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**VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWNS IN CEYLON IN THE
MONTH OF JUNE, 1922.**

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

THIS report deals with the Vital Statistics of the 33 principal towns in the Island proclaimed under sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Marriages.

2. The marriages of residents in proclaimed towns numbered 366 (310 general, 1 Kandyan, and 55 Muhammadan), as against 312 in the preceding month. In Colombo the marriages of residents numbered 146 (108 general and 38 Muhammadan), as against 113 in the preceding month.

Births.

3. The births registered numbered 1,474 (741 males and 733 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 29·65 per 1,000, against 31·32 in the preceding month, 38·46 in the corresponding month of last year, and 26·42 the average for the corresponding months since 1912. The rate ranged from 12·76 in Vavuniya to 69·20 in Lunugala.

4. In the city of Colombo the births registered numbered 506 (262 males and 244 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 24·86 per 1,000, against 26·58 in the preceding month, 43·92 in the corresponding month of last year, and 22·32 the average for the corresponding months since 1912. The rate, exclusive of the Fort and the Pettah Wards, ranged from 10·77 in St. Paul's to 26·96 in Kotahena North.

Deaths.

5. The total deaths registered during the month numbered 1,719 (893 males and 826 females). There were 1,356 deaths of residents in towns, equivalent to an annual standardized rate of 29·73 per 1,000, against 28·92 in the preceding month, 28·74 in the corresponding month of last year, and 27·33 the average for the month of June in each year since 1912. The rate ranged from 63·92 in Anuradhapura to 13·54 in Nuwara Eliya.

6. In the city of Colombo the deaths numbered 662 (350 males and 312 females). There were 555 deaths of residents, equivalent to an annual standardized rate of 31·63 per 1,000, against 28·30 in the preceding month, 23·44 in the corresponding month of last year, and 25·91 the average for the month of June in each year since 1912. The rate, exclusive of the Fort and the Pettah Wards, ranged from 30·27 in San Sebastian to 8·87 in Wellawatta South.

7. The stillbirths registered numbered 100 (53 males and 47 females), as against 125 in the preceding month.

Infant Mortality.

8. The mortality of infants under one year of age was equal to a rate of 227 per 1,000 births registered during the twelve months ended June 30, 1922. Reckoned on the births registered during the month only the rate was 265, against 228 in the preceding month, 191 in the corresponding month of last year, and 255 the average for the corresponding months since 1912.

9. In the city of Colombo the mortality of infants was equal to a rate of 243 per 1,000 births registered during the twelve months ended June 30, 1922. Reckoned on the births registered during the month only the rate was 316, against 247 in the preceding month, 151 in the corresponding month of last year, and 284 the average for the corresponding months since 1912.

Causes of Death.

10. The highest mortality was from *Pneumonia* to which 16 per cent. of the total deaths was due, *Debility* and *Convulsions* caused 8 per cent. each, *Diarrhoea* 6 per cent., *Enteritis*, *Phthisis*, and *Malaria and Malarial Cachexia* 5 per cent. each, *Dysentery*, *Bright's Disease and Nephritis*, *Influenza*, and *Anchylostomiasis* 3 per cent. each, *Bronchitis* and *Enteric Fever* 2 per cent. each, and *Prematurity* and *Puerperal Septicæmia* 1 per cent. each.

11. In Colombo, too, the highest mortality was from *Pneumonia*, which caused 16 per cent. of the deaths, *Convulsions* caused 8 per cent., *Phthisis* 7 per cent., *Enteritis* 6 per cent., *Debility* 5 per cent., *Influenza* and *Diarrhoea* 4 per cent. each, *Bronchitis*, *Bright's Disease and Nephritis*, *Enteric Fever*, and *Dysentery* 3 per cent. each, and *Anchylostomiasis*, *Malaria and Malarial Cachexia*, *Prematurity*, *Plague*, and *Tetanus* 1 per cent. each.

12. Eight deaths from *Plague* were registered (in Colombo), as against 7 in the preceding month, and 1 in the corresponding month of last year. One death from *Chickenpox* (in Kandy), and 1 from *Measles* (in Moratuwa), were also registered.

