

TABLE showing the Expenditure on Hospitals during the Year ended the 31st March, 1905.

| Hospitals.       | Rations and Provisions. | Wine, Ale, &c. | Surgery and Dispensary. | Fuel and Light. | Bedding and Clothing. | Furniture, Crockery, &c. | Washing and Laundry. | Salaries and Wages. | Water-supply. | Funerals. | Repairs.   | Additions to Buildings, &c., New Buildings. | Printing, Advertising, Postage, and Stationery. | For Interest. | For Insurance. | For Commission. | Other Expenses. | Total.       |
|------------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|---------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|
| £ 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.                                     | £ s. d.                                         | £ s. d.       | £ s. d.        | £ s. d.         | £ s. d.         | £ s. d.      |
| Akaroa ..        | 91 5 4                  | ..             | 20 11 1                 | 15 8 0          | ..                    | ..                       | ..                   | 150 0 0             | ..            | ..        | 68 6 7     | ..                                          | 26 1 3                                          | ..            | 7 7 0          | ..              | 30 6 0          | 307 10 5     |
| Arrowtown ..     | 243 3 4                 | ..             | 93 1 9                  | 33 1 0          | ..                    | ..                       | ..                   | 512 17 2            | ..            | ..        | 77 16 0    | ..                                          | 20 12 8                                         | ..            | 25 2 6         | 3 15 4          | 276 16 2        | 1,261 5 10   |
| Ashburton ..     | 290 2 2                 | 10 12 1        | 81 19 1                 | 201 6 4         | ..                    | 55 2 1                   | ..                   | 590 13 2            | ..            | ..        | 417 15 11  | 3,869 7 10                                  | 97 15 2                                         | ..            | 50 3 3         | ..              | 201 18 2        | 1,583 19 10  |
| Auckland ..      | 3,544 19 0              | 175 19 0       | 2,076 11 7              | 1,090 3 6       | 611 3 7               | 456 10 0                 | ..                   | 4,327 5 11          | 314 9 3       | 33 5 6    | 52 15 8    | ..                                          | 32 16 1                                         | ..            | 18 18 9        | ..              | 3,300 3 10      | 20,921 10 8  |
| Blenheim ..      | 532 16 10               | 43 3 3         | 94 0 5                  | 155 7 6         | 8 10 0                | ..                       | ..                   | 848 17 1            | ..            | 6 0 0     | 14 5 4     | ..                                          | 6 14 6                                          | ..            | 2 7 3          | ..              | 751 13 11       | 2,619 19 8   |
| Christchurch ..  | 169 2 1                 | 12 12 6        | 72 12 7                 | 10 14 0         | ..                    | ..                       | ..                   | 240 12 0            | ..            | 26 5 0    | 283 1 8    | 1,412 3 4                                   | 71 15 4                                         | ..            | 87 2 10        | 2 10 9          | 2 2 0           | 505 7 1      |
| Christchurch ..  | 2,472 12 11             | 63 19 7        | 906 6 10                | 1,328 6 4       | 351 13 3              | 14 6 0                   | ..                   | 4,735 17 0          | ..            | ..        | 3 8 0      | 114 16 4                                    | 20 7 8                                          | ..            | 16 9 10        | ..              | 399 19 3        | 11,863 7 0   |
| Coromandel ..    | 159 16 3                | 10 8 0         | 91 19 5                 | 56 16 7         | 21 1 7                | ..                       | ..                   | 580 19 6            | ..            | ..        | 55 7 6     | 100 0 0                                     | 12 6 3                                          | ..            | 12 9 10        | ..              | 33 3 2          | 1,131 14 3   |
| Cromwell ..      | 126 13 8                | 16 16 1        | 47 18 8                 | 42 0 1          | 49 11 5               | ..                       | ..                   | 2,734 16 1          | 145 12 6      | 24 0 0    | 669 16 4   | ..                                          | 80 18 0                                         | ..            | 7 13 6         | 11 16 9         | 499 16 11       | 9,105 19 1   |
| Dunedin ..       | 2,508 4 0               | 99 7 2         | 823 9 4                 | 940 17 1        | 67 14 6               | ..                       | ..                   | 449 0 6             | 0 242 8 10    | 8 0 0     | 3 14 7     | ..                                          | 15 4 0                                          | ..            | 2 19 0         | 10 2 0          | 14 11 4         | 993 14 8     |
