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REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL FOR THE THIRD QUARTER OF 1903.

I.—Population.

THE estimated population of the Island on the last day of the quarter was 3,746,367, an increase of 17,238 during the quarter, due to an excess of 10,199 births over deaths, and a further excess of 7,039 arrivals over departures of Indian coolies. Table I. in the Appendix gives the area of each Province and district of the Island, with the estimated population on the first day of the quarter, and the number of marriages, births, and deaths registered in the quarter.

2. *Arrivals and Departures of Indian Coolies.*—The number of Indian coolies who arrived in the Island during the quarter was 18,686, and was 46 per cent. below the average for the corresponding quarter of the last five years (34,431). The departures numbered 11,647, and were 47 per cent. below the average (21,782). The decrease in the number of arrivals and departures appears to be due to the figures being restricted to actual immigrant coolies since May last, prior to which date the figures represented all deck passengers.

II.—Marriages.

3. *Marriages.*—The number of general marriages (*i.e.*, marriages other than Kandyan or Mohammedan) registered during the quarter was 4,416 and of Kandyan marriages 1,590.

4. Table VI. in the Appendix shows the marriages solemnized in the general community in each Province and district in the Island, the civil condition, nationality, the highest, lowest, and mean ages of the parties, the mode of solemnization, the number of bridegrooms and brides who signed the register with marks, &c.

5. Table VII. in the Appendix gives similar information in respect of the Kandyans.

6. *First Marriages; Re-marriages.*—Of the 4,416 general marriages, 3,910 (equal to 88 per cent.) were between bachelors and spinsters, 365 between widowers and spinsters, 81 between bachelors and widows, 53 between widowers and widows, 3 between bachelors and divorced women, 2 between divorced men and spinsters, 1 between a divorced man and a widow, and 1 between a widower and a divorced woman.

7. *Age at Marriage.*—The mean age at marriage among the general community for males was 27·3 and for females 20·0, and among the Kandyans 26·4 for males and 20·1 for females.

8. *Minors.*—In the general community nearly 6 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 55 per cent. of the brides and among Kandyans 15 per cent. of the bridegrooms and 72 per cent. of the brides, were under 21 years of age.

9. *Mixed Marriages.*—There were 40 mixed marriages in the quarter: 17 between Sinhalese and Tamils, 13 between Burghers and Sinhalese, 4 between Europeans and Burghers, 4 between Burghers and Tamils, 1 between an European and a Sinhalese, and 1 between an European and a Tamil.

10. *Signatures in Marriage Register.*—Of the 8,832 persons married in the general community during the quarter, 1,088 men and 3,238 women signed the register with marks; that is to say, 75 per cent. of the men and nearly 25 per cent. of the women were able to write their names. Of the 3,180 Kandyans married, 581 men and 1,512 women signed the register with marks; in other words, 63 per cent. of the men and only 5 per cent. of the women were able to write their names.

III.—Births and Deaths.

11. *Births.*—The births registered during the quarter numbered 32,709 (56 Europeans, 187 Burghers, 22,506 Sinhalese, 7,572 Tamils, 2,269 Moors, 66 Malays, and 53 Others), and were in the proportion of 35·4 to 1,000 persons living per annum, as against 34·1, the average for the corresponding quarter of the period 1898-1902.

12. *Deaths.*—The deaths registered in the quarter numbered 22,510 (42 Europeans, 132 Burghers, 14,292 Sinhalese, 6,399 Tamils, 1,486 Moors, 68 Malays, and 91 Others), and corresponded to an annual rate of 24·4 per 1,000, as against 26·4, the average for the five third quarters of the period 1898-1902.

13. The births and deaths in this quarter are compared in the following Table A with the figures for the previous quarter, the third quarter of the previous year, and the average for the third quarters in 1898-1902, from which it will be seen that the birth-rate shows an improvement on the average of 1·3 per 1,000 and the death-rate a decline of 2 per 1,000.

TABLE A.

	Births.	Deaths.	Per Mille per Annum.	
			Birth-rate.	Death-rate.
Average for the third quarters in 1898-1902	30,172	23,328	34.1	26.4
Third quarter, 1902	31,241	22,868	34.0	24.9
Second quarter, 1903	36,459	23,276	39.5	25.2
Third quarter, 1903	32,709	22,510	35.4	24.4

14. *Sex.*—Of the total number of births (32,709), 16,784 were of males and 15,925 were of females, *i.e.*, 1,054 males to 1,000 females. Of the total number of deaths (22,510), 11,525 were of males and 10,985 were of females. Out of equal numbers living of each sex, there died 924 males to 1,000 females.

15. *Infant Mortality.*—The deaths of infants under one year of age numbered 5,381, and were in the proportion of 165 to 1,000 registered births. The rate of infant mortality varied in different districts from 373 (for Tamils) in Mannar, 364 (for Moors) and 308 (for Sinhalese) in Puttalam, 304 (for Tamils) in Trincomalee, 245 (for Sinhalese) in Anuradhapura, 198 (for Tamils) in Batticaloa, 185 (for Sinhalese) in Matale, 184 (for Sinhalese) in Badulla to 126 (for Sinhalese) in Colombo and Kalutara, 113 (for Sinhalese) in Matara, 108 (for Sinhalese) in Chilaw, and 99 (for Sinhalese) in Negombo.

16. Forty-four deaths (17 males and 27 females) were reported to be of centenarians.

IV.—State of Public Health.

17. The general health of the population during the quarter was satisfactory, the death-rate showing a decrease of 2 per mille from the average 26.4, and the birth-rate a rise of 1.3 per mille on the average 34.1. Seven of the nine Provinces showed reduced mortality, the exceptions being the Western and the North-Central Provinces, and all the Provinces with the exception of the Northern and the North-Central showed enhanced birth-rates.

18. Tables III, IV., and V. in the Appendix show the births and deaths, the birth-rates and death-rates for all ages in the several Provinces and districts of the Island and in the revenue subdivisions of those districts for the quarter under review, for the preceding quarter, and for the corresponding quarter of the previous year, and the average rates for the corresponding quarter in the period 1898-1902. The rates are shown for the Sinhalese only in the districts which are mainly inhabited by the Sinhalese, and for the Tamils only where the Tamils form the bulk of the population. In the Puttalam District, where the Sinhalese and Mohammedans are found in equal numbers, and in the Batticaloa District, which is inhabited in almost equal numbers by Tamils and Moors, the rates are given for the different sections of the population.

19. The healthiest Province was, as usual, the Western, the death-rate being 21.6. The healthiest district was Negombo (16.8), and the healthiest division was Siyane korale west (13.7), followed by Hapitigam korale (13.8).

20. *Western Province.*—The rate of mortality of the Sinhalese inhabitants of the Western Province, who at the beginning of the quarter were estimated to number 792,246, showed an increase of 1 per 1,000 on the average (18.8). Two of its three districts, *viz.*, Colombo and Kalutara, were responsible for this increase, Negombo showing a lower rate than the average. The birth-rate of the Province (31.6) was nearly 1 per 1,000 in excess of the average. The excess was shared by each of the districts.

21. In the Colombo District the death-rate showed an increase of 1.6 per mille on the average 18.7, and the birth-rate an increase of 1 per mille on the average 29.2. Three of the subdivisions showed enhanced death-rates, while the other three showed reduced rates. Siyane korale west, which next to the Salpiti korale contains the largest population in the district, was the healthiest subdivision in the Province (death-rate 13.7 for all ages and 61 per 1,000 births registered for infants), and Salpiti korale, the most populous division, showed a death-rate of 19.8 (average 18.0), the highest death-rate among the subdivisions of the Colombo District, exclusive of the Colombo Municipality. This division is dealt with in chapter VII.

22. The Negombo District showed an improvement in health in the quarter, its death-rate falling to 15.3 from an average of 17.6. Each of its three subdivisions showed diminished rates of mortality. The healthiest division in the district was Hapitigam korale, with a death-rate of 13.8 (average 17.0), and the highest death-rate was in the Negombo Local Board, 23.9 (average 34.6). The birth-rate in the district was 34.3, against an average of 33.9. The birth-rate in the Negombo Local Board showed a decline of 7 per thousand on the average (37.9), while the birth-rates in the other two divisions showed a slight improvement on the average.

23. The Kalutara District showed the highest death-rate amongst the districts of the Western Province, *viz.*, 21.5 (average 19.7). All its subdivisions, except Pasdun korale east, showed a deterioration in health. The healthiest division in the district was Pasdun korale east, 16.0 (average 16.2). Kalutara totamune, the most populous division in the district, showed a mortality rate of 24.0, which, next to the Kalutara Local Board (28.8), was the highest rate in the district during the quarter. The birth-rate recorded in the district was 32.8, against an average of 31.6.

24. *Central Province.*—The Sinhalese inhabitants of the Central Province, who number about 300,000, showed a death-rate of 25.7 in the quarter, an improvement on the average (29.5) as well as the rates for the previous quarter and the corresponding quarter of last year, 26.0 and 27.8 respectively. The improvement in health was confined to the Kandy and Matale Districts. The birth-rate for the Province (40.4) showed a slight deterioration from the average (40.6). The Kandy District was responsible for the deterioration in the Provincial birth-rate, the Districts of Matale and Nuwara Eliya showing an improvement in this respect.

25. The inhabitants of Kandy District fared better than usual, their death-rate falling to 25.6 from an average of 28.5. Eight of its ten subdivisions enjoyed improved health during the quarter, the exceptions being Uda Bulatgama (25.4) and Udunuwara (26.0). The healthiest division in the district was Yatinuwara (24.2), followed by Udalapala (24.4) and Tuppane (24.5). The birth-rate in the district was 38.6 against an average of 39.7.

26. In the Matale District there was a considerable improvement in health during the quarter, the death-rate falling to 24.8 from an average of 35.2. The rate for the quarter showed an improvement on the rates for the previous quarter and the corresponding quarter of the previous year also, *viz.*, 30.8 and 32.9 respectively. All the divisions of the district, except the Matale Local Board, showed considerably lower death-rates than the average. The divisions of Matale south and Matale north both showed the same death-rate, 21.4, the lowest in the district in the quarter. The highest death-rate was in Matale Local Board, 39.3. This division also recorded the high infant mortality of 545 per 1,000 registered births.

27. The Nuwara Eliya District presented a death-rate of 27.2, a slight deterioration from the average 26.3. All its subdivisions, except Uda Hewahata (16.2), shared in the deterioration. The healthiest division was Uda Hewahata and the unhealthiest Walapane (39.5).

28. *Northern Province.*—The Tamils of the Northern Province, who number over a third of a million, fared a little better than usual in point of health during the quarter, their death-rate declining to 23·9 from an average of 24·3. The improvement was shared by the Districts of Jaffna and Mullaittivu. In Mannar there was a deterioration in health. The birth-rate of the Province showed a slight decline of ·4 per mille on the average 36·3.

29. In the Jaffna District, which contains about 90 per cent. of the Tamils in the Province, the death-rate (22·7) showed a slight reduction from the average (23·3). The healthiest division was Valikamam west (17·6) and the unhealthiest Vadamaradchi east (49·4). In the divisions of Delft, Punakari, and Pachchilaipalli the death-rate for the quarter shows a large excess over the average rate. On the other hand, the Jaffna division (death-rate 23·6) shows a reduction of nearly 9 per 1,000 below its average 32·3. In Karaichchi, a division with a Tamil population of about 2,800, not a single birth or death appears to have been registered during the quarter. The birth-rate in the district for the quarter (36·4) was the same as the average.

30. In the Mannar District, the death-rate rose from an average of 35·0 to 43·0 in the quarter. Of its three divisions, Nanaddan and Mannar island showed enhanced rates, 49·7 and 48·3 respectively, as compared with the averages 37·7 and 34·4. The remaining division Mantai enjoyed better health than usual, its death-rate having fallen to 32·2 from an average of 34·1.

31. The Mullaittivu District enjoyed much improved health during the quarter (death-rate 27·7) as compared with the average (33·5). To this result all its divisions contributed, the healthiest of which was Vavuniya north with a death-rate of 17·9, which is less than half its average (36·8).

32. *Southern Province.*—The death-rate in the Southern Province for the quarter was the same as the rate for the corresponding quarter of last year (23·0), but slightly lower than the average 23·2. Compared with the previous quarter, however, the rate shows an increase of 1·6 per 1,000. The birth-rate of the Province (37·8) was 1·5 per 1,000 higher than the average.

33. In the Galle District the deaths among the Sinhalese were in the proportion of 24·8 per 1,000 persons living per annum, as against 24·3, the average of the third quarters in the period 1898–1902. Four of its seven subdivisions showed an improvement in health, while the other three showed a deterioration. The healthiest division in the district was Four Gravets beyond Municipal limits and Akmimana (19·5) and the unhealthiest Himidum pattuwa (28·6). This division occupied the first place in the district in point of health during the period 1898–1902, the average rate being 21·0. The births registered in the district were at the rate of 36·1 per 1,000 persons living.

34. Compared with its average mortality during the period 1898–1902, the Mātara District showed a decline of 1·3 in the quarter. Six of its seven subdivisions presented lower death-rates than the average, the exception being Weligam korale (22·1). Here too the increase was very slight, ·1 per 1,000. The birth-rate of the district showed an excess of 2·3 on the average 35·7.

35. In the Hambantota District the rate of mortality recorded in the quarter was 22·2, against an average of 21·3. The healthiest division in the district was Giruwa pattu west (19·9) and the unhealthiest the Hambantota Four Gravets (57·6). The rate in this division showed a considerable advance on the average (36·9). The death-rates in the remaining two divisions, viz., Magam pattu exclusive of Four Gravets and Giruwa pattu east, were 31·1 and 30·0 respectively.

36. *Eastern Province.*—The Tamil population of this Province, numbering nearly 100,000, enjoyed slightly better health than usual. The death-rate for the quarter (26·6) was 1·3 per 1,000 below the average. Both the districts of the Province shared in the improvement.

37. In the Batticaloa District the Tamil death-rate fell to 26·7 from an average of 27·1, and the Moor death-rate to 24·8 from 27·9. The lowest death-rate for Tamils was in Manmunai pattu south (15·0). The highest death-rate as well as the highest birth-rate for Tamils was in Koralai pattu (41·9 and 74·2 respectively), while in this very division the Moors showed the lowest death-rate (13·5). In Manmunai pattu north the Moors had as high a birth-rate as 78·0 in the quarter.

38. In the Trincomalee District the death-rate fell 5 per 1,000, *i.e.*, from an average of 31·3 to 26·3. The Town of Trincomalee, with more than half the population of the whole District, fared worse than usual, the death-rate (36·7) having risen nearly 2 per 1,000 above the average (34·9). The three rural divisions, however, enjoyed better health than usual, especially Kaddukulam pattu, whose death-rate for the quarter was as low as 8·2.

39. *North-Western Province.*—The Sinhalese death-rate of the North-Western Province (23·2 in the quarter) was 5 per 1,000 below the average. This was due to the improvement in health experienced by its chief district, Kurunegala, which has about three-fourths of the Provincial Sinhalese population, showing a reduction in its death-rate of 7 per 1,000 below the average, though the Puttalam and Chilaw Districts, on the other hand, showed enhanced rates, the former 2 per 1,000 and the latter 1 per 1,000 above the average.

40. The improved health shown in Kurunegala District was shared by each of its seven divisions. The unhealthiest division was as usual the Kurunegala Town and the healthiest Katugampola hatpattu (death-rate 17·2).

41. In the Puttalam District the Sinhalese showed a higher death-rate (28·8) as compared with the average 26·7. In Demala hatpattu the rate for the quarter (23·3) showed a considerable decline as compared with the average 32·0, but in Puttalam division (34·3) there was a considerable rise on the average 26·8. The Moor death-rate too of the Puttalam district showed a rise as compared with the average (36·9 against 32·4). The Tamils alone fared better than usual in the district (35·0 against the average 36·2). Their death-rate in the Puttalam division was as low as 14·9, but was as high as 68·7 in the Kalpitiya division.

42. The increase in the death-rate of Chilaw District as compared with the average was shared by all its divisions, except Pitigal korale central, where the death-rate fell to 17·3 from the average 18·1. The lowest death-rate was, as usual, in Pitigal korale south (15·2).

43. *North-Central Province.*—The Anuradhapura District, constituting the Province, showed a death-rate of 34·5 in the quarter, being 1·7 per 1,000 higher than the average. Of the five divisions of the district, three, viz., Anuradhapura town, Nuwaragam palata, and Hurulupalata, shared in the deterioration of health, while the remaining two, viz., Kalagam palata and Tamankaduwa, showed lower rates than usual.

44. *Province of Uva.*—The Badulla District, constituting the Province of Uva, enjoyed better health than usual, the death-rate having fallen to 34·4 from an average of 38·2. With the exception of Wellassa, the unhealthiest division, where the death-rate rose to 47·3 from the average 43·4, all the divisions of the district showed lower death-rates as compared with their averages. The healthiest division in the quarter was Wellawaya (death-rate 24·2), closely followed by Udukinda (26·5).

45. *Province of Sabaragamuwa.*—The Sinhalese population of this Province, numbering over a quarter of a million, enjoyed better health, than usual. This improvement was shared in about equal proportion by its two districts.

46. In the Ratnapura District the death-rate fell to 25.7 from the average 29.0. With the exception of Kadawata korale, the unhealthiest division in the quarter, where the death-rate 33.5 rose from the average 28.0, and Kolonna korale (25.9) and Meda korale (30.5), where too a slight increase in the death-rate was recorded, the remaining divisions shared in the improvement of health shown by the district.

47. In the Kegalla District, the death-rate fell to 22.8 from the average 26.4; except the Local Board of Kegalla, where a large increase in the death-rate, viz., 17.4 per 1,000, was noticeable, and Lower Bulatgama, where however the increase was only .1 per 1,000; the other divisions shared in the improved health.

V.—Causes of Deaths.

