

10.—Order of Birth of Live-Born Children, by Age of Mother, 1958

(Exclusive of Newfoundland)

| Order of Birth of Child | Age of Mother |               |                |                |               |               |               |              |                |                | Percentage of Total |
|-------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|----------------|---------------------|
|                         | Under 15      | 15-19         | 20-24          | 25-29          | 30-34         | 35-39         | 40-44         | 45 or Over   | Age Not Stated | All Ages       |                     |
|                         | No.           | No.           | No.            | No.            | No.           | No.           | No.           | No.          | No.            | No.            |                     |
| 1st child.....          | 201           | 26,714        | 55,096         | 26,782         | 9,508         | 3,422         | 726           | 49           | 567            | 123,065        | 27.0                |
| 2nd ".....              | 3             | 7,507         | 41,199         | 35,586         | 15,846        | 5,724         | 1,056         | 67           | 55             | 107,043        | 23.5                |
| 3rd ".....              | —             | 1,291         | 20,066         | 29,884         | 19,558        | 8,015         | 1,545         | 80           | 32             | 80,471         | 17.7                |
| 4th ".....              | —             | 172           | 8,093          | 18,728         | 15,895        | 8,104         | 1,844         | 114          | 16             | 52,966         | 11.6                |
| 5th ".....              | —             | 17            | 2,739          | 10,345         | 10,819        | 6,773         | 1,700         | 95           | 19             | 32,507         | 7.1                 |
| 6th ".....              | —             | 4             | 887            | 5,412          | 7,075         | 4,923         | 1,451         | 95           | 11             | 19,858         | 4.4                 |
| 7th ".....              | —             | 1             | 248            | 2,750          | 4,754         | 3,821         | 1,233         | 90           | 7              | 12,904         | 2.8                 |
| 8th ".....              | —             | —             | 66             | 1,326          | 3,184         | 2,959         | 1,128         | 93           | 3              | 8,759          | 1.9                 |
| 9th ".....              | —             | —             | 15             | 564            | 2,032         | 2,254         | 881           | 64           | 3              | 5,813          | 1.3                 |
| 10th ".....             | —             | —             | 4              | 200            | 1,274         | 1,686         | 760           | 79           | 2              | 4,005          | 0.9                 |
| 11th ".....             | —             | —             | 1              | 62             | 719           | 1,301         | 667           | 79           | 1              | 2,830          | 0.6                 |
| 12th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | 22             | 378           | 855           | 583           | 56           | 3              | 1,897          | 0.4                 |
| 13th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | 4              | 172           | 614           | 405           | 48           | —              | 1,243          | 0.3                 |
| 14th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | 2              | 63            | 341           | 306           | 59           | —              | 771            | 0.2                 |
| 15th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | 1              | 40            | 200           | 242           | 33           | —              | 516            | 0.1                 |
| 16th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | —              | 14            | 99            | 135           | 33           | —              | 281            | 0.1                 |
| 17th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | —              | 6             | 39            | 88            | 25           | —              | 158            | —                   |
| 18th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | —              | 1             | 38            | 39            | 11           | —              | 89             | —                   |
| 19th ".....             | —             | —             | —              | —              | —             | 12            | 33            | 4            | —              | 49             | —                   |
| 20th or over.....       | —             | —             | —              | —              | 1             | 15            | 31            | 6            | —              | 53             | —                   |
| Not stated.....         | —             | 2             | 2              | —              | 1             | —             | 3             | —            | 17             | 25             | —                   |
| <b>Totals.....</b>      | <b>204</b>    | <b>35,708</b> | <b>128,416</b> | <b>131,668</b> | <b>91,340</b> | <b>51,195</b> | <b>14,856</b> | <b>1,180</b> | <b>736</b>     | <b>455,303</b> | <b>100.0</b>        |

11.—Percentage Distribution of Legitimate Live Births, by Order of Birth, 1931-58

(Exclusive of Newfoundland for all years and the Yukon and Northwest Territories for 1931-49)

| Year      | 1st Child | 2nd Child | 3rd Child | 4th and Later Children | Total |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------------------|-------|
| 1931..... | 23.0      | 19.3      | 14.0      | 43.8                   | 100.0 |
| 1932..... | 22.1      | 19.4      | 14.2      | 44.3                   | 100.0 |
| 1933..... | 21.7      | 19.3      | 14.6      | 44.4                   | 100.0 |
| 1934..... | 22.2      | 19.0      | 14.4      | 44.4                   | 100.0 |
| 1935..... | 24.0      | 18.9      | 14.0      | 43.1                   | 100.0 |
| 1936..... | 25.3      | 19.2      | 13.4      | 42.1                   | 100.0 |
| 1937..... | 26.6      | 19.8      | 13.4      | 40.2                   | 100.0 |
| 1938..... | 28.2      | 20.6      | 13.3      | 38.0                   | 100.0 |
| 1939..... | 28.6      | 21.3      | 13.7      | 36.4                   | 100.0 |
| 1940..... | 30.3      | 22.1      | 13.8      | 33.9                   | 100.0 |
| 1941..... | 32.7      | 21.8      | 13.5      | 32.0                   | 100.0 |
| 1942..... | 32.8      | 23.1      | 13.4      | 30.6                   | 100.0 |
| 1943..... | 32.2      | 23.7      | 14.2      | 29.9                   | 100.0 |
| 1944..... | 30.0      | 24.2      | 14.9      | 30.9                   | 100.0 |
| 1945..... | 28.9      | 24.3      | 15.4      | 31.4                   | 100.0 |
| 1946..... | 31.0      | 24.8      | 15.2      | 29.0                   | 100.0 |
| 1947..... | 33.0      | 24.9      | 15.0      | 27.2                   | 100.0 |
| 1948..... | 29.6      | 26.0      | 15.9      | 28.5                   | 100.0 |
| 1949..... | 27.8      | 26.6      | 16.8      | 28.8                   | 100.0 |
| 1950..... | 26.7      | 26.2      | 17.4      | 29.6                   | 100.0 |
| 1951..... | 26.7      | 25.8      | 17.6      | 29.9                   | 100.0 |
| 1952..... | 26.9      | 24.8      | 17.9      | 30.3                   | 100.0 |
| 1953..... | 26.5      | 25.0      | 18.0      | 30.6                   | 100.0 |
| 1954..... | 26.1      | 24.6      | 18.0      | 31.2                   | 100.0 |
| 1955..... | 25.5      | 24.4      | 18.2      | 31.9                   | 100.0 |
| 1956..... | 25.2      | 24.3      | 18.3      | 32.2                   | 100.0 |
| 1957..... | 25.6      | 23.9      | 18.3      | 32.2                   | 100.0 |
| 1958..... | 25.4      | 23.8      | 18.2      | 32.6                   | 100.0 |