

Vital Statistics of Urban Areas.

REPORT on the Vital Statistics of the Fifteen Urban Areas of the Dominion for the Month of October, 1922:—

| | Estimated Population 31st March, 1922 | Total Births registered October, 1922. | Proportion of Births to the 1,000 of Population. | DEATHS REGISTERED IN OCTOBER, 1922. | | | | | | Total Deaths. | Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, October, 1922. |
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| | | | | 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 | 84,874 | 122 | 1.44 | 7 | 1 | 48 | .. | .. | 39 | 95 | 1.12 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 79,576 | 149 | 1.87 | 1 | 4 | 18 | 2 | .. | 28 | 53 | 0.68 |
| Total for Auckland Urban Area | 164,450 | 271 | 1.65 | 8 | 5 | 66 | 2 | .. | 67 | 148 | 0.90 |
| Wellington City | 91,581 | 146 | 1.59 | 5 | .. | 30 | 2 | 4 | 31 | 72 | 0.79 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 19,099 | 39 | 2.03 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | .. | 2 | 8 | 0.42 |
| Total for Wellington Urban Area | 110,680 | 185 | 1.67 | 7 | 1 | 32 | 3 | 4 | 33 | 80 | 0.72 |
| Christchurch City | 74,621 | 138 | 1.85 | 3 | .. | 23 | 1 | 1 | 22 | 50 | 0.67 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 35,579 | 68 | 1.91 | 1 | .. | 8 | .. | .. | 9 | 18 | 0.51 |
| Total for Christchurch Urban Area | 110,200 | 206 | 1.87 | 4 | .. | 31 | 1 | 1 | 31 | 68 | 0.61 |
| Dunedin City | 59,661 | 82 | 1.36 | 2 | .. | 26 | 2 | .. | 32 | 62 | 1.05 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 14,409 | 20 | 1.39 | .. | .. | 6 | 1 | .. | 4 | 11 | 0.76 |
| Total for Dunedin Urban Area | 73,740 | 102 | 1.39 | 2 | .. | 32 | 3 | .. | 36 | 73 | 0.99 |
| Hamilton Borough | 12,547 | 26 | 2.07 | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | .. | 3 | 12 | 0.96 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 2,403 | 2 | 0.83 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 1 | 0.42 |
| Total for Hamilton Urban Area | 14,950 | 28 | 1.87 | .. | .. | 6 | 3 | .. | 4 | 13 | 0.87 |
| Gisborne Borough | 11,328 | 25 | 2.21 | 1 | .. | 3 | 2 | .. | 1 | 7 | 0.62 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 3,592 | 3 | 0.84 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 0.56 |
| Total for Gisborne Urban Area | 14,920 | 28 | 1.88 | 1 | .. | 5 | 2 | .. | 1 | 9 | 0.60 |
| Napier Borough | 14,762 | 27 | 1.83 | 1 | .. | 7 | .. | .. | 3 | 11 | 0.75 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 2,908 | 2 | 0.69 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | 1 | 3 | 1.03 |
| Total for Napier Urban Area | 17,670 | 29 | 1.64 | 1 | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 4 | 14 | 0.79 |
| Hastings Borough | 9,556 | 21 | 2.20 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 0.31 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 3,974 | 1 | 0.25 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total for Hastings Urban Area | 13,530 | 22 | 1.63 | .. | 1 | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 3 | 0.22 |
| New Plymouth Borough .. | 12,225 | 18 | 1.47 | .. | 1 | 2 | 3 | .. | 5 | 11 | 0.90 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 1,285 | 2 | 1.56 | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1.56 |
| Total for New Plymouth Urban Area | 13,510 | 20 | 1.48 | .. | 2 | 2 | 3 | .. | 6 | 13 | 0.96 |
| Wanganui Borough | 16,970 | 29 | 1.68 | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | 3 | 9 | 0.52 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 7,200 | 17 | 2.36 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 2 | 0.28 |
| Total for Wanganui Urban Area | 24,170 | 46 | 1.90 | .. | 1 | 5 | .. | .. | 5 | 11 | 0.46 |
| Palmerston North Borough .. | 16,254 | 30 | 1.85 | 2 | .. | 4 | .. | 2 | 6 | 14 | 0.86 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 1,256 | 1 | 0.80 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | 1 | 2 | 1.59 |
| Total for Palmerston North Urban Area | 17,510 | 31 | 1.77 | 2 | .. | 5 | .. | 2 | 7 | 16 | 0.91 |
| Nelson City | 9,511 | 23 | 2.42 | 3 | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | 13 | 1.37 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 1,369 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total for Nelson Urban Area | 10,880 | 23 | 2.11 | 3 | .. | 9 | 1 | .. | .. | 13 | 1.19 |
| Greymouth Borough | 5,010 | 11 | 2.20 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | .. | .. | 4 | 0.82 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 3,390 | 3 | 0.88 | .. | .. | 2 | .. | .. | .. | 2 | 0.59 |
| Total for Grey Valley Boroughs Urban Area | 8,400 | 14 | 1.67 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 1 | .. | .. | 6 | 0.71 |
| Timaru Borough | 14,571 | 21 | 1.44 | .. | .. | 9 | .. | .. | 6 | 15 | 1.03 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 1,469 | 3 | 2.04 | .. | .. | 1 | .. | .. | .. | 1 | 0.68 |
| Total for Timaru Urban Area | 16,040 | 24 | 1.50 | .. | .. | 10 | .. | .. | 6 | 16 | 1.00 |
| Invercargill Borough | 15,535 | 40 | 2.57 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | 10 | 0.64 |
| Remainder of Urban Area .. | 4,055 | 5 | 1.23 | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. | .. |
| Total for Invercargill Urban Area | 19,590 | 45 | 2.30 | 2 | .. | 3 | .. | .. | 5 | 10 | 0.51 |
| Grand totals | 629,970 | 1,074 | 1.70 | 31 | 11 | 220 | 19 | 7 | 205 | 493 | 0.87 |