

VITAL AND MIGRATION STATISTICS FOR THE YEAR 1923.

	Aboriginal Natives.		Persons other than Aboriginal Natives.		Total.
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	
Arrivals	13	4	8	5	30
Departures	12	3	9	8	32
Births	56	47	1	2	106
Deaths	43	60	..	..	103

Population.—At 31st December, 1922, 3,779 ; at 31st December, 1923, 3,780.

Births and Deaths for the Year 1923.

Village.	Births.			Deaths.		
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Alofi	13	6	19	3	8	11
Makefu	4	3	7	3	1	4
Tuapa	4	4	8	5	11	16
Hikutavake	0	1	1	3	6	9
Mutalau	7	7	14	9	16	25
Lakepa	3	3	6	1	3	4
Liku	5	7	12	3	3	6
Hakupu	7	8	15	6	6	12
Fatiau	1	..	1	1	1	2
Avatele	7	4	11	3	4	7
Tamakautoga	5	4	9	6	1	7
Europeans	1	2	3	..	..	..
Totals	57	49	106	43	60	103

Births include 9 illegitimate.

Return showing Ages at Death, under Villages, for Year 1923.

Village.	Under 1 Year.	1-4 Years.	5-9 Years.	10-14 Years.	15-19 Years.	20-24 Years.	25-29 Years.	30-34 Years.	35-39 Years.	40-44 Years.	45-49 Years.	50-54 Years.	55-59 Years.	60 and over.	Total.
Alofi	..	2	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	4	11
Makefu	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Tuapa	2	1	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	2	5	16
Hikutavake	1	..	..	..	2	2	1	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	9
Mutalau	3	1	..	..	1	2	..	1	1	1	2	1	2	10	25
Lakepa	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	4
Liku	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	6
Hakupu	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	5	12
Fatiau	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
Avatele	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	7
Tamakautoga	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	4	7
Totals	9	7	1	2	6	7	6	5	2	3	6	5	8	36	103

Return of Marriages for the Year 1923.

Marriages performed by—

London Missionary Society	..	..	..	..	..	27
Resident Commissioner	..	..	..	..	..	14
Registrar	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	..	..	..	..	..	42