

The number of applications awaiting sittings of the Court are distributed as follows:—

Rarotonga	81
Aitutaki	246
Mauke	36
Atiu	35
Mitiaro	9
Mangaia	Nil.
Penrhyn	2
Manihiki	4
Rakahanga	1
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H. H. G. RALFE,

The Resident Commissioner, Rarotonga.

Registrar, Land Titles Court.

COOK ISLANDS ADMINISTRATION.

Vital Statistics for 1913.

Island and Village.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.
Rarotonga—			
Avarua	76	41	32
Arorangi	22	17	6
Titikaveka	11	5	7
Ngatangia	27	12	4
Matavera	7	4	5
Totals	143	69	54
Aitutaki—			
Arutanga	27	12	9
Reureu			
Nikaupara	10	8	6
Vaipae	3	5	4
Tautu	17	7	2
Amuri			
Totals	57	32	21
Mangaia—			
Ivarua	12	14	5
Tamarua	10	7	2
Oneroa	45	32	13
Totals	67	53	20
Mauke	21	15	10
Manihiki	12	11	2
Rakahanga	7	9	Nil.
Atiu	36	40	12
Penrhyn and Palmerston (returns not to hand).			
Grand totals	343	229	119

11th May, 1914.

H. H. G. RALFE,

Registrar, High Court.

REPORTS OF ENGINEER.

SIR,—

6th March, 1914.

I have the honour to submit a report of a trip round some of the islands of the Cook Group to ascertain, among other things, the damage done by the hurricane of the 10th January last.

We left Rarotonga on Thursday afternoon, the 12th February, and arrived at Aitutaki on Monday morning, the 16th.