

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of June, 1918:—

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of June, 1913.

BOROUGHS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHS.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN JUNE, 1913.												Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, June, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1912.
			Males						Females							
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 6 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 6 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 6 Years.	5 Years and over.	Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, June, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1912.		
Auckland	47,562	78	2	..	24	1	3	10	38	0·80	11·25					
Birkenhead	2,035	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	0·49	5·62			
Devonport	7,441	13	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	0·54	6·42			
Newmarket	3,070	4	1	1	..	..	..	2	4	1·30	3·72			
Grey Lynn	8,317	21	..	..	1	..	..	2	3	0·86	8·58			
Mount Eden	9,981	25	1	..	5	..	..	6	12	1·20	12·26			
Northcote	1,521	8	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	1·31	4·70			
Mount Albert	7,669	25	..	..	2	..	..	3	5	0·65	5·65			
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	97,596	178	4	2	36	1	2	24	69	0·79	9·78					
Population of other suburbs*	21,514															
Total population of Greater Auckland	109,110															
Wellington	66,198	119	6	..	13	9	..	17	45	0·68	9·48					
Karori	1,524	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5·32			
Onslow	1,941	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0·52	6·37			
Miramar	1,725	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5·31			
Eastbourne	595	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5·14			
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	71,923	130	6	..	13	9	..	18	46	0·64	9·18					
Population of other suburbs*	969															
Total population of Greater Wellington	72,892															
Christchurch	54,948	100	5	1	27	2	1	24	60	1·09	10·63					
Woolston	3,657	7	..	..	2	2	..	..	4	1·09	8·96			
New Brighton	1,939	6	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0·52	7·62			
Sumner	1,948	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6·96			
Spreydon	3,520	14	..	..	1	1	..	1	3	0·85	10·47			
Riccarton	3,010	8	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	1·33	..			
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	69,022	140	5	1	32	5	1	28	72	1·04	10·34					
Population of other suburbs*	14,650															
Total population of Greater Christchurch	83,672															
Dunedin	48,859	86	4	..	22	4	..	16	46	0·94	11·28					
Maori Hill	2,276	4	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0·88	6·16			
Mornington	4,891	14	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	0·20	7·85			
St. Kilda	4,435	9	1	..	2	..	..	2	5	1·13	7·85			
West Harbour	2,038	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	0·49	5·91			
Green Island	1,976	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10·80			
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	64,470	122	7	..	25	4	..	19	55	0·85	10·43					
Population of other suburbs*	2,511															
Total population of Greater Dunedin	66,981															

* These remaining suburbs do not lie within borough boundaries, and particulars respecting them have not been obtained for the Vital Statistics. Closely correct annual statements of population outside boroughs are not obtainable.

In the above table are given the deaths and death-rates for each of the four cities, for the suburban boroughs severally, and for each city with its suburban towns.

Deaths occurring at hospitals, of persons not residents of the borough wherein the hospital is situated, have been allotted in each case to the borough where the disease was contracted, and not to that in which the death actually took place.