13. *Infectious Diseases reported.*—The infectious disease most prevalent during the month was *Phthisis*, of which 92 cases were reported (79 in Colombo, 6 in Kurunegala), *Chickenpox* followed with 63 cases (28 in Colombo; 14 in Kandy, 7 in Nuwara Eliya, 5 in Lunugala), *Enteric Fever* 60 (50 in Colombo), *Measles* 34 (25 in Kandy, 8 in Colombo), *Continued Fever* 24 (16 in Colombo), *Plague* 7 (in Colombo), *Acute Diarrhoea* 3 (2 in Colombo), *Dysentery* 3 (2 in Panadure), and *Mumps* 1 (in Colombo).

Meteorology.

14. Nawalapitiya recorded the highest rainfall (36·67 inches) followed by Ratnapura (24·58 inches). In the other towns it ranged from 20·67 in Hatton to 0·08 of an inch in Batticaloa. Colombo recorded 9·86 inches.

15. The mean temperature varied from 61·0° in Nuwara Eliya to 86·2° in Trincomalee, and was 82·0° in Colombo.

16. For detailed statistics, 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, August 7, 1922.

N. W. MORGAPPAH,
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Table I.—Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered during June, 1922, the Proportion of Births and Deaths per 1,000 of the Population per Annum, and the Stillbirths and Deaths of Children under One Year and their Proportion per 1,000 Registered Births, together with the Average Birth- and Death-rates in the corresponding Months since 1912, 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 exclusive of the Military and Shipping at the Census of March 18, 1921.	Total Marriages.			Total Births.			Total Deaths.			Total Stillbirths.			Deaths of Non-residents of Towns registered in Town Hospitals and Jails.	Birth-rate.		Death-rate excluding Non-residents.			Mortality of Children under One Year.				Mean Temperature.	Rainfall in Inches.	
		General.	Kandyan.	Muhammadan.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.		Persons.	Deaths of Town Residents.	Average Birth-rate for June, 1912-1921.	Birth-rate June, 1922.	June, 1922.	Standardized, †	Average Death-rate for June, 1912-1921.	Number registered during June, 1922.	Its proportion to 1,000 Births registered during June, 1922.			Its proportion to 1000 Births registered during the Year ended the last day of June, 1922.
All 33 Towns..	597,39	310	1	55	866	741	733	1,474	893	828	1,719	53	47	100	361	1,356	29.65	26.42	27.28	27.33	390	265	227	82.0	9.86	
<i>Western.</i>																										
Colombo ..	244,140	108	—	38	146	262	244	506	350	312	662	25	20	45	107	555	24.86	22.32	27.27	25.91	160	316	243	82.0	9.86	
Negombo ..	27,639	28	—	—	28	36	52	88	38	36	74	2	2	4	10	64	38.38	32.72	27.91	26.66	10	114	112	8.52	8.52	
Moratuwa ..	41,858	26	—	—	26	63	61	124	38	68	106	1	4	5	3	103	35.59	40.30	29.57	36.87	54	435	391	—	—	
Kalutara ..	13,696	7	—	—	7	12	20	32	19	14	33	1	1	1	9	24	28.47	29.68	21.35	25.48	7	219	171	—	—	
Panadura ..	10,747	5	—	—	5	13	15	28	11	9	20	1	1	2	5	15	31.51	19.07	16.88	20.09	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Central.</i>																										
Kandy ..	32,561	8	—	2	10	49	46	95	56	56	112	6	1	7	23	89	35.11	28.70	32.90	35.85	25	263	263	76.8	9.64	
