Subjoined is a table showing the rates of infant mortality in the four cities for each of the past two years, together with the mean rates for the last five years.

	Deaths of Children under One Year to every 100 Births.		
	1913.	1914.	Mean of Five Years.
Auckland (excluding suburbs)	9·88	6·30	7·67
Wellington "	5·90	8·87	7·41
Christchurch "	6·56	7·59	6·74
Dunedin "	7·72	5·81	5·82

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Wellington, 2nd March, 1915.

Exports.—Weekly.

RETURN of PRINCIPAL EXPORTS of NEW ZEALAND PRODUCE from the Dominion during the Week ended Tuesday, 2nd March, 1915.

NOTE.—These figures are subject to alteration. They represent the entries from the ports received at Head Office, Wellington, up to 5 p.m. on Tuesday. * Goods exported are credited, as far as possible, to each district of production (as per list appended to return for week ending 19th January, 1915, *New Zealand Gazette* No. 8, page 287), whether exported through the port of such district or not.

Districts.*	Butter.	Cheese.	Frozen Meats.			Gold.
			Lamb.	Mutton.	Other.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	20,173	6,365	..	..	13,070	30
Kaipara	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tauranga	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne	..	311	12,346	47,444	6,553	..
New Plymouth	24,999	42,932	..	29	435	..
Waitara	..	..	4,548	1,130	2,355	..
Patea	3,380	83,065	869	222	5,538	..
Wanganui	10,360	3,060	15,517	6,168	12,639	..
Wellington	207	..	7,948	4,197	5,385	..
Napier	1,248	..	6,336	27,367	4,072	..
Wairau (including Picton)	422	..	..	..	..	..
Nelson	3,909	876	..	..	..	..
Westport	834	..	..	..	..	1,257
Greymouth	395	..	..	..	..	..
Hokitika	1,112	1,054	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	13,127	4,577	48,897	19,389	7,317	..
Timaru	2,848	..	13,818	3,441	601	..
Oamaru	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin	5,726	15,432	..	..	922	17,913
Invercargill	39,666	39,666	..	..	..	..
Totals	88,740	197,338	110,279	109,387	58,887	19,200

Districts.*	Grain and Pulse.	Hides and Skins.	Kauri-gum.	Phormium (including Tow).	Tallow.	Timber.	Wool.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland	..	700	3,297	559	2,076	700	5,135
Kaipara	..	..	..	..	..	926	..
Tauranga	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gisborne	..	3,980	..	..	3,158	..	67,532
New Plymouth	..	..	..	..	..	..	220
Waitara	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Patea	..	..	..	..	..	..	941
Wanganui	..	2,174	..	..	4,904	477	62,228
Wellington	26	12,998	..	1,221	8,416	..	120,091
Napier	..	12,636	..	..	2,096	..	153,191
Wairau (including Picton)	382	701	..	..	173	2,790	27,502
Nelson	..	703	..	..	103	..	23,486
Westport	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Greymouth	..	..	..	..	..	3,925	395
Hokitika	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lyttelton	2,762	1,058	..	..	3,510	..	101,655
Timaru	3,115	731	..	..	2,877	..	38,703
Oamaru	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,916
Dunedin	..	3,446	..	..	708	..	119,569
Invercargill	2,169	387	..	..	449	..	38,768
Totals	8,454	39,514	3,297	1,780	28.470	8,818	769,332

Customs Department,
Wellington, 3rd March, 1915.

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