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VITAL STATISTICS OF TOWNS IN CEYLON FOR THE  
MONTH OF OCTOBER, 1930.

REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

THIS report deals with the Vital Statistics of the 35 principal towns in the Island, proclaimed under sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Marriages.

2. The number of marriages of residents in proclaimed towns was 379 (311 General, 6 Kandyan, and 62 Muslim), as against 387 in the preceding month and 520 in the corresponding month of last year.

Births.

3. The births registered numbered 2,136 (1,110 males and 1,026 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 38·2 per 1,000 of the population, as against 33·5 in the preceding month, 33·7 in the corresponding month of last year, and 33·5 the average for the corresponding months since 1920. The rate ranged from 7·3 in Kalpitiya to 76·5 in Kegalla. There were 1,854 births of children whose mothers were residents of the towns, equivalent to an annual rate of 33·1, as against 28·4 in the preceding month and 29·3 in the corresponding month of last year.

4. In the city of Colombo the births registered numbered 875 (446 males and 429 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 38·1, as against 32·5 in the preceding month, 34·4 in the corresponding month of last year, and 30·9 the average for the corresponding months since 1920. The rate, exclusive of the Fort and the Pettah Wards, ranged from 17·5 in Wellawatta North to 36·4 in New Bazaar. There were 756 births of children whose mothers were residents of the city, equivalent to an annual rate of 32·9, as against 27·6 in the preceding month and 28·7 in the corresponding month of last year.

Deaths.

5. The total deaths registered during the month numbered 1,697 (918 males and 779 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 30·3, as against 28·4 in the preceding month and 31·2 in the corresponding month of last year. There were 1,216 deaths of residents of the towns, equivalent to an annual standardized rate of 23·5, as against 22·4 in the preceding month, 24·5 in the corresponding month of last year, and 26·0 the average for the corresponding months since 1920. The standardized death rate ranged from 13·0 in Puttalam to 58·3 in Kalpitiya.

6. In the city of Colombo the deaths registered numbered 567 (312 males and 255 females), and were equivalent to an annual rate of 24·7, as against 25·1 in the preceding month and 29·3 in the corresponding month of last year. There were 427 deaths of residents of the city, which corresponded to an annual standardized rate of 21·4, as against 22·9 in the preceding month, 26·4 in the corresponding month of last year, and 26·5 the average for the corresponding months since 1920. The death rate of residents, exclusive of the Fort and the Pettah Wards, ranged from 19·8 in Maradana East to 6·3 in Kollupitiya.

7. The stillbirths registered during the month numbered 158 (87 males and 71 females), as against 142 in the preceding month and 146 in the corresponding month of last year.

Infant Mortality.

8. The deaths of children under one year of age amounted to 365 and corresponded to a rate of 189 per 1,000 births registered during the twelve months ended October, 1930. Reckoned on the births registered during the month only, the rate was 171, as against 157 in the preceding month, 175 in the corresponding month of last year, and 205 the average for the corresponding

months since 1920. There were 316 deaths of children under one year of age whose mothers were residents of the towns, which corresponded to a rate of 170, as against 164 in the preceding month and 176 in the corresponding month of last year.

9. In the city of Colombo the deaths of children under one year of age amounted to 118 and corresponded to a rate of 156 per 1,000 births registered during the twelve months ended October, 1930. Reckoned on the births registered during the month only, the rate was 135, as against 147 in the preceding month, 165 in the corresponding month of last year, and 199 the average for the corresponding months since 1920. There were 101 deaths of children under one year of age whose mothers were residents of the city, which corresponded to a rate of 134, as against 148 in the preceding month and 161 in the corresponding month of last year.

10. The highest mortality was from *Pneumonia*, to which 11 per cent. of the total deaths were due. *Debility* (of children under one year of age) caused 10 per cent.; *Sentility* 7 per cent.; *Phthisis* 6 per cent.; *Anchylostomiasis*, *Bright's Disease and Nephritis*, and *Enteritis*, each 5 per cent.; *Diseases and Accidents of Childbirth*, *Malaria and Malarial Cachexia*, *Convulsions*, and *Dysentery*, each 4 per cent.; *Intestinal Parasites* other than *Anchylostomiasis*, *Diarrhoea*, and *Prematurity*, each 3 per cent.; *Accidents and Negligence*, *Bronchitis*, and *Influenza*, each 2 per cent.; *Heart Disease*, *Enteric Fever*, *Cancer*, *Paratyphus*, *Diabetes Mellitus*, *Cerebral Hemorrhage*, and *Tetanus*, each 1 per cent.

