

TABLE NO. 9.—NUMBER AND TYPE OF MOTOR ACCIDENTS OCCURRING IN THE LARGER CENTRES OF POPULATION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1945

Type of Accident.	Auckland Metropolitan Area.	Wellington Metropolitan Area.	Christchurch Metropolitan Area.	Dunedin Metropolitan Area.	Lower Hutt and Petone.	Palmerston North City.	Wanganui City.	Invercargill City.	Total.
Number of fatal accidents	16	6	8	3	3	2	..	..	38
<i>Number of Collisions</i>									
With other motor-vehicle	114	51	72	29	16	14	13	3	312
With railway train ..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	3
With electric tram ..	17	10	6	2	..	..	1	2	38
With bicyclist ..	63	31	130	32	23	12	15	7	313
With pedestrian ..	175	116	32	22	18	4	6	3	376
With telegraph or power pole	24	12	8	4	3	..	2	..	53
Other collisions ..	22	17	11	10	1	1	1	..	63
<i>Non-collisions</i>									
Vehicle left road ..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2
Vehicle overturned ..	3	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	10
Person fell from vehicle	4	2	2	2	2	..	1	..	13
Other ..	4	3	1	3	..	..	..	..	11
Total number of accidents	427	246	263	106	64	33	40	15	1,194

TABLE NO. 10.—CLASSIFICATION OF ROAD USERS KILLED OR INJURED EACH MONTH DURING CALENDAR YEAR 1945

Month.	Number of Persons killed and injured.					
	Occupants of Motor-vehicles.	Motor-cyclists or Pillion-riders.	Bicyclists.	Pedestrians.	Other.	Total.
January ..	121	31	30	34	1	217
February ..	119	14	37	33	3	206
March ..	136	23	46	57	2	264
April ..	144	29	49	47	1	270
May ..	157	31	68	67	3	326
June ..	141	15	41	72	4	273
July ..	125	18	36	49	4	232
August ..	193	33	72	90	3	391
September ..	162	43	56	54	3	318
October ..	191	33	41	44	6	315
November ..	141	33	61	42	1	278
December ..	213	39	43	46	5	346
Totals ..	1,843	342	580	635	36	3,436