

TABLE XV.A.—SCAFFOLDING ACCIDENTS, BY AGE-GROUPS*

Age-group.	Number of Accidents (Calendar Years).		
	1945.	1946.	1947.
16 to 20	9	10	7
21 to 24	10	..	5
25 to 34	27	16	29
35 to 44	21	8	17
45 to 54	16	10	13
55 and above	16	11	10
Not stated	1	1	4
Total	100	56	85

* These are preliminary figures only.

TABLE XV.B.—SCAFFOLDING ACCIDENTS, BY CAUSE OF ACCIDENT*

Cause.	Number of Accidents (Calendar Years).		
	1945.	1946.	1947.
Fixed machinery	8	5	8
Poisonous or corrosive substances	1	..	..
Fall of persons	24	25	32
Stepping on or striking against fixed objects	8	4	5
Falling or otherwise moving objects	5	5	3
Handling of objects	37	9	27
Hand-tools	16	5	6
Miscellaneous	1	3	4
Total	100	56	85

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