

TABLE showing for each of the Urban Areas the Causes of the Deaths of all Persons registered during January, 1927—continued.

Causes of Death.	Auckland.	Wellington.	Christchurch.	Dunedin.	Hamilton.	Gisborne.	Napier.	Hastings.	New Plymouth.	Wanganui.	Palmerston North.	Nelson.	Timaru.	Invercargill.	Totals.
XI.—MALFORMATIONS.															
159. Congenital Heart Disease ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Hydrocephalus ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Intestinal Obstruction ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Patent Foramen Ovale ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Totals	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6
XII.—EARLY INFANCY.															
160. Congenital Debility, &c. ..	..	1	..	3	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
161. Injury at Birth ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth ..	3	1	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	11
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy ..	2	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
163. Lack of Care ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	8	3	3	5	1	2	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	2	31
XIII.—OLD AGE.															
164. Senile Decay	8	6	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	..	1	..	..	3	30
XIV.—EXTERNAL CAUSES.															
167. Suicide by Poisonous Gas ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
168. " Hanging ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
169. " Drowning ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
178. Accidental Conflagration ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
179. " Burns ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
180. " Mechanical Suffocation ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
181. Anæsthesia ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
182. Accidental Drowning ..	..	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	8
185. " Traumatism by Fall ..	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
187. " " by Machinery ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
188. " " by Railways ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
188. " " by Automobiles ..	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
196. " Electrocution ..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
199. Homicide ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
201. Fracture (cause not specified) ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	7	9	7	4	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	33
XV.—ILL-DEFINED CAUSES.															
205. Not specified or Ill-defined ..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	6
Grand Totals	104	82	73	64	7	13	15	7	18	12	9	10	11	21	446

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, 1927.

(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	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
11. Influenza ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
21. Erysipelas ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
80. Convulsions ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
100. Broncho-pneumonia ..	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
113. Diarrhoea and Enteritis ..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
152. Carbuncle ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. Congenital Heart Disease ..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
159. " Hydrocephalus ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Intestinal Obstruction ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Patent Foramen Ovale ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
159. " Spina Bifida ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
160. " Debility, &c. ..	..	1	..	3	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
161. Injury at Birth ..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	3
161A. Premature Birth ..	3	1	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	11
162. Other Diseases of Early Infancy ..	2	1	1	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
163. Lack of Care ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
180. Accidental Mechanical Suffocation ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	13	11	7	6	1	3	4	2	2	1	..	1	1	2	54