Gampola ..	6,202	2	—	—	2	11	10	21	7	13	20	—	—	—	10	10	40.59	28.76	19.33	20.06	3	143	144	—	—	
Nawalapitiya ..	3,222	—	—	—	—	6	10	16	7	4	11	1	—	—	5	6	59.22	31.36	22.21	24.14	2	125	208	—	—	
Hastion-Dikoya ..	2,939	1	—	—	1	4	2	6	4	8	9	—	—	—	4	5	24.75	25.20	20.62	24.08	1	167	129	—	—	
Matale ..	7,865	—	—	—	—	16	11	27	19	15	34	—	—	—	15	19	41.48	37.50	29.19	33.54	6	222	225	—	—	
Nuwara-Eliya ..	7,029	3	—	—	3	5	10	15	6	5	11	—	—	—	4	7	25.44	14.84	11.87	13.54	4	267	177	—	—	
<i>Southern.</i>																										
Galle ..	39,073	19	—	2	21	65	50	115	47	49	96	3	3	6	24	72	35.71	28.23	32.35	21.89	12	104	99	—	—	
Ambalangoda ..	3,347	—	—	—	—	9	1	10	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	3	35.08	15.82	10.52	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Matara ..	16,779	9	—	—	9	18	23	41	14	13	27	2	—	—	5	22	29.61	31.76	15.89	15.56	5	122	92	—	—	
Welligama ..	9,066	7	—	—	7	14	8	22	5	7	12	1	—	—	—	12	29.36	26.03	16.01	14.43	4	182	124	—	—	
Hambantota ..	2,849	1	—	—	1	1	1	2	2	3	5	2	—	—	—	4	42.26	31.84	18.90	21.73	3	300	302	—	—	
Tangalla ..	4,896	7	—	—	7	8	5	13	15	6	21	—	—	—	5	15	32.16	32.45	37.11	37.93	3	231	202	—	—	
<i>Northern.</i>																										
Jaffna ..	42,436	45	—	3	48	58	57	115	56	44	100	2	4	6	3	97	32.77	29.71	27.64	28.24	33	287	293	—	—	
Mannar ..	3,705	5	—	—	5	4	3	7	4	3	7	2	—	—	1	6	22.93	27.87	19.65	21.64	3	429	277	—	—	
Mullaitivu ..	1,563	—	—	—	—	1	1	3	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	4	23.01	42.70	30.68	40.67	3	—	730	—	—	
Vavuniya ..	936	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2	12.76	7.13	25.51	34.64	1	—	553	—	—	
<i>Eastern.</i>																										
Baticaloa ..	10,563	13	—	—	13	22	15	37	24	21	45	1	1	2	8	37	42.41	39.77	42.41	41.82	12	324	406	—	—	
Kalmunsi ..	2,686	—	—	—	—	3	6	9	8	2	10	—	—	—	7	3	42.24	34.97	14.08	—	3	333	369	—	—	
Trincomalee ..	9,442	5	—	—	5	3	8	11	23	20	43	1	1	2	—	43	14.05	26.99	54.94	60.31	6	545	315	—	—	
<i>North-Western.</i>																										
Kurunegala ..	10,187	3	—	—	3	5	10	15	29	26	55	—	—	—	35	20	17.51	27.76	23.35	23.99	7	467	235	—	—	
Puttalam ..	6,905	1	—	—	1	6	12	12	13	13	26	—	—	—	3	23	41.52	27.67	39.79	42.56	8	333	328	—	—	
Kalpitiya ..	1,821	—	—	—	—	2	2	3	5	3	7	—	—	—	—	7	32.83	17.51	45.96	—	2	400	412	—	—	
Chilaw ..	6,633	1	—	—	1	5	7	12	17	4	21	1	2	3	6	15	21.47	26.11	26.84	25.73	1	83	53	—	—	
<i>North-Central.</i>																										
Anuradhapura ..	7,781	2	—	—	2	7	9	16	23	17	40	1	2	3	5	35	23.85	21.61	62.17	63.22	6	375	395	—	—	
<i>Uva.</i>																										
Badulla ..	8,125	2	—	—	2	13	13	26	21	14	35	—	—	—	15	20	38.08	34.61	29.29	32.32	2	77	82	—	—	
Lunugala ..	526	—	—	—	—	2	1	3	6	7	13	—	—	—	8	5	69.20	23.10	115.34	—	1	333	716	—	—	
<i>Sabaragamuwa</i>																										
Ratnapura ..	7,014	1	—	—	1	6	9	15	9	11	20	—	—	—	11	8	25.56	22.93	13.63	15.46	1	67	48	—	—	
Kegalla ..	3,508	—	—	—	—	3	3	6	12	16	28	—	—	—	22	6	20.43	27.92	20.43	18.74	2	333	190	—	—	

* The factor applied for standardizing the crude death-rates is the same as that for the past decade as the age- and sex-distribution of the population at the Census of 1921 is not yet available.
 † Standardized death-rates not available.