| Dunedin ..       | 109 12 9                | 8 15 0         | 37 15 0                 | 25 18 0         | 45 2 0                | ..                       | ..                   | 868 10 0            | ..            | ..        | 16 15 7    | 480 5 1                                     | 16 0 9                                          | ..            | 0 17 0         | ..              | 38 18 2         | 2,232 4 11   |
| Gisborne ..      | 325 6 4                 | 5 0 10         | 130 18 9                | 213 10 8        | 37 12 5               | 43 8 4                   | ..                   | 984 14 4            | 15 0 0        | 43 7 6    | ..         | ..                                          | 60 16 6                                         | ..            | 15 18 6        | ..              | 33 0 9          | 2,818 1 0    |
| Hawera ..        | 881 2 1                 | 103 1 0        | 151 4 3                 | 171 1 1         | 48 6 10               | 11 13 3                  | ..                   | 589 2 9             | ..            | 14 7 0    | 44 16 10   | 72 15 10                                    | 29 2 10                                         | ..            | 4 3 6          | 15 16 6         | 28 12 11        | 1,653 0 11   |
| Hokitika ..      | 713 8 11                | 31 18 8        | 130 16 6                | 112 5 4         | 60 18 11              | 7 17 3                   | ..                   | 763 2 5             | 38 4 0        | 54 0 0    | 88 11 9    | ..                                          | 56 10 1                                         | ..            | 32 17 1        | 15 16 6         | 224 3 9         | 2,243 4 0    |
| Invercargill ..  | 1,002 17 5              | 15 4 0         | 207 7 2                 | 316 10 8        | 309 0 4               | 109 1 1                  | ..                   | 1,503 4 4           | ..            | 20 0 0    | 705 19 4   | 49 0 6                                      | 27 6 0                                          | ..            | 43 11 9        | 0 10 0          | 193 17 3        | 4,558 2 11   |
| Kumara ..        | 333 8 0                 | 12 5 6         | 121 0 1                 | 63 10 0         | 39 10 1               | 6 16 0                   | ..                   | 378 3 4             | 10 0 0        | 37 0 0    | 37 1 9     | ..                                          | 14 7 0                                          | ..            | 3 3 0          | ..              | ..              | 1,111 10 10  |
| Lawrence ..      | 244 18 10               | 9 13 0         | 109 8 0                 | 91 3 10         | 40 6 9                | 18 18 1                  | ..                   | 494 16 4            | ..            | 9 0 0     | 17 7 1     | 5 0 0                                       | 8 18 7                                          | ..            | 9 10 10        | 25 3 6          | 60 6 8          | 1,227 1 3    |
| Mercury Bay ..   | 127 3 2                 | 15 5 6         | 125 13 8                | 26 0 5          | 5 19 3                | 9 12 8                   | ..                   | 520 13 8            | 81 11 3       | ..        | 212 11 11  | ..                                          | 71 2 7                                          | ..            | 71 10 10       | 34 2 0          | 41 11 2         | 916 6 9      |
| Napier ..        | 1,120 9 10              | 35 13 6        | 701 12 8                | 365 9 9         | 371 12 11             | 8 1 2                    | ..                   | 1,177 18 6          | 17 2 0        | 10 0 0    | 68 12 7    | 66 4 0                                      | 34 4 10                                         | ..            | 28 0 0         | ..              | 67 11 3         | 1,676 8 3    |
| Naseby ..        | 177 19 5                | 3 16 0         | 139 12 8                | 81 17 0         | 0 15 3                | 19 1 4                   | ..                   | 1,177 18 6          | 17 2 0        | 10 0 0    | 68 12 7    | 66 4 0                                      | 34 4 10                                         | ..            | 28 0 0         | ..              | 67 11 3         | 1,676 8 3    |
| Nelson ..        | 646 10 4                | 31 3 0         | 476 8 4                 | 183 4 8         | 73 3 6                | 280 0 5                  | ..                   | 941 7 5             | 7 10 0        | 23 17 0   | 161 1 10   | 150 0 0                                     | 35 2 7                                          | ..            | 0 33 16 3      | 2 2 6           | 230 13 11       | 3,441 4 4    |
| New Plymouth ..  | 687 8 2                 | 27 19 0        | 433 0 11                | 274 14 10       | 106 6 6               | 30 15 9                  | ..                   | 787 1 8             | 11 1 7        | 3 10 0    | ..         | 192 11 2                                    | 58 0 5                                          | ..            | 4 0 0          | ..              | 10 13 8         | 1,588 18 9   |
