



Source 2

Task

2a How many new cases were reported?

2b How many of the deaths were reported?

2c How many cases of cholera were there altogether?

2d How many people had died?

2e Approximately what percentage of people who caught cholera actually died from the disease?



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These are the minutes of a meeting of the Board of Health held on 13th January 1832. It includes a report of the numbers of cases of cholera in Sunderland, Newcastle and Gateshead.

Friday the 13th January 1832

Present:

Honble E. Stewart Sir W. Pym
 M^{rs} Marshall Dr Russell
 Dr Barry Major Macdonald
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Received the following Reports

Of Cholera Cases vizt

	11 th Ward Sunderland	Newcastle	Saltburn
Remained at last Report	1	90	36
Increases		20	1
Dead		7	1
Recovered		16	0
Remain	1	87	20
Total Cases	533	659	367
Total Deaths	201	204	124

	W Shields & Eymouth	Highgate Spring Vicinity	10 th Ward Gateshead Vicinity
Remained at last Report	12	24	7
Increases	2	3	..
Dead	1
Recovered	..	7	3
Remain	13	20	4
Total Cases	49	95	43
Total Deaths	20	32	16

Read Letter from the Secretary
 to the Board of Health at Gateshead dated 11th Jan

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<http://www.learningcurve.gov.uk/victorianbritain/healthy/source2.htm>