of the Population per Annum, and the Stillbirths 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 July, 1907, to December, 1913, and the Mean Temperature and Rainfall in the month in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Provinces and Towns.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1911 by the Census of March 10, 1911.		Total Births.		Total Deaths.		Total Stillbirths.		Deaths of Town Residents.		Birth-rate.		Death-rate.		Deaths of Children under One Year, including Stillbirths.		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.	Persons.	July, 1907, to Dec., 1913.	January, 1914.	Crude, January, 1914.	Corrected, July, 1907, to Dec., 1913.	Jan., 1907, to Dec., 1913.	July, 1907, to Dec., 1913.	Jan., 1914.				
All 32 Towns	798	743	1,536	1,045	2,295	67	51	118	368	1,827	29.29	32.00	38.06	30.56	41.49	583	266	380	—	—
<i>Western.</i>																				
Colombo	275	238	513	277	627	22	22	44	68	531	24.83	24.84	25.72	31.28	29.83	185	322	361	80.2	0.19
Negombo	63	51	114	52	112	4	3	7	5	107	36.57	36.13	52.69	25.91	55.11	26	188	228	—	0.15
Moretuwa	51	68	119	73	131	2	1	3	3	128	37.46	32.88	56.88	27.50	62.73	34	182	286	—	—
Kalutara	31	25	56	19	44	3	4	7	7	37	33.42	38.72	32.19	27.58	31.98	13	176	232	—	4.42
Panadura	5	5	10	9	29	—	—	—	8	21	29.51	18.08	37.96	25.04	45.19	4	187	400	—	—
<i>Central.</i>																				
Kandy	50	57	107	46	91	4	1	5	18	73	27.43	40.40	27.56	29.78	30.04	24	255	224	75.9	2.78
Gampola	10	10	20	16	31	1	1	2	8	23	34.59	37.64	43.28	37.78	44.92	7	287	350	—	1.19
Nawalapitiya	7	8	15	12	17	1	1	2	8	9	27.17	45.45	27.27	29.39	29.65	5	325	333	—	—
Hatton & Dikoya	2	2	4	7	19	1	1	2	12	7	16.84	15.22	26.64	33.11	31.11	2	215	—	—	3.23
Matale	12	7	19	35	40	1	1	2	40	35	30.24	38.69	67.59	41.39	77.67	7	286	368	—	4.66
Nuwara Eliya	9	11	20	7	13	2	—	2	5	8	16.86	18.76	6.31	13.54	7.19	5	287	250	58.3	2.23
<i>Northern.</i>																				
Jaffna	57	67	124	201	363	7	6	13	4	358	37.98	34.04	98.28	34.01	100.50	104	279	839	77.5	1.35
Mannar	6	8	14	4	19	—	—	—	6	13	39.42	41.85	38.86	43.82	42.79	8	302	571	79.2	1.31
Mullattivu	1	4	5	1	3	—	—	—	2	2	33.13	41.42	16.57	49.13	21.97	—	—	—	—	3.60
Vavuniya	2	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	22.38	25.88	12.94	85.60	—	—	—	—	—	1.36
<i>Southern.</i>																				
Galle	68	53	121	69	132	5	3	8	16	116	30.20	34.82	33.38	27.68	32.68	28	209	231	79.3	1.17
Makara	20	26	46	22	49	1	1	2	5	44	38.11	37.15	36.54	23.40	34.81	14	172	304	—	1.63
Weligala	13	8	21	14	24	—	—	—	—	24	29.21	27.29	31.19	21.42	28.10	6	115	286	—	—
Hambantota	4	4	8	6	11	—	—	—	—	7	37.77	29.61	28.91	35.51	28.97	6	351	750	79.7	1.34
Tangalla	8	6	14	5	10	1	—	1	2	8	35.92	41.09	23.48	34.47	24.00	5	219	357	—	2.25
<i>Eastern.</i>																				
Batticaloa	8	8	16	17	26	—	2	2	—	26	31.42	17.26	28.05	35.05	27.66	13	364	813	78.5	16.74
Kalmunai	5	3	8	10	12	—	—	—	3	9	—	46.93	52.80	—	—	1	—	125	—	—
Trincomalee	13	13	26	13	31	3	—	3	1	30	30.14	37.65	43.44	37.89	47.68	11	294	423	79.0	1.80
<i>North-Western.</i>																				
Kurunegala	12	9	21	63	39	1	2	3	40	62	26.94	28.00	82.68	48.96	84.95	14	343	667	78.8	0.88
Puttalam	15	10	25	13	13	3	1	4	7	19	34.51	46.63	36.44	36.15	37.91	13	310	520	78.2	0.00
Kalpitiya	6	—	6	7	5	1	1	1	—	12	26.44	43.27	86.54	—	—	3	319	500	—	0.50
Chilaw	6	7	13	16	9	25	1	1	2	23	33.03	28.57	50.55	33.46	48.46	12	209	923	—	0.82
<i>North-Central.</i>																				
Anurachapura	5	8	13	14	10	—	—	—	—	24	23.01	25.14	46.42	55.52	56.88	5	425	385	76.8	1.63
<i>Uva.</i>																				
Badulla	12	12	24	32	54	2	—	2	27	27	31.64	42.16	47.43	32.72	52.33	10	286	417	70.6	8.49
Lunugala	2	—	2	10	10	—	—	—	18	2	38.55	41.93	41.93	—	—	—	—	196	—	—
<i>Sabaragamuwa.</i>																				
Retaspura	10	10	20	41	30	1	1	2	33	38	29.64	38.84	73.80	43.17	83.66	12	287	600	80.7	4.06
Kegalla	5	5	10	13	7	2	1	3	17	3	26.72	45.20	13.56	21.84	12.44	5	235	500	—	0.75

