

Arrivals and Departures in 1915.

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TABLES showing the numbers of arrivals in and departures from New Zealand during the year 1915, with totals for the previous nine years by way of comparison, are published for general information.

The total number of persons who arrived in the Dominion during 1915 was 25,551, and the departures during the year numbered 22,476, the excess of arrivals over departures for the year being 3,075.

According to returns furnished by the Immigration officers, 3,531 persons arrived from the United Kingdom, and 2,063 persons departed therefor during the year. From the Commonwealth of Australia the arrivals are returned as numbering 19,499 persons, and the departures thereto as 17,798 persons. Arrivals and departures from and to other countries were 2,521 and 2,620 persons respectively.

Of the 25,551 persons who came to New Zealand last year, 2,967, or 11.62 per cent. of the total, were children—i.e., under twelve years of age; and of the 22,476 departures the children numbered 1,997, or 8.89 per cent.

The arrivals and departures shown do not include members of the Expeditionary Forces.

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RETURN of IMMIGRATION to and EMIGRATION from the DOMINION of NEW ZEALAND during the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1915, showing the Places from which Persons arrived and to which they departed, the Ports of Arrival and Departure, and the Arrivals and Departures for each Month.

ARRIVALS FROM AND DEPARTURES TO DIFFERENT COUNTRIES.

Countries.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.					Excess of Immigration over Emigration.	Excess of Emigration over Immigration.
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.			
United Kingdom ..	1,128	1,670	384	349	3,531	1,115	717	107	124	2,063	1,468	..
Australian Commonwealth ..	10,414	7,145	943	997	19,499	9,591	6,688	820	694	17,798	1,706	..
Norfolk Island ..	8	12	2	2	24	6	11	10	5	32	..	8
Fiji ..	317	236	58	44	655	311	254	64	30	659	..	4
Malden Island ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Canada ..	425	251	40	35	751	455	262	29	12	758	..	7
British South Africa ..	30	30	14	12	86	3	16	5	7	31	55	..
United States of America ..	250	120	18	11	399	399	139	25	16	579	..	180
South America ..	4	1	1	..	6	121	35	10	11	177	..	171
Canary Islands ..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Egypt ..	7	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Foreign Pacific Islands ..	408	124	34	25	591	227	129	20	8	384	207	..
Totals ..	12,993	9,589	1,494	1,475	25,551	12,228	8,251	1,090	907	22,476	3,075	..

ARRIVALS AT AND DEPARTURES FROM DIFFERENT NEW ZEALAND PORTS.*

Ports.	ARRIVALS.					DEPARTURES.				
	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.	Adults.	Children.	Males.	Females.	Total Persons.
Auckland ..	8,326	1,084	5,277	4,133	9,410	7,143	751	4,600	3,294	7,894
Wellington ..	12,510	1,638	8,044	6,104	14,148	11,914	1,088	7,824	5,178	13,002
Nelson ..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Westport ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	2	3
Lyttelton ..	..	..	..	..	..	78	10	58	30	88
Dunedin ..	4	1	4	1	5	..	..	..	..	..
Invercargill ..	1,741	246	1,161	826	1,987	1,342	147	835	654	1,489
Totals ..	22,582	2,969	14,487	11,064	25,551	20,479	1,997	13,313	9,158	22,476

* In the returns from which this table is made up, immigrants are all counted at the first port of arrival in the Dominion, and emigrants at the final port of departure.

SUMMARY FOR THE YEAR 1915.

	Adults—i.e., over 12 Years.		Children.	Total.
	Males.	Females.		
Arrivals ..	12,993	9,589	2,969	25,551
Departures ..	12,228	8,251	1,997	22,476
Excess of arrivals over departures ..	765	1,338	972	3,075