

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Centres registered during August, 1915—continued.

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.	
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.									
134. Accidents of Pregnancy .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	3
136. Obstructed Labour .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.									
144. Cellulitis of the Leg .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
IX.—DISEASES OF THE BONES AND OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.									
146. Osteomyelitis	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
X. MALFORMATIONS.									
150. Congenital Heart-disease	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
150. Patent Foramen Ovale	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
150. Spina Bifida .. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.									
151. Marasmus, &c. .. ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
151A. Premature Birth	2	..	2	..	1	..	4	..	9
152. Inspiration of Vaginal Mucus .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
152. Atelectasis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
152. Congenital Peritonitis .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
XII.—OLD AGE.									
154. Senility .. ..	..	5	..	4	..	8	..	10	27
XIII.—VIOLENCE.									
157. Suicide by Strangulation .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
158. " Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
159. " Firearms .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
172. Accident—Fall .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	4
174. " Crushed in Machinery.. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
175. " Collision with Car, &c. .. ..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	3
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.									
187. Dropsy .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
188. Cardiac Syncope .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	2
189. Heart-failure .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Totals	17	60	17	51	8	54	13	53	273

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 August, 1915.

BOROUGHES.	ESTIMATED POPULATION, 1ST JANUARY, 1915.	TOTAL BIRTHS IN BOROUGHES.	DEATHS IN BOROUGHES REGISTERED IN AUGUST, 1915.						Total Deaths.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Population, August, 1915.	Proportion of Deaths to the 1,000 of Mean Population in the Year 1914.
			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	3,761	8	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	0.27	8.28
Gisborne	9,859	23	2	..	2	1	..	1	6	0.61	11.51
Napier	11,125	33	1	..	5	1	1	..	8	0.72	9.56
New Plymouth	7,625	16	..	..	2	..	..	3	5	0.66	15.18
Wanganui	13,955	23	1	1	2	..	..	6	10	0.72	9.19
Palmerston North	12,206	37	3	..	1	..	1	2	7	0.57	10.17
Masterton	5,690	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7.21
Petone	7,107	15	2	..	3	1	..	2	8	1.13	6.05
Blenheim	3,885	14	..	..	3	..	..	1	4	1.03	9.27
Nelson	8,565	25	1	..	5	..	..	2	8	0.93	11.95
Greyouth	5,663	18	..	..	3	..	..	2	5	0.88	18.54
Hokitika	2,238	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12.53
Lytelton	4,396	12	1	..	..	..	..	2	3	0.68	7.72
Timaru	13,123	32	..	..	8	..	1	6	15	1.14	11.24
Oamaru	5,560	8	..	..	3	..	1	4	8	1.44	9.78
Invercargill	14,592	35	3	1	6	1	..	7	18	1.23	8.50
Invercargill South	1,727	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	0.58	10.71