Table No. 1—Infectious Disease—continued.

			Popula- tion.	Enteric Fever.	Scarlet Fever.	Diph- theria.	Tuber- culosis.	Erysi- pelas.	Septi- cæmia.	Hy-datids.
Waimate County	•••		8,147		•••					
Waimate	•••			3	64				•••	
Morven				1		1	•••			
Studholme Junction					1		••			
Waitaki County	•••		14,684				1			
Oamaru	•••	•		1	• • • •		2		• • •	
$\mathbf{Enfield} \qquad \dots$	•••			1						•.•
Mulgrove	• • •			• • • •			1			
Totara	•••	•••		• • •	2					
${f Incholm} \qquad \ldots$					1	• • •				
Duntroon	. ***	•••	.,.	•••	2		•••		•••	
Totals	•••	•••	177,466	80	205	95	83	29	23	21
Totals in Chr district	ristchurch	and		29	57	47	40	12	9	2

Table No. 2.—Scarlet Fever.

		1	Apl.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Totals
Christchurch			3	3	4	5	4	5	4	2	0	6	1	2	39
Woolston												2			2
Riccarton			1				1		1	1	1				5
Spreydon				1	1	1			1				1		5
Lyttelton			1										2	1	4
Hornby		•••	•••	• • • •			•••		1						1
Prebbleton	• • •		1			1	•••			1					3
Islington			•••		3										3
Ellesmere	•••			2						<b>,</b>					2
Doyleston														1	1
Little River		•••					1								1
Kaikoura				٠							1				1
Amberley							• • • •		·	1					1
Rangiora			1			3		3							7
Springston	•••		1		,					• • • •					1
Oxford				•••		1									1
Swannanoa		•••	. 1					1							2
Ohoka						1									1
Kaiapoi			·	1					• • • •			l ˈ			1
Belfast					ĺ	1							j		1
$ \textbf{Ashburton} \dots \\$		• • • •	•••				• • •		•••					1	1
Temuka		•••	1						1	2			1	· 4	9
Milford	•••		1		•••		•••		• • •						1
Geraldine		•••	•••		1		• • •		1				2		4
Waimataitai	•••		•••			1			•••		- 5AFE		•••	• • •	1
Timaru		•••	•••		2		3	5	• 4	4	3	1	2	1	25
Pleasant Point		• • • •	1				• • •				1	•	·		2
Studholme Junction	ı										1				1
Waimate		•••		4	4	5	7	2	6	5	2	2	3	10	50
Duntroon		• • •					• • •		1					• • •	1
Totara			1	٠٠٠٠ الشر	1							<b> </b>			2
Incholme	•••		•••	••••		•••	•••		•••		•••		•••	1	1
Totals		•••	13	11	16	19	16	16	20	16	9	11	12	21	180
Totals in Chris district	tchur	ch and	4	4	5	6	5	5	6	3	1	8	2	2	51

There were 204 cases of scarlet fever in 180 houses, as compared with 174 cases in 139 houses in 1906. In Christchurch and district there were 57 cases in 51 houses, as compared with 81 cases in 69 houses in 1906. For the increase in the total number, the South Canterbury District is chiefly responsible, especially as this district has had comparatively few cases during the last few years. In 42 cases out of 57 in Christchurch and district in which the age was known, the following is the age and sex distribution:—

Under 5 Years.		5–10.		10–15.		15–20.		20-	30.	30-40.		Over 40.	
М.	F.	М.	F.	м.	F.	м.	F.	М.	F.	М.	F.	М.	F.
1	7	9	12	1	5	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	1

In 197 cases, out of 204 notifications 79 were males and 118 females.