

30.—Proportion per 1,000 Deaths of Infants Under 1 Year of Age Occurring at each Age Period, 1931-32.

Age at Death.	P.E.I.	N.S.	N.B.	Que.	Ont.	Man.	Sask.	Alta.	B.C.	Canada.
1931.										
Under 1 month.....	414.1	512.0	480.9	437.4	534.9	553.0	527.0	540.5	540.9	486.1
Under 1 day.....	93.8	183.8	165.3	152.7	215.6	208.9	211.9	208.0	241.2	181.5
1 day and under 1 week.....	179.7	179.4	183.3	139.5	180.8	189.4	157.9	149.5	198.4	159.0
1 week and under 2 weeks.....	46.9	66.7	55.1	62.0	58.6	61.7	67.0	76.0	44.7	61.7
2 weeks and under 3 weeks.....	54.7	32.8	39.2	45.6	40.1	40.0	53.3	67.7	29.2	44.7
3 weeks and under 1 month.....	39.1	49.2	38.1	37.6	39.7	53.0	36.9	39.3	27.2	39.1
1 month and under 2 months.....	101.6	82.1	83.7	103.3	77.2	84.4	101.2	96.1	68.1	92.9
2 months and under 3 months.....	117.2	76.6	92.2	98.7	66.0	67.1	77.9	75.2	72.0	84.8
3 months and under 4 months.....	85.9	76.6	64.6	66.9	54.0	68.2	58.8	66.0	60.3	63.6
4 months and under 5 months.....	46.9	50.3	49.8	56.7	47.2	49.8	49.2	51.0	44.7	52.3
5 months and under 6 months.....	62.5	31.7	57.2	51.4	47.2	41.1	36.2	30.1	38.9	46.7
6 months and under 7 months.....	54.7	38.3	32.8	44.4	39.7	27.1	28.0	35.9	37.0	39.9
7 months and under 8 months.....	23.4	36.1	35.0	32.9	36.8	30.3	38.3	35.1	33.1	34.4
8 months and under 9 months.....	46.9	29.5	36.0	32.3	28.1	19.5	21.2	21.7	31.1	29.4
9 months and under 10 months.....	7.8	25.2	26.5	28.9	25.9	28.1	26.7	19.2	25.3	26.9
10 months and under 11 months.....	31.3	25.2	21.2	23.1	21.5	16.2	18.5	16.7	31.1	23.3
11 months and under 1 year.....	7.8	16.4	20.1	21.2	21.5	15.2	17.1	12.5	17.5	19.7
Totals.....	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0
1932.										
Under 1 month.....	462.1	518.3	506.5	460.6	575.9	534.7	570.0	548.6	540.9	512.4
Under 1 day.....	189.4	176.7	209.3	140.4	229.4	220.1	262.7	222.7	211.7	186.9
1 day and under 1 week.....	98.5	188.5	192.5	155.0	214.1	177.0	174.9	182.5	222.2	178.1
1 week and under 2 weeks.....	121.2	78.9	37.5	67.9	57.6	57.4	62.1	58.2	56.6	63.2
2 weeks and under 3 weeks.....	22.7	38.9	36.2	50.7	40.4	44.3	36.3	45.1	23.1	44.3
3 weeks and under 1 month.....	30.3	35.3	31.0	46.6	34.4	35.9	34.1	40.1	27.3	39.9
1 month and under 2 months.....	128.8	97.8	82.7	102.8	79.4	94.5	86.3	72.2	83.9	92.3
2 months and under 3 months.....	83.3	84.8	93.0	101.2	66.5	77.8	63.6	88.3	67.1	85.9
3 months and under 4 months.....	53.0	57.7	67.2	62.2	50.6	58.6	54.5	53.2	48.2	57.7
4 months and under 5 months.....	53.0	57.7	50.4	50.0	39.4	46.7	53.7	57.2	46.1	48.3
5 months and under 6 months.....	60.6	34.2	45.2	47.8	40.2	44.3	36.3	45.1	27.3	43.5
6 months and under 7 months.....	53.0	33.0	24.5	39.5	37.0	37.1	32.6	25.1	41.9	36.6
7 months and under 8 months.....	37.9	34.2	28.4	34.2	24.7	28.7	25.0	19.1	39.8	30.0
8 months and under 9 months.....	15.2	38.9	20.7	31.0	28.6	22.7	22.7	26.1	23.1	28.7
9 months and under 10 months.....	15.2	17.7	33.6	28.7	22.0	21.5	22.7	21.1	27.3	25.4
10 months and under 11 months.....	15.2	8.2	24.5	22.7	16.7	20.3	18.2	22.1	27.3	20.2
11 months and under 1 year.....	22.7	17.7	23.3	19.2	19.1	13.2	14.4	22.1	27.3	19.1
Totals.....	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0	1000.0

Infantile Mortality in Canadian Cities and Towns.—Table 31 shows for the cities and towns of 10,000 population and over, the numbers of infant deaths and the death rates per 1,000 live births for the years 1930-33. In the latest year Woodstock, Ont., had the lowest infant death rate, namely, 28.5.

But a very low rate for any particular year means little since wide fluctuations from year to year are the rule. As a matter of fact, Vancouver, B.C., has a finer record over the four years shown than any other place listed, and Victoria, B.C., comes a close second. Three Rivers, Sorel, Chicoutimi, Quebec City, Hull, Timmins, Joliette, Shawinigan Falls, Lévis and Thetford Mines have all rates of over 100 for 1933 and most of them have high rates over the four-year period. Among the large cities, Montreal has recorded a very steady improvement. Apart from Vancouver, already mentioned, Winnipeg and Toronto have very low rates.