TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas, registered during the Year 1917—*continued.*

Causes of Death.	Auckland Metropolitan Area.		Wellington Metropolitan Area.		Christchurch Metropolitan Area.		Dunedin Metropolitan Area.		Nine Suburban Areas.		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.	Under 5 Years.	5 Years and over.	
II.—DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE—*continued.*											
70. Convulsions, Non-puerperal ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
71. Convulsions of Infants	7	..	8	..	5	..	3	..	19	..	42
72. Chorea	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
73. Neuralgia and Neuritis	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
74. Other Diseases of Nervous System	3	15	2	7	..	7	..	5	..	3	42
Totals	26	162	20	80	7	94	7	83	32	92	603
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.											
77. Pericarditis	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	4
78. Acute Endocarditis	..	5	..	1	1	9	..	2	..	3	21
79. Organic Diseases of the Heart ..	3	166	1	125	1	163	1	92	1	144	697
80. Angina Pectoris	..	4	..	4	..	4	..	7	..	2	21
81. Diseases of the Arteries, Atheroma, &c.	..	9	..	7	..	10	..	10	..	20	56
82. Embolism, Thrombosis	..	2	..	6	..	8	..	8	..	9	33
83. Varicose Veins	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
84. Diseases of the Lymphatic System	..	1	1	..	1	2	..	..	..	2	7
85. Hæmorrhage: Other Diseases of the Circulatory System	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	3
Totals	3	187	2	144	3	197	2	120	1	184	843
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.											
87. Diseases of the Larynx	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3
88. " Thyroid Body ..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	7
89. Acute Bronchitis	..	6	5	1	4	..	2	1	6	3	28
90. Chronic Bronchitis	..	19	..	12	..	23	..	11	..	22	87
91. Broncho-pneumonia	6	9	10	1	6	4	4	3	6	7	56
92. Pneumonia	14	21	9	23	3	17	..	24	9	13	133
93. Pleurisy	1	4	..	6	1	3	1	2	..	4	22
94. Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy	1	1	..	3	4	4	1	3	..	4	21
96. Asthma	..	7	1	10	..	7	..	2	..	3	30
97. Pulmonary Emphysema	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
98. Other Diseases of the Respiratory System	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	3	1	1	11
Totals	23	74	27	58	19	59	8	51	23	57	399
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.											
99. Diseases of the Mouth and Annexa	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	3
100. Diseases of the Pharynx	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	2	..	5
102. Ulcer of the Stomach	..	3	..	4	..	2	..	4	..	4	17
103. Other Diseases of the Stomach (Cancer excepted)	2	10	4	4	..	2	2	5	..	2	31
104. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under two years of age)	43	..	19	..	2	..	5	..	20	..	89
105. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (over two years of age)	4	26	..	7	4	10	2	6	..	12	71
108. Appendicitis and Typhlitis ..	..	12	..	5	..	12	..	11	..	9	49
109. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction ..	3	10	2	6	2	7	..	7	3	7	47
110. Other Diseases of Intestines ..	..	1	1	3	1	..	..	1	..	2	9
111. Acute Yellow Atrophy of Liver ..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
112. Hydatid Tumour of Liver ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
113. Cirrhosis of Liver	..	3	..	7	..	6	..	4	..	2	22
114. Biliary Calculi	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	1	10
115. Other Diseases of the Liver ..	1	6	3	5	..	3	..	3	3	4	28
116. Diseases of the Spleen	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
117. Simple Peritonitis (non-puerperal)	2	1	..	2	1	6	..	1	2	2	17
118. Other Diseases of Digestive System	1	4	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	3	11
Totals	56	81	30	48	11	51	9	50	30	48	414
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
119. Acute Nephritis	1	3	..	4	..	..	1	2	..	4	15
120. Bright's Disease	..	37	..	19	..	36	..	17	..	30	139
122. Other Diseases of the Kidneys and Annexa	..	7	2	5	1	2	..	4	..	5	26
123. Calculi of the Urinary Passages ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2