48. The causes of deaths registered in the Island during the quarter are given in Table X., and are summarized below:—

TABLE B.

District.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Diarrhoea & Dysentery.	Fevers.	Violence.				All other Causes.	Total.
					Accident.	Homicide.	Suicide.	Execution.		
CEYLON ...	1	—	5,111	4,105	376	35	39	1	12,842	22,510
Colombo ...	1	—	625	509	37	7	3	1	1,946	3,129
Negombo ...	—	—	97	154	12	3	2	—	393	661
Kalutara ...	—	—	338	206	40	2	1	—	771	1,358
Kandy ...	—	—	739	224	40	3	6	—	1,551	2,563
Matale ...	—	—	123	136	9	—	1	—	356	625
Nuwara Eliya ...	—	—	329	52	10	—	3	—	495	889
Jaffna ...	—	—	182	576	21	2	5	—	982	1,768
Mannar ...	—	—	53	62	6	—	—	—	136	257
Mullaattivu ...	—	—	19	29	—	—	—	—	65	113
Galle ...	—	—	449	229	29	3	2	—	973	1,685
Matara ...	—	—	401	161	28	2	1	—	583	1,176
Hambantota ...	—	—	93	267	14	1	1	—	239	615
Batticaloa ...	—	—	203	309	10	—	—	—	465	987
Trincomalee ...	—	—	43	43	3	—	—	—	79	168
Kurunegala ...	—	—	166	299	32	3	—	—	1,111	1,611
Puttalam ...	—	—	24	78	9	2	—	—	139	252
Chilaw ...	—	—	28	84	2	—	1	—	266	381
Anuradhapura ...	—	—	86	249	8	1	2	—	333	679
Badulla ...	—	—	506	210	15	1	4	—	751	1,487
Ratnapura ...	—	—	317	101	28	2	2	—	487	937
Kegalla ...	—	—	290	127	23	3	5	—	721	1,169

49. *Fever and Diarrhoeal Diseases.*—Of the 22,510 deaths registered in the Island, 4,105 were reported as due to various forms of fever and 5,112 to diarrhoeal diseases, i.e., fever and diarrhoeal diseases contributed 41 per cent. of the total number of deaths.

50. *Cholera.*—The only death registered during the quarter as due to cholera was one which occurred at the Ragama Camp during the previous quarter. There were 2 cases of chickenpox this quarter (1 each in Kalutara and Kandy); 12 deaths were due to measles (5 in Kalutara, 2 each in Anuradhapura and Ratnapura, and 1 each in Colombo, Kandy, and Jaffna); 7 deaths resulted from whooping cough (3 in Colombo 2 in Galle, 1 in Kalutara, and 1 in Badulla).

51. The other chief causes of deaths were infantile convulsions 2,157, debility 1,225, phthisis 851, worms 671, anaemia 632, pneumonia 648, general dropsy 601, old age 540, puerperal convulsions 257, thrush 248, malarial cachexia 230, premature birth 168, bronchitis 165, tetanus 130, rheumatism 110, paralysis 103, dochmius duodenalis 63, and cancer 46.

52. *Deaths by Violence.*—Of the 376 deaths attributed to accidents, 95 were due to drowning, 92 to falls from trees, 55 to snake bite, 24 to burns or scalds, 23 to falls of heavy substances, 12 to gun-shot wounds, 12 to falls from heights other than trees, 7 to poison, 7 to injuries at birth, 6 to being run over by train, 4 to suffocation; 3 to injuries caused by crocodiles, 3 to being run over by cart, 3 to falls, 3 to injuries caused by bulls, 2 to injuries caused by leopards, 2 to foreign body in air passage, 1 to cutting or stabbing, 1 to explosion of dynamite, 1 to fall into a pit; and 1 to wire shoot snapping. One death was due to rat-bite, 1 each to injuries caused by elephant, dog, cattle, and leech, and 1 to being caught in machinery.

53. *Suicide.*—Thirty-nine deaths were attributed to suicide, of which 25 were by hanging, 7 by poison, 2 by cut or stab, 1 by drowning, 1 by gun-shot wounds, and 3 otherwise.

54. *Homicide.*—Thirty-five deaths were attributed to homicide (7 in Colombo, 3 each in Negombo, Kandy, Galle, Kurunegala, and Kegalla; 2 each in Kalutara, Jaffna, Matara, Puttalam, and Ratnapura, and 1 each in Hambantota, Anuradhapura, and Badulla).

55. *Executions.*—There was only 1 judicial execution registered during the quarter, which was in the Colombo District.

VI.—Health of the Estate Population.

56. The total number of births reported for registration from the estates of the Central, Uva, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces, and in the Colombo and Kalutara Districts of the Western Province was 2,824 (8 Europeans, 12 Burghers, 71 Sinhalese, 2,704 Tamils, 28 Moors, and 1 Malay), and the total number of deaths was 2,535 (3 Europeans, 2 Burghers, 57 Sinhalese, 2,453 Tamils, 17 Moors, and 3 Others), corresponding to an annual birth-rate of 26.7 and a death-rate of 23.9 per mille, as against the respective averages of 20.8 and 27.7 for 1898–1902. The causes of deaths are given in Table XI., and are summarized as follows:—

TABLE C.

Debility ...	557	Fevers ...	120	Phthisis ...	39
Dysentery ...	424	Malarial cachexia ...	111	Bronehitis ...	32
Diarrhoea ...	406	Old age ...	91	Dochmius duodenalis ...	30
Pneumonia ...	168	General dropsy ...	88	Anaemia ...	25
Infantile convulsions ...	133	Parturition... ..	51	All other causes ...	260

57. The following Table D gives the estate population as enumerated at the Census of 1901 in each district, its birth- and death-rates for the third quarter of 1903, and the average of the five third quarters of 1898-1902, as well as the second quarter of 1903 and the third quarter of 1902 :—

TABLE D.

District.	Population at the Census of 1901.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			
		Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.
Kandy ...	155,444	22.5	25.4	27.4	28.5	30.6	29.8	23.3	25.4
Matale ...	26,136	22.1	22.5	22.2	23.5	35.0	37.8	26.6	27.5
Nuwara Eliya ...	103,564	18.6	22.2	23.5	25.0	19.0	23.1	18.0	20.5
Badulla ...	51,788	21.0	18.7	29.4	29.3	21.5	19.9	25.9	20.4
Ratnapura ...	16,642	24.2	17.4	25.1	19.1	41.6	27.7	32.8	32.4
Kegalla ...	41,499	27.1	20.9	28.4	28.6	39.2	31.6	29.2	27.3
Colombo ...	8,302	18.8	15.3	16.9	16.7	46.5	34.4	29.5	19.1
Kalutara ...	16,965	14.0	19.6	24.6	25.3	35.0	32.7	28.8	22.9
Total ...	420,340	20.8	22.4	26.1	26.7	27.7	27.7	23.8	23.9

58. *Kandy District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kandy District was 1,115 (4 Europeans, 6 Burghers, 29 Sinhalese, 1,061 Tamils, and 15 Moors), and the deaths numbered 924 (3 Europeans, 1 Burgher, 18 Sinhalese, 962 Tamils, and 10 Moors). The birth-rate during the quarter was 28.5, as against 22.5, the mean rate for the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902; and the death-rate was 25.4, as against 30.6, the mean rate for the corresponding period of 1898-1902. The most fatal causes of death were, as usual, diarrhoeal diseases 300 (138 diarrhoea and 162 dysentery) deaths, or 30 per cent. of the total number of deaths (924). The other chief causes were debility 259 (mostly of infants from inability to suck), infantile convulsions 58, pneumonia 48, general dropsy 44, old age 37, fevers 29, malarial cachexia 27, doehmius duodenalis 18, childbirth 18, bronchitis 16 epilepsy 12, worms 12, and premature birth 9.

59. *Matale District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Matale District was 155 (1 Burgher, 2 Sinhalese, and 152 Tamils), and the deaths numbered 181 (2 Sinhalese, 178 Tamils, and 1 Other). The birth-rate recorded for the quarter (23.5) was in excess of the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902 (22.1); and the death-rate was 27.5, as against the mean rate 35.0 for the third quarters of 1898-1902. Dysentery and diarrhoea were responsible for 51 deaths. The chief causes of death were debility 26 (mostly of infants from inability to suck), fevers 25, pneumonia 15, malarial cachexia 12, old age 11, general dropsy 9, and infantile convulsions 8.

60. *Nuwara Eliya District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Nuwara Eliya District was 650 (1 European, 3 Burghers, 14 Sinhalese, 628 Tamils, and 4 Moors), and the deaths numbered 533 (1 Burgher, 11 Sinhalese, 516 Tamils, 3 Moors, and 2 Others). The birth-rate during the quarter was 25.0, as against the mean rate 18.6 for the corresponding period of 1898-1902; and the death-rate was 20.5, as against the average (19.0) for the period 1898-1902. The chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 192 (102 dysentery and 90 diarrhoea), which caused 36 per cent. of the total number of deaths (533). Debility caused 124 deaths (mostly of infants from inability to suck), pneumonia 51, old age 27, infantile convulsions 25, fevers 17, general dropsy 13, childbirth 12, phthisis 8, and malarial cachexia 8.

61. *Badulla District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Badulla District was 382 (1 Burgher, 5 Sinhalese, 375 Tamils, and 1 Moor), and the deaths numbered 267 (2 Sinhalese, 264 Tamils, and 1 Moor). The birth-rate for the quarter was 29.3, as against the average 21.0 for the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902; and the death-rate was 20.4, as against the average 21.5 for the period 1898-1902. The chief causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases, which caused 84 deaths (40 diarrhoea and 44 dysentery), or 31 per cent. of the total number of deaths (267). The other chief natural causes were debility 68 (mostly of infants from inability to suck), pneumonia 25, fevers 19, infantile convulsions 8, general dropsy 8, malarial cachexia 7, bronchitis 7, and old age 3.

62. *Ratnapura District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Ratnapura District was 80 (4 Sinhalese, 75 Tamils, and 1 Moor), and the deaths numbered 136 (5 Sinhalese, 130 Tamils, and 1 Moor). The birth-rate for the quarter was 19.1, as against the average 24.2 for the corresponding periods of 1898-1902; and the death-rate was 32.4, as against the average 41.6 for the period 1898-1902. Here, as elsewhere, the chief natural causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases, which caused 60 deaths (26 diarrhoea and 34 dysentery), or nearly 44 per cent. of the total number of deaths (136). The other chief causes of death were debility 17, pneumonia 13, infantile convulsions 7, phthisis 7, doehmius duodenalis 4, fever 4, and malarial cachexia 3.

63. *Kegalla District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kegalla District was 299 (2 Europeans, 1 Burgher, 14 Sinhalese, 275 Tamils, 6 Moors, and 1 Malay), and the deaths numbered 286 (14 Sinhalese, 271 Tamils, and 1 Moor). The birth-rate for the quarter was 28.6, as against the average 27.1 for the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902; and the death-rate was 27.3, as against the average 39.2. The chief natural causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases, which caused 97 deaths (46 diarrhoea and 51 dysentery), or nearly 34 per cent. of the total number of deaths (286). The other chief causes of death were malarial cachexia 43, debility 41 (mostly of infants from inability to suck), infantile convulsions 17, fevers 13, pneumonia 13, general dropsy 11, phthisis 8, anæmia 6, and old age 6.

64. *Colombo District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Colombo District was 35 (1 Sinhalese and 34 Tamils), and the deaths numbered 40 (1 Sinhalese, 38 Tamils, and 1 Moor). The birth-rate during the quarter was 16.7, as against the average 18.8 for the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902, and the death-rate was 19.1, as against the average 46.5. Here, too, as elsewhere, diarrhoeal diseases caused the largest number of deaths, i.e., 16, or 40 per cent. of the total number of deaths (40). The other chief natural causes of death were anæmia 7, fevers 6, malarial cachexia 3, and debility 3.

65. *Kalutara District.*—The total number of births reported for registration from the estates in the Kalutara District during the quarter was 108 (1 European, 2 Sinhalese, 104 Tamils, and 1 Moor) and the deaths numbered 98 (4 Sinhalese and 94 Tamils). The birth-rate recorded for the quarter was 25.3, as against the average 14.0 for the corresponding quarters of 1898-1902, and the death-rate was 22.9, as against the average 35.0. As usual, the most fatal causes of death were diarrhoeal diseases 30 (23 diarrhoea and 7 dysentery), debility 19 (mostly of infants from inability to suck), infantile convulsions 9, malarial cachexia 8, fever 7, and old age 4.

VII.—Health of the Town of Colombo.

66. The births registered in the town of Colombo numbered 815 and corresponded to an annual rate of 19·8 per mille, a decrease of 1·7 per mille on the average (21·5).

67. The deaths registered numbered 1,408 and corresponded to a rate of 34·2 per mille per annum, an increase of 1·8 on the average 32·4.

68. As usual in the town, the death-rate exceeded the birth-rate, due mainly to the preponderance of males over females (chiefly among Europeans, Indian Tamils, and Mohammedans), to the presence of hospitals, which add to the normal mortality of the town, and to the registration of births being still defective.

69. The subjoined Table E gives the births and deaths and their rates for each race in the third quarters of 1903 and 1902, and the average for the third quarters in 1898-1902 :—

TABLE E.

Nationality.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census, 1901.	Births.			Deaths.			Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.		
		Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Third Quarter, 1903.
ALL RACES	155869	835	883	815	1,259	1,383	1,408	21·5	21·9	19·8	32·4	34·3	34·2
Europeans ...	2,657	18	18	31	21	20	31	27·1	26·3	44·5	31·8	29·2	44·5
Burghers ...	11,861	84	85	97	78	77	80	28·4	28·0	31·7	26·3	25·4	26·1
Sinhalese ...	68,772	455	491	416	553	600	690	26·5	27·8	23·2	32·1	34·0	38·5
Tamils ...	34,640	95	101	101	311	375	310	11·2	11·0	10·7	36·2	41·0	32·7
Moors ...	28,898	143	138	136	222	234	224	21·1	18·5	18·0	30·7	31·4	29·6
Malays ...	4,493	27	32	18	40	39	36	24·4	27·3	14·9	35·8	33·2	29·9
Others ...	4,548	13	18	16	34	38	37	11·0	14·7	12·4	30·5	31·0	28·6

70. Too much reliance should not be placed on the birth- and death-rates given in the above table for Europeans, Malays, and the races classed together as "Others," as their population is too small for purposes of rate calculation.

71. Excluding the rates for these sections, the lowest death-rate was among the Burghers (26·1, a decrease of 2 on their average), followed by the Moors (29·6, against an average of 30·7 in 1898-1902), and the highest death-rate was among the Sinhalese (38·5, against an average of 32·1), followed by the Tamils, who also show a high rate (32·7, against an average of 36·2).

72. The highest birth-rate (31·7) was among the Burghers, followed by the Sinhalese (23·2). The lowest birth-rate was among the Tamils (10·7). The low birth-rate and the high death-rate of this community are due to their including a male adult floating population and a large number of poor and destitute immigrant coolies.

73. The number of births and deaths of the different wards in the town, their rates per mille per annum, the principal zymotic causes of death, &c., during the quarter are shown in the following table F :—

TABLE F.

Wards.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census, 1901.	Births.											Deaths.											Annual Rate per 1,000.	Deaths of Children under One Year.							
		Total Births.		Nationality.									Total Deaths.		Nationality.											Causes of Death.						
		Persons.	Males.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	Persons.	Males.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	Cholera.	Smallpox.	Measles.	Fevers.			Diarrhoea and Dysentery.	Dochnus typhoidalis.	Violence.	Births.	Deaths.		
Colombo Town...	155869	815	435	380	31	97	416	101	136	18	16	1408	715	693	31	80	690	310	224	36	37	120	321	5	17	1	2	19·8	34·2	345		
Fort & Galle Face	2285	5	3	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	6	3	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	1	1	1	1	8·7	15·6	3
Pettah	7561	10	3	7	6	3	1	1	1	1	1	30	21	9	2	1	11	9	7	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	5·2	15·7	3	
St. Sebastian	9349	48	23	25	2	6	13	4	22	1	1	60	31	29	1	4	9	8	36	1	1	3	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	19·6	24·5	16
St. Paul's	20260	88	48	40	2	5	27	34	17	3	3	125	60	65	6	28	59	27	5	5	5	5	25	1	1	1	1	1	1	16·4	23·3	45
Kotahena	33355	132	68	64	1	19	92	15	5	1	1	268	133	135	2	16	172	42	35	5	1	38	49	1	1	1	1	1	1	15·1	30·6	70
New Bazaar	17470	100	58	42	11	38	14	36	1	1	1	122	45	77	14	53	14	37	4	1	1	9	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	21·7	26·5	45
Maradana :																																
Hospitals	30381	99	53	46	5	6	76	9	3	1	1	322	186	136	15	9	185	90	8	3	12	14	118	4	7	1	2	1	1	20·1	27·9	63
Excl. of hospitals	16927	94	43	51	2	4	44	11	14	13	6	162	81	81	2	6	65	30	23	26	10	26	35	1	1	1	1	1	1	20·9	36·1	50
Slave Island	18231	76	44	32	9	16	45	2	3	1	1	83	40	43	2	3	48	21	3	1	1	10	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	15·4	16·8	22

74. The low birth- and death-rates of the Fort and Galle Face and the Pettah Wards are due to their population being chiefly a floating male adult one. Excluding these two divisions, the healthiest division in the town was, as usual, the Kollupitiya Ward, with a death-rate of 16·8 per 1,000 per annum, and the unhealthiest the Slave Island Ward, where the death-rate was 36·1. The highest birth-rate was in the New Bazaar Ward (21·7), and the next highest in Slave Island (20·9), followed by Maradana (20·1).

