

TABLE XV.—SHOWING THE EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1891.

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
Clerk*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	325	0 0
Medical fees*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	802	13 0
Contingencies*	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	403	12 5
Visiting Medical Officers	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	150	0 0	200	0 0	..	..	350	0 0
Superintendents	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	300	0 0	147	10 0	..	..	2,572	10 0
Clerks ..	..	128	6 8	..	..	600	0 0	..	..	..	..	325	0 0	551	2 2
Matrons..	..	..	..	..	..	103	12 2	..	..	70	0 0	80	0 0	418	13 5
Attendants and servants	..	..	..	..	..	78	18 5	85	0 0	..	..	90	0 0	13	13 5
Rations ..	..	3,059	9 5	2,737	14 0	3,428	1 11	927	12 0	816	11 7	2,219	5 2	13,188	14 1
Fuel and light	..	3,038	11 2	2,939	9 6	3,248	5 2	949	0 8	850	17 4	2,093	5 1	13,119	8 11
Bedding and clothing	..	352	6 1	482	9 6	989	14 7	14	14 2	76	13 9	339	10 11	1,555	9 0
Surgery and dispensary	..	550	11 10	706	6 10	1,226	9 9	183	9 10	182	6 10	691	4 3	3,540	9 4
Wines, spirits, ale, and porter	..	42	15 3	48	9 3	73	0 4	23	2 6	15	2 4	54	4 4	256	14 0
Farm ..	..	3	4 0	2	19 6	12	7 0	2	15 8	8	16 0	2	14 0	32	16 2
Necessaries, incidental and miscellaneous	..	345	7 4	570	0 7	272	18 1	..	..	93	2 8	58	12 1	1,340	0 9
	..	1,166	12 10	921	11 5	2,537	14 1	237	15 7	287	5 4	753	10 0	5,904	9 3
Totals ..	..	9,287	4 7	9,267	19 0	11,896	18 1	2,873	10 5	2,748	5 10	6,756	9 2	45,561	12 6
Repayments, sale of produce, &c. ..	..	2,300	1 8	2,088	19 5	2,061	13 5	248	10 1	751	8 0	1,646	0 10	9,096	13 5
Actual cost ..	..	6,987	2 11	7,178	19 7	9,835	4 8	2,625	0 4	1,996	17 10	5,110	8 4	36,464	19 1

* 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.	Farm.	Necessaries, Incidental and Miscellaneous.	Total Cost per Patient.	Repayment for Maintenance.	Total Cost per Head, less Receipts of all kinds, previous Year.	Total Cost per Head, less Receipts of all kinds, previous Year.	Decrease in 1891.	Increase in 1891.
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Auckland	8 4	8 1	1 1	9 10	0 2	3 2	0 18	8 1	25 3	4 1	19 3	10 1	18 18	8 1
Christchurch	7 13	2 1	1 1	16 9 2	0 2	3 2	1 9	8 1	24 3	0 1	19 9	4 1	18 14	1 1
Dunedin (Seacliff)	6 10	5 1	2 9	8 3	0 2	11 1	0 10	11 1	23 17	9 1	20 1	10 1	19 15	0
Hokitika	9 6	6 1	1 16	0 3	0 4	6 1	0 17	8 1	26 4	9 1	26 0	10 1	25 15	11 1
Nelson ..	7 16	1 1	1 13	5 1	0 2	10 1	0 4	0 1	28 4	3 1	18 1	0 1	17 11	6 1
Wellington	7 3	11 1	2 7	6 1	0 3	8 1	0 4	0 1	23 4	3 1	18 1	0 1	17 11	6 1
Averages ..	7 9	9	2 0	5	0 2	11 1	0 15	3 1	24 8	10 1	19 14	3 1	19 5	0 1

NOTE.—Including the first four items in Table XV., the net cost per patient is £20 16s. 2d., as against £20 10s. 3d. for 1890, being an increase of 5s. 11d. per head. The total cost per patient for 1891 is 1s. 8d. less than for 1890; but the total receipts for 1890 were 7s. 7d. per head more than for 1891, thus making a net increase of 5s. 11d. per head for 1891.