* 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 observations or rain-gauges. § This includes the population as added on the extension of the town limits. See note * p. 1. ¶ Estimated to the end of December, 1913, by natural increase method owing to the inability of applying the intercensal method, as the limits of the town were altered between 1901 and 1911. ** Calculated for non-estate events on the population exclusive of the estate population at the Census of 1911. *** Corrected death-rates for Kalpitiya and Lunugala towns not available, as the population of these towns has not been enumerated at the Census of 1911. †† Corrected death-rates for Kalpitiya and Lunugala towns not available, as the population of these towns has not been enumerated at the Census of 1911 by age and sex, while the town of Kalmunai was created a registration division only in January, 1914. The death-rate given for "All Towns" is therefore independent of these towns, but is scarcely affected by their rates.

Table II.—Causes of Deaths registered during January, 1914, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Causes of Deaths.	Western Province.				Central Province.			Northern Province.			Southern Provinces.				Eastern Province.			North-Western Province.		North-Central Province.		Provinces of Sabaragamuwa.		Deaths among all Races.																
	Colombo.	Negombo.	Moretuwa.	Kalutara.	Panadura.	Kandy.	Gampola.	Navalapitiya.	Hatton and Dikoya.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Vavuniya.	Galle.	Matara.	Veligama.	Hambantota.	Tangalle.	Batticaloa.	Kalmunai.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Kalpitiya.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Lunugala.	Ratnapura.	Kegalle.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
All Causes	627	112	181	44	39	913	17	19	7	3	1	6	3	91	8	1	20	13	5	5	4	11	9	2	11	25	24	54	20	71	20	5	54	961	881	273	24	27		
I.—Infantile Mortality	465	19	31	6	4	19	7	3	1	6	3	91	8	1	20	13	5	5	4	11	9	2	11	2	11	25	24	5	217	149	75	10	9							
A.—One Week and under.	68	18	12	2	1	4	2	—	—	1	2	18	4	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	6	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1. Prematurity	62	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	33	25	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	37	17	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	29	20	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.	9	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1. Prematurity	51	15	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	89	23	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	14	6	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	11	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	31	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	20	11	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	56†	17	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
8. Other causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)	1,760	486	93	100	38	25	72	24	14	18	69	10	27	11	2	2	11	2	6	15	11	23	91	17	10	14	19	46	20	61	18	5	49	744	732	198	14	18		
1. Plague	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
1a. Smallpox	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* One each from Intestinal Obstruction, Asphyxia Neonatorum (in Moratuwa).
 † This includes, besides the 17 deaths mentioned in Table IV., footnote 1, 13 deaths from Fever (in Jaffna), 9 from Malaria (4 in Jaffna, 1 each in Panadura, Matale, Chilaw, Anuradhapura, and Ratnapura), 5 from Dysentery (3 in Jaffna, 2 in Mannar), 2 each from Worms (1 each in Galle, Chilaw), Asthma (1 each in Kalutara, Jaffna), 1 each from Erysipelas, Constipation (in Chilaw), Abscess (in Jaffna), Malarial Cachexia (Negombo), Thrush (in Moratuwa), Retention of Urine (in Kandy), Nephritis (in Galle), and Syphilis (in Matara).