75. There were no deaths from cholera, smallpox, or measles. Phthisis, bronchitis, and pneumonia were fatal in 293 cases (against an average of 263 in the corresponding period of the last five years), diarrhoea and dysentery in 321 (average 231), fever in 120, including 26 of enteric fever (average 30), and 37 of remittent fever (average 47), infantile convulsions in 119 (average 104), old age in 64 (average 63), tetanus in 58 (average 39), premature birth in 10 (average 20), diseases of the circulatory system in 29 (average 26), worms in 17 (average 22), doehmius duodenalis in 5 (average 16), parturition in 5 (average 13), malarial cachexia in 3 (average 23).

76. Seventeen deaths were attributed to accidents, of which 2 were due to drowning, 6 to burns and scalds, 2 to explosion of a charge of gunpowder, 3 to being caught in machinery, 1 to being run over by a tram car, 1 to being run over by a cart, 1 to being run over by a train, and 1 to the fall of a heavy substance.

77. Two deaths were attributed to suicide and one to homicide.

VIII.—Health of other Towns.

78. The following Table G shows the birth- and death-rates in each of the principal towns of the Island for the third quarters of 1903 and 1902, and the average rates for the third quarters in 1898–1902:—

TABLE G.

Towns.	Population (inclusive of the Military) at the Census of 1901.	Third Quarter, 1903.			Birth-rate per Mille per Annum			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			
		Total Births.	Total Deaths.	Deaths in Hospitals and Jails.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898–1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Third Quarters, 1898–1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	3rd Quarter, 1903.	
										Inclusive of Hospital and Jail Deaths.	Exclusive of Hospital and Jail Deaths.
<i>Western Province.</i>											
Colombo ...	155,869	815	1,408	336	21·5	21·9	19·8	32·4	34·3	34·2	26·1
Negombo ...	19,819	204	164	24	33·0	32·6	40·4	33·4	31·0	32·5	27·7
Moratuwa ...	29,600	297	185	—	34·2	36·9	38·3	20·0	22·3	22·8	23·8
Kalutara ...	11,500	99	91	18	28·8	26·4	33·7	26·9	31·2	31·0	24·9
Panadure ...	3,845	33	51	22	33·9	46·4	29·9	38·3	46·4	46·2	26·3
<i>Central Province.</i>											
Kandy ...	26,511	192	218	81	23·0	24·6	27·2	39·8	38·2	30·9	19·4
Gampola ...	3,791	24	42	25	21·3	26·3	23·7	95·5	94·2	41·5	16·8
Nawalapitiya ...	3,454	20	63	37	18·8	27·6	21·4	96·4	75·0	67·4	27·8
Matale ...	4,951	30	78	50	32·5	34·5	23·1	89·5	70·5	60·1	21·6
Nuwara Eliya ...	5,072	25	23	7	17·6	18·2	16·9	35·2	25·5	15·6	10·8
<i>Northern Province.</i>											
Jaffna ...	33,879	317	250	20	38·9	40·2	37·1	34·5	29·2	29·3	26·9
Mannar ...	5,332	25	33	2	23·5	23·7	16·6	16·5	12·5	21·9	20·6
Mullaivivu ...	1,308	11	11	2	29·9	44·6	32·2	38·7	20·8	32·2	26·4
Vavuniya ...	566	—	8	6	33·8	20·5	—	77·5	136·6	53·6	13·4
<i>Southern Province.</i>											
Galle ...	37,165	287	266	28	27·5	29·1	29·9	28·5	27·6	27·7	24·8
Matara ...	11,848	110	82	11	31·0	31·0	35·6	32·2	35·0	26·5	22·9
Hambantota ...	2,843	36	27	2	29·4	37·2	49·1	28·9	41·3	36·9	34·1
Tangalla ...	2,333	17	10	1	34·2	31·9	25·8	23·2	17·5	15·2	13·7
<i>Eastern Province.</i>											
Batticaloa ...	9,969	100	71	—	34·8	33·2	39·2	31·3	30·9	27·8	27·8
Trincomalee ...	11,887	87	97	8	32·0	38·6	29·0	31·7	24·9	32·4	29·7
<i>North-Western Province.</i>											
Kurunegala ...	6,483	42	56	25	20·1	14·7	23·9	65·5	41·7	31·9	17·6
Puttalam ...	5,115	34	49	6	23·0	25·5	26·3	34·3	38·7	37·9	33·2
Chilaw ...	4,168	19	34	1	22·7	25·3	17·6	26·2	29·1	31·6	30·6
<i>North-Central Province.</i>											
Anuradhapura ...	3,672	22	41	16	32·2	23·6	21·7	46·6	56·5	40·5	24·7
<i>Province of Uva.</i>											
Badulla ...	5,924	51	75	43	30·1	24·2	32·9	46·8	41·9	48·3	20·6
<i>Province of Sabaragamuwa.</i>											
Ratnapura ...	4,084	28	51	23	28·2	25·7	26·3	69·6	42·9	47·9	26·3
Kegalla ...	2,340	20	37	28	32·2	19·5	31·9	72·4	38·9	59·0	14·3

79. The death-rates are given inclusive of hospital and jail deaths as well as exclusive. In some of the towns which attract large numbers of estate coolies and destitute poor to the hospitals the difference between the two rates is striking, e.g., Gampola 41.5 and 16.8, Nawalapitiya 67.4 and 27.8, Matale 60.1 and 21.6, Kurunegala 31.9 and 17.6, and Kegalla 59.0 and 14.3. Exclusive of deaths in hospitals and jails, the lowest death-rate was in Nuwara Eliya 10.8, followed by Vavuniya 13.4, Tangalla 13.7, Kegalla 14.3, Gampola 16.8, Kurunegala 17.6, and Kandy 19.4, and the highest in Hambantota 34.1, followed by Puttalam 33.2 and Chilaw 30.6.

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APPENDIX.

Table I.—Area, Estimated Population, and the Number of Marriages, Births, and Deaths registered in the Third Quarter of 1903.

Province and District.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population on July 1, 1903.*	MARRIAGES.			BIRTHS.			DEATHS.		
			Total.	General.	Kandyan.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	2532 ¹ / ₂	3,663,696	6,006	4,416	1,590	32,709	16,784	15,925	22,310	11,525	10,985
Western ...	1,432	947,368	1,941	1,941	—	7,259	3,752	3,507	5,148	2,622	2,526
Central ...	2,299	632,322	488	110	378	5,334	2,735	2,599	4,077	2,063	2,014
Northern ...	3,363	349,526	601	601	—	3,167	1,668	1,499	2,138	1,136	1,002
Southern ...	2,146	590,518	1,182	1,179	3	5,549	2,806	2,743	3,476	1,712	1,764
Eastern ...	4,036 ¹ / ₂	179,260	135	132	3	2,238	1,159	1,079	1,155	623	532
North-Western ...	2,996	365,869	904	353	551	3,683	1,867	1,816	2,244	1,160	1,084
North-Central ...	4,002	78,963	89	13	76	699	361	338	679	390	289
Uva ...	3,154 ¹ / ₂	188,501	230	39	191	1,814	914	900	1,487	745	742
Sabaragamuwa ...	1,901	331,369	436	48	388	2,966	1,522	1,444	2,106	1,074	1,032
Western.											
Colombo ...	561 ³ / ₄	554,221	1,084	1,084	—	3,897	2,004	1,893	3,129	1,605	1,524
Negombo ...	247	156,020	397	397	—	1,391	716	675	661	344	317
Kalutara ...	623	237,127	460	460	—	1,971	1,032	939	1,358	673	685
Central.											
Kandy ...	911	383,576	327	67	260	3,275	1,705	1,570	2,563	1,308	1,255
Matale ...	925 ³ / ₄	93,634	87	9	78	882	452	430	625	317	308
Nuwara Eliya ...	462 ¹ / ₂	155,112	74	34	40	1,177	578	599	889	438	451
Northern.											
Jaffna ...	1,265	310,104	553	553	—	2,838	1,496	1,342	1,768	931	837
Mannar ...	943 ¹ / ₂	24,410	37	37	—	210	114	96	257	136	121
Mullaittivu ...	1,154 ¹ / ₂	15,012	11	11	—	119	58	61	113	69	44
Southern.											
Galle ...	652 ¹ / ₂	267,592	405	402	3	2,388	1,199	1,189	1,685	812	873
Matara ...	481 ¹ / ₂	213,800	414	414	—	2,026	1,032	994	1,176	595	581
Hambantota ...	1,012 ³ / ₄	109,126	363	363	—	1,135	575	560	615	305	310
Eastern.											
Batticaloa ...	2,871 ¹ / ₂	150,203	84	82	2	1,988	1,029	959	987	537	450
Trincomalee ...	1,165	29,057	51	50	1	250	130	120	168	86	82
North-Western.											
Kurunegala ...	1,844 ¹ / ₂	258,783	694	164	530	2,790	1,403	1,387	1,611	819	792
Puttalam ...	889 ³ / ₄	29,605	47	26	21	231	125	106	252	147	105
Chilaw ...	262 ¹ / ₂	77,481	163	163	—	662	339	323	381	194	187
North-Central.											
Anuradhapura ...	4,002 ¹ / ₂	78,963	89	13	76	699	361	338	679	390	289
Uva.											
Badulla ...	3,154 ¹ / ₂	188,501	230	39	191	1,814	914	900	1,487	745	742
Sabaragamuwa.											
Ratnapura ...	1,259	135,996	225	28	197	1,208	607	601	937	486	451
Kegalla ...	642	195,373	211	20	191	1,758	915	843	1,169	588	581

* The estimate of the population in this Table and in Tables III., IV., and V. is based on the Census of March 1, 1901, and the returns of births and deaths registered.

Table II.—Birth and Death-rates in the Second and Third Quarters of 1903, the Third Quarter of 1902 and the Mean Rates for the Third Quarters of 1898-1902.

Province and District.				Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			
				Average of Five Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Second Quarter, 1903.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Five Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Second Quarter, 1903.	Third Quarter, 1903.
CEYLON				34.1	34.0	39.5	35.4	26.4	24.9	25.2	24.4
Western				28.7	28.5	34.6	30.4	20.9	21.5	20.4	21.6
Central				30.9	32.3	38.2	33.5	30.3	29.5	25.3	25.6
Northern				39.1	37.8	40.6	35.9	24.4	22.6	33.4	24.3
Southern				35.6	37.0	41.9	37.3	23.7	23.4	21.8	23.4
Eastern				44.2	45.3	46.9	49.5	27.4	26.0	31.0	25.6
North-Western				37.2	38.1	46.0	39.9	29.1	26.3	25.6	24.3
North-Central				41.6	37.9	35.9	35.1	32.4	32.6	48.2	34.1
Uva				35.2	38.7	44.2	38.2	33.3	31.5	33.4	31.3
Sabaragamuwa				34.5	32.6	43.9	35.5	30.8	25.2	26.3	25.2
Western.											
Colombo				26.8	26.5	31.7	27.9	21.4	22.5	21.8	22.4
Negombo				33.1	33.4	41.1	35.4	18.5	17.2	15.7	16.8
Kalutara				30.5	29.9	37.1	33.0	21.4	22.2	20.4	22.7
Central.											
Kandy				31.7	32.8	40.6	33.9	31.4	29.9	26.0	26.5
Matale				36.2	37.7	43.9	37.4	38.0	35.9	31.0	26.5
Nuwara Eliya				25.7	28.0	28.9	30.1	23.0	24.9	20.0	22.7
Northern.											
Jaffna				39.8	37.9	40.4	36.3	23.5	21.9	29.4	22.6
Mannar				36.0	39.9	39.9	34.1	32.6	24.8	75.4	41.8
Mullaattivu				38.9	34.3	44.6	31.4	33.8	32.5	48.8	29.9
Southern.											
Galle				35.4	36.0	40.6	35.4	25.0	25.2	22.7	25.0
Matara				35.1	35.7	44.2	37.6	23.1	21.2	20.3	21.8
Hambantota				37.4	42.2	40.5	41.3	21.4	23.6	22.5	22.4
Eastern.											
Batticaloa				45.6	47.7	47.1	52.5	27.3	27.2	29.1	26.1
Trincomalee				36.7	32.9	45.7	34.1	29.2	19.6	40.9	22.9
North-Western.											
Kurunegala				39.5	41.3	49.4	42.8	32.1	28.4	27.2	24.7
Puttalam				30.2	30.1	38.7	31.0	30.9	29.9	41.4	33.8
Chilaw				29.0	30.9	37.2	33.9	16.4	17.9	14.2	19.5
North-Central.											
Anuradhapura				41.6	37.9	35.9	35.1	32.4	32.6	48.2	34.1
Uva.											
Badulla				35.2	38.7	44.2	38.2	33.3	31.5	33.4	31.3
Sabaragamuwa.											
Ratnapura				36.4	34.6	42.5	35.2	29.9	26.2	28.6	27.3
Kegalla				33.2	31.1	44.8	35.7	30.1	24.5	24.7	23.7

Table III.—Sinhalese Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in Sinhalese Districts in the Second and Third Quarters of 1903, and Third Quarter of 1902, and the Mean Rates for the Third Quarters of 1898-1902.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population at the beginning of the Quarter.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births registered in the Third Quarter, 1903.
					Average of Five Third Quarters of 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	Average of Five Third Quarters of 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	
CEYLON ...	2,533 1/8	2,426,707	22,506	14,292	36.4	36.1	43.1	36.8	25.0	23.5	23.2	23.4	150
WESTERN ...	1,432	792,246	6,304	3,943	30.7	29.9	36.9	31.6	18.8	18.9	18.3	19.8	121
Colombo ...	561 3/4	448,277	3,407	2,295	29.2	28.6	34.9	30.2	18.7	19.3	19.1	20.3	126
Colombo Municipality*	10	67,453	416	690	26.5	27.8	29.4	23.2	32.1	34.0	35.1	38.5	392
Alutkuru Korale South	72	69,639	554	292	30.0	28.7	35.8	32.4	17.5	18.0	18.1	16.6	80
Hewagam Korale...	167	67,276	543	277	31.2	28.6	36.1	32.0	16.7	17.1	15.3	16.3	97
Salpiti Korale ...	75	98,365	757	492	27.8	28.8	33.6	30.5	18.0	19.4	18.6	19.8	114
Siyane Korale East†	116 1/2	52,363	484	223	28.1	27.2	39.7	36.7	14.0	14.6	13.2	16.9	88
Siyane Korale West†	120 1/4	93,181	653	321	29.5	28.9	35.1	27.2	14.2	13.6	13.7	13.7	61
Negombo ...	247 1/2	139,686	1,209	539	33.9	33.2	41.7	34.3	17.6	15.6	14.7	15.3	99
Negombo Local Board	7 1/4	14,135	110	85	37.9	30.0	34.5	30.9	34.6	25.5	18.0	23.9	72
Alutkuru Korale North	159	92,841	812	340	33.1	34.3	40.9	34.7	15.2	14.5	14.3	14.5	93
Hapitigam Korale	81 1/4	32,710	287	114	34.4	31.8	47.0	34.8	17.0	14.6	14.3	13.8	125
Kalutara ...	623 3/8	204,283	1,688	1,109	31.6	30.3	38.2	32.8	19.7	20.3	18.8	21.5	126
Kalutara Local Board	1 1/8	8,952	61	65	28.3	24.0	28.7	27.0	26.1	31.2	22.4	28.8	213
Kalutara Totamune	88 1/3	94,756	795	573	33.4	29.8	36.9	33.3	22.0	21.0	19.4	24.0	126
Pasdun Korale East†	280 1/2	24,982	196	101	31.6	29.8	41.5	31.1	16.2	17.5	15.7	16.0	122
Pasdun Korale West †	123 1/4	24,077	204	123	30.7	31.3	42.2	33.6	19.2	18.2	16.9	20.3	83
Rayigam Korale ...	130	51,516	432	247	27.0	32.1	38.7	33.3	15.7	19.4	18.6	19.0	137
CENTRAL ...	2,299 1/2	298,987	3,045	1,935	40.6	40.7	50.4	40.4	29.5	27.8	26.0	25.7	170
Kandy ...	911	192,153	1,871	1,239	39.7	39.1	51.7	38.6	28.5	26.4	25.3	25.6	166
Kandy Municipality	11	13,922	111	99	31.5	30.5	38.7	31.6	33.8	23.6	30.9	28.2	207
Harispattu ...	50 7/8	30,394	301	194	42.7	40.3	60.0	39.3	27.0	24.0	25.9	25.3	186
Pata Dumbara ...	107 1/2	37,057	342	235	39.2	37.2	55.0	36.6	28.6	27.0	20.3	25.2	155
Pata Hewaheta ...	57 1/4	12,668	148	88	37.6	43.0	55.2	46.4	27.8	33.3	24.9	27.6	189
Tumpane ...	46 7/8	11,833	130	73	42.6	44.3	58.4	43.6	32.5	24.6	25.0	24.5	131
Uda Bulatgama ...	230	12,164	101	78	27.9	26.7	36.4	32.9	20.1	24.7	24.1	25.4	178
Uda Dumbara ...	238 1/4	20,711	220	139	45.3	51.2	50.1	42.1	35.0	31.5	27.1	26.6	132
Udu Nuwara ...	34 5/8	13,904	132	91	40.0	36.5	49.3	37.7	25.5	27.2	25.0	26.0	205
Uda Palata ...	106	21,816	186	134	39.0	42.3	48.8	33.8	24.7	24.0	27.2	24.4	140
Yati Nuwara ...	29 1/8	17,634	200	108	38.6	33.9	51.9	44.9	28.7	25.4	21.3	24.2	165
Matale ...	925 5/8	59,748	661	373	43.4	43.9	53.1	43.9	35.2	32.9	30.8	24.8	185
Matale Local Board	1 1/4	2,017	11	20	32.6	25.9	37.9	21.6	37.9	23.9	22.0	39.3	545
Matale South ...	163 1/2	26,310	316	142	44.8	41.3	59.7	47.6	31.8	27.7	33.1	21.4	152
Matale East ...	373 3/4	14,402	147	119	40.4	44.7	46.7	40.5	38.7	33.8	26.3	32.8	279
Matale North ...	388 5/8	17,019	187	92	44.5	49.3	49.5	43.6	37.1	41.2	32.2	21.4	144
Nuwara Eliya ...	462 7/8	47,086	513	323	40.7	42.5	41.8	43.2	26.3	26.9	22.8	27.2	168
Nuwara Eliya Local Board and outside	4 1/8	2,015	16	11	23.3	27.8	32.0	31.5	17.9	17.9	10.0	21.7	250
Kotmale ...	236 1/8	14,713	131	115	36.0	34.4	44.6	35.3	25.0	19.8	29.0	31.0	206
Uda Hewaheta ...	108 3/4	17,901	136	73	42.5	41.0	40.3	41.2	25.6	29.3	19.4	16.2	134
Walapane ...	113 1/8	12,457	180	124	46.8	56.9	42.1	57.3	30.3	33.5	22.3	39.5	167
SOUTHERN ...	2,146 1/4	559,558	5,335	3,242	36.3	37.6	42.6	37.8	23.2	23.0	21.4	23.0	134
Galle ...	652 1/4	250,689	2,281	1,568	35.9	35.3	41.5	36.1	24.3	23.7	22.3	24.8	137
Galle Municipality	46 1/2	27,267	225	187	28.6	31.9	35.8	32.7	26.0	25.3	27.9	27.2	205
Four Gravets beyond Municipal limits and Akmimana	24 3/8	19,934	196	98	33.7	36.2	36.6	39.0	22.2	21.8	16.0	19.5	107
Gangaboda Pattuwa	128 3/4	32,057	302	172	39.9	38.0	38.8	37.4	22.3	20.8	19.9	21.3	129
Wellaboda Pattuwa	83 1/4	67,743	657	478	37.7	38.3	38.5	38.5	25.4	28.0	21.1	28.0	136
Talpe Pattuwa ...	97	53,403	472	309	34.3	33.9	46.9	35.1	24.8	20.2	21.3	23.0	125
Walallawiti Korale	146	43,910	367	278	39.4	40.9	45.4	33.2	25.2	30.1	25.6	25.1	134
Hinidum Pattuwa	166	6,375	62	46	36.2	31.8	55.1	38.6	21.0	21.6	28.5	28.6	161
Matara ...	481 1/4	203,537	1,948	1,086	35.7	36.3	44.6	38.0	22.5	20.7	19.6	21.2	113
Matara Local Board	1 1/2	10,107	97	69	39.1	31.7	39.9	38.1	38.9	35.7	17.6	27.1	165
Four Gravets beyond Local Board limits	7 1/2	15,810	159	74	34.8	39.1	40.8	39.9	18.9	23.7	17.6	18.6	81
Wellaboda Pattuwa	51 3/8	43,920	472	205	35.0	31.0	42.8	42.6	18.7	15.5	17.6	18.3	110
Weligam Korale ...	111	54,338	552	303	35.2	36.9	44.1	40.3	22.0	21.3	19.9	22.1	99
Morawak Korale ...	160	16,378	142	92	39.3	43.3	48.0	34.4	27.7	18.6	25.6	22.3	127
Kandaboda Pattuwa	70	26,565	220	137	36.9	43.2	52.2	32.9	21.8	21.5	22.2	20.5	150
Gangaboda Pattuwa	79 3/8	36,419	306	206	35.2	34.7	43.4	33.3	23.7	21.5	18.6	22.4	111