Table II.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during June, 1922, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under Sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Causes of Death.	All 33 Towns.			Western Provinces.												Central Provinces.												Southern Provinces.											
	M	F	Total.	Colombo.		Negombo.		Moratuwa.		Kaltara.		Panadura.		Kandy.		Gampola.		Nawalpitiya.		Hatton-Dikoya.		Matale.		Nuwara Eliya.		Galle.		Ambalangoda.		Matara.		Wellgama.		Hambantota.		Tangalla.			
				M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F		
All Causes	893	826	1,719	350	312	38	36	38	68	19	14	11	9	56	56	7	13	7	4	1	8	15	15	6	5	47	49	1	2	14	13	5	7	2	3	15	6		
I.—Infantile Mortality.	183	207	390	86	74	3	7	14	40	4	3	—	—	10	15	2	1	2	—	—	1	4	2	2	2	6	6	—	—	2	3	1	3	—	—	—	—		
A.—One Week and under.																																							
1. Prematurity	14	9	23	4	4	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Debility	14	18	32	2	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	5	8	13	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	2*	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.																																							
1. Prematurity	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2. Debility	28	41	69	10	10	—	—	1	11	—	2	—	—	2	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
3. Convulsions	37	37	74	18	19	1	1	2	1	3	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4. Diarrhoea	6	18	24	2	2	—	—	1	8	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
4a. Enteritis	21	17	38	13	8	—	—	3	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5. Tetanus	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
6. Bronchitis	2	11	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
7. Pneumonia	23	20	43	16	9	—	—	2	6	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
8. Other Causes	26†	24†	50	16	9	—	—	3	9	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		

* Two deaths from Intra-cranial Haemorrhage (in Colombo).

† This includes besides 16 cases mentioned in Table IV., footnote †, 1 death from Abscess (in Negombo); 2 from Stomatitis and 1 from Syphilis (in Moratuwa); 3 from Malaria (2 in Kandy and 1 in Kalmunie); 2 from Worms (1 each in Galle and Puttalam); and 1 from Dysentery (in Jaffna).

‡ This includes besides 9 cases mentioned in Table IV., footnote ‡, 2 deaths from Malaria (1 each in Negombo and Kegalla); 1 from Nephritis (in Negombo); 4 from Stomatitis and 5 from Whooping Cough (in Moratuwa); 1 from Intestinal Obstruction (in Nuwara Eliya); 1 from Influenza (in Galle); and 1 from Worms (in Puttalam).

Table III.—Number of Births and Deaths registered during the Month of June, 1922, and the Deaths of Children under One Year, and their Proportion per 1,000 of the Registered Births, together with the Average Birth- and Death-rates for June, 1912 to 1921, in each Sanitary Ward of the City of Colombo.

Wards.	Population (exclusive of the Military and Shipping) at the Census of March, 1921.	Population estimated to the middle of 1922 by intercensal increase.	Total Births.			Stillbirths.			Total Deaths including Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.			Per Mille per Annum.			Mortality of Children under one Year.							
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Deaths of Non-residents.	Deaths of Residents.	Birth-rate.* June, 1922.	Average for June, 1912, to 1921.	Death-rate.* June, 1922.	Average for June, 1912, to 1921.	Standardized Death-rate, June, 1922.†	Number registered during June, 1922.	Its proportion to 1000 births registered during June, 1922.	Its proportion to annum to 1000 births registered during the year ended last day of June, 1922.	
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City of Colombo ..	244,140	247,642	262	244	506	25	20	45	350	312	662	107	555	24.86	22.32	27.27	22.47	31.63	160	316	243	
Fort and Galle Face	2,090	2,729	1	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	2	4.40	1.73	8.02	9.37	—	—	—	—	
Petah ..	7,601	7,710	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	2	4	—	4	1.58	3.51	6.31	5.96	—	—	—	—	
St. Paul's ..	23,395	23,731	10	11	21	2	—	2	19	24	43	—	43	10.77	13.17	22.05	17.66	—	—	13	619	370
San Sebastian ..	11,492	11,657	12	7	19	—	1	1	16	13	29	—	29	19.83	14.34	30.27	17.27	—	—	14	737	725
Kotahena North ..	18,683	18,951	20	22	42	2	—	2	18	17	35	—	35	26.96	21.72	22.47	20.42	—	—	12	286	283
Kotahena South ..	27,483	27,877	17	26	43	3	1	4	30	28	58	—	58	19.04	25.68	25.68	20.42	—	—	17	395	342
New Bazaar ..	23,341	23,676	16	10	26	2	2	4	24	34	58	—	58	13.36	18.04	29.81	20.02	—	—	15	577	—
Maradana Hospitals	—	—	92	65	157	11	11	22	143	86	229	101	128	—	—	—	—	—	—	27	—	—
Maradana North ..	30,398	30,834.	21	19	40	3	1	4	24	30	54	—	54	15.86	15.21	21.41	17.56	—	—	18	450	—
Maradana East ..	8,593	8,716	9	3	12	—	—	—	4	5	9	—	9	16.75	16.21	12.56	17.56	—	—	3	250	258
Maradana South (exclusive of Hospitals)	18,535	18,801	14	19	33	—	1	1	14	12	26	—	26	21.36	20.32	16.83	17.56	—	—	10	303	—
Slave Island ..	21,564	21,873	19	20	39	1	2	3	19	25	44	—	44	21.69	20.32	24.47	22.04	—	—	10	256	248
Kollupitiya ..	23,739	24,079	12	16	28	1	—	1	21	20	41	6	35	14.15	9.28	17.68	8.50	—	—	10	357	341
Wellawatta North..	15,813	16,040	13	13	26	—	1	1	13	9	22	—	22	19.72	29.10	16.69	29.40	—	—	7	269	—
Wellawatta South..	10,813	10,968	5	13	18	—	—	—	2	6	8	—	8	19.97	8.87	8.87	29.40	—	—	4	222	207