11. In Colombo, the highest mortality was from *Phthisis*, to which 11 per cent. of the total deaths were due. *Pneumonia* caused 10 per cent.; *Sentility and Debility* (of children under one year of age) each 8 per cent.; *Enteritis* 6 per cent.; *Bright's Disease and Nephritis* 5 per cent.; *Prematurity*, *Heart Disease*, *Influenza*, *Dysentery*, *Convulsions*, *Diseases and Accidents of Childbirth*, *Anchylostomiasis*, and *Intestinal Parasites* other than *Anchylostomiasis*, each 3 per cent.; *Accidents and Negligence*, *Cancer*, *Bronchitis*, *Malaria and Malarial Cachexia*, *Diabetes Mellitus*, and *Diarrhoea*, each 2 per cent.; *Enteric Fever*, *Paratyphus*, and *Tetanus*, each 1 per cent.

12. Two deaths from *Plague* were registered (in Colombo), as against 1 in the previous month and 1 in the corresponding month of last year.

13. *Infectious Diseases reported*.—The infectious diseases most prevalent during the month was *Phthisis*, of which 125 cases were reported (104 in Colombo, 5 each in Galle and Kegalla); *Chickenpox* followed with 89 cases (58 in Colombo, 7 in Matale); *Enteric Fever* 53 (24 in Colombo, 7 in Panadura); *Dysentery* 53 (22 in Colombo, 8 in Kegalla); *Continued Fever* 20 (8 in Colombo, 7 in Galle); *Mumps* 8 (4 in Jaffna); *Measles* 5 (7 in Colombo and 1 in Nuwara Eliya); *Diphtheria* 2 (in Colombo); *Plague* 2 (in Colombo); *Diarrhoea* 1 (in Galle); and *Whooping Cough* 1 (in Colombo).

Meteorology.

14. *Rainfall*.—Nawalapitiya recorded the highest rainfall (42·13 in.). In other towns rainfall ranged from 33·38 in. in Colombo to 2·63 in. in Hambantota.

15. *Mean Temperature*.—The mean temperature varied from 81·2° in Mannar to 59·8° in Nuwara Eliya and was 79·2° in Colombo.

Appendix.

16. For detailed statistics see Tables I., II., and III. for all towns; and Tables IV. and V. for the city of Colombo.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 24, 1930.

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Table I.—Number of Marriages, Births, Deaths, and Stillbirths registered during October, 1930, the Proportion of Births and Deaths per 1,000 of the Population, per Annum, the Deaths of Children under One Year of Age and their Proportion per 1,000 registered Births, together with the Average Birth Rates in the corresponding Months since 1920, 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.

