

TABLE XV.—SHOWING THE EXPENDITURE for the Year 1889.

Items.			Auckland.		Christchurch.		Dunedin (Seacliff).		Hokitika.		Nelson.		Wellington (including Porirua).		Total.	
			£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Inspector*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,200	0 0
Medical fees*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	888	4 0
Contingencies*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	313	8 5
Visiting Medical Officers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	125	0 0	..	0 0	..	..	325	0 0
Superintendents	..	..	554	3 4	..	..	..	..	300	0 0	200	0 0	435	0 0	2,641	17 1
Clerks	..	..	100	0 0	180	0 0	144	3 4	..	..	144	7 1	92	6 2	516	9 6
Matrons	..	..	..	..	26	4 5	100	0 0	85	0 0	..	2 11	88	13 7	370	0 11
Attendants and servants	..	..	2,925	18 7	2,506	8 1	3,427	10 11	954	3 4	823	18 5	2,111	10 10½	12,749	10 24
Rations	..	..	3,037	5 5½	3,132	12 8	3,378	12 2	924	9 5	897	13 3	1,916	10 6½	13,287	3 5½
Fuel and light	..	..	401	15 8	519	19 10	297	13 4	6	4 0	113	8 6	382	6 7½	1,721	7 11½
Bedding and clothing	..	..	762	14 9	794	2 7	1,400	9 2	143	14 0	398	14 1	821	3 7	4,320	18 2
Surgery and dispensary..	..	..	26	0 8	43	13 7	48	9 1	18	11 1	9	4 8	33	14 3	179	13 4
Wines, spirits, ale, and porter	..	..	18	15 5	2	14 0	2	8 0	1	8 2	7	14 6	0	19 0	33	19 1
Farm	..	..	282	3 4	274	5 4	295	6 3	..	..	77	15 6	78	0 4	1,007	10 9
Necessaries, incidental and miscellaneous	..	..	736	11 9	740	19 3	2,215	11 3	223	14 7	337	8 1	1,134	7 7½	5,988	12 6½
Totals ..	..	..	8,845	8 11½	8,820	19 9	11,918	10 2	2,782	4 7	3,080	7 0	7,094	12 6½	44,943	15 5½
Repayments, sale of produce, &c.	..	..	2,238	5 4	2,422	11 4	2,126	12 6	201	4 10	584	10 1	1,951	6 8	8,924	10 9
Actual cost ..	..	..	6,607	3 7½	6,398	8 5	9,791	17 8	2,580	19 9	2,495	16 11	5,143	5 10½	36,019	4 8½

* Not included in Table XVI.

TABLE XVI.—AVERAGE COST of each PATIENT per Annum.

Asylums.	Provisions.	Salaries.	Bedding and Clothing.	Fuel and Light.	Surgery and Dispensary.	Wines, Spirits, Ale, &c.	Necessaries, Incidental and Miscellaneous*.	Total Cost per Patient.	Repayment for Maintenance.	Cost per Head, less Repayments.	Cost per Head previous Year.	Decrease in 1889.	Increase in 1889.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auckland	8 5 64	9 15 14	2 1 64	1 1 104	0 1 5	0 1 04	2 15 64	24 2 04	5 16 24	18 5 94	18 13 2	0 7 44	..
Christchurch	8 10 84	9 0 64	2 3 34	1 8 4	0 2 44	0 0 14	2 15 4	24 0 84	6 2 14	17 18 7	18 1 84	0 3 14	..
Dunedin (Seacliff)	6 17 104	8 14 84	2 17 14	0 12 14	0 1 114	0 0 14	5 2 54	24 6 54	3 18 24	20 8 34	21 7 5	0 19 14	..
Hokitika	8 16 1	13 18 104	1 7 44	0 1 24	0 3 64	0 0 34	2 2 74	26 9 114	1 10 9	24 19 24	24 1 2	..	0 18 04
Nelson	9 7 0	12 18 0	4 3 04	1 3 74	0 1 11	0 1 74	4 6 6	32 1 84	4 13 04	27 8 8	21 8 5	..	6 0 3
Wellington	7 13 114	10 19 1	3 5 114	1 10 84	0 2 84	0 0 1	4 17 44	28 9 104	4 15 14	23 14 9	21 10 11	..	2 3 10
Averages	7 18 9	9 18 44	2 11 74	1 0 64	0 2 14	0 0 44	3 16 5	25 8 34	4 16 64	20 11 84	20 6 74	..	0 5 14

* Including farm.

NOTE.—The total cost per patient, including the three first items in Table XV., is £26 16s. 114d. The net cost, after deducting repayments for maintenance, sale of produce, &c., is £21 10s. 4d. per patient, as against £21 8s. 1d. for 1888—i.e., 8s. 3d. per week.