G.—Table showing over a Series of Years the Number of Patents that were considered of sufficient Value to be kept alive by Payment of the Renewal Fees.

Year.	Number of Applications received.	Number of Complete Specifications received.	Number of Letters Patent sealed.	Number of Patents on which Second-term Fee paid.	Number of Patents on which Final Fee paid	
1890	614	493	364	80	37	
1891	589	448	348	78	23	
1892	606	449	326	84	37	
1893	625	451	333	99	47	
1894	756	529	349	88	31	
1895	816	539	362	113	45	
1896	992	675	478	118	53	
1897	1,093	648	517	136	49	
1898	1,021	635	504	138	58	
1899	992	618	501	199	90	
1900	1,009	614	498	172	71	
1901	1,114	699	580	200	91	
1902	1,431	859	655	209		
1903	1,604	865	687	229		
1904	1,483	793	629	209		

H.—Number of Applications for Patents from Persons residing in New Zealand and other Colonies and Countries in each of the Years 1906, 1907, and 1908.

				1906.	1907.	1908.				1906.	1907.	1908
New Zealand				1,101	969	1,013	Natal			2		
Argentina				l		3	New South Wales			90	92	78
Austria				4	2	1	Norway			1	l	:
Belgium					1	1	Orange River Colony					:
Brazil				1			Queensland			36	19	1.
Canada				12	13	6	Rnodesia				1	
Cape Colony				1	1		Russia			3	3	
Denmark				3	10	2	South Australia			11	17	
Ecuador				1			Spain			1		
Finland					2	1	Sweden			9	9	
France				11	8	5	Saitzerland				2	
Jermany				10	15	9	Tasmania	• •	•••	22	6	1
Holland		• • •			3	4	Transvaal			-6	8	ī
Hungary				4	i		United Kingdom			119	133	12
ndia			• • •		î	1	United States			92	113	9
taly	• •	• •		3	$\hat{\overline{2}}$	3	Victoria	• • •		187	180	11
anan .	• •	• •			1		Western Australia			22	7	1
aμαπ 1exico	• •	• • •	• • •	1 1		1	W Catchi Hagelana	••	• • •		'	*

Note.—A few applications were received from joint applicants resident in different countries; the figures will therefore Total more than the actual number of applications received.