Principal Towns.	Population (exclusive of the Military and Ship-riding) at the Census of March 18, 1921.			Population estimated to the middle of 1930 by the Intercensal Increase.			Marriages.			Births.			Deaths.			Stillbirths.			Deaths of Non-residents registered in Towns, Hospitals and Wells.		Birth Rate.		Mortality of Children under One Year of Age.			Mean Temperature.	Rainfall in Inches.			
	18, 1921.	19, 1921.	20, 1921.	General.	Kandyan.	Muslim.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Number registered during Oct., 1930.	Its proportion for 1,000 births registered during Oct., 1930.	Its proportion per annum to 1,000 births registered during the year ended the last day of Oct., 1930.	Number registered during Oct., 1920.	Death Rate.	October, 1930.			Average for 1920-1929.	October, 1930.	October, 1929.
All 35 Towns	600,812	659,040	8	311	6	62	37	1110	1026	2,136	918	779	1,697	87	71	158	469	38	2	38	2	33	5	30	3	365	171	189	24	25
<i>Western.</i>																														
Colombo	244,163	270,700	..	118	..	42	160	446	429	875	312	255	567	39	30	69	136	38	1	30	9	33	1	24	7	118	135	156	79.2	33.38
Negombo	27,639	29,570	..	34	..	5	39	49	58	107	25	38	63	2	2	4	15	42	6	42	6	25	1	25	1	21	196	207	81.2	23.30
Moratuwa	41,858	45,830	..	29	..	..	29	67	59	126	55	50	105	5	5	5	5	32	4	37	5	27	0	30	238	30	288	261	24.47	21.24
Kalutara	13,596	14,170	..	3	..	..	3	31	24	55	21	19	40	4	3	7	21	45	7	41	3	33	2	8	145	8	178	178	21.24	22.23
Facudure	10,747	11,740	..	4	..	..	4	21	20	41	15	16	31	3	3	3	3	41	1	28	3	31	1	9	220	257	257	22.23	22.23	
<i>Central.</i>																														
Kandy	32,562	35,210	..	11	3	2	16	54	38	92	65	44	109	2	3	5	44	30	8	35	6	36	4	20	217	178	178	75.6	17.71	
Teldeniya	637	1,140	..	..	..	..	..	4	3	7	9	5	14	..	..	..	7	72	2	144	4	144	4	1	143	302	302	..	..	
Gampola	6,202	6,910	..	2	..	..	2	9	8	17	16	12	28	2	2	2	16	20	0	35	5	47	7	2	118	95	95	27.79	42.13	
Nawalapitiya	3,221	3,930	..	5	..	..	5	10	8	18	7	4	21	..	..	..	14	53	9	40	0	62	9	1	55	57	57	42.13	24.18	
Hatton-Dikoya	2,940	3,020	..	..	..	..	..	6	2	7	5	8	13	..	..	..	8	27	3	31	4	50	7	2	286	245	245	24.18	31.40	
Matale	7,865	9,170	..	4	..	..	4	10	11	21	31	21	52	1	2	3	23	27	0	37	5	66	8	4	190	115	115	31.40	59.8	
Nuwara Eliya	7,525	8,630	..	6	..	1	7	21	16	37	6	6	12	1	1	2	3	50	5	37	6	16	4	5	135	171	171	59.8	18.64	
<i>Southern.</i>																														
Galle	39,073	39,900	..	11	..	2	13	79	76	155	55	70	125	7	6	13	26	45	7	34	5	36	9	26	168	194	194	78.4	10.11	
Ambalangoda	3,347	4,330	..	..	..	..	..	8	6	14	4	5	9	..	..	..	..	38	1	23	7	24	5	6	429	744	744	..	..	
Matare	16,779	17,270	..	11	..	2	13	36	29	65	20	12	32	2	4	6	10	44	3	38	6	21	8	3	46	54	54	7.68	11.43	
Weligama	9,104	9,520	..	4	..	..	4	21	13	34	9	10	19	1	2	3	..	40	0	38	0	23	5	5	147	169	169	11.43	19.58	
Hambantota	2,849	3,070	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	8	7	2	9	..	..	..	1	32	6	56	5	34	5	3	375	252	252	79.8	2.63	
Tangalla	4,896	5,060	..	..	..	..	..	14	9	23	10	7	17	1	1	2	4	53	5	39	5	39	6	4	174	225	225	8.17	..	
<i>North-ern.</i>																														
Jaffna	42,436	44,200	..	22	..	..	22	65	52	117	62	41	103	2	2	4	3	31	2	33	2	27	4	29	248	254	254	79.6	19.89	
Mannar	3,705	3,770	..	5	..	..	5	7	7	14	4	4	8	2	2	2	2	43	7	41	1	25	0	4	286	344	344	81.2	16.24	
Mullaitivu	1,663	1,740	..	1	..	..	1	3	3	3	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	20	3	24	9	20	3	2	667	436	436	20.73	20.73	
Vavuniya	936	1,070	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	21	9	24	4	54	9	1	500	357	357	19.58	19.58	
<i>Eastern.</i>																														
Batticaloa	10,564	10,940	..	8	..	..	8	23	31	54	16	23	39	3	3	3	2	58	1	39	5	42	0	7	130	194	194	80.0	13.25	
Kalmunai	2,586	2,630	..	1	..	..	1	11	5	16	5	5	10	..	..	..	3	71	6	48	5	44	8	2	125	218	218	..	8.84	
Trincomalee	9,414	9,980	..	2	..	..	2	12	21	33	6	6	12	..	..	..	1	38	9	27	3	14	2	3	91	109	109	80.0	17.25	
<i>North-Western.</i>																														
Kurunegala	10,187	11,990	..	9	3	1	13	14	14	28	46	26	72	5	3	8	38	27	5	32	2	70	7	11	393	318	318	79.2	30.89	
Puttalam	6,905	7,880	..	3	..	..	3	10	7	13	4	4	8	..	..	..	..	19	4	27	8	12	0	3	231	168	168	79.3	13.68	
Kalpiya	1,608	1,620	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	4	3	..	..	..	..	7	3	20	0	50	8	2	..	523	523	..	13.51	
Chilaw	6,642	7,970	..	4	..	..	4	18	11	29	15	12	27	2	2	2	15	42	8	27	6	39	9	3	103	108	108	..	32.14	
<i>North-Central.</i>																														
Anuradhapura	7,781	11,000	..	9	..	..	9	6	8	14	15	10	25	1	1	2	5	15	0	18	4	26	8	8	571	496	496	80.2	15.46	
<i>Uva.</i>																														
Radulla	8,126	9,550	..	4	..	..	4	25	26	51	19	10	29	1	1	2	14	62	9	36	7	35	8	8	187	274	274	73.6	16.92	
Lunugala	526	540	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3	2	3	5	..	..	..	3	65	8	41	8	109	7	2	667	..	..	..	..	
<i>Sabarragam-muwa.</i>																														
Ragnapura	7,014	7,980	..	1	..	..	1	14	9	23	22	20	42	1	1	2	22	34	0	33	8	62	0	3	130	112	112	79.4	28.05	
Kepalla	3,508	4,000	..	..	..	..	..	13	13	26	19	12	31	2	3	5	22	76	5	47	4	91	2	6	231	272	272	..	28.81	
Rambukkana	2,308	3,010	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	7	1	4	5	..	..	..	..	27	4	..	..	19	6	3	429	442	442	..	..	