Table III.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during the Month of January, 1914, and their Proportion per 1,000 of the Population, and the Deaths of Children under One Year, including Stillbirths, and their Proportion per 1,000 Registered Births, together with the Average Birth- and Death-rates and Infantile Mortality from January, 1908, to December, 1913, in each Ward of the City of Colombo.

Wards.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1911.	Population Estimated to the Middle of 1914 by Inter-censal Increase.	Total Births registered.				Total Deaths including Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.			Per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under One Year of Age, including Stillbirths, to 1,000 Births registered.								
			Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Birth-rate.		Crude Death-rate.		Corrected Death-rate.*		Deaths of Children under One Year.					
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Persons.	Persons.	Persons.	Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1913.	January, 1914.	Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1913.	January, 1914.	Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1913.	January, 1914.	Average January, 1908, to Dec., 1913.	January, 1914.						
			275	288	513	22	22	44	350	277	627	531	24.89	24.84	27.85	25.72	29.83	141	324			
City of Colombo...	219,557	248,114†	275	288	513	22	22	44	350	277	627	96	531	24.89	24.84	27.85	25.72	29.83	141	324	381	
Fort and Calle Face	3,512	3,512‡	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	3	4.33	—	6.77	10.06	—	—	—	74	
Pettah ..	7,974	7,974‡	2	3	5	—	—	—	6	2	8	2	6	6.22	7.38	11.04	8.86	—	2	—	287	
San Sebastian ..	11,546	12,393	14	13	27	1	1	1	18	12	30	6	24	21.55	25.65	23.08	22.80	—	10	—	407	
St. Paul's ..	24,735	26,436	16	18	34	2	4	6	39	30	69	19	50	17.23	15.14	22.59	22.27	—	16	—	647	
Kotahena ..	40,771	43,674	51	50	101	6	2	8	55	54	109	—	109	22.78	27.29	23.78	29.45	—	22	—	297	
New Bazaar ..	22,309	24,211	21	23	44	4	1	5	33	26	59	1	68	23.51	21.40	27.51	28.21	—	23	—	636	
Maradana Hospitals			42	35	77	6	6	12	94	71	165	61	104	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	—	—
Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals) ..	48,093	56,081	69	41	110	2	3	5	58	32	90	—	90	21.78	23.09	25.41	18.90	—	27	—	291	
Slave Island ..	21,984	23,997	31	23	54	1	3	4	21	25	46	—	46	23.65	26.50	24.02	22.57	—	13	—	315	
Kollupitiya ..	25,410	30,435	10	12	22	1	—	1	8	6	14	—	14	15.60	8.51	16.68	5.42	—	1	—	91	
Wellawatta ..	13,223§	14,501	19	20	39	—	2	2	15	19	34	7	27	31.06	31.67	27.00	21.92	—	10	—	291	

* For explanation of "corrected death-rates" 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.

† Estimated partly on the intercensal increase method and partly on the natural increase method, i.e., population exclusive of Wellawatta Ward on the former method and that of Wellawatta added to the town on the latter method (as it was not a separate division at the Census of 1901).

