

TABLE II.—NUMBER of OLD-AGE PENSIONERS maintained by CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS throughout the Colony as at the 31st March, 1902, together with Amounts handed to each Pensioner after Deduction of Maintenance.

Controlling Body.		Institution.	Number of Pensioners.	Amount handed to Pensioners after Deduction of Maintenance.
Location.	Name.			
Auckland ..	Auckland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Costley Home	65	1s. per week.
" ..	Little Sisters of the Poor	Home	21	Nil.
Blenheim ..	Wairau Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Hospital	1	1s. per week.
" ..	" ..	Old Men's Home	3	1s. "
Charleston ..	Charleston Hospital Trustees	Hospital	3	6s. per month.
Christchurch ..	North Canterbury and Ashburton Charitable Aid Board	Jubilee Home, Christchurch	45	Nil.
" ..	" ..	Old Men's Home, Ashburton		"
Dunedin ..	Otago Benevolent Institution	Benevolent Institution	95	4s. per month.
Gisborne ..	Cook District Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	8	1s. per week.
Greymouth ..	Greymouth Hospital Trustees	Hospital	30	6s. per month.
Hamilton ..	Waikato Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	8	4s. "
Hokitika ..	Westland Hospital Trustees	Hospital	16	5s. "
Invercargill ..	Southland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Bowmont Street Home	28	4s. 6d. "
" ..	Ditto	Lorne Farm	8	8s. 6d. "
Kumara ..	Kumara Hospital Trustees	Hospital	8	5s. "
Napier ..	Hawke's Bay United Charitable Aid Board	Old People's Home	29	4s. 4d. "
Nelson ..	Nelson Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old People's Home	25	4s. "
New Plymouth ..	Taranaki District Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	16	8s. 4d. "
Oamaru ..	North Otago Benevolent Society	Old Men's Home	13	6s. "
Picton ..	Picton Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Hospital	8	4s. "
Reefton ..	Reefton Hospital Trustees	Hospital	7	5s. "
Ross ..	Westland Hospital Board, Hokitika	Hospital	5	5s. "
Thames ..	Thames and Coromandel United Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	6	4s. "
Timaru ..	South Canterbury Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	7	1s. per week.
Wanganui ..	Wanganui Charitable Aid Board	Jubilee Home	13	5s. per month.
Wellington ..	Wellington Benevolent Trustees	Ohio Home	12	4s. "
" ..	Home for Aged Needy Trustees	Home for Aged Needy	22	6s. 2d. "
" ..	Sisters of the Poor	Home for Incurables	13	4s. 2d. per month (average).
Westport ..	Buller Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Hospital	16	6s. per month.
Whangarei ..	North of Auckland Hospital and Charitable Aid Board	Old Men's Home	5	2s. 6d. "
Total			536	

TABLE III.—NUMBER of PENSIONS GRANTED since the Act came into Operation; NUMBER of DEATHS, CERTIFICATES CANCELLED, and PENSIONS LAPSED during each Year; and NUMBER of PENSIONS in FORCE at End of each Year.

Year ended	Number of Pensions granted.	Number of Deaths of Pensioners.	Number of Pension-certificates cancelled.	Number of Pensions lapsed.	Number of Pensions in Force at End of Year.
31st March, 1899 ...	7,487	38	6	...	7,443
" 1900 ...	4,699	786	65	6	11,285
" 1901 ...	2,227	815	227	65	12,405
" 1902 ...	1,694	935	206	182	12,776
Total ...	16,107	2,574	504	253	...