\* Blanks indicate that there are no observatories or rain gauges.

† Population of new limits.

‡ Figures not available.

Table II.—Births, Deaths, and Infant Mortality of Residents with their corresponding Rates for October, 1930.

Principal Towns.	Births.*			Birth Rate. October, 1930.	Deaths.			Death Rate (Standardized).		Infant Mortality.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.		Males.	Females.	Persons.	October 1930.	Average for October, 1920-1929.	Number registered during October,† 1930.	Rate per 1,000 Births registered during October, 1930. ‡
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
All 35 Towns	957	897	1,854	33·1	643	573	1,216	23·5	26·0	316	170
<i>Western.</i>											
Colombo	380	376	756	32·9	228	199	427	21·4	26·5	101	134
Negombo	35	45	80	31·9	18	30	48	19·6	24·3	17	213
Moratuwa	62	57	119	30·6	51	47	98	25·6	27·5	28	235
Kalutara	18	14	32	26·6	12	7	19	15·7	26·5	4	125
Panadure	18	17	35	35·1	14	14	28	29·9	20·6	8	229
<i>Central.</i>											
Kandy	50	32	82	27·4	38	27	65	23·8	25·8	17	207
Teldeniya	4	3	7	72·2	5	2	7	—†	—†	—	—
Gampola	7	6	13	22·2	6	6	12	21·1	19·7	2	154
Nawalapitiya	9	8	17	50·9	3	4	7	22·8	33·3	—	—
Hatton-Dikoya	5	2	7	27·3	3	2	5	22·9	36·7	2	286
Matale	10	11	21	27·0	17	12	29	39·8	26·5	3	143
Nuwara Eliya	19	16	35	47·7	6	3	9	13·6	20·0	5	143
<i>Southern.</i>											
Galle	69	64	133	39·3	42	57	99	28·6	22·8	25	188
Ambalangoda	8	6	14	38·1	4	5	9	24·3	—†	6	429
Matara	33	26	59	40·2	10	12	22	14·7	25·7	3	51
Weligama	21	13	34	42·0	9	9	18	20·6	16·5	5	147
Hambantota	5	2	7	26·8	6	2	8	30·5	31·9	3	429
Tangalla	12	9	21	48·9	7	6	13	30·0	21·9	4	190
<i>Northern.</i>											
Jaffna	60	51	111	29·6	58	41	99	27·3	27·6	28	252
Mauniar	7	6	13	40·6	3	3	6	19·1	22·5	3	231
Mullaitivu	—	2	2	13·5	1	2	3	21·1	30·2	2	—
Vavuniya	1	1	2	21·9	2	—	2	25·7	27·6	1	500
<i>Eastern.</i>											
Batticaloa	22	31	53	57·0	16	21	37	41·5	26·9	7	132
Kalmunai	10	5	15	67·1	3	1	4	18·0	—†	1	67
Trincomales	12	19	31	36·6	5	6	11	13·6	28·2	3	97
<i>North-Western.</i>											
Kurunegala	8	9	17	16·7	21	12	33	37·6	29·3	11	647
Puttalam	7	6	13	19·4	4	4	8	13·0	35·2	3	231
Kalpitiya	1	—	1	7·3	4	3	7	58·3	—†	2	—
Ohilaw	15	8	23	34·0	8	4	12	20·4	25·1	1	43
<i>North-Central.</i>											
Anuradhapura	6	8	14	15·0	11	9	20	25·6	38·2	8	571
<i>Uva.</i>											
Badulla	24	25	49	60·4	10	5	15	18·9	35·2	5	102
Lunugala	1	1	2	43·9	1	1	2	49·5	—†	1	500
<i>Sabaragamuwa.</i>											
Ratnapura	13	7	20	29·5	9	11	20	32·2	21·0	2	100
Kegalla	3	6	9	26·5	7	2	9	29·6	15·3	2	222
Rambukkana	2	5	7	27·4	1	4	5	—†	—†	3	429

\* Births of infants whose mothers were residents of the towns.

† Deaths of children under one year of age whose mothers were residents of the towns.

‡ Figures not available.

Table III.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during October, 1930, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under sections 31–36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895.