* The rates for this division are calculated on the population estimated at the intercensal rate of increase (1891-1901). See also Table E in the report.

† Statistics for this division being separately available for the years 1901 and 1902 only, the average birth- and death-rates are for the corresponding quarter of these two years.

Table III.—continued.

Province, District and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population at the beginning of the Quarter.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum.			Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births registered in the Third Quarter, 1903.		
					Average of Five Third Quarters of 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	Average of Five Third Quarters of 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.		Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.
Hambantota ...	1,012 ² / ₃	105,332	1,106	588	37.6	42.2	40.9	41.7	21.3	23.3	22.5	22.2	162
Hambantota Four Gravets	1 ¹ / ₂	1,102	12	16	23.4	24.9	36.4	43.2	36.9	60.4	32.8	57.6	83
Magam Pattu, excl. of Four Gravets	641	6,769	73	53	39.3	36.7	39.6	42.8	29.0	26.8	43.8	31.1	260
Girawa Pattu East	122 ¹ / ₂	11,892	139	90	34.5	39.6	46.4	46.4	21.3	22.0	26.5	30.0	173
Girawa Pattu West	247	85,569	882	429	38.2	43.3	40.3	40.9	20.5	22.7	20.2	19.9	143
EASTERN ...	4,036 ¹ / ₂	8,834	90	83	38.1	42.3	38.5	40.4	32.8	32.4	50.7	37.3	244
Batticaloa ...	2,871 ¹ / ₂	7,591	85	72	37.6	46.0	39.5	44.4	33.6	34.5	55.3	37.6	224
Batticaloa Local Board †	1 ¹ / ₂	251	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu North †	148	29	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu South †	74	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna Pattu ...	677 ¹ / ₂	3,278	33	34	41.0	43.5	54.7	39.9	34.1	27.8	83.8	41.1	121
Chammanturai †	160	608	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eravur and Rukam Pattus †	372 ¹ / ₂	171	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Koralai Pattu †	290	162	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eruvil and Porativu Pattus †	247	769	7	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus †	41	122	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Akkarai Pattu ...	374	1,170	11	18	28.3	40.7	27.5	37.3	32.4	54.3	20.6	61.0	727
Panawa Pattu ...	486 ¹ / ₂	1,016	21	10	47.6	58.8	27.6	82.0	35.8	39.2	31.6	39.1	95
NORTH-WESTERN ...	2,996 ¹ / ₂	313,591	3,294	1,834	39.0	40.0	47.5	41.7	28.2	25.5	24.1	23.2	169
Kurunegala ...	1,844 ¹ / ₂	236,445	2,599	1,441	40.7	42.7	50.8	43.6	31.2	27.7	26.4	24.2	177
Kurunegala Local Board	1 ¹ / ₂	3,840	32	34	23.9	18.4	36.3	33.1	57.4	43.9	60.2	35.1	188
Hiriyala Hatpattuwa	387 ¹ / ₂	29,051	303	177	41.8	36.8	53.9	41.4	33.3	29.1	28.9	24.2	162
Weudawili do.	177	41,170	502	247	40.2	53.0	57.7	48.4	28.5	31.4	25.4	23.8	173
Dambadeni do.	164 ¹ / ₂	42,462	454	306	39.2	48.0	55.3	42.4	32.7	21.7	26.6	28.6	220
Dewamedi do.	186 ¹ / ₂	32,074	406	232	43.1	44.2	49.6	50.2	33.7	35.0	21.5	28.7	234
Katugampola do.	358 ¹ / ₂	52,620	515	228	35.5	36.3	46.2	38.8	22.2	19.6	18.9	17.2	97
Wanni do.	569 ¹ / ₂	35,228	387	217	46.0	40.0	44.2	43.6	33.2	32.7	37.3	24.4	186
Puttalam ...	889 ¹ / ₂	11,733	104	85	33.5	32.5	35.6	35.2	26.7	26.7	33.9	28.8	308
Puttalam Local Board †	8 ¹ / ₂	758	5	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Demala Hatpattu	441 ¹ / ₂	6,459	70	38	46.0	43.8	46.6	43.0	32.0	29.0	46.0	23.3	186
Kalpitiya Division	315	1,134	3	6	—	13.9	14.1	10.5	—	13.9	14.1	21.0	333
Puttalam Division	124 ¹ / ₂	3,382	26	29	28.7	16.5	23.8	30.7	26.8	14.2	16.6	34.3	654
Chilaw ...	262 ¹ / ₂	65,413	591	308	34.5	31.9	37.9	35.9	17.8	17.2	13.8	18.7	108
Chilaw Town ...	—	2,510	13	21	23.3	19.3	32.0	20.5	25.3	24.1	28.8	33.2	231
Pitigal Korale North	132 ¹ / ₂	7,002	84	58	34.3	32.8	36.2	47.6	17.7	17.3	24.1	32.9	131
Pitigal Korale Central †	88 ¹ / ₂	28,176	248	123	34.2	33.0	38.0	34.9	18.1	18.4	12.9	17.3	96
Pitigal Korale South †	40	27,725	246	106	31.8	31.6	38.7	35.2	13.0	15.3	10.8	15.2	106
NORTH-CENTRAL ...	4,002 ¹ / ₂	62,403	559	542	44.0	40.4	36.5	35.5	32.8	32.8	48.8	34.5	245
Anuradhapura ...	4,002	62,403	559	542	44.0	40.4	36.5	35.5	32.8	32.8	48.8	34.5	245
Anuradhapura Town	5 ¹ / ₂	1,108	11	14	29.9	24.3	28.7	39.4	48.7	55.5	71.7	50.2	90
Nuwaragam Palata	1,490 ¹ / ₂	26,141	227	241	45.2	38.5	34.8	34.5	33.2	31.4	49.7	36.6	269
Hurulu Palata ...	1,040	19,718	188	192	46.2	47.5	38.1	37.8	32.8	35.1	52.5	38.6	271
Kalagam Palata ...	311	13,957	117	83	40.2	36.9	38.2	33.3	29.3	30.6	40.5	23.6	180
Tamankaduwa Palata	1,155	1,479	16	12	40.8	24.1	35.2	42.9	42.9	29.5	40.6	32.2	187
Uva ...	3,154 ¹ / ₂	125,796	1,351	1,090	42.9	47.4	51.2	42.6	38.2	35.1	35.4	34.4	184
Badulla ...	3,154 ¹ / ₂	125,796	1,351	1,090	42.9	47.4	51.2	42.6	38.2	35.1	35.4	34.4	184
Badulla Local Board	3 ¹ / ₂	3,734	34	29	36.8	27.9	30.0	36.1	37.0	26.8	37.5	30.5	206
Yatikinda Division	183 ¹ / ₂	21,429	245	175	46.0	47.6	57.0	45.5	34.8	28.7	26.2	32.4	171
Bintenna do.	359	9,751	101	101	37.5	33.9	44.4	41.1	45.8	37.2	46.0	41.1	158
Buttala do.	567 ¹ / ₂	14,359	142	147	42.2	39.1	46.8	37.9	49.3	43.9	39.5	39.3	225
Wellawaya do.	1,019 ¹ / ₂	7,551	54	46	38.5	36.8	53.4	28.4	35.5	28.9	33.6	24.2	241
Udukinda do.	188	29,652	304	198	44.8	47.9	53.3	40.7	33.2	53.9	35.1	26.5	138
Wellassa do.	645 ¹ / ₂	21,221	264	253	41.6	56.5	59.2	49.4	43.4	52.8	45.9	47.3	216
Wiyaluwa do.	187 ¹ / ₂	17,599	206	141	44.2	58.7	42.3	46.4	33.1	19.5	25.4	31.8	194
SABARAGAMUWA ...	1901	263,763	2,513	1,603	37.2	35.4	47.7	37.8	27.6	23.0	24.9	24.1	168
Ratnapura ...	1259	117,266	1,113	761	38.4	36.8	44.9	37.7	29.0	25.4	27.0	25.7	174
Ratnapura Local Board	2 ¹ / ₂	3,308	21	24	27.9	21.7	24.2	25.2	34.5	20.5	29.1	28.8	190
Kuruwiti Korale ...	211 ¹ / ₂	29,977	293	159	32.9	27.8	40.9	38.8	25.9	21.2	20.8	21.0	174
Nawadun do.	193 ¹ / ₂	24,366	218	132	38.0	36.3	45.5	35.5	32.8	29.6	27.1	21.5	138
Atakalan do.	171 ¹ / ₂	18,137	190	135	42.8	42.3	48.0	41.6	31.0	26.4	29.1	29.5	184
Kadawata do.	130 ¹ / ₂	9,712	107	82	44.3	52.2	58.1	43.7	28.0	25.3	41.5	33.5	234
Kolonna do.	169	10,559	84	69	37.0	41.8	39.3	31.6	25.1	27.0	23.3	25.9	131
Kukulu do.	224 ¹ / ₂	7,938	76	58	41.3	25.9	50.8	38.0	32.1	26.4	30.5	29.0	184
Meda do.	156 ¹ / ₂	13,269	124	102	43.1	45.6	45.2	37.1	29.9	24.8	27.3	30.5	193
Kegalla ...	642	146,497	1,400	842	36.2	34.3	49.9	37.9	26.4	21.1	23.2	22.8	162
Kegalla Local Board †	—	1,323	15	20	25.0	26.2	39.7	32.6	26.1	28.4	28.7	43.5	67
Paranakuru Korale	56 ¹ / ₂	25,968	251	167	36.3	38.4	55.3	38.4	22.8	24.9	24.0	25.5	147
Beligal do.	162 ¹ / ₂	39,263	352	203	35.1	32.0	52.7	35.6	23.2	17.9	23.1	20.5	162
Galboda do.	56 ¹ / ₂	20,254	231	137	42.4	40.0	52.8	45.3	30.0	19.4	26.7	26.8	199
Kinigoda do.	42	16,419	177	106	39.2	41.4	46.4	42.8	34.6	21.9	23.1	25.6	209
Atulugam do.	125 ¹ / ₂	11,275	108	59	33.7	33.1	45.2	38.0	24.4	22.3	15.4	20.8	158
Dehigampal do.	74 ¹ / ₂	15,995	111	72	29.4	28.3	41.1	27.5	19.6	20.7	22.4	17.9	117
Panawal do.	40	6,550	65	24	31.2	21.6	48.7	39.4	24.6	21.0	23.4	14.5	108
Lower Bulatgama	84 ¹ / ₂	8,950	90	54	36.7	30.9	46.4	35.9	23.8	23.2	23.9	23.9	133

* For Tamil Statistics see Table IV. and for Mohammedan Statistics see Table V.

† Rates omitted, as the population is too small.

‡ See note marked † on page 11.

Table IV.—Tamil Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in the Tamil Districts, in the Second and Third Quarters of 1903, in the Third Quarter of 1902, and the Mean Rates for the Third Quarters of 1898-1902.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population at the beginning of the quarter.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births in the Third Quarter of 1903.
					Average of Five Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Second Quarter, 1903.	Third Quarter, 1903.	Average of Five Third Quarters, 1898-1902.	Third Quarter, 1902.	Second Quarter, 1903.	Third Quarter, 1903.	
NORTHERN ...	3363½	334,928	3,028	2,014	36.3	37.4	40.6	35.9	24.3	22.4	32.0	23.9	164
<i>Jaffna</i> ...	1265	305,979	2,805	1,749	36.4	37.8	40.4	36.4	23.3	21.9	29.2	22.7	155
<i>Jaffna Division</i> ...	18½	43,050	356	256	36.6	39.3	44.0	32.8	32.3	29.0	29.8	23.6	208
<i>Valikamam East</i> ...	40½	25,291	290	144	37.0	37.1	36.1	45.5	19.5	17.9	22.9	22.6	93
<i>Valikamam North</i> ...	36½	46,050	434	246	35.7	38.7	40.4	37.4	20.3	18.4	21.5	21.2	157
<i>Valikamam West</i> ...	38½	47,626	416	211	33.4	36.0	34.6	34.7	18.6	18.6	23.1	17.6	144
<i>Vadamaradchi East</i> ...	34½	4,097	41	51	50.9	42.0	57.6	39.7	42.0	32.6	70.3	49.4	195
<i>Vadamaradchi West</i> ...	55	50,150	469	269	36.8	38.7	36.4	37.1	21.1	20.3	23.0	21.3	124
<i>Tenmaradchi</i> ...	80	38,113	321	249	38.3	39.4	49.0	33.4	25.4	23.7	49.0	25.9	143
<i>Pachchilaippalli</i> ...	87	5,930	53	52	31.5	32.4	34.3	35.5	25.3	25.1	51.8	34.8	208
<i>Karaichechi</i> ...	123½	2,793	—	—	12.9	9.4	35.8	—	14.7	15.4	43.0	—	—
<i>Punakari</i> ...	226½	4,760	52	41	33.8	39.9	43.7	43.4	28.1	30.7	53.0	34.2	173
<i>Islands</i> ...	59½	33,367	334	203	42.0	37.5	42.6	39.7	30.6	23.6	26.3	24.1	195
<i>Delft*</i> ...	18½	4,135	34	22	47.4	35.4	39.9	32.6	10.0	6.9	23.4	21.1	206
<i>Tunukkai †</i> ...	446½	617	5	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	200
Mannar ...	943½	16,336	126	177	33.4	34.9	37.7	30.6	35.0	25.0	70.6	43.0	373
<i>Mannar Island Division</i> ...	47½	5,832	49	71	39.9	46.4	28.7	33.3	34.4	26.2	58.7	48.3	388
<i>Mantai Division</i> ...	644½	5,797	37	47	28.2	19.8	35.1	25.3	34.1	21.8	51.0	32.2	351
<i>Nanaddan Division</i> ...	251	4,707	40	59	31.9	39.0	52.1	33.7	37.7	27.4	109.2	49.7	375
Mullaivivu ...	1154½	12,613	97	88	38.6	32.8	48.3	30.5	33.5	32.2	48.0	27.7	144
<i>Maritime Pattus</i> ...	393½	6,151	62	44	36.0	38.3	64.9	40.0	28.7	23.4	42.6	28.4	96
<i>Vavuniya North</i> ...	316	2,433	13	11	38.2	24.3	37.9	21.2	36.8	38.9	42.8	17.9	231
<i>Vavuniya South</i> ...	445	4,029	22	33	39.8	29.7	29.6	21.7	35.5	41.2	59.3	32.5	227
EASTERN ...	4036½	99,792	1,151	669	39.7	43.6	47.1	45.8	27.9	26.7	31.2	26.6	211
<i>Batticaloa</i> ...	2871½	82,585	1,013	555	41.0	45.5	46.9	48.7	27.1	27.5	28.5	26.7	198
<i>Batticaloa Local Board</i> ...	1½	8,500	97	71	34.9	37.3	42.6	45.3	31.5	32.1	27.9	33.2	351
<i>Manmunai Pattu North*</i> ...	148	13,714	136	79	39.9	35.4	53.8	39.3	25.9	22.2	32.0	22.9	184
<i>Manmunai Pattu South*</i> ...	74	8,477	94	32	47.8	48.8	45.1	44.0	23.7	22.5	33.2	15.0	95
<i>Bintenna Pattu †</i> ...	677½	688	3	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Chammanturai Pattu</i> ...	160	3,114	33	20	33.0	32.5	42.7	42.1	24.6	31.2	27.3	25.5	152
<i>Eravur and Rukam Pattus*</i> ...	372½	8,340	111	57	47.7	53.8	49.3	52.8	27.6	23.8	26.6	27.1	180
<i>Koralai Pattu*</i> ...	290	5,773	108	61	49.1	42.7	70.7	74.2	37.5	37.8	41.3	41.9	194
<i>Eruvil and Porativu Pattus*</i> ...	247	13,482	160	75	40.5	51.5	47.0	47.1	22.9	25.9	24.0	22.1	175
<i>Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus*</i> ...	41	14,422	203	118	44.4	51.6	34.6	55.8	27.8	31.8	26.2	32.5	222
<i>Akkarai Pattu*</i> ...	374	5,345	64	30	52.1	43.3	42.2	47.5	33.8	19.8	21.1	22.3	188
<i>Panawa Pattu †</i> ...	486½	730	4	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Trincomalee ...	1165	17,207	138	114	33.6	34.3	48.3	31.8	31.3	22.9	43.9	26.3	304
<i>Trincomalee Town</i> ...	1	9,303	72	68	33.4	40.1	42.6	30.7	34.9	27.3	48.2	36.7	417
<i>Kaddukkulam Pattu</i> ...	490½	1,917	6	4	35.2	20.6	31.3	12.4	44.1	24.7	45.9	8.2	333
<i>Koddiyar Pattu</i> ...	223	4,009	39	16	36.4	27.2	76.8	38.6	18.8	12.1	37.4	15.8	180
<i>Tampalakamam Pattu</i> ...	450½	1,973	21	8	30.9	34.3	34.6	42.2	24.8	22.2	34.6	16.1	143
NORTH-WESTERN ...	2996½	25,930	158	209	18.4	20.4	28.0	24.2	35.1	34.0	35.3	32.0	165
<i>Puttalam</i> ...	889½	7,475	47	66	21.1	21.5	35.3	24.9	36.2	36.7	47.6	35.0	149
<i>Puttalam Local Board</i> ...	8½	1,185	8	11	17.4	18.5	30.0	26.8	52.7	61.2	86.8	36.8	—
<i>Demala Hatpattu †</i> ...	441½	363	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Kalpitiya Division</i> ...	315	2,195	16	38	30.4	26.6	30.9	28.9	53.8	42.6	49.1	68.7	375
<i>Puttalam Division</i> ...	124½	3,732	22	14	16.1	18.1	41.0	23.4	32.0	23.3	30.2	14.9	45

