

TABLE 4.—Secondary (later) operations as related to principal wounds

Principal wound	Abdominal stab incision without laparotomy	Amputation	Bronchoscopy	Cast or plaster splint	Craniotomy	Cystostomy	Debridement	Died during secondary surgery	Drainage tube to pleural sac inserted	Dressing <sup>1</sup>	Fasciotomy	Incision of abscess	Laminectomy	Laparotomy	Opening of colostomy <sup>1</sup>	Other operations	Renal decapsulation	Secondary closure	Third or more operations	Thoracotomy	Total second- secondary operations
Intracranial.....		1	2	2	16		7	1	1			2		1		3		1	6		43
Intravertebral.....			1	1		2	1														5
Maxillofacial.....																					
Cervical.....							1	1								1					3
Intrathoracic.....		1	1	3	1	1	2		4				1							1	15
Thoracoabdominal.....	1	1	3		1		5		5			1		3					2	4	27
Combined intra-abdominal and intrathoracic.....									1					1			1				3
Intra-abdominal.....		4	2			3	7							5	2	4	1	5	3		36
Abdominal wall only.....																					
Upper extremity:																					
Soft tissue only.....																					
Bone and soft tissue.....							1			1											2
Lower extremity:																					
Soft tissue only.....		2					3			1	1										7
Bone and soft tissue.....		6				1	3			3				2					1		16
Unclassified multiple.....					3		2	2				1		1							9
Total.....	1	15	9	6	21	7	32	4	11	5	1	4	1	13	2	8	2	8	14	2	166

<sup>1</sup> Recorded only when done under anesthesia.