

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas registered during December, 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.	
I.—GENERAL DISEASES—<i>continued</i>.											
<i>(b.) Other General Diseases—cont'd.</i>											
48. Chronic Rheumatism .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
50. Diabetes .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	5
51. Exophthalmic Goitre .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
53. Splenomedullary Leuchæmia .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
54. Anæmia, Chlorosis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	5
55. Other General Diseases .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
Totals	6	35	1	16	3	30	1	16	2	23	133
II.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.											
61. Meningitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	4
61A. Cerebro - spinal Meningitis (Epidemic) .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
62. Locomotor Ataxia .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
64. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy .. .. .	..	10	..	5	..	6	..	6	..	2	29
65. Cerebral Softening .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
66. Paralysis without Specified Cause .. .. .	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	5
68. Other Forms of Mental Alienation .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
69. Epilepsy .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	1	4
71. Convulsions of Infants	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4
74. Other Diseases of the Nervous System	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	4
Totals	2	16	2	9	..	11	..	7	3	8	58
III.—DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.											
77. Pericarditis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
78. Acute Endocarditis .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2
79. Organic Diseases of the Heart .. .. .	..	15	..	7	..	23	..	6	..	7	58
80. Angina Pectoris .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
81. Diseases of the Arteries, Atheroma, &c. .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	4
82. Embolism, Thrombosis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
84. Diseases of the Lymphatic System .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals .. .. .	..	16	..	8	..	26	..	8	..	10	68
IV.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.											
89. Acute Bronchitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
90. Chronic Bronchitis .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
91. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	4
92. Pneumonia .. .. .	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	1	7
93. Pleurisy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
94. Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
96. Asthma .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	5
98. Abscess of Lung .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
Totals .. .. .	..	2	2	2	..	1	..	7	2	5	21
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.											
99. Stomatitis .. .. .	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
102. Ulcer of the Stomach .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
103. Other Diseases of the Stomach	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	4
104. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2 years of age)	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	8
105. Diarrhœa and Enteritis (2 years of age and over)	1	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	9
108. Appendicitis .. .. .	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	2	8
109. Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction .. .. .	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	1	..	..	4
112. Hydatid of Liver .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
114. Gall-stones .. .. .	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
115. Jaundice .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
117. Simple Peritonitis	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	3
118. Other Diseases of the Liver .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Totals	8	12	3	3	1	6	1	5	2	2	43