

Vital Statistics.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Thirteen Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of December, 1921 :—

	Population, Census 1921.	Total Births registered, December, 1921.	Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population.	DEATHS REGISTERED IN DECEMBER, 1921.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, December, 1921.
				Males.			Females.				
				Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.		
Auckland City .. .. .	81,712	134	1.64	4	..	36	4	2	34	80	0.98
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	76,045	135	1.78	4	2	31	1	1	21	60	0.79
<b>Total for Auckland Urban Area</b>	<b>157,757</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>1.71</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>0.89</b>
Wellington City .. .. .	88,920	163	1.83	3	2	36	6	2	23	72	0.81
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	18,568	26	1.40	..	..	5	2	1	7	15	0.81
<b>Total for Wellington Urban Area</b>	<b>107,488</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>1.76</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>0.81</b>
Christchurch City .. .. .	67,291	137	2.04	4	..	22	4	1	15	46	0.68
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	38,379	56	1.46	3	1	7	..	..	6	17	0.44
<b>Total for Christchurch Urban Area</b>	<b>105,670</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>1.83</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>0.60</b>
Dunedin City .. .. .	58,074	116	2.00	..	1	28	4	1	21	55	0.95
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	14,181	26	1.83	..	1	5	..	..	6	12	0.85
<b>Total for Dunedin Urban Area</b>	<b>72,255</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>1.97</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>0.93</b>
Gisborne Borough .. .. .	10,931	31	2.84	2	..	5	2	..	3	12	1.10
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	3,519	2	0.57	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	0.57
<b>Total for Gisborne Urban Area</b>	<b>14,450</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>2.28</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0.97</b>
Napier Borough .. .. .	14,846	27	1.88	2	..	4	1	..	4	11	0.77
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	2,841	2	0.70	..	..	3	..	..	2	5	1.76
<b>Total for Napier Urban Area</b>	<b>17,187</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>1.69</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>0.93</b>
New Plymouth Borough .. .. .	11,395	23	2.02	..	..	2	..	..	4	6	0.53
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	1,250	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.80
<b>Total for New Plymouth Urban Area</b>	<b>12,645</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>1.82</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0.55</b>
Wanganui Borough .. .. .	16,490	26	1.58	1	..	5	..	..	4	10	0.61
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	7,033	18	2.56	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	0.57
<b>Total for Wanganui Urban Area</b>	<b>23,523</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>1.87</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>0.60</b>
Palmerston North Borough .. .. .	15,649	29	1.85	3	..	4	..	..	2	9	0.58
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	1,236	1	0.81	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	2.43
<b>Total for Palmerston North Urban Area</b>	<b>16,885</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1.78</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0.71</b>
Nelson City .. .. .	9,285	19	2.05	..	..	5	1	..	2	8	0.86
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	1,347	2	1.48	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	2.23
<b>Total for Nelson Urban Area</b>	<b>10,632</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>1.98</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1.03</b>
Greymouth Borough .. .. .	4,986	9	1.80	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	0.80
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	3,380	4	1.18	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.30
<b>Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Urban Area</b>	<b>8,366</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>1.55</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>0.60</b>
Timaru Borough .. .. .	14,058	24	1.71	1	..	7	..	..	2	10	0.71
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	1,449	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Total for Timaru Urban Area</b>	<b>15,507</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>1.55</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>0.64</b>
Invercargill Borough .. .. .	15,203	37	2.43	1	..	7	1	..	6	15	0.99
Remainder of Urban Area .. .. .	4,007	3	0.75	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<b>Total for Invercargill Urban Area</b>	<b>19,210</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2.08</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>0.78</b>
<b>Grand totals .. .. .</b>	<b>581,575</b>	<b>1,050</b>	<b>1.80</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>167</b>	<b>461</b>	<b>0.79</b>