

Table 13B.—Notifications of Cases of Notifiable Diseases, by Health Districts, for Year Ended 31st December, 1948  
(Europeans)

| Name of Diseases.            | North Auckland. | Central Auckland. | South Auckland. | Thames-Tauranga. | Taranaki. | East Cape. | Wellington - Hawke's Bay. | Central Wellington. | Nelson-Marlborough. | Christchurch. | West Coast. | Yimaru. | Dunedin. | Southland. | Totals. |
|------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|------------------|-----------|------------|---------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------|-------------|---------|----------|------------|---------|
| Scarlet fever ..             | 11              | 147               | 86              | 15               | 48        | 18         | 157                       | 237                 | 14                  | 140           | 80          | 67      | 49       | 37         | 1,106   |
| Diphtheria ..                | 3               | 36                | 24              | 3                | 7         | 9          | 17                        | 24                  | 7                   | 15            | ..          | 6       | ..       | 3          | 154     |
| Enteric—                     | ..              | ..                | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | ..                        | ..                  | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | ..      |
| Typhoid ..                   | ..              | 1                 | 3               | ..               | 1         | 3          | 4                         | 1                   | ..                  | 1             | ..          | 1       | ..       | ..         | 15      |
| Paratyphoid ..               | ..              | 10                | 1               | ..               | ..        | 3          | 1                         | ..                  | ..                  | 8             | 2           | ..      | ..       | ..         | 25      |
| Tuberculosis—                | ..              | ..                | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | ..                        | ..                  | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | ..      |
| Pulmonary ..                 | 46              | 318               | 46              | 21               | 33        | 35         | 204                       | 211                 | 42                  | 177           | 17          | 52      | 101      | 53         | 1,356   |
| Other forms ..               | 1               | 20                | 9               | 2                | 5         | ..         | 24                        | 57                  | 9                   | 63            | 4           | 21      | 43       | 5          | 263     |
| Cerebro-spinal meningitis .. | ..              | 6                 | 4               | 1                | 1         | 4          | 7                         | 7                   | 2                   | 1             | 2           | 2       | 2        | ..         | 39      |
| Polomyelitis ..              | 45              | 180               | 121             | 19               | 115       | 21         | 88                        | 245                 | 25                  | 19            | 25          | 4       | 7        | ..         | 914     |
| Influenza ..                 | 1               | 4                 | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | 1                         | ..                  | ..                  | 2             | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 9       |
| Erysipelas ..                | ..              | 32                | 10              | 8                | 3         | 3          | 24                        | 35                  | 3                   | 17            | 1           | 9       | 10       | 12         | 167     |
| Puerperal fever—             | ..              | ..                | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | ..                        | ..                  | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | ..      |
| Ordinary ..                  | 1               | 12                | 1               | 1                | 1         | ..         | 3                         | 7                   | 1                   | 18            | 2           | 7       | 6        | 5          | 65      |
| Following abortion ..        | ..              | 49                | ..              | ..               | 1         | ..         | 1                         | 19                  | 2                   | ..            | 1           | ..      | ..       | ..         | 73      |
| Eclampsia ..                 | 1               | 18                | 2               | ..               | 2         | 3          | 5                         | 9                   | 2                   | 11            | 2           | 7       | 8        | 3          | 73      |
| Tetanus ..                   | ..              | 4                 | 2               | 3                | 3         | ..         | 3                         | 2                   | 1                   | ..            | 1           | 1       | 1        | ..         | 23      |
| Hydatids ..                  | ..              | 2                 | 2               | ..               | 5         | 1          | 11                        | 9                   | ..                  | 15            | ..          | ..      | 2        | ..         | 47      |
| Trachoma ..                  | ..              | 1                 | ..              | 1                | ..        | ..         | 2                         | ..                  | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 4       |
| Ophthalmia neonatorum ..     | 1               | 3                 | ..              | ..               | 1         | ..         | ..                        | 1                   | ..                  | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 6       |
| Food poisoning ..            | 2               | 19                | 3               | ..               | 6         | 5          | 2                         | 104                 | ..                  | 1             | ..          | 9       | 3        | 5          | 139     |
| Bacillary dysentery ..       | 2               | 4                 | 8               | ..               | ..        | 15         | 9                         | 4                   | ..                  | 1             | ..          | ..      | 53       | ..         | 96      |
| Amoebic dysentery ..         | 1               | 3                 | 1               | ..               | 2         | ..         | 8                         | 36                  | 1                   | 9             | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 61      |
| Undulant fever ..            | ..              | 3                 | 5               | ..               | ..        | 3          | 1                         | 5                   | 2                   | 7             | 1           | 1       | 3        | 6          | 37      |
| Chronic lead poisoning ..    | ..              | ..                | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | ..                        | 3                   | ..                  | 1             | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 4       |
| Malaria ..                   | ..              | 4                 | ..              | ..               | ..        | ..         | ..                        | 3                   | 1                   | 3             | 2           | 1       | ..       | ..         | 14      |
| Lethargic encephalitis ..    | 1               | 1                 | 1               | ..               | ..        | ..         | 5                         | ..                  | 1                   | ..            | ..          | ..      | ..       | ..         | 9       |
| Totals ..                    | 116             | 877               | 329             | 74               | 234       | 123        | 577                       | 1,019               | 113                 | 511           | 140         | 188     | 289      | 129        | 4,719   |