* See note marked † on page 11.

† See note marked † on page 12.

Table V.—Moor Births and Deaths, with their Rates per 1,000 of the estimated Population, and the Proportion of Infantile Deaths to 1,000 registered Births in Batticaloa and Puttalam Districts, in the Second and Third Quarters of 1903, the Third Quarter of 1902, and the Mean Rates for the Third Quarters of 1898-1902.

Province, District, and Division.	Area in Square Miles.	Estimated Population at the beginning of the Quarter.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.				Death-rate per Mille per Annum.				Deaths of Children under 1 Year to 1,000 Births in the Third Quarter of 1903.
					Average of Five Third Quarters 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	Average of Five Third Quarters of 1898-1902.	Third Quarter of 1902.	Second Quarter of 1903.	Third Quarter of 1903.	
EASTERN ...	4,036 $\frac{1}{2}$	65,137	964	389	50.3	51.0	49.2	58.7	27.2	24.9	28.7	23.7	147
<i>Batticaloa</i> ...	2,871 $\frac{1}{2}$	56,498	873	353	51.4	53.8	50.4	61.3	27.9	26.8	27.5	24.8	147
Batticaloa Local Board*	1 $\frac{1}{4}$	352	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manmunai Pattu North†	148	11,745	231	123	57.4	69.7	79.9	78.0	31.6	32.4	45.8	41.5	178
Manmunai Pattu South*	74	47	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bintenna Pattu*	677 $\frac{1}{2}$	123	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chammanturai Pattu†	160	5,746	62	35	54.7	53.9	60.5	42.8	24.9	22.0	32.3	24.2	145
Eravur and Rukam Pattus†	372 $\frac{1}{2}$	6,126	63	27	44.1	44.2	39.4	40.8	19.5	16.5	31.5	17.5	143
Koralai Pattu† ...	290	3,819	61	13	37.0	38.6	49.7	63.4	16.3	17.2	26.4	13.5	49
Eruvil and Porativu Pattus*	247	183	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Karavaku and Nintavur Pattus†	41	17,831	291	103	53.5	54.6	39.8	64.7	30.5	32.1	18.5	22.9	151
Akkarai Pattu ...	374	8,704	138	42	55.7	50.9	42.6	62.9	26.2	25.7	19.9	19.1	130
Panawa Pattu ...	486 $\frac{1}{2}$	1,822	24	10	48.3	44.5	24.8	51.8	23.0	20.0	13.3	21.6	167
NORTH-WESTERN ...	2,996 $\frac{1}{8}$	24,108	223	184	34.7	34.4	46.2	36.7	33.2	29.5	34.6	30.3	247
<i>Puttalam</i> ...	889 $\frac{3}{8}$	9,877	77	92	37.0	34.5	45.5	30.9	32.4	28.9	46.3	36.9	364
Puttalam Local Board	8 $\frac{5}{8}$	2,743	18	21	26.1	29.2	46.7	26.0	24.7	17.5	56.9	30.4	389
Demala Hatpattu*	441 $\frac{1}{4}$	442	5	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kalpitiya Division	315	4,886	36	50	39.9	28.2	36.1	29.2	35.9	24.2	41.8	40.6	361
Puttalam Division	124 $\frac{1}{8}$	1,806	18	19	50.8	64.4	71.4	39.5	53.7	55.2	51.3	41.7	333

* See note marked † on page 12.

† See note marked † on page 12.

Table VI.—Marriages (General), Civil Condition, Nationality, Age, Mode of Solemnization, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Third Quarter of 1903.

Province and District.	MARRIAGES.																																
	Total Marriages	Contracted between							Of		Contracted between							Contracted between Persons of same Race.			Persons not 21 Years of Age.		Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.	Lowest Female Age	Marriages solemnized by Ministers.	Signed Register. with Marks.			
		Bachelors and Spinners.	Bachelors and Widows.	Widowers and Spinners.	Widowers and Widows.	Divorced Men and Spinners.	Bachelors and Divorced Women.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Divorced Women and Widows.	Widowers.	Widows.	European and Burgher.	European and Sinhalese.	European and Tamil.	Burgher and Sinhalese.	Burgher and Tamil.	Sinhalese and Tamil.	Other mixed Marriages.	European.	Burgher.	Sinhalese.	Tamil.								Others.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
CEYLON	4416	3910	81	365	53	2	3	1	1	418	135	4	1	1	13	4	17	8	41	3447	880	245	2,442	80	27.3	16	60	20.0	12	731	1088	3238	
Western	1941	1710	33	179	18	1	—	—	—	197	51	3	1	—	7	2	6	3	21	1843	55	68	846	80	26.8	18	48	20.2	14	395	438	1245	
Central	110	97	3	8	—	1	1	—	—	8	3	—	—	—	2	1	—	4	4	59	40	3	54	52	27.0	18	40	20.0	14	42	22	67	
Northern	601	534	9	43	15	—	—	—	—	58	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	596	—	24	359	55	—	17	40	—	12	145	88	420	
Southern	1179	1077	21	70	9	—	1	1	—	79	31	1	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	1165	7	134	812	75	27.0	16	60	20.1	13	12	388	1040	
Eastern	132	115	1	14	2	—	—	—	—	16	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	1	124	—	8	104	67	—	18	46	—	13	26	19	98	
North-Western	353	293	12	40	7	—	—	—	1	47	19	—	—	—	1	—	5	1	305	41	—	8	213	50	26.8	18	40	20.0	12	96	111	296	
North-Central	13	10	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	3	40	32.4	23	35	25.9	17	5	5	11	
Uva	39	30	—	8	1	—	—	—	—	9	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	26	7	—	17	58	27.0	23	40	18.5	14	4	6	25	
Sabaragamuwa	48	44	1	2	—	—	—	1	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	45	1	—	34	50	27.1	21	30	19.5	15	6	11	35	
Western.																																	
Colombo	1084	967	13	95	9	—	—	—	—	104	22	3	1	—	7	2	3	3	21	1020	24	41	513	80	26.5	18	48	19.6	14	252	225	656	
Negombo	397	355	10	32	—	—	—	—	—	32	10	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	366	28	26	216	45	26.4	19	30	19.9	14	115	79	267	
Kalutara	460	388	10	52	9	1	—	—	—	61	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	457	3	1	117	56	20.8	20	45	21.8	15	28	134	322	
Central.																																	
Kandy	67	57	2	7	—	1	—	—	—	7	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	3	39	23	—	37	52	26.9	22	37	19.6	14	20	10	36	
Matale	9	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	2	—	2	45	29.9	22	40	22.7	16	1	2	6	
Nuwara Eliya	34	31	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	3	1	13	15	3	15	39	26.5	18	29	21.0	15	21	10	25	
Northern.																																	
Jaffna	553	504	6	33	10	—	—	—	—	43	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	549	23	327	55	—	17	40	—	13	114	82	384
Mannar	37	22	3	7	5	—	—	—	—	12	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	37	1	23	55	27.8	19	30	19.6	12	29	6	27	
Mullaattivu	11	8	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	9	35	28.9	23	24	18.2	15	2	—	9	
Southern.																																	
Galle	402	357	5	31	7	—	1	1	—	38	13	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	3	396	1	6	207	65	28.2	18	54	20.9	14	9	98	319	
Matara	414	374	10	28	2	—	—	—	—	30	12	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	406	6	37	304	70	33.6	16	60	20.0	13	3	140	369	
Hambantota	363	346	6	11	—	—	—	—	—	11	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	363	—	91	301	75	24.8	16	60	19.4	13	—	150	352	
Eastern.																																	
Batticaloa	82	71	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	—	76	4	70	53	26.2	18	31	17.8	13	19	14	58	
Trincomalee	50	44	1	3	2	—	—	—	—	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	48	—	4	34	67	27.2	20	46	19.5	13	7	5	40	
North-Western.																																	
Kurunegala	164	136	6	18	3	—	—	—	1	21	9	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	150	11	5	83	48	27.0	18	36	20.7	15	16	59	151	
Puttalam	26	17	2	5	2	—	—	—	—	7	4	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	6	19	2	20	47	27.6	19	40	20.1	12	16	6	25	
Chilaw	163	140	4	17	2	—	—	—	—	19	6	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	149	11	1	110	50	26.5	20	35	19.3	13	64	46	120	
North-Central.																																	
Anuradhapura	13	10	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	2	9	—	3	40	32.4	23	35	25.4	17	5	5	11	
Uva.																																	
Badulla	39	30	—	8	1	—	—	—	—	9	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	26	7	—	17	58	27.0	23	40	18.5	14	4	6	26	
Sabaragamuwa.																																	
Ratnapura	28	24	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	25	1	—	18	50	27.3	21	28	19.8	16	3	8	22
Kegalla	20	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	—	—	16	40	26.9	21	30	19.0	15	3	3	13	

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Table VII.—Marriages (Kandyan), Civil Condition, Age, Signature of Marriage Register, &c., in the Third Quarter of 1903.

Province and District.	Total Marriages.	Contracted between									Persons not 21 Years of Age.		Highest Male Age.	Mean Male Age.	Lowest Male Age.	Highest Female Age.	Mean Female Age.	Lowest Female Age.	Signed the Register with Marks.	
		Bachelors and Spinners.	Bachelors and Widows.	Widowers and Spinners.	Widowers and Widows.	Divorced Men and Spinners.	Divorced Men and Widows.	Divorced Women and Bachelors.	Divorced Women and Widows.	Divorced Men and Divorced Women.	Males.	Females.							Males.	Females.
CEYLON ...	1590	1199	50	177	70	41	4	31	8	10	239	1151	75	26.4	18	50	20.1	13	581	1512
Central ...	378	305	5	35	12	6	2	7	4	2	62	297	70	25.6	18	47	19.2	13	125	341
Northern ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southern ...	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	38	28.3	22	24	19.0	16	—	3
Eastern ...	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	30	26.0	23	25	20.7	18	2	3
North-Western ...	551	385	27	77	31	17	1	9	3	1	79	357	62	26.7	18	48	20.8	14	194	534
North-Central ...	76	48	5	11	8	1	—	3	—	—	5	40	60	27.8	20	39	21.9	14	22	75
Uva ...	191	150	6	21	12	—	—	2	—	—	21	137	75	27.2	19	40	21.2	15	89	187
Sabaragamuwa ...	388	306	7	32	7	17	1	10	1	7	72	316	68	26.2	18	50	19.3	13	149	369
Central. Kandy ...	260	218	3	26	6	2	—	3	2	—	48	223	60	24.9	18	46	18.4	13	94	234
Matale ...	78	58	1	6	5	2	2	1	2	1	10	50	70	27.9	18	47	21.3	14	21	77
Nuwara Eliya ...	40	29	1	3	1	2	—	3	—	1	4	24	42	25.2	19	36	20.2	14	10	30
Northern. Mullaittivu ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Southern. Galle ...	3	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	38	28.3	22	24	19.0	16	—	3
Matara ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Eastern. Batticaloa ...	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	25	24.0	23	19	18.5	18	1	2
Trincomalee ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30	30.0	30	25	25.0	25	1	1
North-Western. Kurunegala ...	530	374	25	72	28	17	1	9	3	1	76	340	62	26.6	18	48	20.9	14	185	513
Puttalam ...	21	11	2	5	3	—	—	—	—	—	3	17	45	27.4	19	30	19.7	15	9	21
North-Central. Anuradhapura ...	76	48	5	11	8	1	—	3	—	—	5	40	60	27.8	20	39	21.9	14	22	75
Uva. Badulla ...	191	150	6	21	12	—	—	2	—	—	21	137	75	27.2	19	40	21.2	15	89	187
Sabaragamuwa. Ratnapura ...	197	158	5	17	3	7	1	3	—	3	46	163	68	26.3	18	50	19.4	13	90	189
Kegalla ...	191	148	2	15	4	10	—	7	1	4	26	153	60	26.1	18	50	19.3	14	59	180

Table VIII.—Return of Births of each Nationality in each Province and District in the Island registered during the Third Quarter of 1903.

Province and District.		All Races.			Europeans.			Burghers.			Sinhalese.			Tamils.			Moors.			Malays.			Others.			
		Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	
CEYLON	...	32,709	16,784	15,925	56	30	26	187	111	76	22,506	11,483	11,023	7,572	3,921	3,651	2,269	1,178	1,091	66	30	36	53	31	22	
Western	...	7,259	3,752	3,507	35	19	16	116	66	50	6,304	3,236	3,068	408	214	194	356	194	162	20	10	10	20	13	7	
Central	...	5,334	2,735	2,599	12	7	5	30	21	9	3,045	1,560	1,485	1,959	997	962	264	138	126	18	8	10	6	4	2	
Northern	...	3,177	1,668	1,499	—	—	—	7	5	2	15	8	7	3,028	1,593	1,433	115	59	56	1	1	—	1	—	1	
Southern	...	5,569	2,806	2,743	3	2	1	10	6	4	5,335	2,707	2,628	44	16	28	146	70	76	8	5	3	3	—	3	
Eastern	...	2,238	1,159	1,079	4	1	3	13	7	6	90	50	40	1,151	605	546	964	490	474	8	1	7	8	5	3	
North-Western	...	3,683	1,667	1,616	—	—	—	4	3	1	3,294	1,667	1,627	158	77	81	223	119	104	4	1	3	—	—	—	
North-Central	...	699	361	338	—	—	—	1	—	1	559	276	283	58	38	20	76	45	51	—	—	—	5	—	3	
Uva	...	1,814	914	900	—	—	—	3	2	1	1,351	685	666	395	194	201	53	25	28	5	3	2	7	5	2	
Sabaragamuwa	...	2,966	1,522	1,444	2	1	1	3	1	2	2,513	1,294	1,219	371	185	186	72	38	34	2	1	1	3	2	1	
Western.																										
Colombo	...	3,897	2,004	1,893	33	18	15	103	58	45	3,407	1,743	1,664	150	76	74	167	89	78	19	9	10	18	11	7	
Negombo	...	1,391	716	675	—	—	—	6	3	3	1,209	619	590	143	79	64	31	13	18	1	1	—	1	1	—	
Kalutara	...	1,971	1,032	939	2	1	1	7	5	2	1,688	874	814	115	59	56	158	92	66	—	—	—	1	1	—	
Central.																										
Kandy	...	3,275	1,705	1,570	8	6	2	24	20	6	1,871	982	889	1,155	590	565	197	99	98	15	6	9	3	2	1	
Matale	...	882	452	430	—	—	—	1	1	—	661	325	336	164	92	72	53	31	22	1	1	—	2	2	—	
Nuwara Eliya	...	1,177	578	599	4	1	3	3	—	3	513	253	260	640	315	325	14	8	6	2	1	1	1	—	1	
Northern.																										
Jaffna	...	2,338	1,496	1,342	—	—	—	5	4	1	2	1	1	2,805	1,476	1,329	24	14	10	1	1	—	1	—	1	
Mannar	...	210	114	96	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	126	70	56	82	43	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Mullaitivu	...	119	58	61	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	7	6	97	49	48	9	2	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Southern.																										
Galle	...	2,388	1,199	1,189	2	1	1	4	2	2	2,281	1,154	1,127	24	7	17	73	34	39	3	1	2	1	—	1	
Matara	...	2,026	1,032	994	1	1	—	6	4	2	1,948	993	955	19	9	10	52	25	27	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hambantota	...	1,135	575	560	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,106	560	546	1	—	1	21	11	10	5	4	1	2	—	2	
Eastern.																										
Batticaloa	...	1,988	1,029	959	1	—	1	11	6	5	85	46	39	1,013	533	480	873	442	431	2	1	1	3	1	2	
Trincomalee	...	250	130	120	3	1	2	2	1	1	5	4	1	138	72	66	91	48	43	6	—	6	5	4	1	
North-Western.																										
Kurunegala	...	2,790	1,403	1,387	—	—	—	1	—	1	2,599	1,313	1,286	67	27	40	121	63	58	2	—	2	—	—	—	
Puttalam	...	231	125	116	—	—	—	1	1	—	104	52	52	7	27	20	77	44	33	2	1	1	—	—	—	
Chilaw	...	662	339	323	—	—	—	2	2	—	591	302	289	44	23	21	25	12	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	
North-Central.																										
Anuradhapura	...	699	361	338	—	—	—	1	—	1	559	276	283	58	38	20	76	45	31	—	—	—	5	2	3	
Uva.																										
Badulla	...	1,814	914	900	—	—	—	3	2	1	1,351	685	666	395	194	201	53	25	28	5	3	2	7	5	2	
Sabaragamuwa.																										
Ratnapura	...	1,208	607	601	—	—	—	1	—	1	1,113	560	553	84	41	43	10	6	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Kegalla	...	1,758	915	843	2	1	1	2	1	1	1,400	734	666	287	144	143	62	32	30	2	1	1	3	2	1	

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PART I.—CEYLON GOVERNMENT GAZETTE

Table IX.—Deaths among the various Races registered in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, in each Month of the Third Quarter of 1903.

