

CAUSES OF DEATH (THE WHOLE DOMINION).

The deaths registered during 1907, arranged in the several classes according to their assigned causes, give the rates shown here.

Causes of Death.	Number of Deaths.			Proportion to Total Deaths.			Proportion per 10,000 living, 1907.	Proportion per 10,000 living, 1906.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Class I.—Specific febrile or zymotic diseases,—				Per Cent.	Per Cent.	Per Cent.		
Order 1. Miasmatic diseases ...	384	384	768	6·67	8·91	7·63	8·35	3·05
" 2. Diarrhœal diseases ...	184	130	314	3·20	3·01	3·12	3·42	1·08
" 3. Malarial diseases ...	1	...	1	0·02	...	0·01	0·01	0·01
" 4. Zoogenous diseases ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
" 5. Venereal diseases ...	7	7	14	0·12	0·16	0·14	0·15	0·19
" 6. Septic diseases ...	29	59	88	0·50	1·37	0·87	0·96	0·65
Total Class I ...	605	580	1,185	10·51	13·45	11·77	12·89	4·98
Class II.—Parasitic diseases ...	6	10	16	0·10	0·23	0·16	0·17	0·17
Class III.—Dietetic diseases ...	35	17	52	0·61	0·39	0·52	0·57	0·72
Class IV.—Constitutional diseases ...	912	818	1,730	15·85	18·98	17·19	18·82	17·17
Class V.—Developmental diseases ...	604	488	1,092	10·50	11·32	10·85	11·88	10·90
Class VI.—Local diseases,—								
Order 1. Diseases of nervous system	501	409	910	8·70	9·49	9·04	9·90	9·64
" 2. Diseases of organs of special senses	4	3	7	0·07	0·07	0·07	0·08	0·07
" 3. Diseases of circulatory system	758	475	1,233	13·17	11·02	12·52	13·41	12·62
" 4. Diseases of respiratory system	653	493	1,146	11·35	11·44	11·39	12·47	10·90
" 5. Diseases of digestive system	529	474	1,003	9·19	10·99	9·96	10·91	8·73
" 6. Diseases of lymphatic system	16	23	39	0·28	0·53	0·39	0·42	0·35
" 7. Diseases of urinary system	286	128	414	4·97	2·97	4·11	4·50	4·27
" 8. Diseases of reproductive system,—								
(a.) Of organs of generation	2	27	29	0·03	0·63	0·29	0·32	0·36
(b.) Of parturition ...	...	87	87	...	2·02	0·86	0·95	0·84
" 9. Diseases of locomotive system	9	11	20	0·16	0·25	0·20	0·22	0·32
" 10. Diseases of integumentary system	13	12	25	0·23	0·28	0·25	0·27	0·14
Total Class VI ...	2,771	2,142	4,913	48·15	49·69	48·81	53·45	48·24
Class VII.—Violence,—								
Order 1. Accident or negligence ...	506	99	605	8·79	2·30	6·01	6·58	6·30
" 2. Homicide ...	4	2	6	0·07	0·05	0·06	0·07	0·12
" 3. Suicide... ...	92	10	102	1·60	0·23	1·01	1·11	0·93
" 4. Execution ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total Class VII ...	602	111	713	10·46	2·58	7·08	7·76	7·35
Class VIII.—Ill-defined and not-specified causes	220	145	365	3·82	3·36	3·62	3·97	3·58
Grand totals ...	5,755	4,311	10,066	100·00	100·00	100·00	109·51	93·11