

TABLE showing the Causes of the Deaths of Persons at the Four Metropolitan Areas, and Total for Nine Suburban Areas, registered during May, 1921.—*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.	
V.—DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.											
101. Rupture of Oesophagus .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
102. Ulcer of the Stomach .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	2
105. Enteritis (over 2 years) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
108. Appendicitis	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
109. Volvulus .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
111. Acute Yellow Atrophy of Liver .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
113. Cirrhosis of the Liver .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
114. Gall-stones .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
115. Other Diseases of the Liver .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
117. Peritonitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	1	5	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	2	13
VI.—NON-VENEREAL DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINARY SYSTEM AND ANNEXA.											
119. Acute Nephritis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
120. Bright's Disease	1	5	..	4	..	8	..	..	..	4	22
122. Pyelitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
124. Cystitis .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
125. Urethral Stricture .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
129. Polypus of Uterus .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
130. Pelvic Abscess .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Totals	1	7	..	7	..	8	..	2	..	5	30
VII.—PUERPERAL STATE.											
135. Puerperal Hemorrhage .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
136. Other Accidents of Labour .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
137. Puerperal Septicæmia .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
138. " Eclampsia .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
139. " Embolism .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals .. ..	..	2	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	2	6
VIII.—DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.											
143. Carbuncle .. ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
144. Cellulitis .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2
Totals .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	3
X.—MALFORMATIONS.											
150. Congenital Heart-disease	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	6
XI.—DISEASES OF EARLY INFANCY.											
151. Congenital Debility, Icterus, &c.	2	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	9
151A. Premature Birth	7	..	3	..	4	..	1	..	7	..	22
152. Other Causes peculiar to Early Infancy	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	4
153. Lack of Care .. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	10	..	8	..	7	..	2	..	9	..	36
XII.—OLD AGE.											
154. Senility .. ..	..	15	..	5	..	5	..	5	..	2	32
XIII.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.											
158. Suicide by Drowning .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
160. " Cutting Throat .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
167. Accident—Burns .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
169. " Drowning .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4
170. Traumatism—Firearms .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1
172. " Fall .. ..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
175. " Other Crushing .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	3	8
185. Fractures (undefined) .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
186. Other External Violence .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Totals .. ..	..	9	..	1	..	3	..	3	..	6	22
XIV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.											
Ill-defined	2	..	1	3
Grand totals	21	116	15	59	13	68	6	42	13	68	421

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