

The birthplaces of all aliens on the Dominion register (April, 1920) are as follows:—

Table showing Birthplaces of Aliens on Dominion Register, April, 1920.

Birthplace.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Birthplace.	Males.	Females.	Total.
France	89	46	135*	Turkey	7	..	7
Spain	17	4	21	Palestine	4	..	4
Portugal	14	1	15	Syria	81	39	120
Italy	177	23	200†	Mesopotamia	1	..	1
Switzerland	178	64	242	Armenia	1	..	1
Luxemburg	2	..	2	China	2,349	26	2,375
Belgium	48	19	67	French China	..	1	1
Holland	66	2	68	Japan	9	..	9
Germany	569	165	734	Philippine Islands	1	..	1
Heligoland	5	..	5	Egypt	4	1	5
Schleswig-Holstein	18	4	22	Algeria	1	..	1
Danzig	13	2	15	Tunis	1	..	1
Memel	7	..	7	Tripoli	12	13	25
Denmark	452	92	544	United States	430	115	545
Iceland	1	..	1	Mexico	3	..	3
Norway	359	26	385	Panama	1	..	1
Sweden	413	21	434	Cuba	1	..	1
Finland	165	8	173	West Indies	3	..	3
Russia	107	26	133	Colombia	1	..	1
Siberia	2	1	3	Peru	1	..	1
Lettland	82	15	97	Chile	2	..	2
Lithuania	14	2	16	Brazil	3	..	3
Estonia	1	..	1	Uruguay	..	2	2
White Russia	4	5	9	Argentina	6	..	6
Tartar Bashkir Republic	1	1	2	South America (undefined)	1	..	1
Ukraine	16	7	23	Hawaii	2	1	3
Poland	112	34	146	Tonga	35	10	45
Czechoslovakia	20	7	27	Samoa	22	8	30
Austria	59	5	64	Tahiti	11	7	18
Hungary	13	1	14	New Caledonia	1	3	4
Fiume	6	..	6	At sea	9	4	13
Jugoslavia	962	20	982	British born, but aliens by naturalization, marriage, &c.	50	607	657
Roumania	14	2	16				
Bulgaria	4	..	4				
Greece	73	5	78				
				Totals	7,136	1,445	8,581

* Including eight natives of Alsace-Lorraine.

† Including five natives of Trieste.

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II. REPORT OF THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

Registrar-General's Office, Wellington, 16th June, 1920.

I give hereunder a statement of the business transacted by this Department during the last five years:—

Year.	Births.*	Deaths.*	Marriage Notices received and Certificates issued.	Marriages solemnized.	Marriages by Registrars (included in previous column).
1915	27,850	9,965	10,620	10,064	1,861
1916	28,509	10,596	8,450	8,231	1,729
1917	28,239	10,528	6,687	6,464	1,589
1918	25,860	16,364	6,464	6,227	1,437
1919	24,483	10,808	9,988	9,519	1,801

* Correcting entries not included.

I also give a statement showing the number of marriages of Natives solemnized during the same period under the Native Land Act, and the number of Maori registrations effected under the regulations relating to the registration of births and deaths of Maoris:—

Year.	Maori Births.	Maori Deaths.	Maori Marriages.
1915	968	786	178
1916	1,020	761	197
1917	1,235	729	205
1918	1,171	1,937	193
1919	955	1,194	181
			(approximate)

On account of the heavy mortality during the epidemic period (1918) great difficulty was experienced in obtaining full particulars of deceased persons for registration purposes. Consequently many deaths during that period were not registered until early in the following year.

In addition to the business referred to above, the registration of medical practitioners, dentists, and officiating ministers is undertaken by this Department.