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BASINGSTOKE
RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL

ANNUAL REPORT
of the
MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH
for the year
1940.

June 1941.

Ladies & Gentlemen,

I beg to present my report for the year 1940 which has been condensed as much as possible.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Population estimated - 14,960. *X* *Health*

	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	
Live births	Legitimate. 211	107	104	Birth Rate 14.1
	Illegitimate. 14	8	6	
Still births	14	5	9	Rate per 1,000
Deaths	182	87	95	total births - 62 Death rate (corrected) 11.3
Deaths from Puerperal Sepsis - 1				
Death rate of infants under one year per 1,000 live births - 75.0				

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES.

	<u>Notified</u>	<u>Admitted to Hospital.</u>
Scarlet Fever	22	11
Diphtheria	0	0
Pneumonia	8	0
Erysipelas	5	0
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	6	0
Puerperal Pyrexia	3	0
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	2	2
Measles	84	0
Whooping Cough	2	0
Tuberculosis - Respiratory	18	M. 11 F. 7
Tuberculosis - Other forms	7	M. 2 F. 5
Tuberculosis deaths - Respiratory	2	Female.
Tuberculosis deaths - Other forms	1	Male.

Diphtheria Immunisation. During the year the number of children who received treatment was 31.

21 aged one year: 6 aged 2 to 4 years: 4 aged 5 to 14 years:

Up to the present time the incidence of infectious disease has been less than anticipated and does not appear to have been much influenced by evacuation.

I am, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Yours faithfully,

M. A. A. A.

Medical Officer of Health.