

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths in the Four Chief Cities and their Suburbs registered during the Year 1913.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	AUCKLAND AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		WELLINGTON AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		CHRISTCHURCH AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		DUNEDIN AND SUBURBAN BOROUGHES.		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.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES.									
1. Typhoid Fever	1	2	..	4	..	1	..	..	8
4. Malaria .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
6. Measles .. .. .	..	..	..	..	3	3	3	1	10
7. Scarlet Fever .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
8. Whooping-cough	21	1	12	..	10	..	8	1	53
9. Diphtheria	8	3	..	1	1	..	2	..	15
9A. Croup	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
10. Influenza .. .. .	..	2	1	3	..	3	..	3	12
14. Dysentery .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
18. Erysipelas .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
20. Purulent Infection and Septicæmia	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	2	9
24. Tetanus .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	4
28. Phthisis .. .. .	..	31	..	48	..	37	..	47	163
28. Tuberculosis	1	12	1	11	..	10	..	2	37
29. Miliary Tuberculosis	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	5
30. Tuberculous Meningitis	2	4	3	3	3	4	..	5	24
31. Abdominal Tuberculosis	1	2	..	1	..	2	..	1	7
32. Potts's Disease .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
33. Tubercular Hip-disease .. .. .	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	3
34. Tuberculosis of Other Organs .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	2	7
35. Disseminated Tuberculosis .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	5
36. Rickets	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
37. Syphilis	1	..	1	1	..	3	..	..	6
39. Cancer of Buccal Cavity, &c. .. .. .	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	2	7
40. " Stomach, Liver .. .. .	..	33	..	26	..	30	..	28	117
41. " Peritoneum, Intestines, Rectum .. .. .	..	13	..	11	..	10	..	14	48
42. " Female Genital Organs .. .. .	..	13	..	10	..	6	..	11	40
43. " Breast .. .. .	..	7	..	4	..	7	..	10	28
44. " Skin .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	6
45. " Other Organs, or of Organs not specified .. .. .	..	13	..	17	1	12	..	12	55
46. Other Tumours .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
47. Acute Articular Rheumatism .. .. .	..	2	..	4	..	6	1	..	13
48. Chronic Rheumatism and Gout .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	5
50. Diabetes .. .. .	..	11	..	8	..	11	..	15	45
51. Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	1	5
52. Addison's Disease .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
53. Leucæmia .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	3
54. Anæmia	1	4	..	1	..	7	..	3	16
55. Other General Diseases	1	2	1	1	1	1	..	1	8
56. Alcoholism (Acute or Chronic) .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	3	12
Total	40	189	19	166	20	170	15	174	793
II.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.									
60. Encephalitis .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
61. Meningitis	7	7	2	6	6	4	3	2	37
62. Locomotor Ataxia .. .. .	..	3	..	1	..	3	..	1	8
63. Other Diseases of the Spinal Cord	1	4	..	5	1	4	1	3	19
64. Apoplexy, Cerebral Hæmorrhage	2	40	1	22	..	26	..	43	134
65. Softening of the Brain .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	3
66. Paralysis, without Specified Cause .. .. .	..	8	..	2	..	3	..	9	22
67. General Paralysis of the Insane .. .. .	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	4	10
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	1	9
69. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	4	..	3	..	5	..	1	13
70. Convulsions (Non-puerperal) .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2
71. Convulsions of Infants	6	..	2	..	4	..	6	..	18
72. Chorea .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
74. Other Diseases of Nervous System .. .. .	..	7	..	3	..	4	..	1	15
76. Diseases of the Ear .. .. .	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	3
Total	16	80	5	47	12	58	10	69	297
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.									
77. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	4
78. Acute Endocarditis	1	3	..	3	..	6	..	6	19
79. Heart-disease	2	132	3	71	2	92	1	82	385
80. Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	10	19
81. Diseases of the Arteries, Atheroma, Aneurism, &c. .. .. .	..	16	..	14	..	7	1	17	55
82. Embolism, Thrombosis .. .. .	..	3	..	6	..	2	..	6	17
83. Diseases of the Veins .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	3
84. Diseases of Lymphatic System	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2
85. Hæmorrhage, Other Diseases of the Circulatory System .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	3
Total	4	161	4	98	2	113	2	123	507