

TABLE 37.—Fractures of long bones of United States veterans of the World War, showing bones involved, location and character of the fracture and amputation, and deaths, January 1, 1926 *

Bones	Fracture															
	Location															
	Head		Neck		Upper		Middle		Lower		Condyle		Malleolus		Elbow	
	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation
Femur.....	192	29	183	1	709	504	858	795	997	410	81	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tibia.....	59	.....	8	.....	453	.....	443	.....	582	.....	18	.....	89	.....	.....	.....
Fibula.....	24	.....	4	.....	197	.....	170	.....	530	.....	.....	.....	27	.....	.....	.....
Humerus.....	228	88	50	4	794	297	539	151	1,108	145	309	.....	1	.....	4	.....
Ulna.....	30	.....	.....	.....	335	.....	232	.....	297	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Radius.....	66	.....	7	.....	198	.....	231	.....	550	.....	4	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Tibia, fibula.....	19	2	2	.....	306	413	708	473	1,570	332	17	.....	100	.....	1	.....
Radius, ulna.....	34	.....	9	1	261	123	309	130	854	164	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total.....	636	119	303	6	3,163	1,337	3,470	1,551	6,456	951	439	.....	245	.....	6	.....

Bones	Fracture														Reamputation	Deaths	Total *
	Location		Further location						Amputation				Reamputation				
	Knee		Not stated		Simple		Compound		Fracture		Due to disease		Reamputation				
	Fracture	Amputation	Fracture	Amputation	Right	Left	Right	Left	Not stated	Right	Left	Right	Left	Right				Left
Femur.....	1	.....	496	2	382	354	1,181	1,200	330	698	718	49	41	111	124	168	3,336
Tibia.....	.....	.....	617	.....	251	281	670	738	322	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	2,312
Fibula.....	.....	.....	340	.....	267	175	294	346	218	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	1,294
Humerus.....	.....	.....	549	3	259	292	1,361	1,298	422	324	315	4	3	23	19	112	4,432
Ulna.....	.....	.....	282	.....	97	107	310	458	177	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	24	1,183
Radius.....	.....	.....	269	.....	204	159	349	424	210	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1,361
Tibia, fibula.....	1	.....	631	19	500	498	852	944	501	413	489	53	34	55	97	126	4,622
Radius, ulna.....	.....	.....	439	3	319	253	477	514	343	160	230	4	3	11	13	67	2,406
Total.....	4	.....	3,633	27	2,289	2,119	5,504	5,922	2,523	1,585	1,732	130	81	100	253	606	12,964

* Source of information: Coordination Service, Evaluation Division, U. S. Veterans' Bureau.

* The difference in bone totals, in this table, is due to preference in tabulation being given to the amputated minor bone, where the major one was not amputated.