Province and District.	JULY.							AUGUST.							SEPTEMBER.									
	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	TOTAL.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
CEYLON ...	7,893	15	58	4955	2281	539	20	25	7606	11	29	4885	2097	516	30	38	7011	16	45	4452	2021	431	18	28
Western	1,765	12	44	1339	213	130	13	14	1772	9	19	1376	207	127	14	20	1611	11	30	1228	201	118	10	13
Central	1,446	2	1	669	687	79	4	4	1337	2	5	659	605	56	4	6	1294	2	6	607	620	50	5	4
Northern	778	—	2	4	731	40	—	1	699	—	—	7	666	25	—	1	661	—	1	9	616	33	—	2
Southern	1,159	—	2	1082	32	40	—	3	1189	—	3	1099	37	44	6	—	1128	1	4	1061	25	35	—	2
Eastern	406	1	5	44	215	141	—	—	362	1	17	204	139	1	—	—	387	2	2	22	250	109	—	2
North-Western	768	—	1	645	58	61	3	—	784	—	1	624	85	66	4	4	692	—	2	565	66	57	1	1
North-Central	284	—	1	227	33	23	—	—	218	—	—	176	20	17	1	4	177	—	—	139	24	14	—	—
Uva	524	—	1	390	119	11	—	3	518	—	—	365	128	23	—	2	445	—	—	335	99	8	1	2
Sabaragamuwa	763	—	1	555	193	14	—	—	727	—	—	562	145	19	—	1	616	—	—	486	120	7	1	2
Western.																								
Colombo	1,095	12	43	797	134	85	12	12	1072	9	19	788	136	89	14	17	962	11	27	710	121	71	10	12
Negombo	203	—	1	159	35	6	1	1	241	—	—	198	32	9	—	2	217	—	3	182	26	5	—	1
Kalutara	467	—	—	383	44	39	—	1	459	—	—	390	39	29	—	1	432	—	—	336	54	42	—	—
Central.																								
Kandy	898	2	—	423	412	54	4	3	877	2	4	427	392	44	3	5	788	2	5	389	347	39	4	2
Matale	206	—	—	126	58	22	—	—	205	—	—	121	73	10	1	—	214	—	1	126	73	11	1	2
Nuwara Eliya	342	—	1	120	217	3	—	1	255	—	1	111	140	2	—	1	292	—	—	92	200	—	—	—
Northern.																								
Jaffna	613	—	2	—	608	2	—	1	588	—	—	—	583	4	—	1	567	—	1	—	558	6	—	2
Mannar	124	—	—	—	89	35	—	—	68	—	—	—	47	21	—	—	65	—	—	—	40	25	—	—
Mullaittivu	41	—	—	4	34	3	—	—	43	—	—	7	36	—	—	—	29	—	—	9	18	2	—	—
Southern.																								
Galle	565	—	2	529	11	20	—	3	577	—	2	540	10	23	2	—	543	1	4	499	13	25	—	1
Matara	369	—	—	340	13	16	—	—	418	—	1	372	26	18	1	—	389	—	—	374	8	7	—	—
Hambantota	225	—	—	213	8	4	—	—	194	—	—	187	1	3	3	—	196	—	—	188	4	3	—	1
Eastern.																								
Batticaloa	335	—	4	35	167	129	—	—	304	—	1	16	165	122	—	—	348	—	2	21	223	102	—	—
Trincomalee	71	1	1	9	48	12	—	—	58	—	—	1	39	17	1	—	39	2	—	1	27	7	—	2
North-Western.																								
Kurunegala	566	—	—	511	25	29	1	—	543	—	1	476	38	26	1	1	502	—	1	454	20	26	—	1
Puttalam	84	—	—	35	18	29	2	—	100	—	—	32	29	33	3	3	64	—	—	18	19	30	1	—
Chilaw	118	—	1	99	15	3	—	—	141	—	—	116	18	7	—	—	122	—	1	93	27	1	—	—
North-Central.																								
Anuradhapura	284	—	1	227	33	23	—	—	218	—	—	176	20	17	1	4	177	—	—	139	24	14	—	—
Uva.																								
Badulla	524	—	1	390	119	11	—	3	518	—	—	365	128	23	—	2	445	—	—	335	99	8	1	2
Sabaragamuwa.																								
Ratnapura	326	—	1	255	67	3	—	—	309	—	—	255	50	4	—	—	302	—	—	251	49	2	—	—
Kegalla	437	—	—	300	126	11	—	—	418	—	—	307	95	15	—	1	314	—	—	235	71	5	1	2

Table X.—Causes of Deaths registered in Ceylon, and in each Province and District, during the Third Quarter of 1903.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.			CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.			SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.							
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalmara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Galle.	Matara.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
ALL CAUSES ...	22510	3129	661	1358	2563	625	889	1768	257	113	1685	1176	615	987	168	1611	252	381	679	1487	937	1169	42	132	14292	6399	1486	68	91	
I. Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic diseases ...	9612	1172	255	569	1034	280	399	836	123	54	690	566	360	517	88	472	106	114	345	732	427	473	16	36	6049	2898	566	26	21	
II. Parasitic diseases ...	982	146	54	78	163	47	16	2	3	1	95	13	—	17	—	111	4	38	10	7	54	123	—	4	804	101	67	1	5	
III. Dietetic diseases ...	38	4	3	—	3	—	4	3	—	—	—	1	3	6	2	—	2	—	—	6	—	1	—	—	14	19	4	—	—	
IV. Constitutional diseases ...	1848	441	64	168	133	31	37	121	1	2	251	156	38	14	4	89	6	40	19	67	71	95	3	15	1411	302	103	7	7	
V. Developmental diseases ...	714	161	26	38	83	14	32	47	4	1	73	58	5	—	6	7	—	5	—	100	35	19	1	3	460	201	38	7	4	
VI. Local diseases ...	6891	986	207	401	657	177	220	582	63	42	463	316	151	348	47	784	94	163	231	431	208	320	11	61	4446	1754	557	20	42	
VII. Violence ...	451	48	17	43	49	10	13	28	6	—	34	31	16	10	3	35	11	3	11	20	32	31	3	—	326	94	22	2	4	
VIII. Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	1974	171	35	61	441	66	168	149	57	13	79	35	42	75	18	113	29	18	63	124	110	107	7	13	782	1030	129	5	8	
I. Miasmatic diseases ...	3746	464	149	212	224	126	52	346	51	29	222	159	265	302	19	292	78	82	248	206	102	118	2	9	2599	848	276	8	4	
2 Diarrhoeal do. ...	5112	626	97	338	739	123	329	182	53	19	449	401	93	203	43	166	24	28	86	506	317	290	14	22	3334	1470	241	16	15	
3 Malarial do. ...	620	56	9	17	61	27	13	254	11	3	15	4	—	11	26	11	3	2	10	18	7	60	—	2	87	493	34	2	2	
4 Zoogenous do. ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—
5 Venereal do. ...	17	5	—	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	—	—	—	10	7	—	—	—	
6 Septic do. ...	115	20	—	2	5	4	4	54	8	3	3	1	—	1	—	3	1	1	—	1	—	4	—	3	17	80	15	—	—	
II. Parasitic diseases ...	982	146	54	78	163	47	16	2	3	1	95	13	—	17	—	111	4	38	10	7	54	123	—	4	804	101	67	1	5	
III. Dietetic diseases ...	38	4	3	—	3	—	4	3	—	—	—	1	3	6	2	—	—	—	—	6	—	1	1	—	14	19	4	—	—	
IV. Constitutional diseases ...	1848	441	64	168	133	31	37	121	1	2	251	156	38	14	4	39	6	40	19	67	71	95	3	15	1411	302	103	7	7	
V. Developmental diseases ...	714	161	26	38	83	14	32	47	4	1	73	58	5	—	6	7	—	5	—	100	35	19	1	3	460	201	38	7	4	
VI. Diseases of—																														
1 Nervous system ...	2569	430	52	302	144	17	53	250	15	6	349	247	110	46	23	105	32	53	20	162	72	81	5	31	1696	635	175	12	15	
2 Organs of special sense ...	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	5	3	—	—	—	
3 Circulatory system ...	193	73	8	19	15	4	9	5	—	—	22	10	2	—	6	—	7	2	3	3	7	1	1	4	143	35	8	—	2	
4 Respiratory do. ...	1537	197	26	19	180	45	109	127	38	27	31	15	7	107	13	165	38	44	92	190	29	38	—	16	760	589	150	4	18	
5 Digestive do. ...	302	64	6	12	42	9	18	31	2	—	18	10	12	9	1	6	2	2	6	23	15	14	4	3	159	110	23	1	2	
6 Lymphatic system and Ductless Glands ...	9	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	4	3	—	1	
7 Urinary system ...	80	35	2	6	8	1	1	2	2	—	6	6	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	2	3	1	1	3	50	16	8	—	2	
8 Reproductive system:																														
(a) Organs of Generation ...	28	3	2	1	4	—	2	5	—	1	3	1	—	1	—	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	15	12	1	—	—	
(b) Parturition ...	507	44	18	27	65	18	21	4	—	3	23	21	15	8	2	108	4	24	18	34	14	36	—	1	401	80	23	1	1	

Table X.—Causes of Deaths, &c.—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.			CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.			SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.							
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kaintara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Galle.	Matara.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.		
9 Organs of Locomotion ...	3	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—		
10 Integumentary system ...	1653	136	92	15	199	83	7	154	6	4	11	2	5	175	7	389	17	30	89	16	67	149	—	3	1213	268	166	2	1		
VII.																															
1 Accident or Negligence ...	376	37	12	40	40	9	10	21	6	—	29	28	14	10	3	32	9	2	8	15	28	23	3	—	276	73	20	—	4		
2 Homicide ...	35	7	3	2	3	—	—	2	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	3	2	—	1	1	2	3	—	—	27	8	—	—	—		
3 Suicide ...	39	3	2	1	6	1	3	5	—	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	22	13	—	—	—		
4 Execution ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—		
VIII.																															
Ill-defined and not specified causes ...	1974	171	35	61	441	66	168	149	57	13	79	35	42	75	18	113	29	18	63	124	110	107	7	13	782	1030	129	5	8		
<i>Miasmatic Diseases.</i>																															
Smallpox ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chickenpox ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Measles ...	12	1	—	5	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—		
Whooping Cough ...	7	3	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	2	—	—	—	6	3	3	—	—		
Mumps ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	—		
Diphtheria ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cerebro-spinal Fever	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Simple and ill-defined Fever	2407	232	57	83	146	80	32	338	51	29	90	33	203	302	18	252	74	53	125	57	44	103	—	5	1401	775	215	7	4		
Enteric Fever ...	1308	227	92	121	71	45	18	7	—	—	130	126	57	—	1	40	4	29	121	148	56	15	2	4	1183	60	58	1	—		
Influenza ...	10	1	—	1	5	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	8	—	—	—		
<i>Diarrhœal Diseases.</i>																															
Cholera ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diarrhœa ...	38.7	397	71	298	527	86	211	118	20	12	421	378	79	124	26	160	19	9	73	341	250	227	2	12	2868	787	162	9	7		
Dysentery ...	1264	228	26	40	212	37	118	64	33	7	28	23	14	79	17	6	5	19	13	165	67	63	12	10	466	682	79	7	8		
<i>Malarial Diseases.</i>																															
Remittent Fever ...	366	49	5	2	3	8	2	231	8	—	6	1	—	7	24	5	—	2	3	—	1	9	—	1	48	289	26	1	1		
Ague ...	24	1	—	—	4	3	—	—	3	—	3	1	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	13	9	2	—	—		
Malarial Cachexia ...	230	6	4	15	54	16	11	23	—	3	6	2	—	4	2	4	3	—	7	13	6	53	—	1	26	195	6	1	1		
<i>Zoogenous Diseases.</i>																															
Hydrophobia ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cowpox and other effects of Vaccination ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Veneral Diseases.</i>																															
Syphilis ...	15	5	—	—	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	9	6	—	—	—	

<i>Septic Diseases.</i>																											
Erysipelas ...	28	1	—	—	1	—	—	25	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	26	1	—	
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	11	4	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	7	2	—	—	
Puerperal Fever ...	76	15	—	2	4	3	2	29	8	2	2	1	—	1	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	1	9	52	14	—	
<i>Parasitic Diseases.</i>																											
Thrush ...	248	4	6	2	57	15	7	—	3	1	1	—	—	17	—	61	2	11	5	—	—	13	43	—	—	214	
Worms (animal) ...	671	137	48	69	83	29	6	2	—	—	91	13	—	—	—	49	2	27	5	—	—	31	79	—	4	580	
Dochmius Duodenalis ...	63	5	—	7	23	3	3	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	7	10	1	—	10	
<i>Dietetic Diseases.</i>																											
Starvation, want of Breast Milk ...	34	2	3	—	2	—	4	3	—	—	—	1	3	6	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	11	
Scurvy ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Intemp. { Chronic Alcoholism ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	
{ Delirium Tremens ...	2	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	
<i>Constitutional Diseases.</i>																											
Rheumatism ...	110	16	5	7	20	1	2	6	1	—	18	10	3	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	1	9	7	—	1	
Rickets ...	20	10	—	—	3	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	14	
Cancer ...	46	11	2	4	6	—	1	7	—	—	2	1	2	1	1	1	—	2	—	—	—	2	1	2	—	29	
Tabes Mesenterica ...	8	5	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Phthisis ...	851	219	21	60	62	18	22	76	—	2	124	57	10	7	2	34	4	7	2	24	49	51	3	11	599	167	
Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula ...	73	11	4	2	3	3	1	2	—	—	6	1	—	1	—	15	1	6	7	2	3	5	—	1	58	10	
Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis ...	6	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	6	
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	662	140	31	93	36	8	8	15	—	—	96	86	18	1	—	29	1	23	8	35	9	25	—	—	561	73	
Diabetes Mellitus ...	22	7	1	1	—	1	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	9	11	
Leprosy ...	25	19	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	15	5	
Elephantiasis ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Parangi ...	22	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	3	1	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20	
Other and undefined Constitutional Diseases ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>																											
Premature Birth ...	168	22	3	—	20	—	2	13	—	1	6	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	90	7	2	—	125	
Atelectasis ...	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	
Spina Bifida ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Imperforate Anus ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Other Congenital Defects ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Old Age ...	540	135	23	38	63	14	29	34	4	—	66	57	5	—	5	7	—	5	—	—	—	10	28	17	1	333	
<i>Nervous System.</i>																											
Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes ...	26	16	—	2	1	1	—	—	—	2	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	12	
Softening of Brain ...	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Apoplexy ...	41	22	1	2	2	—	4	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	1	2	1	4	17	
Paralysis ...	103	35	7	18	5	2	—	11	—	—	8	4	—	2	—	—	—	1	3	—	2	1	3	—	2	71	
Epilepsy ...	45	7	—	1	14	—	—	3	1	1	—	3	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	4	—	16	
Convulsions... Infantile Convulsions ...	37	2	—	—	1	—	2	15	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	2	3	1	2	—	—	4	—	3	—	7	
Laryngismus Stridulus ...	2157	277	37	276	105	13	42	199	13	4	331	238	107	42	17	96	26	46	19	143	63	63	2	20	1506	466	
Laryngismus Stridulus Collapse ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tetanus ...	130	66	—	3	13	1	1	22	—	—	1	—	1	1	4	2	1	2	—	—	—	4	3	5	1	3	