Causes of Death.	All 35 Towns.			Western Province.										Central Province.													
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Colombo.		Negombo.		Moratuwa.		Kalutara.		Panadura.		Kandy.		Teldeniya.		Gampola.		Nawalapitiya.		Hatton-Dikoya.		Matale.		Nuwar-Eliya.	
				5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
All Causes	918	779	1697	312	255	25	38	55	50	21	19	15	16	65	44	9	5	16	12	7	14	5	8	31	21	6	6
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b>	205	160	365	71	47	8	13	11	19	2	6	4	5	18	2	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	2	3	1	4	1
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																											
1 Prematurity	28	20	48	10	8	—	2	1	1	—	—	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Debility	60	45	105	17	11	5	5	1	4	—	2	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions	5	4	9	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Tetanus	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Other causes	*3	†2	5	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over One Week and under One Year.</i>																											
1 Prematurity	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Debility	29	31	60	11	6	1	2	6	10	—	2	—	—	4	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions	23	15	38	6	2	—	1	1	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Diarrhoea	6	4	10	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Enteritis	12	9	21	6	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Tetanus	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Bronchitis	3	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Pneumonia	16	12	28	4	6	—	—	2	1	1	1	—	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9 Syphilis	1	2	3	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Other causes	†17	‡13	30	11	4	—	3	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over)</b>	713	619	1332	241	208	17	25	44	31	19	13	11	11	47	42	9	4	15	11	7	13	5	6	23	20	2	5
1 Plague	1	1	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Influenza	9	11	20	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Enteric Fever	16	8	24	5	2	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Malaria and Malarial Cachexia	43	28	71	5	4	1	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	1
8 Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9 Diarrhoea	20	18	38	4	4	—	1	—	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	3	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Enteritis	29	27	56	12	12	2	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
11 Dysentery	40	21	61	11	6	—	—	3	1	6	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	2	—
12 Anchylostomiasis or Dochyimus Duodenalis	33	53	86	4	11	—	2	4	3	—	—	—	—	4	4	1	1	—	2	—	5	—	—	2	5	4	—
13 Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites	20	30	50	2	13	1	—	7	5	2	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
14 Cancer	10	11	21	8	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
15 Phthisis	57	44	101	32	25	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	2	6	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—
16 Other Tuberculous Diseases	4	3	7	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17 Anæmia	—	3	3	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18 Diabetes Mellitus	13	5	18	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19 Paralysis	9	10	19	4	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20 Convulsions	13	10	23	5	1	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21 Tetanus	6	5	11	2	4	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22 Heart Disease	16	9	25	12	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23 Bronchitis	12	13	25	8	5	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Pneumonia	96	56	152	32	14	4	3	2	2	—	1	—	—	5	4	4	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	1	4	—
25 Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	5	5	10	1	3	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Bright's Disease and Nephritis	44	36	80	13	15	1	—	1	—	1	1	1	2	2	3	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	1	—
27 Puerperal Eclampsia	—	10	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28 Puerperal Septicæmia	—	40	40	—	5	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29 Accidents of Childbirth	—	24	24	—	11	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
30 Accidents and Negligence	33	9	42	8	5	—	1	3	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—
31 Homicide	6	2	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32 Suicide	2	1	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33 Execution	4	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34 All Other Causes	†172	‡126	298	54	41	6	3	16	9	7	5	2	2	12	7	—	1	7	2	2	3	2	2	3	2	1	1

\* Besides 2 deaths mentioned in Table V., footnote \*, 1 death from diarrhoea (in Negombo).

† Besides 1 death mentioned in Table V., footnote †,

Table III.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during October, 1930, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Southern Province.												Northern Province.							
	Galle.		Ambalan-goda.		Matara.		Weligama.		Hamban-tota.		Tangalla.		Jaffna.		Mannar.		Mullaittivu.		Yavu-niya.	
	Males. 29	Females. 30	Males. 31	Females. 32	Males. 33	Females. 34	Males. 35	Females. 36	Males. 37	Females. 38	Males. 39	Females. 40	Males. 41	Females. 42	Males. 43	Females. 44	Males. 45	Females. 46	Males. 47	Females. 48
All Causes	55	70	4	5	20	12	9	10	7	2	10	7	62	41	4	4	1	2	5	—
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b>	14	12	3	3	2	1	3	2	1	2	4	—	19	10	—	4	1	1	1	—
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																				
1 Prematurity	1	3	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
2 Debility	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	11	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Other Causes	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over One Week and under One Year.</i>																				
1 Prematurity	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Debility	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions	1	3	2	2	—	—	1	1	—	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
4 Diarrhoea	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
5 Enteritis	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Pneumonia	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
9 Syphilis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Other Causes	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over)</b>	41	58	1	2	18	11	6	8	6	—	6	7	43	31	4	—	—	1	4	—
1 Plague	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Influenza	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Enteric Fever	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Malaria and Malarial Cachexia	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	1	1	9	6	1	—	—	—	—	1
8 Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9 Diarrhoea	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Enteritis	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	—
11 Dysentery	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	—	—	—	—	—
12 Anchylostomiasis or Dochmius Duodenalis	3	1	—	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
13 Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites	—	2	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
14 Cancer	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15 Phthisis	2	3	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
16 Other Tuberculous Diseases	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17 Anemia	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18 Diabetes Mellitus	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19 Paralysis	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
20 Convulsions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
21 Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22 Heart Disease	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23 Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Pneumonia	3	8	—	—	4	1	1	1	2	—	2	—	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
25 Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Bright's Disease and Nephritis	7	4	—	—	2	1	3	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27 Puerperal Eclampsia	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—
28 Puerperal Septicæmia	—	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29 Accidents of Childbirth	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
30 Accidents and Negligence	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
31 Homicide	2	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32 Suicide	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33 Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34 All Other Causes	10	19	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	13	8	—	—	—	—	—	3

