

Arrivals and Departures in 1918.

Census and Statistics Office, Wellington, 20th January, 1919.

TABLES showing the numbers of arrivals in and departures from New Zealand during the year 1918, 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 1918 was 11,906, and the departures during the year numbered 11,660, the excess of arrivals over departures for the year being 246.

According to returns furnished by the Immigration officers, 1,176 persons arrived from the United Kingdom, and 445 persons departed therefor during the year. From the Commonwealth of Australia the arrivals are returned as numbering 8,282 persons, and the departures thereto as 9,477 persons. Arrivals and departures from and to other countries were 2,448 and 1,738 persons respectively.

Of the 11,906 persons who came to New Zealand last year, 1,379, or 11.58 per cent. of the total, were children—i.e., under twelve years of age; and of the 11,660 departures the children numbered 1,154, or 9.90 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, 1918, 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 Immi- gration over Emigration.	Excess of Emi- gration over Immigration.
	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.	Adults.		Children.		Total Persons.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.		M.	F.	M.	F.			
United Kingdom ..	347	680	71	78	1,176	218	181	23	23	445	731	..
Australia ..	3,925	3,444	450	463	8,282	4,313	4,261	491	412	9,477	..	1,195
Fiji ..	281	189	53	51	574	193	186	35	30	434	140	..
Cook Islands ..	284	29	4	17	334	54	29	7	7	97	237	..
Niue ..	7	5	..	1	13	6	4	1	2	13	..	..
Norfolk ..	5	10	..	2	17	9	16	5	3	33	..	16
Canada ..	354	315	45	52	766	244	170	29	29	472	294	..
British South Africa..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Foreign Pacific Islands	354	123	36	34	547	355	127	18	18	518	29	..
United States of America	128	47	12	10	197	95	55	11	10	171	26	..
Totals ..	5,685	4,842	671	708	11,906	5,477	5,029	620	534	11,660	246	..

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 ..	4,024	620	2,410	2,234	4,644	3,657	470	2,051	2,076	4,127
Wellington..	6,314	731	3,868	3,177	7,045	6,438	617	3,859	3,196	7,055
Lyttelton ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dunedin ..	61	9	10	60	70	6	..	1	5	6
Invercargill ..	128	19	68	79	147	405	67	186	286	472
Totals ..	10,527	1,379	6,356	5,550	11,906	10,506	1,154	6,097	5,563	11,660

* 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 1918.

	Adults—i.e., over 12 Years.		Children.	Total.
	Males.	Females.		
Arrivals ..	5,685	4,842	1,379	11,906
Departures ..	5,477	5,029	1,154	11,660
Excess of arrivals over departures ..	208	- 187*	225	246

* Excess of departures over arrivals.