

Infantile Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during January, 1925.

(These figures are included in the preceding table.)

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
7. Measles .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
9. Whooping Cough .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
11. Influenza	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
32. Tuberculous Meningitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
38. Congenital Syphilis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
80. Infantile convulsions .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
99. Bronchitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
100. Broncho-pneumonia	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
101. Pneumonia	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Diarrhoea and Enteritis	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4
118. Intussusception of Bowels	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
124. Hypertrophy of Liver .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
131. Pyelonephritis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Congenital Obliteration of Bile Duct	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Patent Foramen Ovale .. .. .	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Pyloric Stenosis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Thyroid Insufficiency .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
160. " Debility, &c. .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	4
161. Injury at Birth .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
161A. Premature Birth	4	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	10
162. Other Diseases peculiar to Early Infancy	1	1	2
Totals	16	8	6	2	2	..	1	3	1	1	2	2	44

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Public Trust Office Act, 1908, and its Amendments.—Elections to administer Estates.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Public Trustee has filed in the Supreme Court an election to administer in respect of the several estates of the persons deceased whose names, residences, and occupations (so far as known) are hereunder set forth.

No.	Name.	Residence.	Occupation.	Date of Death.	Date Election filed.	Testate or Intestate.	Stamp Office concerned.
1	Gillaly, Thomas ..	Runanga ..	Miner ..	20/9/24	10/2/25	Intestate	Hokitika.
2	Halford, Frances ..	Auckland ..	Widow ..	18/1/25	10/2/25	"	Auckland.
3	Hayes, Mary Jane ..	Taihape ..	" ..	20/12/24	14/2/25	Testate	Wellington.
4	Hunter, William ..	Tokaanu ..	Pensioner ..	8/9/24	14/2/25	Intestate	Auckland.
5	Line, William ..	Christchurch ..	Gardener ..	17/6/23	10/2/25	"	Christchurch
6	McDaid, William ..	Helensville ..	Gum-digger ..	*	10/2/25	"	Auckland.
7	Paul, William ..	Kauaeranga ..	Farmer ..	18/1/25	14/2/25	"	"
8	Roberts, Elsie Lilian ..	Auckland ..	Spinster ..	28/11/24	10/2/25	Testate	"
9	Saunders, Emma ..	Masterton ..	Widow ..	11/1/25	14/2/25	"	Wellington.
10	Spalton, Wilfred Hugh ..	Wellington ..	Butcher ..	22/12/24	10/2/25	Intestate	"
11	Toohy, James Peter ..	Lale Coleridge ..	Miner ..	31/12/24	10/2/25	"	Hokitika.
12	Whiteman, Robert John ..	Wallaceville ..	Farmer ..	8/3/13	14/2/25	"	Wellington.

* Between 15/12/24 and 25/12/24.

Public Trust Office, Wellington, N.Z., 16th February, 1925.

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Population of the Dominion.*

RETURN of the Estimated Population of the Dominion of New Zealand and Mandated Territory.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Estimated population (including Maoris) of New Zealand proper, 31st December, 1924 ..	700,025	670,399	1,370,424
Estimated population of Cook Islands, Niue, &c., 30th September, 1924 ..	6,942	6,711	13,653
Estimated population of the Mandated Territory of Western Samoa, 30th September, 1924 ..	19,580	17,945	37,525
Estimated total population of the Dominion of New Zealand and Mandated Territory	726,547	695,055	1,421,602
New Zealand proper, 31st December, 1924:—			
(a.) Estimated population (excluding Maoris)	671,438	644,721	1,316,159
(b.) Estimated Maori population	28,587	25,678	54,265
North Island,—			
(a.) Estimated population (including Maoris)	448,352	415,183	863,535
(b.) " (excluding Maoris)	420,893	390,532	811,425
South Island,—			
(a.) Estimated population (including Maoris)	251,673	255,216	506,889
(b.) " (excluding Maoris)	250,545	254,189	504,734

* Subject to revision.

NOTE.—The estimated total increase of population for the year 1924 was 27,403 (males, 14,074; females, 13,329), equivalent to 2.04 per cent.

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