Table III.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during October, 1930, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under sections 31-36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Eastern Province.						North-Western Province.								North Central Province.		Province of Uva.			
	Batticaloa.		Kalmunai.		Trincomalee.		Kurunegala.		Puttalam.		Kalpitiya.		Chilaw.		Anuradhapura.		Badulla.		Lunugala.	
	Males. 49	Females. 50	Males. 51	Females. 52	Males. 53	Females. 54	Males. 55	Females. 56	Males. 57	Females. 58	Males. 59	Females. 60	Males. 61	Females. 62	Males. 63	Females. 64	Males. 65	Females. 66	Males. 67	Females. 68
All Causes ..	16	23	5	5	6	6	46	26	4	4	4	3	15	12	15	10	19	10	2	3
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b> ..	4	3	2	—	1	2	9	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	6	6	2	1	1
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																				
1 Prematurity ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
2 Debility ..	2	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions ..	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	—	—	1
4 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Pneumonia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Other Causes ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over One Week and under One Year.</i>																				
1 Prematurity ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Debility ..	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—
3 Convulsions ..	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
4 Diarrhoea ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Enteritis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Pneumonia ..	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—
9 Syphilis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10 Other Causes ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over)</b> ..	12	20	3	5	5	4	37	24	2	3	3	2	14	10	13	4	13	8	1	2
1 Plague ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Smallpox ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Chickenpox ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Measles ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Influenza ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Enteric Fever ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—
7 Malaria and Malarial Cachexia ..	—	1	1	—	1	—	5	—	—	1	2	—	3	—	2	1	2	2	—	—
8 Cholera ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9 Diarrhoea ..	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
10 Enteritis ..	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—
11 Dysentery ..	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	1	1	—	—
12 Anchylostomiasis or Doehmius Duodenalis ..	2	4	—	—	—	—	4	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—
13 Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
14 Cancer ..	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
15 Phthisis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	2	1	—	—
16 Other Tuberculous Diseases ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
17 Anæmia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18 Diabetes Mellitus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
19 Paralysis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
20 Convulsions ..	2	3	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
21 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
22 Heart Disease ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
23 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Pneumonia ..	5	2	1	1	—	1	9	8	—	—	1	—	3	—	1	—	4	3	—	—
25 Other Diseases of the Respiratory System ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
26 Bright's Disease and Nephritis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—
27 Puerperal Eclampsia ..	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
28 Puerperal Septicæmia ..	—	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	1	—
29 Accidents of Childbirth ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
30 Accidents and Negligence ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
31 Homicide ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
32 Suicide ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33 Execution ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34 All Other Causes ..	2	4	1	1	2	1	8	2	1	1	—	—	3	2	2	—	1	—	—	—

