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REGISTRATIONS OF BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES, MAY, 1931.

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues today the number of registrations of births, deaths and marriages during the month of May, 1931, in cities with a population of 10,000 and over at the last census. Stillbirths are registered both as births and deaths.

Births registered in these cities in May numbered 7,461, deaths 3,746 and marriages 2,149, as compared with 7,957 births, 4,034 deaths and 2,363 marriages in May last year, giving a reduction of 6 percent in births, 7 percent in deaths and 9 percent in marriages.

The five months January - May show 35,964 births, 20,003 deaths and 10,082 marriages registered, as against 36,998 births, 20,958 deaths and 11,145 marriages in the same period last year, a decrease of 3 percent in births, $4\frac{1}{2}$ per cent in deaths and $9\frac{1}{2}$ percent in marriages.

	Births	Deaths	Marriages		Births	Deaths	Marriages
Prince Edward Island Charlottetown	38	11	9	Ontario - continued North Bay Oshawa Ottawa	51 55 264	10 16 134	6 11 82
Nova Scotia Glace Bay Halifax Sydney	65 188 56	17 89 21	9 54 12	Owen Sound Peterborough Port Arthur St. Catherines St. Thomas	28 68 44 53 24	14 20 14 24 19 14	11 14 6 16 14
New Brunswick Moncton Saint John Quebec	37 136	19 55	15 25	Sarnia Sault Ste. Marie Stratford Toronto Windsor	37 83 41 1,112 135	14 25 21 45	8 24 9 424 53
Hull Levis (1) Montreal Island, cities of	85 25 1,645	31 14	19 4	Manitoba	-,,	,	,,
Quebec St. Hyacinthe Shawinigan Falls Sherbrooke	459 20 39 84	1,013 222 23 12 34 49	81 6 4 11	Brandon St. Boniface Winnipeg	26 82 366	23 25 156	8 17 150
Three Rivers Ontario Belleville Brantford	127 37 53	49 18 27	17 5 16	Saskatchewan (2) Moose Jaw (2) Regina (2) Saskatoon	23 122 68	11 34 18	15 37 23
Chatham Fort William Galt Guelph	53 34 55 20 30	26 21 13 28	8 15 10 11	Alberta Calgary Edmonton Lethbridge	163 211 74	64 90 18	61 84 11
Hamilton Kingston Kitchener London Niagara Falls	317 38 77 128 30	137 32 33 66 10	99 13 16 35 17	British Columbia New Westminster Vancouver Victoria	75 376 57	34 180 57	4 116 24

REGISTRATIONS, MAY, 1931.

(1) Including Montreal city, Verdun, Westmount, Lachine and Outremont.

(2) Births and deaths of residents only.

