

Deaths  
from  
suicide.

129. The deaths from suicide reported amounted to 37, 28 being males and 9 females, 18 out of the total having occurred in Montreal and Toronto. The number returned in 1886 from 22 cities was 31, and in 1887 from 26 cities 30.

Deaths  
from most  
fatal dis-  
eases.

130. The following table gives the number of deaths from the eight most fatal diseases in the 27 cities making returns in 1888. As will be seen from the arrangements at the foot of the table, the order of fatality is slightly different from that of the preceding year. The most fatal disease is placed first:—

DEATHS FROM THE MOST FATAL DISEASES, IN CERTAIN CITIES  
IN CANADA, 1888.

CITIES.	Atro- phy and de- bility.	Diarr- hoeal affec- tions.	Lung dis- eases.	Phthi- sis.	Cere- bro- spinal affec- tions.	Diph- theria.	Disea- ses of heart and blood vessels.	Throat affec- tions.
Montreal . . . . .	1,268	758	583	544	433	392	269	239
Toronto . . . . .	279	214	339	234	126	121	146	66
Quebec . . . . .	239	215	167	196	237	34	65	17
Hamilton . . . . .	80	49	118	72	43	41	59	36
Ottawa . . . . .	56	167	50	69	38	75	45	31
Halifax . . . . .	61	46	126	99	49	.....	51	19
St. John, N.B. . . . .	39	33	83	69	21	23	20	32
London . . . . .	21	34	43	47	11	9	27	9
Winnipeg . . . . .	31	87	60	32	15	54	18	13
Kingston . . . . .	54	9	29	30	9	9	17	3
Victoria, B.C. . . . .	1	26	18	20	16	22	28	2
Charlottetown . . . . .	9	13	13	33	10	.....	3	5
Brantford . . . . .	5	19	29	17	10	5	14	8
Hull . . . . .	136	26	30	35	18	31	7	17
Belleville . . . . .	12	16	14	23	9	.....	7	5
St. Thomas . . . . .	4	12	18	6	4	6	2	9
Guelph . . . . .	21	7	12	20	10	8	10	6
Three Rivers . . . . .	37	38	17	24	8	7	8	8
Sherbrooke . . . . .	27	29	31	22	15	2	15	7
Peterboro' . . . . .	12	13	18	9	7	11	10	2
Windsor . . . . .	10	7	15	18	9	6	14	.....
Chatham . . . . .	10	8	14	21	3	6	3	4
Woodstock . . . . .	9	4	19	13	4	10	8	7
Sorel . . . . .	17	46	5	26	5	33	8	16
St. Hyacinthe . . . . .	73	11	11	28	25	3	7	8
Galt . . . . .	4	15	15	11	3	1	10	.....
Fredericton . . . . .	3	4	5	12	7	6	7	3
Total . . . . .	2,518	1,906	1,882	1,730	1,145	915	878	572