Table III.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during October, 1930, in each Town of the Island proclaimed under sections 31–36 of the Ordinance No. 1 of 1895—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Province of Sabaragamuwa.						Deaths among all Races.													
	Ratnapura.		Kegalla.		Rambukkana.		Europeans.		Burghers.		Sinhalese.		Tamils.		Moors.		Malays.		Others.	
	Males. 69	Females. 70	Males. 71	Females. 72	Males. 73	Females. 74	Males. 75	Females. 76	Males. 77	Females. 78	Males. 79	Females. 80	Males. 81	Females. 82	Males. 83	Females. 84	Males. 85	Females. 86	Males. 87	Females. 88
<b>All Causes</b> ..	22	20	19	12	1	4	2	—	18	16	497	475	268	192	106	76	11	14	16	6
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b> ..	2	1	3	3	1	2	—	—	4	3	115	99	52	35	26	21	4	2	4	—
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																				
1 Prematurity ..	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	2	1	19	16	6	1	1	1	—	—	1	—
2 Debility ..	1	—	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	29	23	11	4	5	1	—	—	2
3 Convulsions ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6 Pneumonia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Other Causes ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>B.—Over One Week and under One Year.</i>																				
1 Prematurity ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Debility ..	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	18	17	6	9	3	5	—	—	—	—
3 Convulsions ..	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	10	3	2	6	3	—	—	—	1
4 Diarrhoea ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	4	2	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—
5 Enteritis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	4	4	2	1	1	—	—	—	—
6 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
7 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
8 Pneumonia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	9	4	1	2	2	1	—	—	—
9 Syphilis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
10 Other Causes ..	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	6	8	—	3	9	1	1	1	1	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over)</b> ..	20	19	16	9	—	2	2	—	14	13	882	376	216	157	80	55	7	12	12	6
1 Plague ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2 Smallpox ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3 Chickenpox ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4 Measles ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5 Influenza ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	—	5	5	2	—	—	—	1
6 Enteric Fever ..	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	2	15	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7 Malaria and Malarial Cachexia ..	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	21	11	17	11	2	4	1	1	2	1
8 Cholera ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9 Diarrhoea ..	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	8	13	9	3	3	1	—	—	—	—
10 Enteritis ..	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	13	13	12	2	—	—	—	—	—
11 Dysentery ..	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	19	12	18	7	—	1	—	—	—	2
12 Anchylostomiasis or Dochylium Duodenalis ..	1	2	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	27	9	25	6	1	1	—	—	—
13 Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites ..	1	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	25	2	2	3	2	—	—	—	1
14 Cancer ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	6	7	2	4	—	—	—	—	—	—
15 Phthisis ..	—	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	28	25	19	9	6	6	—	—	1	1
16 Other Tuberculous Diseases ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	1	—	1	—	—	—	1
17 Anæmia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
18 Diabetes Mellitus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	4	2	—	3	1	—	—	—	—
19 Paralysis ..	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	7	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—
20 Convulsions ..	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	6	4	4	1	—	—	—	—	—
21 Tetanus ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	3	3	—	—	—	—	—
22 Heart Disease ..	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	7	7	5	2	2	—	—	—	—	—
23 Bronchitis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	9	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
24 Pneumonia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	9	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
25 Other Diseases of the Respiratory System ..	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	46	36	31	9	15	8	2	1	2	—
26 Bright's Disease and Nephritis ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
27 Puerperal Eclampsia ..	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	19	13	8	7	7	1	1	1	1
28 Puerperal Septicæmia ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—
29 Accidents of Childbirth ..	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	24	—	12	—	4	—	—	—	—
30 Accidents and Negligence ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	16	—	4	—	2	—	—	—	1
31 Homicide ..	2	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	8	8	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
32 Suicide ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33 Execution ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34 All Other Causes ..	9	3	4	2	—	—	—	—	5	4	92	77	49	26	24	12	1	7	1	—

[For Table IV., see page 10.]

Table V.—Causes of Deaths by Sex registered during the Month of October, 1930.

Causes of Death.	City of Colombo.			DEATHS AMONG																	
				Fort and Galle Face.		Pettah.		St. Pauls.		St. Sebastian.		Kotahena North.		Kotahena South.		New Bazaar.		Maradana Hospitals.		Maradana North.	
	M	F	Total	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
<b>All Causes</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>255</b>	<b>567</b>	—	—	2	1	20	21	8	8	13	13	26	24	20	22	142	96	17	15
<b>I.—Infantile Mortality</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>118</b>	—	—	1	1	4	4	4	2	1	3	6	6	8	8	24	13	2	1
<i>A.—One Week and under.</i>																					
1. Prematurity	10	8	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	2	—	—	1	6	5	—	—
2. Debility	17	11	28	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	1	10	4	1	1
3. Convulsions	2	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—
4. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6. Pneumonia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Other Causes	2*	1†	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—
<i>B.—Over 1 Week and under 1 Year.</i>																					
1. Prematurity	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
2. Debility	11	6	17	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	1	—	1	—
3. Convulsions	6	2	8	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—
4. Diarrhoea	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Enteritis	6	6	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	2	2	1	—	—
6. Tetanus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
7. Bronchitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
8. Pneumonia	4	6	10	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	1	2	—	—
9. Syphilis	—	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10. Other Causes	11‡	4§	15	—	—	1	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	3	—	3	2	1	—	—	—
<b>II.—General Mortality (1 Year and Over)</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>449</b>	—	—	1	—	16	17	4	6	12	10	20	18	12	14	118	83	15	14
1. Plague	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
2. Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3. Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
4. Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
5. Influenza	4	8	12	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
6. Enteric Fever	5	2	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	1	—
7. Malaria and Malarial Cachexia	5	4	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	3	2	—	—
8. Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
9. Diarrhoea	4	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	2	2	—	—	1	—	—	—
10. Enteritis	12	12	24	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	2	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	9	4	—
11. Dysentery	11	6	17	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	7	3	—	—
12. Anchylostomiasis or Doehmius Duodenalis	4	11	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	11	—	—
13. Diseases due to other Intestinal Parasites	2	13	15	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	2	—	3	3	2
14. Cancer	8	4	12	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	3	1	—
15. Phthisis	32	25	57	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	2	—	—	1	3	1	1	22	7	1	4
16. Other Tuberculous Diseases	3	2	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—
17. Anæmia	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
18. Diabetes Mellitus	8	1	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	3	—	1	—
19. Paralysis	4	3	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	1
20. Convulsions	5	1	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
21. Tetanus	2	4	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	—
22. Heart Disease	12	7	19	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	1	6	1	1	1
23. Bronchitis	8	5	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	3	3	2	—
24. Pneumonia	32	14	46	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	2	—	2	2	1	—	15	5	4	—
25. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	1	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—
26. Bright's Disease and Nephritis	13	15	28	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	1	1	2	1	1	2	3	7	—	1
27. Puerperal Eclampsia	—	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—
28. Puerperal Septicæmia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
29. Accidents of Child-birth	—	11	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	8	—	—
30. Accidents and Negligence	8	5	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	3	4	2	—
31. Homicide	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
32. Suicide	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
33. Execution	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
34. All Other Causes	54	41¶	95	—	—	—	—	4	2	3	—	—	1	5	3	4	3	21	11	2	5

