

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during November, 1913—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHS.		TOTAL
	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senile Decay	10	..	4	..	3	..	6	23
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
160. Suicide by Cutting Throat	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
167. Accident—Burns	1	..	..	1
169. " Drowned	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. " Fall from Window	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
172. " Fall down Hold of Ship	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
174. " Crushed by Machinery	1	..	..	1
175. " Struck by Motor-car	1	..	..	1
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED CAUSES.									
189. Heart-failure	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Totals	18	58	16	38	8	35	15	35	223

RETURN of the Number of Births, with the Actual Mortality of Males and Females, and the Proportion of Deaths to Population, in the undermentioned Boroughs, during the Month of November, 1913.

BOROUGHS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, JANUARY, 1913.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHS.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHS REGISTERED IN NOVEMBER, 1913.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, November, 1913.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1912.
			Males.			Females.					
			Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	Under 1 Year.	1 & under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.			
Thames	3,704	13	..	..	2	..	..	1	3	0.81	8.68
New Plymouth	7,545	24	1	..	5	..	..	1	7	0.93	13.75
Napier	10,883	18	..	..	5	..	..	3	8	0.74	10.71
Gisborne	9,230	48	..	1	1	3	..	2	7	0.76	12.87
Wanganui	13,295	22	1	1	2	1	1	3	9	0.68	7.60
Palmerston North	11,615	29	1	2	3	..	1	3	10	0.86	8.58
Masterton	5,548	14	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	0.36	7.74
Petone	6,966	17	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	0.43	9.45
Blenheim	4,010	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11.44
Nelson	8,419	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10.98
Greymouth	5,560	18	2	..	1	..	..	1	4	0.72	9.71
Hokitika	2,368	7	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	1.69	14.88
Lyttelton	4,151	10	1	..	1	..	..	1	4	0.96	8.43
Timaru	11,942	34	1	1	5	..	3	4	14	1.17	9.21
Oamaru	5,371	10	..	..	1	..	..	3	4	0.74	12.07
Invercargill	13,486	39	1	..	4	1	..	4	10	0.74	10.77
Invercargill South	1,523	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.66	11.56

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 11th December, 1913.

MALCOLM FRASER,
Government Statistician.

Officiating Ministers for 1913.—Notice No. 43.

Registrar-General's Office,
Wellington, 12th December, 1913.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand passed in the eighth year of the reign of His late Majesty King Edward VII, and intitled the Marriage Act, 1908, the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information:—

Church of the Province of New Zealand, commonly called the Church of England.

The Reverend FRANCIS JOHN DAYNES.
The Reverend ARTHUR JOHN GREENWOOD.

Roman Catholic Church.
The Reverend MAURICE CRONIN.

F. W. MANSFIELD,
Registrar-General.

Supply and Delivery of Telegraph-arms.

General Post Office,
Wellington, 10th December, 1913.

THE Department is prepared to purchase supplies of rata telegraph-arms in lots of not less than 500 at one time.

Particulars of the arms required and the conditions under which they will be accepted, also of prices which will be paid, may be obtained from the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington; the District Storekeeper, Post and Telegraph Department, Christchurch; the Telegraph Engineers at Auckland and Dunedin; and the Chief Postmaster at Invercargill.

Persons in a position to offer arms should address their communications to the Controller of Stores, Post and Telegraph Department, Wellington.

W. R. MORRIS,
Secretary.