‡ The population of these two wards being a fluctuating one, their population cannot be estimated to the middle of 1914. Hence the Census figures are retained.

§ This population is estimated partly on the natural increase method and partly on the intercensal increase method, i.e., population of Wellawatta on the former method (as it was not a separate division at the Census of 1901) and that of the part of Kollupitiya taken over to Wellawatta on the latter method.

|| For the twenty-four months, January, 1912, to December, 1913.

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths registered during the Month of January, 1914, in each Ward and of each Race in the City of Colombo.

Causes of Deaths.	City of Colombo.	Ward.										Deaths among all Races.							
		Port and Galle Race.	Pettah.	San Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maramana Hospitals.	Maramana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Vellawatta.	Europeans.	Burgbers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
All Causes	627	8	8	30	69	109	59	165	90	46	14	34	3	31	299	141	115	16	22
I.—Infantile Mortality	141	—	2	10	16	22	23	17	27	13	1	10	—	5	72	21	27	8	8
A.—One Week and under.																			
1. Prematurity	18					5		8	4	1					13	1	2	1	
2. Debility	12						1	2	3	4					6	2	2	1	
3. Convulsions	17				2		2		6	2	1				6	4	7		
4. Diarrhoea	—																		
4a. Enteritis	—																		
5. Tetanus	3					3										2	1		
6. Bronchitis	—																		
7. Pneumonia	—																		
8. Other Causes	—																		
B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.																			
1. Prematurity	1							1	3						1		3		2
2. Debility	16				4	2	1	1	3	3					8		6		2
3. Convulsions	23				3	2	7		3	2					7	6	6	3	2
4. Diarrhoea	3				1	1									1	2			
4a. Enteritis	6				1			2							3	1			1
5. Tetanus	2				2										2				
6. Bronchitis	13				2	1	7	1		1					8	1	2	1	1
7. Pneumonia	11				2	1	2	1	4			2			6	1	2	1	1
8. Other Causes	17*				2	5	3	3	3			1			12		2	1	1
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)	486	8	6	20	53	87	36	148	63	33	13	24	3	26	227	120	88	8	14
1. Plague	—																		
1a. Smallpox	3			1	1			1								1	2		
2. Chickenpox	—																		
3. Measles	—																		
4. Influenza	—																		

* This includes 4 each from Rickets and Syphilis, 2 from Stomatitis, and 1 each from Whooping Cough, Worms, Ulcer, Tuberculous Meningitis, Nephritis, Gastritis, and Peritonitis.

Table IV. — causes of Deaths registered during the Month of January, 1914, in each Ward and of each Race in the City of Colombo—*contd.*

Causes of Deaths.	City of Colombo.	Ward.										Deaths among all Races.								
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	San Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Mardana Hospitals.	Mardana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Wellawatta.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and over)— <i>contd.</i>																				
5. Pyrexia or Fever ..	4	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Enteric Fever ..	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Malaria ..	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Malarial Cachexia ..	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Cholera ..	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10. Diarrhoea ..	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10a. Enteritis ..	30	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11. Dysentery ..	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
12. Anchylostomiasis or Dochmius Duo- denalis ..	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
13. Cancer ..	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Phthisis ..	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15. Other Tuberculous Diseases ..	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16. Anamia ..	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17. Diabetes Mellitus ..	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18. Convulsions ..	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19. Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20. Bronchitis ..	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21. Pneumonia ..	62	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22. Other Diseases of Respiratory System ..	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23. Bright's Disease and Nephritis ..	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24. Puerperal Eclampsia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25. Puerperal Septicæmia ..	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26. Miscarriage ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27. Other undefined Accidents of Childbirth ..	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28. Starvation ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29. Accidents or Negligence ..	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30. Homicide ..	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
31. Suicide ..	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32. Executions ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. All other causes ..	164*	2	37	10	14	37	10	36	15	7	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* This includes 46 from Senility, 14 from Debility, 10 from Worms, 10 from Anchylostomiasis, and 9 from Paralysis.