\* One death from asphyxia neonatorum and constipation.

† One death from spina bifida.

‡ Six deaths from influenza, and 1 each from pemphigus, rickets, worms, parotid abscess and thrush.

§ One death each from influenza, malarial fever, basal meningitis and gastritis.

|| Here are included 22 deaths from senility.

¶ Here are included 23 deaths from senility.





Table IV.—Number of Births, Deaths, and Stillbirths registered during the Month of October, 1930, 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 the corresponding Months of 1922-1929, in each Sanitary Ward of the City of Colombo.

Wards.	Population (exclusive of the Military and Shipping) at the Census of March 18, 1921.	Population estimated to the middle of 1930, by Inter-censal Increase.	Births.			Stillbirths.			Deaths including Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.			Deaths of Non-residents in Town Hospitals and Jails.	Deaths of Residents.	Per Mille per Annum.				Mortality of Children under One Year of Age.						
			Males.			Females.			Males.					Females.			Birth Rate.	Average for Oct., 1922-29.	October, 1930.	Average for Oct., 1922-29.	Standardized Death Rate October, 1930.*	Number registered during Oct., 1930.	Its proportion to 1,000 births registered during October, 1930.	Its proportion to annum to 1,000 births registered during the Year ended the last day of Oct., 1930.
			Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.			October, 1930.	1922-29.	1930.								
			4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			13	14	15								
City of Colombo	244,163	270,700	446	429	875	39	30	69	312	255	567	136	427	88.1†	31.1	18.6†	22.7	21.4	118	185	156			
Fort and Gal'e Face	2,690	2,980	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Pettah	7,601	8,430	3	1	4	—	—	—	2	1	3	—	3	5.6	2.8	4.2	7.1	—	2	500	131			
St. Paul's	23,395	25,940	30	26	56	—	—	—	20	21	41	—	41	25.4	19.2	18.6	22.5	—	8	143	182			
San Sebastian	11,492	12,740	11	10	21	—	—	1	8	8	16	—	16	19.4	20.9	14.8	18.7	—	6	286	290			
Kotahena North	18,683	20,710	28	29	57	—	—	2	13	13	26	—	25	32.4	21.2	14.2	19.1	—	4	70	92			
Kotahena South	27,488	30,480	20	27	47	3	—	3	26	24	50	—	50	18.2	21.7	19.3	19.0	—	12	255	222			
New Bezaar	23,341	25,880	40	40	80	—	—	3	20	22	42	—	42	36.4	25.2	19.1	22.7	—	16	200	314			
Maradana Hospitals	—	—	162	144	306	30	19	49	142	96	238	131	107	—	—	—	—	—	37	—	—			
Maradana North	30,404	33,700	34	44	78	—	—	1	17	15	32	—	32	27.3	23.5	11.2	18.6	—	3	38	47			
Maradana East	8,593	9,530	12	12	24	1	—	1	15	6	21	5	16	29.7	26.5	19.8	21.1	—	6	250	288			
Maradana South (exclusive of Hospitals)	18,531	20,550	25	15	40	—	—	2	14	7	21	—	21	22.9	16.0	12.0	14.7	—	5	125	206			
Slave Island	21,564	23,900	32	29	61	2	1	3	14	19	33	—	32	30.1	27.5	15.8	18.8	—	8	131	155			
Kollupitiya	29,752	26,340	21	20	41	1	1	2	8	8	16	—	14	18.3	13.9	6.3	8.6	—	1	24	31			
Wellawatta North	15,816	17,530	11	15	26	2	—	2	9	10	19	—	19	17.5	25.1	12.8	14.6	—	7	269	221			
Wellawatta South	10,813	11,990	17	17	34	—	—	—	4	5	9	—	9	33.4	28.5	8.8	11.2	—	3	38	104			

\* Standardized death rates for the wards of the city are not available.

† The city rate is worked differently from the ward rates, and takes into account events in hospitals, &c., not assigned to wards.