| North's Waioa .. | 197 18 0                | 1 10 0         | 177 13 6                | 90 3 9          | 1 2 2                 | 79 12 0                  | ..                   | 648 16 9            | ..            | 14 13 6   | 52 16 9    | 1,454 8 8                                   | ..                                              | ..            | 7 1 6          | ..              | 83 12 2         | 2,021 18 9   |
| Oamaru ..        | 548 17 8                | 17 2 3         | 196 8 1                 | 151 8 1         | 45 1 6                | ..                       | ..                   | 552 17 4            | ..            | ..        | ..         | 383 2 6                                     | 15 14 7                                         | ..            | 23 18 0        | 28 13 2         | 241 15 10       | 2,543 5 4    |
| Okati ..         | 132 0 5                 | 6 7 0          | 71 0 4                  | 50 7 3          | ..                    | ..                       | ..                   | 709 8 10            | ..            | ..        | 70 7 0     | ..                                          | 28 8 2                                          | ..            | 0 9 6          | ..              | 505 17 1        | 1,927 14 7   |
| Pahiatua ..      | 250 13 7                | ..             | 80 8 3                  | 40 16 6         | 150 19 2              | ..                       | ..                   | 1,040 17 9          | ..            | 4 15 0    | 101 3 4    | ..                                          | 28 8 2                                          | ..            | 0 9 6          | ..              | 233 4 9         | 601 4 2      |
| Palmerston N. .. | 482 13 5                | 35 2 8         | 251 8 10                | 279 2 7         | 154 10 0              | 4 10 0                   | ..                   | 224 13 11           | 3 10 0        | ..        | 17 19 6    | 602 10 0                                    | 6 15 8                                          | ..            | 0 17 6         | 12 6 7          | 64 5 11         | 1,883 11 8   |
| Patea ..         | 104 12 6                | ..             | 56 3 11                 | 62 15 5         | 19 13 8               | ..                       | ..                   | 461 12 6            | ..            | ..        | 56 19 8    | ..                                          | 14 0 2                                          | ..            | ..             | ..              | ..              | ..           |
| Picton ..        | 170 1 3                 | ..             | 52 7 1                  | 51 12 1         | 2 14 11               | ..                       | ..                   | 446 8 9             | ..            | ..        | 34 17 3    | ..                                          | ..                                              | ..            | ..             | ..              | ..              | ..           |
| Queenstown ..    | 174 0 3                 | ..             | ..                      | 3 8 0           | 3 0 0                 | ..                       | ..                   | 56 6 8              | ..            | ..        | ..         | 416 18 6                                    | ..                                              | ..            | ..             | ..              | ..              | ..           |
| Rangiora ..      | 31 12 4                 | 0 14 0         | ..                      | 108 5 7         | 32 4 6                | 99 14 9                  | ..                   | 732 17 10           | 3 9 3         | 29 14 0   | 106 13 2   | ..                                          | 31 13 0                                         | ..            | 6 15 6         | ..              | 76 5 5          | 2,345 12 5   |
| Reefton ..       | 551 5 7                 | 14 1 0         | 215 14 8                | 97 13 8         | 28 5 4                | 41 6 0                   | ..                   | 695 16 3            | ..            | ..        | ..         | ..                                          | 13 7 8                                          | ..            | 15 2 4         | ..              | 134 6 8         | 1,658 14 6   |
| Riverton ..      | 387 6 10                | 16 15 0        | 103 4 0                 | 42 6 0          | 28 5 4                | ..                       | ..                   | 335 0 0             | ..            | 4 10 0    | 52 8 7     | ..                                          | 14 11 0                                         | ..            | 17 9 4         | ..              | 47 16 9         | 780 7 11     |
| Ross ..          | 233 16 5                | ..             | 59 11 1                 | 42 6 0          | 6 19 9                | 3 0 8                    | ..                   | 945 14 0            | ..            | 3 0 0     | 20 0 1     | 100 0 0                                     | 14 8 4                                          | ..            | 40 2 11        | ..              | 258 0 10        | 2,331 18 8   |
| S. Wairarapa ..  | 222 17 8                | ..             | 38 5 11                 | 95 9 10         | 10 16 2               | 8 1 1                    | ..                   | 945 2 9             | ..            | 9 14 6    | 369 4 9    | ..                                          | 54 11 1                                         | ..            | 18 14 0        | ..              | 180 17 0        | 4,119 16 1   |