* The city-rate is worked differently from the ward-rates, and takes into account events in hospitals, &c., not assignable to wards.
† "Standardized death-rates," for the wards of the city are not available.

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during the Month of June, 1922, in each Ward and of each Race in the City of Colombo.

Causes of Death.	City of Colombo.			Wards.											
	M	F	P.	Fort and Galle Face.		Pettah.		St. Paul's.		San Sebastian.		Kotahena North.		Kotahena South.	
				M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
All Causes	350	312	662	1	1	2	2	19	24	16	13	18	17	30	28
I.—Infantile Mortality	86	74	160	—	—	—	—	6	7	9	5	7	5	9	8
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>															
1. Prematurity	4	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	2	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	3	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	2*	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>															
1. Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	10	10	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	18	19	37	—	—	—	—	3	1	2	3	1	1	2	3
4. Diarrhoea	2	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	13	8	21	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	4	1
5. Tetanus	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	16	9	25	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	2	—	1	—
8. Other Causes	16†	9‡	25	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	1	—	1	1
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over).	264	238	502	1	1	2	2	13	17	7	8	11	12	21	20
1. Plague	7	1	8	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
2. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Influenza	8	11	19	—	—	—	—	2	1	2	—	1	3	1	1
6. Pyrexia or Fever	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Enteric Fever	11	6	17	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	1	2
8. Malaria	4	3	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
9. Malarial Cachexia	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10. Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11. Diarrhoea	15	7	22	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	2	1	6	2
11a. Enteritis	11	8	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
12. Dysentery	9	5	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—
13. Anchylostomiasis or Doehmius Duodenalis	6	3	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Cancer	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15. Phthisis	21	27	48	—	1	—	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	1	1
16. Other Tuberculous Diseases	2	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17. Anæmia	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18. Diabetes Mellitus	2	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
19. Convulsions	5	7	12	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	2
20. Tetanus	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
21. Bronchitis	9	8	17	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—
22. Pneumonia	42	38	80	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	5	4	—
23. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	7	3	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24. Bright's Disease and Nephritis	9	11	20	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1
25. Puerperal Eclampsia	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26. Puerperal Septicæmia	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
27. Miscarriage	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28. Other undefined Accidents of Childbirth	—	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
29. Starvation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30. Accidents or Negligence	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
31. Homicide	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32. Suicide	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Execution	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34. All Other Causes	82§	75	157	—	—	1	—	4	6	1	4	3	2	6	8

* From Intracranial Hæmorrhage.

† Six deaths from Influenza, 3 from Syphilis, 2 each from Worms and Dysentery, and 1 each from Rickets, Constipation, and Ulcers.

‡ Four deaths from Influenza, and 1 each from Stomatitis, Dysentery, Malaria, Syphilis, and Suspected Homicide.

§ Here are included 20 deaths from Old Age, 7 from Worms, 5 each from Paralysis, Meningitis, and Diseases of the Liver, and 3 each from Debility and Marasmus.

|| Here are included 23 deaths from Old Age, 6 from Paralysis, and 5 each from Debility, Marasmus, and Worms.

