

CLINICAL DIVISION.—ATTENDANCE, OPERATIONS, ETC., FOR THE YEAR 1922-23.

<i>Apia Hospital.</i>				<i>Tuasivi Hospital.</i>			
General attendance	5,093	Attendance	1,509				
European in-patients	196	Samoan in-patients	231				
Samoan in-patients	569	Samoan out-patients	922				
Chinese in-patients—		Operations	45				
Apia Hospital, 385; C. E. Hospital,							
184	569						
Chinese out-patients—							
Apia Hospital, 3,379; C. E. Hospital,							
1,125	4,504						
Operations*	144						

* Under the heading of "Operations" at the Apia Hospital are included under major operations, requiring a general anæsthetic. The records of minor operations are incomplete, but would average about 25 per month.

APIA HOSPITAL.—CLASSIFIED TABLE OF ADMISSIONS FOR THE YEAR 1922-23.

	1922.										1923.			
	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	Total.	
<i>Alimentary System—</i>														
Gastro-enteritis ..	9	4	4	3	8	5	3	1	11	10	12	3	73	
Marasmus ..	1	1	1	..	..	1	2	..	2	1	1	..	10
Catarrhal jaundice ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2
Hepatitis ..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Intussusception ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1*
Intestinal obstruction	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Hernia, inguinal ..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	3†
Imperforate anus ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2‡
Cleft palate ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Ascites ..	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4§
<i>Respiratory System—</i>														
Lobar pneumonia ..	1	3	7	11	3	1	..	6	3	4	7	1	47	
Bronchitis and Broncho - pneumo- nia ..	2	..	1	1	..	..	2	1	4	17	11	4	43
Pleurisy ..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	2	1	8||	
Phthisis ..	..	..	2	2	3	1	..	3	2	1	..	..	14
Asthma ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	2
Empyema ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Adenoids ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Circulatory system ..	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	4¶

* Adult, three days' duration; resection of bowel; died. † One case strangulated; three day's duration; resection; died.
‡ One case showed transposition of the viscera. § One case operated on for T.B; others probably T.B. || All of the dry type.
¶ Two cases of endocarditis, two doubtful; died soon after admission.

CAUSES OF DEATHS OCCURRING IN THE EUROPEAN AND SAMOAN HOSPITALS DURING THE YEAR 1922-23.

Disease.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Cancer of stomach	1	European.
Uræmia	1	European.
Placenta prævia	1	Half-caste Samoan; delivered at home; admitted in a critical condition; died of sepsis.
Cardiac	1	European: arterio-sclerosis and chronic nephritis.
Fractured skull	1	Half-caste male: admitted unconscious; died same day.
Gastro-enteritis	1	Half-caste child; died day of admission.
Bacillary dysentery and lobar pneumonia	1	European child: developed lobar pneumonia when convalescing from dysentery.
SAMOAN HOSPITAL.		
Bacillary dysentery	2	
Gastro-enteritis	5	
Marasmus	1	
Tetanus	2	
Ovarian cyst	1	Died from post-operative shock.
Strangulated hernia	1	Three days' duration; resection of bowel; artificial anus.
Intussusception	1	Three days' duration; resection of bowel; end-to-end anastomosis.
Imperforate anus	2	
Uræmia	1	Female; admitted in comatose condition.
Phthisis pulmonalis	1	
Encephalitis lethargica	1	
Arthritis, knee	1	Secondary hæmorrhage; amputation; death from post-operative shock.
Amputation of arm	1	Compound-fracture dislocation; one week; forearm gangrenous; death from shock and sepsis.
No diagnosis	6	Admitted in a moribund condition. In some instances there was evidence that Native medicine had been given. In at least one case this was admitted. The drug used appears to have caused rapid heart-failure, death ensuing in about twelve hours.