| Timaru ..        | 398 14 10               | 1 5 6          | 386 14 9                | 157 4 4         | 67 2 5                | 217 1 6                  | ..                   | 1,202 12 4          | 55 15 0       | ..        | ..         | 192 13 3                                    | 30 13 7                                         | ..            | 27 1 6         | ..              | 139 14 9        | 2,103 4 4    |
| Timaru ..        | 1,040 14 8              | 25 16 4        | 251 8 3                 | 403 1 8         | 268 3 9               | 123 2 2                  | ..                   | 642 5 0             | 19 11 8       | 13 13 0   | ..         | 377 11 9                                    | 48 16 5                                         | ..            | 23 18 3        | 0 10 0          | 199 19 6        | 3,939 1 8    |
| Waihi ..         | 476 16 7                | 6 16 7         | 157 11 0                | 261 14 2        | 25 4 1                | 49 10 4                  | ..                   | 1,418 5 9           | 1 5 9         | ..        | ..         | 22 12 7                                     | 11 16 9                                         | ..            | 0 36 18 0      | ..              | 223 9 9         | 1,351 13 8   |
| Waikato ..       | 937 6 11                | 27 9 0         | 532 3 7                 | 229 17 6        | 56 7 5                | 7 5 0                    | ..                   | 507 15 8            | ..            | ..        | 34 3 5     | ..                                          | 56 6 10                                         | ..            | 23 9 0         | ..              | 109 4 10        | 2,077 4 1    |
| Waimate ..       | 206 16 0                | 12 1 3         | 74 14 6                 | 99 3 11         | 36 16 4               | ..                       | ..                   | 1,065 7 2           | 73 6 6        | 16 2 0    | 109 18 3   | ..                                          | 22 15 6                                         | ..            | 0 19 0         | ..              | 60 19 11        | 2,183 10 2   |
| Waipawa ..       | 699 11 10               | 24 3 4         | 273 6 1                 | 198 8 5         | 36 13 8               | ..                       | ..                   | 261 2 10            | ..            | ..        | 3 6 6      | 1,514 14 0                                  | 4 17 3                                          | ..            | 0 2 6          | ..              | 5,200 12 3      | 11,610 1 11  |
| Waipawa ..       | 95 16 8                 | 1 2 0          | 73 0 7                  | 30 6 8          | 14 16 8               | ..                       | ..                   | 1,325 9 5           | 100 0 0       | 14 5 0    | 399 8 9    | 1,068 1 6                                   | 49 4 8                                          | ..            | 1 27 10 0      | ..              | 1,970 11 2      | 31,768 8 8   |
| Wanganui ..      | 1,370 14 1              | 77 7 1         | 470 16 7                | 425 14 2        | 132 16 4              | 126 1 4                  | ..                   | 51,307 7 10         | 6219 3 0      | 20 16 0   | 552 0 8    | 815 39 6                                    | 87 1 8                                          | ..            | 6 158 15 6     | ..              | 5,200 12 3      | 11,610 1 11  |
| Wellington ..    | 3,951 7 1               | 149 8 0        | 1,439 5 1               | 1,288 12 6      | 351 8 2               | 124 13 10                | ..                   | 51,307 7 10         | 6219 3 0      | 20 16 0   | 552 0 8    | 815 39 6                                    | 87 1 8                                          | ..            | 6 158 15 6     | ..              | 1,970 11 2      | 31,768 8 8   |
| Westport ..      | 641 9 0                 | 48 3 0         | 169 4 1                 | 140 6 6         | 64 10 9               | 43 5 6                   | ..                   | 654 3 2             | ..            | 26 7 6    | 205 0 6    | ..                                          | 23 6 3                                          | ..            | 13 19 0        | ..              | 22 17 6         | 2,052 12 8   |
| Whangarei ..     | 249 17 2                | 3 6 0          | 186 8 5                 | 34 13 0         | ..                    | 70 13 7                  | ..                   | 309 6 2             | ..            | 3 3 0     | 9 2 6      | 32 16 3                                     | 19 19 0                                         | ..            | 6 12 3 9       | ..              | 100 0 0         | 1,034 11 4   |
| Totals ..        | 30,725 17 21            | 219 12 7       | 12,567 5 11             | 10,374 8 6      | 3,995 5 7             | 713,322 8 0              | 1,481 15 10          | 46,515 18 0         | 1,366 18 7    | 527 17 0  | 5,315 13 0 | 28,640 9 6                                  | 1,413 18 8                                      | 8,809 16 9    | 1,249 13 5     | 147 19 1        | 16,688 13 2     | 106,276 10 9 |