

TABLE B.—NOTIFICATIONS OF CASES OF NOTIFIABLE DISEASES BY HEALTH DISTRICTS FOR YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1939.

Name of Disease.	North Auckland.	Central Auckland.	South Auckland.	Thames-Tauranga.	Taranaki.	East Cape.	Wellington-Hawke's Bay.	Central Wellington.	Nelson-Marlborough.	Canterbury.	West Coast.	Otago.	Southland.	Totals.
Scarlet fever	4	63	25	6	44	4	60	62	35	80	15	48	34	480
Diphtheria	42	43	56	13	43	24	77	186	34	5	3	10	1	517
Enteric fever— (a) Typhoid	2	10	6	4	2	11	4	3	..	2	..	2	..	46
(b) Paratyphoid	..	..	..	..	3	4	..	2	..	5	..	1	..	15
Tuberculosis	21	206	42	17	28	15	113	212	24	128	19	105	59	989
Cerebro-spinal meningitis ..	..	1	2	..	2	2	4	5	..	2	2	1	1	22
Poliomyelitis— (a) Paralytic	1	7	7	2	..	2	9	9	..	1	..	3	..	41
(b) Non-paralytic	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	1	..	8
Induenza	..	2	3	..	1	..	14	19	2	5	..	6	5	57
Erysipelas	4	114	56	15	28	19	60	105	11	47	4	68	21	552
Puerperal fever— (a) Following childbirth ..	1	20	7	..	3	11	18	12	6	37	7	2	7	131
(b) Following abortion or miscarriage	1	59	3	..	2	2	3	16	1	23	..	7	3	120
Eclampsia	4	13	5	..	2	1	10	3	..	10	5	10	4	67
Tetanus	..	..	1	1	1	..	8	..	..	1	..	..	..	12
Hydatids	..	6	..	..	5	1	9	4	..	11	1	2	..	39
Trachoma	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	6
Ophthalmia neonatorum ..	..	8	3	..	..	..	6	..	1	..	..	2	..	20
Lethargic encephalitis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Food poisoning	..	35	1	..	1	6	..	8	..	2	..	..	..	53
Bacillary dysentery	..	12	1	..	3	16	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	39
Undulant fever	2	3	4	1	4	4	4	1	..	3	..	..	..	26
Actinomycosis	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	11	..	1	..	..	..	4
Chronic lead poisoning ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
Beri-beri	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Phosphorus poisoning ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Totals	82	605	204	61	173	124	408	659	115	368	57	289	135	3,260