

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during January, 1926 - contd.

| Causes of Death.  | Auckland. | Wellington. | Christchurch. | Dunedin. | Hamilton. | Gisborne. | Napier. | Hastings. | New Plymouth. | Wanganui. | Palmerston North. | Nelson. | Timaru. | Invercargill. | Totals. |
|---|-----------|-------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------------|---------|
| <b>XI.—MALFORMATIONS.</b>                               |           |             |               |          |           |           |         |           |               |           |                   |         |         |               |         |
| 159. Patent Foramen Ovale .. .. .                       | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 2       |
| 159. Other Congenital Diseases of the Heart ..          | 1         | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | 1         | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 3       |
| Totals .. .. .  | 1         | 1           | ..            | 1        | ..        | 1         | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 5       |
| <b>XII.—EARLY INFANCY.</b>                              |           |             |               |          |           |           |         |           |               |           |                   |         |         |               |         |
| 160. Congenital Debility, &c., .. .. .                  | 5         | 2           | 1             | 1        | ..        | ..        | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 10      |
| 161. Injury at Birth .. .. .                            | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 161A. Premature Birth .. .. .                           | 1         | 3           | 2             | 1        | ..        | 1         | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | 2                 | 1       | 1       | ..            | 13      |
| Totals .. .. .  | 6         | 5           | 3             | 3        | ..        | 1         | 2       | ..        | ..            | ..        | 2                 | 1       | 1       | ..            | 24      |
| <b>XIII.—OLD AGE</b>                                    |           |             |               |          |           |           |         |           |               |           |                   |         |         |               |         |
| 164. Senility .. .. .                                   | 6         | 4           | 5             | 2        | ..        | 2         | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | 1                 | ..      | 1       | ..            | 21      |
| <b>XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.</b>                            |           |             |               |          |           |           |         |           |               |           |                   |         |         |               |         |
| 165. Suicide by Poisons (corrosive substances excepted) | 1         | ..          | 1             | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | 1       | ..            | 3       |
| 168. " Hanging .. .. .                                  | ..        | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 170. " Shooting .. .. .                                 | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 171. " Cutting Instruments .. .. .                      | ..        | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | 1             | 1       |
| 172. " Jumping from High Places .. .. .                 | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 180. Accidental Mechanical Suffocation .. .. .          | ..        | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | 1         | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 2       |
| 182. " Drowning .. .. .                                 | ..        | 1           | 1             | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | 3         | 1                 | ..      | 1       | ..            | 7       |
| 183. Accidental Traumatism by Firearms .. .. .          | ..        | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 185. " " by Fall .. .. .                                | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 186. " " in Mines and Quarries .. .. .                  | ..        | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | 1       | ..      | ..            | 2       |
| 188. " " by Railways .. .. .                            | 3         | ..          | ..            | ..       | 1         | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 4       |
| 188. " " " Automobiles .. .. .                          | 4         | 4           | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 9       |
| 196. " " " Accidental Electric Shock .. .. .            | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 201. Fractures (cause not specified) .. .. .            | 2         | ..          | ..            | 2        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 4       |
| 202. Other External Injuries .. .. .                    | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| Totals .. .. .  | 14        | 8           | 2             | 4        | 1         | ..        | ..      | 1         | 1             | 3         | 1                 | 1       | 2       | 1             | 39      |
| <b>XV.—ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.</b>                        |           |             |               |          |           |           |         |           |               |           |                   |         |         |               |         |
| 205. Disease not stated .. .. .                         | 3         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | 1         | 1             | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 5       |
| Grand Totals .. .. .                                    | 132       | 82          | 75            | 59       | 9         | 10        | 13      | 3         | 7             | 15        | 11                | 12      | 12      | 8             | 448     |

Infantile Mortality.

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of Infants under 1 Year of Age registered during January, 1926.

(These figures are included in the preceding table.)

| Causes of Death.                             | Auckland. | Wellington. | Christchurch. | Dunedin. | Hamilton. | Gisborne. | Napier. | Hastings. | New Plymouth. | Wanganui. | Palmerston North. | Nelson. | Timaru. | Invercargill. | Totals. |
|--|-----------|-------------|---------------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 9. Whooping Cough .. .. .                    | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 37. Disseminated Tuberculosis .. .. .        | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 71. Meningitis .. .. .                       | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 80. Convulsions .. .. .                      | ..        | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | 1                 | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 100. Broncho-pneumonia .. .. .               | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | 1                 | ..      | ..      | ..            | 2       |
| 113. Summer Diarrhoea .. .. .                | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 118. Intussusception .. .. .                 | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 126. Peritonitis .. .. .                     | ..        | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 159. Patent Foramen Ovale .. .. .            | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 2       |
| 159. Other Congenital Heart-diseases .. .. . | 1         | 1           | ..            | ..       | ..        | 1         | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 3       |
| 160. Congenital Debility, &c. .. .. .        | 5         | 2           | 1             | 1        | ..        | ..        | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 10      |
| 161. Injury at Birth .. .. .                 | ..        | ..          | ..            | 1        | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| 161A. Premature Birth .. .. .                | 1         | 3           | 2             | 1        | ..        | 1         | 1       | ..        | ..            | ..        | 2                 | 1       | 1       | ..            | 13      |
| 201. Fracture (cause not specified) .. .. .  | 1         | ..          | ..            | ..       | ..        | ..        | ..      | ..        | ..            | ..        | ..                | ..      | ..      | ..            | 1       |
| Totals .. .. .                               | 13        | 7           | 3             | 5        | ..        | 2         | 3       | ..        | ..            | ..        | 4                 | 1       | 1       | ..            | 39      |