Table X.—Causes of Deaths, &c.—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.		CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.			SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.			NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA. PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.								
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaitivu.	Galle.	Matara.	Hambantota.	Batticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
Mania	17	2	5	—	—	1	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	16	1	—	—	—	—	
Paraplegia, diseases of the Spinal Cord	4	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Brain or Nervous System	7	1	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	1	4	2	—	—	—	—	
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>																														
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Otitis and other diseases of Ear	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Epistaxis and other diseases of Nose	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	
<i>Circulatory System.</i>																														
Pericarditis	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Valve disease of Heart	8	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	2	6	—	—	—	
Hypertrophy of Heart	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Angina pectoris, Syncope	15	8	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Aneurism	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Embolism, Thrombosis	2	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Phlebitis	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Varicose veins	58	19	7	6	2	1	—	1	—	—	10	4	1	—	2	—	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	53	3	2	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Heart or Circulatory System	108	46	1	12	8	1	6	3	—	12	6	1	—	—	3	—	3	1	—	5	—	—	2	81	17	6	—	—	2	
<i>Respiratory System.</i>																														
Laryngitis	10	—	—	1	1	—	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	5	4	—	—	
Croup	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bronchitis	165	49	4	5	26	10	4	19	1	—	7	2	5	8	1	7	3	1	8	4	—	—	—	4	60	76	22	—	1	
Asthma	48	4	6	4	3	1	—	2	1	—	5	4	—	3	—	4	—	—	—	7	3	—	—	1	30	11	6	—	—	
Pneumonia	648	134	11	9	71	18	58	101	14	21	17	8	2	60	8	14	19	5	7	39	17	15	—	10	138	426	60	—	12	
Pleurisy	10	4	—	—	2	—	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	8	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Respiratory System	656	6	5	—	77	16	45	—	19	6	2	1	—	36	2	140	16	38	88	143	1	20	—	—	530	63	58	—	5	
<i>Digestive System.</i>																														
Stomatitis	16	6	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	11	2	2	—	1	
Dentition	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	
Quinsy	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Sore Throat	25	3	—	1	—	1	—	2	—	—	3	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	
Dyspepsia	15	—	—	—	—	1	—	11	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	8	1	—	—	
Hæmatemesis	8	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Melæna	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Stomach	12	2	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	—	—	
Enteritis	18	13	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	

Table X.—Causes of Deaths, &c.—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	CEYLON.	WESTERN PROVINCE.			CENTRAL PROVINCE.			NORTHERN PROVINCE.			SOUTHERN PROVINCE.			EASTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCE.		NORTH-CENT. PROV.	UVA PROV.	SABARA-GAMUWA PROV.		DEATHS AMONG ALL RACES.								
		Colombo.	Negombo.	Kalutara.	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Jaffna.	Mannar.	Mullaivivu.	Galle.	Matara.	Hambantota.	Baticaloa.	Trincomalee.	Kurunegala.	Puttalam.	Chilaw.	Anuradhapura.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>																														
Carbuncle ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Phlegmon, Cellulitis ...	8	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Lupus ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ulcer, Bed sore ...	37	8	4	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Pemphigus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System ...	1603	121	88	14	194	83	5	151	6	4	5	2	3	174	7	386	16	29	89	14	67	145	—	2	1178	258	163	1	1	
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>																														
Fractures, Contusions ...	154	17	4	21	22	4	8	4	1	—	13	11	4	1	—	7	1	1	2	9	14	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Gunshot wounds ...	12	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cut, Stab ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burn, Scald ...	24	6	1	1	3	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poison ...	7	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drowning ...	95	10	6	11	10	1	1	14	2	—	9	8	1	1	—	8	5	—	1	1	1	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Suffocation ...	4	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Snake-bite ...	55	2	1	4	2	2	—	2	3	—	2	—	6	5	1	10	3	1	3	4	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Otherwise ...	24	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	1	2	2	2	—	—	—	—	7	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Homicide.</i>																														
Murder, Manslaughter ...	35	7	3	2	3	—	—	2	—	—	3	2	1	—	—	3	2	—	1	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Suicide.</i>																														
Gunshot wounds ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cut, Stab ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Poison ...	7	2	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Drowning ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hanging ...	25	—	2	1	3	1	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Otherwise ...	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Execution.</i>																														
Hanging ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>																														
General Dropsy ...	601	22	8	23	94	14	19	57	26	7	30	7	9	66	10	72	18	8	35	27	18	31	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Debility ...	1225	128	21	26	336	50	143	71	26	5	38	20	31	3	6	41	4	7	27	92	84	66	4	4	295	236	65	1	—	
Sudden deaths (causes unascertained) ...	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abscess ...	87	9	4	9	5	2	3	11	2	1	7	7	2	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tumour ...	14	7	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hæmorrhage ...	4	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other ill-defined and not specified causes ...	40	4	2	2	—	3	—	8	3	—	2	—	—	3	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

Table XI.—Causes of Deaths registered on Estates in the Central, Uva, and Sabaragamuwa Provinces and in the Colombo and Kalutara Districts of the Western Province, during the Third Quarter of 1903.

Cause of Death.	Central Province.			Nuwara Eliya.	Prov. of Uva.			Province of S'gamuwa.		Western Province.	
	Kandy.	Matale.			Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Colombo.	Kalutara.		
ALL CAUSES ...	994	181	533	267	136	286	40	98			
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic diseases	370	91	222	111	68	156	25	47			
II.—Parasitic diseases	30	6	4	1	4	1	1	1			
III.—Dietetic diseases	2	—	4	1	—	—	1	—			
IV.—Constitutional diseases	23	1	14	7	7	16	7	3			
V.—Developmental diseases	46	11	28	5	3	7	—	4			
VI.—Local diseases	205	35	116	64	31	52	3	18			
VII.—Violence	12	2	6	2	5	1	—	3			
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes	306	35	139	76	18	53	3	22			
I.											
Miasmatic diseases	30	20	18	15	5	6	5	7			
Diarrhœal do.	300	51	192	84	60	97	16	30			
Malarial do.	32	18	9	11	3	50	4	8			
Zoogenous do.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Venereal do.	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Septic do.	5	2	3	1	—	3	—	2			
II.											
Parasitic diseases	30	6	4	1	4	1	1	1			
III.											
Dietetic diseases	2	—	4	1	—	—	1	—			
IV.											
Constitutional diseases	23	1	14	7	7	16	7	3			
V.											
Developmental diseases	46	11	28	5	3	7	—	4			
VI.											
Diseases of—											
Nervous system	82	9	33	19	9	25	1	9			
Organs of special sense	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—			
Circulatory system	4	1	2	—	1	—	—	—			
Respiratory system	67	19	56	33	16	14	—	5			
Digestive system	25	2	9	7	3	4	2	1			
Lymphatic system and ductless glands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Urinary system	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Reproductive system:											
(a) Organs of generation	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—			
(b) Parturition	18	4	15	4	1	7	—	2			
Organs of Locomotion	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Integumentary system	3	—	—	—	1	2	—	1			
VII.											
Accident or negligence	8	1	4	1	4	1	—	2			
Homicide	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1			
Suicide	2	1	2	1	—	—	—	—			
Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
VIII.											
Ill-defined and not specified causes	306	35	139	76	18	53	3	22			
Miasmatic Diseases.											
Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Chickenpox	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Measles	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—			
Whooping Cough	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—			
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Simple and ill-defined Fever	23	19	16	14	4	4	5	7			
Enteric Fever	1	—	—	1	—	2	—	—			
Influenza	4	1	2	—	—	—	—	—			
Diarrhœal Diseases.											
Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Diarrhœa	138	28	90	40	26	46	15	23			
Dysentery	162	23	102	44	34	51	1	7			
Malarial Diseases.											
Remittent Fever	3	6	1	—	—	7	1	—			
Ague	2	—	—	4	—	—	—	—			
Malarial Cachexia	27	12	8	7	3	43	3	—			
Zoogenous Diseases.											
Hydrophobia	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Cowpox and other effects of Vaccination	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Venereal Diseases.											
Syphilis	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Gonorrhœa, stricture of Urethra	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			

Table XI.—Causes of Deaths registered, &c.—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Central Province.			Prov. of Province of S'gamuwa.			Western Province.	
	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Colombo.	Kalutara.
<i>Septic Diseases.</i>								
Erysipelas ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	—	1	1	—	—	2	—	—
Puerperal Fever ...	4	1	2	1	—	1	—	2
<i>Parasitic Diseases.</i>								
Thrush ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Worms (animal) ...	12	3	1	—	—	—	1	1
Doehmias Duodenalis ...	18	3	3	1	4	1	—	—
<i>Dietetic Diseases.</i>								
Starvation, want of breast-milk ...	1	—	4	1	—	—	1	—
Intemperance, Delirium Tremens ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Constitutional Diseases.</i>								
Rheumatism ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Rickets ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Cancer ...	3	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Tabes Mesenterica ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Phthisis ...	9	—	8	4	7	8	—	3
Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula ...	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	7	—	4	1	—	6	7	—
Diabetes Mellitus ...	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Leprosy ...	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—
Parangi ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined constitutional diseases ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>								
Premature Birth ...	9	—	—	2	—	1	—	—
Imperforate Anus ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Other congenital defects ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Old age ...	37	11	27	3	3	6	—	4
<i>Nervous System.</i>								
Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Apoplexy ...	1	—	3	—	—	2	—	—
Paralysis ...	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Epilepsy ...	12	—	2	4	—	1	—	—
Convulsions ...	1	—	2	4	—	3	—	—
Infantile Convulsions ...	58	8	25	8	7	17	1	9
Collapse ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tetanus ...	8	—	1	2	1	2	—	—
Mania ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Paraplegia, diseases of the Spinal Cord ...	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Brain or Nervous System ...	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>								
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye ...	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Otitis and other diseases of Ear ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Circulatory System.</i>								
Pericarditis ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Valve disease of Heart ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hypertrophy of Heart ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Angina Pectoris, Syncope ...	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Varicose veins ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Heart or Circulatory System ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
<i>Respiratory System.</i>								
Laryngitis ...	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Croup ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bronchitis ...	16	4	3	7	2	—	—	—
Asthma ...	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	2
Pneumonia ...	48	15	51	25	13	13	—	3
Pleurisy ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Respiratory System ...	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Digestive System.</i>								
Dentition ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Sore Throat ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Dyspepsia ...	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—
Melæna ...	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Diseases of Stomach ...	2	—	1	2	—	—	—	—

Table XI.—Causes of Deaths, registered &c.—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Central Province.			Prov. of	Province of S'gamuwa.		Western Province.		
	Kandy.	Matale.	Nuwara Eliya.	Uva. Badulla.	Ratnapura.	Kegalla.	Colombo.	Kalutara.	
Enteritis ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ulceration of Intestines ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ileus, obstruction of Intestine ...	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	
Intussusception of Intestine ...	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Fistula ...	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Peritonitis ...	3	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	
Ascites ...	7	1	2	—	2	3	2	—	
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	1	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	
Other diseases of Liver ...	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Digestive System ...	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.</i>									
Diseases of the Lymphatic System ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Spleen ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Urinary System.</i>									
Nephritis ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Bright's Disease ...	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Uremia ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Suppression of Urine ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Calculus (Stone) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Bladder ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Urinary System ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Organs of Generation.</i>									
Diseases of Uterus and Vagina... ..	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	
Disorders of Menstruation ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diseases of Testes, Penis, Scrotum, &c. ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Parturition.</i>									
Abortion, Miscarriage ...	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	
Puerperal Convulsions ...	—	—	1	1	—	4	—	—	
Placenta Prævia, Flooding ...	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	
Phlegmasia Dolens ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined accidents of Childbirth ...	18	4	12	3	—	3	—	2	
<i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion.</i>									
Caries Necrosis ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other and undefined diseases of Organs of Locomotion ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>									
Carbuncle ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Ulcer, Bed sore ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System ...	2	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>									
Fractures, Contusions ...	5	—	3	1	2	—	—	—	
Gun-shot wounds ...	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Burn, Scald ...	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	1	
Poison ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Drowning ...	2	—	1	—	1	—	—	1	
Suffocation ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Snake-bite ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Otherwise ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Homicide.</i>									
Murder, Manslaughter ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	
<i>Suicide.</i>									
Gun-shot wounds ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Drowning ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hanging ...	1	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	
Otherwise ...	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
<i>Execution.</i>									
Hanging ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>									
General Dropsy ...	44	9	13	8	1	11	—	2	
Debility ...	259	26	124	68	17	41	3	19	
Sudden deaths (causes unascertained) ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Abscess ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Tumour ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Hæmorrhage ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other ill-defined and not specified causes ...	1	—	2	—	—	1	—	1	

Table XII.—Causes of Deaths registered in the Colombo Municipality in the Third Quarter of 1903.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Municipality.	WARD.										NATIONALITY.							
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.	
ALL CAUSES	1408	9	30	60	125	268	122	322	227	162	83	31	80	690	310	224	36	37	
I.—Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases	468	3	4	16	36	93	30	139	65	62	20	15	23	235	102	68	15	10	
II.—Parasitic Diseases	22	—	—	1	2	3	4	5	5	1	1	—	1	13	5	2	—	1	
III.—Dietetic Diseases	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
IV.—Constitutional Diseases	172	—	4	5	14	47	14	30	27	18	13	2	11	98	22	30	6	3	
V.—Developmental Diseases	78	—	2	—	10	18	7	8	22	7	4	—	2	42	18	11	4	1	
VI.—Local Diseases	524	1	17	29	56	83	62	90	99	54	33	8	42	225	124	97	10	18	
VII.—Violence	20	3	1	—	—	1	—	10	4	—	1	2	—	8	6	3	—	1	
VIII.—Ill-defined and not specified causes	122	1	2	9	7	23	5	39	5	20	11	4	1	68	32	13	1	3	
I.																			
Miasmatic Diseases	83	—	—	—	1	34	—	13	5	20	10	2	3	57	11	4	5	1	
Diarrhoeal do.	321	3	2	12	25	49	19	118	49	35	9	13	17	147	79	48	9	8	
Malarial do.	41	—	2	3	5	6	9	1	9	6	—	—	—	23	8	8	1	1	
Zoogenous do.	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Venereal do.	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	
Septic do.	17	—	—	1	5	3	2	3	1	1	1	—	3	3	3	8	—	—	
II.—Parasitic Diseases	22	—	—	1	2	3	4	5	5	1	1	—	1	13	5	2	—	1	
III.—Dietetic Diseases	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
IV.—Constitutional Diseases	172	—	4	5	14	47	14	30	27	18	13	2	11	98	22	30	6	3	
V.—Developmental Diseases	78	—	2	—	10	18	7	8	22	7	4	—	2	42	18	11	4	1	
VI.																			
Diseases of Nervous System	235	—	5	14	34	46	33	13	48	27	15	5	23	91	62	40	7	7	
Do. Organs of Special Sense	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Do. Circulatory System	29	—	1	—	2	2	—	9	8	2	5	—	3	20	3	3	—	—	
Do. Respiratory System	169	—	10	9	10	28	20	35	30	18	9	—	11	69	45	34	2	8	
Do. Digestive System	44	1	1	3	4	5	4	10	9	4	3	3	2	24	5	8	1	1	
Do. Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	
Do. Urinary System	22	—	—	2	4	2	4	7	1	1	1	—	2	6	5	7	—	2	
Do. Reproductive System :—																			
(a) Organs of Generation	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
(b) Parturition	5	—	—	1	1	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	2	—	—	
Do. Organs of Locomotion	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
Do. Integumentary System	16	—	—	—	1	—	—	13	1	1	—	—	1	11	2	2	—	—	
VII.																			
Accident or Negligence	17	3	1	—	—	1	—	7	4	—	1	2	—	6	5	3	—	1	
Homicide	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Suicide	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	
Execution	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
VIII.																			
Ill-defined and not specified Causes	122	1	2	9	7	23	5	39	5	20	11	4	1	68	32	13	1	3	
Miasmatic Diseases.																			
Smallpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Chickenpox	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Measles	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Whooping Cough	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Mumps	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diphtheria	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Typhus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cerebro-spinal Fever	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Simple and ill-defined Fever	56	—	—	—	1	31	—	—	1	18	5	—	2	35	10	4	4	1	
Enteric Fever	26	—	—	—	2	—	—	13	4	2	5	2	1	21	1	—	1	—	
Influenza	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	
Diarrhoeal Diseases.																			
Cholera	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Diarrhoea	172	—	—	5	10	20	8	75	28	19	7	2	7	87	44	22	5	5	
Dysentery	149	3	2	7	15	29	11	43	21	16	2	11	10	60	35	26	4	3	

Table XL. — Causes of Deaths, &c. — continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Municipality.	WARD.										NATIONALITY.						
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
<i>Malarial Diseases.</i>																		
Remittent Fever ...	37	—	2	3	4	5	9	—	8	5	—	—	—	21	7	7	1	1
Ague ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Malarial Cachexia ...	3	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
<i>Zoogenous Diseases.</i>																		
Hydrophobia ...	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Venereal Diseases.</i>																		
Syphilis ...	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—
Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Septic Diseases.</i>																		
Phagedæna ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Erysipelas ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pyæmia, Septicæmia ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	2	2	—	—	—	—
Puerperal Fever ...	12	—	—	1	5	3	2	—	—	1	—	—	1	1	3	7	—	—
<i>Parasitic Diseases.</i>																		
Worms (animal) ...	17	—	—	1	2	3	4	1	4	1	1	—	1	11	2	2	—	1
Doehmius Duodenalis ...	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	—
<i>Dietetic Diseases.</i>																		
Starvation, want of breast milk ...	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Delirium Tremens ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Constitutional Diseases.</i>																		
Rheumatism ...	4	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	1	—	—	1	2	—	1	—	—
Cancer ...	6	—	—	—	1	1	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	4	1	—	1	—
Tabes Mesenterica ...	5	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	4	1	—	—	—
Tubercular Meningitis (hydrocephalus) ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Phthisis ...	133	—	4	5	9	37	11	25	21	12	9	2	8	73	16	26	5	3
Other forms of Tuberculosis, Scrofula ...	3	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
Purpura, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Anæmia, Chlorosis, Leucocythæmia ...	14	—	—	—	1	5	—	2	1	2	3	—	—	9	2	3	—	—
Diabetes Mellitus ...	3	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Leprosy ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
<i>Developmental Diseases.</i>																		
Premature Birth ...	10	—	—	—	—	1	—	6	2	—	1	—	—	7	3	—	—	—
Atelectasis ...	4	—	—	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	—	—
Old Age ...	64	—	2	—	10	13	7	2	20	7	3	—	2	33	14	10	4	1
<i>Nervous System.</i>																		
Inflammation of Brain or its Membranes ...	15	—	1	—	—	—	—	6	4	3	1	1	—	7	3	2	1	1
Softening of Brain ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
Apoplexy ...	22	—	2	3	1	4	2	4	4	2	—	1	3	9	4	3	1	1
Paralysis ...	13	—	—	—	1	1	1	2	5	2	1	—	1	6	3	3	—	—
Epilepsy ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Convulsions ...	2	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	2	—	—	—	—
Infantile Convulsions ...	119	—	2	3	12	34	13	—	31	17	7	2	15	50	28	16	5	3
Laryngismus Stridulus ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tetanus ...	58	—	—	8	20	6	17	1	2	2	2	1	3	14	23	15	—	2
Other and undefined diseases of Brain or Nervous System ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Organs of Special Sense.</i>																		
Conjunctivitis and other diseases of Eye ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
<i>Circulatory System.</i>																		
Pericarditis ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Valve disease of Heart ...	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Angina pectoris, Syncope ...	7	—	1	—	—	2	—	1	—	1	2	—	2	4	1	—	—	—
Varicose veins ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Heart or Circulatory System ...	21	—	—	—	2	—	—	7	8	1	3	—	1	15	2	3	—	—

