

Vital Statistics.

GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S Report on the Vital Statistics of the Principal Towns of New Zealand during the Month of November, 1913:—

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 November, 1913.

BOROUGH.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGH.	DEATHS IN BOROUGH REGISTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1913.								Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, November, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Males Population in the Year 1912.
			Males			Females.			Total Deaths.			
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.				
Auckland	47,562	89	6	..	18	2	..	14	40	0.84	11.25	
Birkenhead	2,035	6	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	0.98	5.62
Devonport	7,441	11	1	..	2	..	..	3	6	0.81	6.42
Newmarket	3,070	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.33	3.72
Grey Lynn	3,317	26	1	..	2	1	..	4	8	0.96	8.53	
Mount Eden	9,981	23	..	..	3	5	..	1	9	0.90	12.26
Northcote	1,521	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.66	4.70
Mount Albert	7,669	23	..	..	3	2	..	4	9	1.17	5.65
Totals Auckland and sub-urban boroughs	87,596	186	8	..	30	10	..	28	76	0.87	9.73	
Population of other suburbs*	21,514											
Total population of Greater Auckland	109,110											
Wellington	66,138	134	8	2	22	2	4	16	54	0.82	9.43	
Karori	1,524	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.32
Onslow	1,941	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6.37
Miramar	1,725	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.31
Eastbourne	595	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.14
Totals Wellington and sub-urban boroughs	71,923	144	8	2	22	2	4	16	54	0.75	9.13	
Population of other suburbs*	969											
Total population of Greater Wellington	72,892											
Christchurch	54,948	112	3	2	12	2	..	15	34	0.62	10.63	
Woolston	3,657	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8.96
New Brighton	1,939	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.52	7.62
Sumner	1,948	3	..	..	1	..	..	1	2	1.03	6.96
Spreydon	3,520	10	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.85	10.47
Riccarton	3,010	8	..	..	1	1	..	1	3	1.00	..
Totals Christchurch and sub-urban boroughs	69,022	150	3	2	16	3	..	19	43	0.62	10.34	
Population of other suburbs*	14,650											
Total population of Greater Christchurch	83,672											
Dunedin	48,859	101	5	3	18	1	1	11	39	0.80	11.28	
Maori Hill	2,276	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	0.44	6.16
Mornington	4,891	13	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	0.41	7.85
St. Kilda	4,435	11	3	..	1	1	..	3	8	1.80	7.85	
West Harbour	2,033	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5.91
Green Island	1,976	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10.80
Totals Dunedin and suburban boroughs	64,470	137	8	3	21	2	2	14	50	0.78	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.