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during the Month of June, 1922, in each Ward and of each Race in the City of Colombo—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Wards.															
	New Bazaar.		Maradana Hos- pitals.		Maradana North.		Maradana East.		Maradana South (exclusive of Hospitals).		Slave Island.		Kollupitiya.		Wellawatte North.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
All Causes	24	34	148	86	24	30	4	5	14	12	19	25	21	20	13	9
I.—Infantile Mortality	9	6	13	14	9	9	1	2	5	5	6	4	4	6	7	—
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																
1. Prematurity	—	—	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
3. Convulsions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>																
1. Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	1	—	1	4	2	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
3. Convulsions	4	3	—	—	2	4	1	2	1	2	1	1	—	—	2	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	2	1	2	2	—	—	2	1	2	1	1	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
7. Pneumonia	2	—	3	4	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	3	—	—
8. Other Causes	2	2	1	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	1	1	—
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over).	15	28	130	72	15	21	3	3	9	7	13	21	17	14	6	9
1. Plague	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	—
2. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Influenza	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	1
6. Pyrexia or Fever	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
7. Enteric Fever	—	—	6	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
8. Malaria	—	—	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Malarial Cachexia	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10. Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11. Diarrhoea	2	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
11a. Enteritis	1	1	8	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	2	—	1
12. Dysentery	—	1	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
13. Anchylostomiasis or Dochmius Duo- denalis	—	—	6	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Cancer	—	—	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15. Phthisis	2	3	11	5	1	1	—	—	—	2	2	4	2	5	—	2
16. Other Tuberculous Diseases	—	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17. Anæmia	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
18. Diabetes Mellitus	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19. Convulsions	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—
20. Tetanus	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
21. Bronchitis	2	3	5	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22. Pneumonia	2	5	31	15	1	2	—	1	—	1	1	5	—	1	—	—
23. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	—	—	5	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
24. Bright's Disease and Nephritis	1	—	4	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
25. Puerperal Eclampsia	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26. Puerperal Septicæmia	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27. Miscarriage	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28. Other undefined Accidents of Childbirth	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29. Starvation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30. Accidents or Negligence	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
31. Homicide	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32. Suicide	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34. All Other Causes	3	9	33	23	8	9	1	1	7	1	6	6	8	5	1	1

Table IV.—Causes of Deaths by Sex, registered during the Month of June, 1922, in each Ward and of each Race in the City of Colombo—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Wards.		Deaths among all Races.													
	Wellawatta South.		Europeans.		Burghers.		Sinhalese.		Tamils.		Moors.		Malays.		Others.	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
All Causes	2	6	—	1	16	16	196	184	71	48	40	47	8	12	19	4
I.—Infantile Mortality .. .	1	3	—	—	5	4	54	40	14	15	10	11	2	3	1	1
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																
1. Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	—
3. Convulsions	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>																
1. Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2. Debility	—	1	—	—	1	2	4	6	2	1	2	—	1	1	—	—
3. Convulsions	—	—	—	—	—	2	11	12	2	1	4	4	—	—	1	—
4. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
4a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	2	—	11	5	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—
5. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
7. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	5	6	3	1	1	—	—	—	—
8. Other Causes	1	1	—	—	1	—	8	3	4	2	2	3	1	—	—	1
II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over).	1	3	—	1	11	12	142	144	57	33	30	36	6	9	18	3
1. Plague	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—	4	—	—	—	—	—
2. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Influenza	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8	3	2	2	1	—	—	2	—
6. Pyrexia or Fever	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
7. Enteric Fever	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	5	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	—
8. Malaria	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Malarial Cachexia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
10. Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11. Diarrhoea	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	4	5	—	2	1	—	1	1	—
11a. Enteritis	—	—	—	—	1	1	4	5	1	—	3	2	1	—	1	—
12. Dysentery	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	3	4	—	—	2	1	—	—	—
13. Anchylostomiasis or Dochmias Duodenalis	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
14. Cancer	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
15. Phthisis	—	1	—	—	4	2	12	12	1	4	2	6	—	1	2	2
16. Other Tuberculous Diseases	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
17. Anæmia	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18. Diabetes Mellitus	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
19. Convulsions	—	—	—	—	—	1	5	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
20. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
21. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	2	3	1	1	—	1	—	1
22. Pneumonia	—	2	—	—	—	—	25	28	9	5	3	1	—	3	5	—
23. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	—
24. Bright's Disease and Nephritis	1	—	—	—	—	—	6	5	3	3	—	3	—	—	—	—
25. Puerperal Eclampsia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
26. Puerperal Septicæmia	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
27. Miscarriage	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28. Other undefined Accidents of Childbirth	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
29. Starvation	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30. Accidents or Negligence	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—
31. Homicide	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32. Suicide	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34. All Other Causes	—	—	—	1	3	3	46	45	18	12	11	11	3	3	1	—