Table XII.—Causes of Deaths, &c.—*continued.*

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Colombo Municipality.	WARD.									NATIONALITY.							
		Fort and Galle Face.	Pettah.	St. Sebastian.	St. Paul's.	Kotahena.	New Bazaar.	Maradana Hospitals.	Maradana (exclusive of Hospitals).	Slave Island.	Kollupitiya.	Europeans.	Burghers.	Sinhalese.	Tamils.	Moors.	Malays.	Others.
<i>Respiratory System.</i>																		
Bronchitis ...	40	—	—	5	3	10	7	3	7	2	3	—	3	16	8	12	—	1
Asthma ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—
Pneumonia ...	120	—	9	4	6	18	12	30	21	14	6	—	7	52	34	19	—	6
Pleurisy ...	4	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	1	2	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Respiratory System ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1
<i>Digestive System.</i>																		
Stomatitis ...	3	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	—	—
Sore Throat ...	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Diseases of Stomach ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Enteritis ...	13	—	—	—	1	1	1	1	8	1	—	—	—	9	2	2	—	—
Ulceration of Intestines...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Ileus, obstruction of Intestine ...	6	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	1	2	1	—	—	4	—	1	1	—
Stricture or Strangulation of Intestine...	2	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Hernia ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Peritonitis ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ascites ...	3	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	3	—	—	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—
Other diseases of Liver...	6	1	—	—	—	2	—	3	—	—	—	2	—	2	1	—	—	1
Other and undefined diseases of Digestive System ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Diseases of Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands.</i>																		
Diseases of the Lymphatic System ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
<i>Diseases of Urinary System.</i>																		
Nephritis ...	6	—	—	—	1	—	2	2	1	—	—	—	1	1	2	2	—	—
Bright's Disease ...	15	—	—	2	3	1	2	5	—	1	1	—	1	4	3	5	—	2
Suppression of Urine ...	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Diseases of Organs of Generation.</i>																		
Ovarian diseases ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Diseases of Parturition.</i>																		
Abortion, Miscarriage ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Puerperal Convulsions ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
Placenta Prævia, Flooding ...	2	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	—	—
Other and undefined accidents of Child-birth ...	1	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
<i>Diseases of Organs of Locomotion.</i>																		
Caries, Necrosis ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—
<i>Diseases of Integumentary System.</i>																		
Phlegmon, Cellulitis ...	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—
Lupus ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—
Ulcer, Bed sore ...	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—
Other and undefined diseases of Integumentary System ...	5	—	—	—	1	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	1	3	—	1	—	—
<i>Accident or Negligence.</i>																		
Fractures, Contusions ...	7	1	1	—	—	—	—	3	2	—	—	—	—	1	2	3	—	1
Gunshot wounds ...	2	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Burn, Scald ...	6	—	—	—	1	—	—	4	—	—	—	—	—	5	1	—	—	—
Drowning ...	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—
<i>Homicide.</i>																		
Murder, Manslaughter...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Suicide.</i>																		
Cut, Stab ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—
Poison ...	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—
<i>Ill-defined and not specified Causes.</i>																		
Debility ...	110	1	1	9	7	21	5	32	5	18	11	2	1	61	31	12	1	2
Abscess ...	5	—	—	—	—	1	—	2	—	2	—	1	—	2	—	1	—	1
Tumour ...	6	—	—	—	—	1	—	5	—	—	—	1	—	4	—	—	—	—
Hæmorrhage ...	1	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—

Results of METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS in Ceylon during the Month of December, 1903.*

STATIONS.	Height above Level of Sea.	RAINFALL.				The Resultant Direction of the Wind was from	BAROMETER REDUCED TO 32°.				TEMPERATURE OF THE AIR AND OF EVAPORATION.										Mean Amount of Cloud, 0 to 10.											
		Total No. of Inches.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.		No. of Days on which Registered.		Mean Daily Horizontal Movement of Air.	Mean Reading.		Mean Reading for the Month.	Mean Reading reduced to the Level of Sea.	Highest Reading.		Lowest Reading.		Mean Daily Maximum Temperature in Shade.	Mean Daily Minimum Temperature in Shade.	Adopted Mean Temperature of Air.†	Adopted Mean Temperature of Evaporation.†	Mean Elastic Force of Vapour.		Mean Degree of Humidity Complete Saturation, 100.	Maximum Temperature of Air.		Minimum Temperature of Air.		Mean Daily Maximum Temperature in Sun.	Maximum Temperature in the Sun.		Mean Daily Minimum Temperature on Grass.	Minimum Temperature on the Grass.	
			In.	Date.				At 9½ A.M.	At 3½ P.M.			In.	Date.	In.	Date.								In.	Date.	In.	Date.		In.	Date.			In.
Colombo ...	40	2.20	0.92	4th—5th	7	220.7	N. 1½ W.	29.913	29.796	29.854	29.894	29.962	21st	29.716	4th	87.6	72.4	79.0	74.1	77.9	79	90.0	4 & 20	70.2	15th	148.3	155.8	26th	69.9	66.5	14th	4.5
Batnapura ...	84	7.98	1.74	22nd—23rd	14	19.63	S. 35 W.	29.696	29.544	29.610	29.690	29.746	20th	29.499	4th	90.6	71.0	78.5	74.1	82.3	81	94.3	19th	66.4	18th	127.3	131.0	25th	66.0	63.0	17th	3.3
Puttalam ...	27	11.05	2.10	22nd—23rd	11	151.99	N. 3½ E.	29.902	29.799	29.850	29.877	29.940	22nd	29.691	6th	83.4	70.1	76.4	69.8	64.5	71	86.0	20th	66.3	14th	147.8	180.2	21st	44.7	37.0	17th	2.6
Anuradhapura ...	295	11.00	4.76	21st—22nd	15	90.10	Calm	29.594	29.492	29.543	29.841	29.638	20th	29.426	1st	85.3	68.9	81.7	72.8	69.1	65	89.6	19th	63.7	16 & 17	130.8	154.8	18th	53.7	50.2	18th	5.5
Mannar ...	12	8.00	1.75	3rd—4th	14	...	N. 40½ E.	29.924	29.821	29.872	29.884	29.978	21st	29.684	4th	83.2	73.6	77.5	73.6	77.9	85	88.0	30th	71.0	29th	Instrument out of order	...	...	...	...	6.1	
Jaffna ...	9	23.24	5.12	28th—29th	18	...	N. 15 E.	29.962	29.861	29.911	29.920	30.034	20th	29.707	4th	82.1	72.7	76.9	73.4	78.0	82	85.0	1, 2, & 8	68.0	9th	136.0	146.0	8th	68.2	62.0	9th	5.5
Trincomalee ...	12	11.05	2.55	21st—22nd	14	...	N. 44 W.	29.946	29.839	29.892	29.904	30.000	20th	29.748	4th	82.7	73.4	77.7	74.5	81.4	86	85.0	19 & 28	71.3	12th	131.8	145.0	20th	56.0	51.0	30th	4.0
Batticaloa ...	26	19.78	3.96	23rd—24th	21	...	N. 24½ W.	30.026	29.900	29.963	29.989	30.091	21st	29.802	4th	82.4	70.7	74.8	71.6	73.1	85	84.1	20 & 30	67.1	17th	132.6	140.5	1st	63.5	48.5	30th	5.0
Hambantota ...	50	3.08	1.30	23rd—24th	11	...	N. 52 E.	29.569	29.465	29.517	29.567	29.611	24th	29.381	14th	89.2	72.0	79.8	76.1	85.8	85	92.0	5, 7, & 8	70.0	9 & 15	158.0	167.0	9 & 17	68.1	65.5	14, 15, 17, & 25	4.0
Galle ...	48	6.34	2.84	23rd—24th	10	...	N. 74 W.	No	Instrument	...	...	...	...	...	...	84.8	72.4	78.0	75.3	84.4	88	88.4	8th	70.0	30th	97.5	114.4	27th	72.1	70.1	11th	2.0
Kandy ...	1654	6.35	1.06	1st—2nd	17	...	N. 64½ E.	No	Instrument	...	...	...	...	...	...	81.2	65.9	72.9	68.8	65.8	81	86.3	20th	62.0	15th	140.1	155.0	21st	61.3	56.0	16th & 18th	5.3
Nuwara Eliya ...	61.8	5.01	1.22	4th—5th	12	107.2	S. 6½ E.	24.168	24.162	24.165	29.928	24.246	21st	24.092	1st	66.7	48.3	57.9	53.6	37.3	76	70.3	20th	40.0	17th	139.6	155.0	6th	47.8	37.3	15th	2.5
Hakgala, Nuwara Eliya ...	5581	10.56	2.14	4th—5th	17	15.89	S. 36 W.	24.544	24.463	24.503	29.835	24.602	25th	24.390	5th	63.2	51.9	56.9	55.5	43.0	91	68.5	30th	45.8	15 & 17	95.7	117.0	1st	41.2	35.0	15th & 19th	7.4
Badulla ...	2225	8.54	1.90	4th—5th	24	50.0	N. 31 E.	No	Instrument	...	...	...	...	...	...	76.9	64.8	70.1	66.3	60.1	82	80.5	18th	57.6	15th	146.3	159.8	20th	58.8	48.7	15th	6.7
Camp for the Prisoners of War, Diyatalawa ...	41.0	9.71	3.31	4th—5th	21	20.6	N. 75 E.	25.938	25.850	25.894	29.917	25.986	20th	25.634	4th	72.9	58.0	64.2	61.5	51.9	87	77.4	19th	51.2	15th	139.6	164.3	10th	cancelled	...	...	6.5
Kurunegala ...	381	5.01	1.40	1st—2nd	15	...	No	Instrument	87.0	69.9	76.3	73.7	79.8	86	89.0	23 & 28	64.4	18th	139.2	149.8	4 & 9	67.1	60.2	17th	4.6

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		Total No. of Inches.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.		No. of Days on which Registered.				Mean Daily Horizontal Movement of Air.	Total No. of Inches.	Greatest Quantity in any 24 hours.		
	Feet.	In.	Date.	Miles.			Feet.	In.	Date.	Miles.			
17 Maligakanda, Colombo (Mr. Harrison) ...	...	2.47	0.80	20th—21st	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 The Government Stock Garden, Colombo (Mr. Perera) ...	...	4.46	1.60	22nd—23rd	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
19 Passara Hospital, Passara (Mr. Thomasz) ...	2800	15.18	5.02	4th—5th	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
20 Horakele Estate, Chilaw (Mr. Beven) ...	50	4.40	2.07	1st—2nd	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
21 Childw Kachcheri, Chilaw (Mr. Koch) ...	10	2.35	0.48	22nd—23rd	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
22 Franklands Estate, Veyangoda (Mr. Beven) ...	...	2.81	0.90	1st—2nd	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
23 Orange Hill, Ragama (Mr. Bury) ...	50	2.79	1.19	1st—2nd	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
24 Henaratgoda Gardens, Henaratgoda (Mr. Perera) ...	33	2.20	1.29	4th—5th	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
25 Eadella or Liberia Estate, Polgahawela (Mr. Hermon) ...	425	2.76	0.75	20th—21st	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
26 Geekianakanda, Neboda (Mr. Gollidge) ...	200	7.58	2.95	Dec. 31—Jan. 1	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
27 Labugama, Hanwella (Mr. Bond) ...	369	5.13	2.10	1st—2nd	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
28 Rayigam, Horana (Mr. Dawson) ...	300	8.19	2.55	4th—5th	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
29 Kanangama, Avisawella (Mr. Bontor) ...	200	7.27	2.23	20th—21st	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 Dunedin Estate, Avisawella (Mr. Bayley) ...	400	4.28	0.79	22nd—23rd	11	...	...	...	...	...	...
31 Digalla, Avisawella (Mr. Smith) ...	400	4.82	1.40	20th—21st	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
32 Avisawella Estate, Avisawella (Mr. Byrde) ...	250	2.77	0.75	2nd—3rd	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
33 Yatideriya, Kegalla (Mr. Fairweather) ...	...	7.89	2.30	5th—6th	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
34 Mahawalattenna, Balangoda (Mahawalattenna R. M.) ...	...	7.21	0.96	9th—10th	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
35 Maduwanwala, Rakwana (Maduwanwala R. M.) ...	750	14.61	2.26	23rd—24th	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
36 Amingakanda, Morawaka (Mr. Anderson) ...	1400	26.24	5.02	20th—21st	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
37 Panilkanda, Deniyaya (Mr. Davidson) ...	1900	19.18	2.87	19th—20th	19	...	...	...	...	...	...
38 Blair Athol, Dikoya (Mr. Kershaw) ...	3941	Not received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39 St. John Del Rey, Bogawantalawa (Mr. Cornish) ...	4300	8.27	2.25	20th—21st	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
40 Campion, Bogawantalawa (Mr. Gidden) ...	4500	7.47	2.32	3rd—4th	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
41 Annfield, Dikoya (Mr. Knight) ...	4300	5.64	1.34	21st—22nd	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
42 Maskeliya Hospital, Maskeliya (Mr. La Brooy) ...	4200	6.21	1.84	26th—27th	11	...	...	...	...	...	...
43 Incombe, Maskeliya (Mr. Polson) ...	3500	3.76	0.67	3rd—4th	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
44 Hope Estate, Hewaheta (Mr. Stone) ...	5000	7.73	1.62	22nd—23rd	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
45 Coldstream Estate, Watawala (Mr. Spedding) ...	3500	3.91	0.85	4th—5th	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
46 Eglwood Estate, Agrapatana (Mr. Bosanquet) ...	5240	9.32	2.80	4th—5th	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
47 Sandringham, Agrapatana (Mr. Orchard) ...	5200	6.99	2.40	2nd—3rd	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
48 Labookellie, Ramboda (Mr. Shipton) ...	5000	5.90	1.40	4th—5th	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
49 Dunsinane, Pundalu-oya (Mr. Metcalfe) ...	4800	6.94	1.65	22nd—23rd	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
50 Sogama, Pussellawa (Mr. Windus) ...	3500	6.93	2.70	4th—5th	9	...	...	...	...	...	...
51 Kurundoya, Maturata (Mr. Vowler) ...	5150	12.56	2.05	22nd—23rd	18	...	...	...	...	...	...
52 Kabragalla, Maturata (Mr. Maclean) ...	4400	8.40	1.94	20th—21st	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
53 Maragalla Estate, Monaragala (Mr. Betts) ...	2200	13.26	2.80	6th—7th	19	...	...	...	...	...	...
54 Mupana Hospital, Monaragala (Mr. Thurayagam) ...	500	10.97	2.38	6th—7th	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
55 Madulsima Hospital, Madulsima (Mr. Vengir) ...	4000	10.99	3.54	3rd—4th	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
56 Badulluwella Hospital, Badulluwella (Mr. Silva) ...	450	21.04	3.60	3rd—4th	16	...	...	...	...	...	...
57 Meeriabedda, Haputale (Mr. Wilkins) ...	3600	Not received	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
58 Udahena Estate, Haputale (Mr. Coombe) ...	4450	30.23	11.53	3rd—4th	20	...	...	...	...	...	...
59 Haputale Hospital, Haputale (Mr. Brohier) ...	4800	21.57	8.80	3rd—4th	21	...	...	...	...	...	...
60 Post Office, Bandarawela (Mr. Jansz) ...	4036	10.82	3.95	4th—5th	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
61 Mariawatta, Gampola (Mr. Blyth) ...	1600	5.38	1.54	4th—5th	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
62 Orwell Estate, Gampola (Mr. Acton) ...	1800	7.48	3.05	5th—6th	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
63 New Forest, Deltota (Mr. Wardrop) ...	3500	6.45	1.70	22nd—23rd	11	...	...	...	...	...	...
64 Rajawella Estate, Teldeniya (Mr. Murray) ...	1500	10.81	1.72	5th—6th	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
65 Lower Spring Valley, Badulla (Mr. Rettie) ...	3650	12.48	5.10	4th—5th	21	...	...	...	...	...	...
66 Gourakele Estate, Badulla (Mr. Gatehouse) ...	4200	11.74	5.40	4th—5th	14	...	...	...	...	...	...
67 Moussagala Estate, Badulla (Mr. Deaker) ...	4500	9.93	2.00	4th—5th	18	...	...	...	...	...	...
68 Ledgerwatta, Badulla (Mr. Rettie) ...	4000	15.92	3.44	3—4th	19	...	...	...	...	...	...