The subjoined table is a comparative summary of results for the five years 1877-81.

pangangana.	1877.	1878.	1879.	1880.	1881.
Number of lodges, &c., from which complete returns were received	89	103	122	138	169
Number of members at the end of the year Amount of sick and funeral funds at end	8,560	10,986	11,825	13,165	14,022
of year Number of members admitted during the	£88,865	£112,868	£126,357	£141,713	£155,192*
Number of members admitted during the year Number of members who left during the	1,204	1,519	1,572	1,863	1,976
year Number of members who died during the	938	1,079	1,396	2,031	1,792
vear	72	70	82	90	103
Number of members sick during the year	1,084	1,381	1,500*	1,665	1,935
Number of weeks' sickness experienced during the year	7,012.9	8,607.1	10,582.7	11,778.7	13,477.0

^{*} Approximately.

V.—TRADE UNIONS.

One application was received during 1881 for registry under "The Trade Union Act, 1878," namely, from the New Zealand Typographical Society. The conditions of registration were pointed out by the Registrar, but no further communication has been received from the society.

Registrar General's Office, Wellington, 31st July, 1882. WM. R. E. Brown, Registrar of Friendly Societies.

SCHEDULES.

SCHEDULE I.

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, WITH THEIR REGISTERED BRANCHES, AS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1881.

I.—Manchester Unity of Odd Fellows.

Reg. No. 13. Auckland District (1.) Howick Lodge, Howick. (2.) Charles Bruce Lodge, Thames. (3.) Good Intent Lodge, Auckland.	Situate at Auckland.	Reg. No. 40. Hokitika District (1.) Hokitika Lodge, Hokitika. (2.) Albert Lodge, Kumara. (3.) Waimea Lodge, Stafford.	Situate at Hokitika.
(4) Waikato Lodge, Thames. (5) Gisborne Lodge, Gisborne. (6) Whangarei Lodge, Whangarei.		27. Greymouth Lodge 45. Ross Lodge	Greymouth. Ross.
19. Fountain of Friendship Lodge 79. Alexandra Lodge 81. Duke of Cambridge Lodge 107. Parnell Lodge	Auckland. Alexandra. Cambridge. Parnell. New Plymouth.	170A. Ashley District (1.) Leithfield Lodge (2.) Cust Lodge (3.) Woodend Lodge (4.) Ohoka Lodge	Rangiora. Leithfield. Cust. Woodend. Ohoka.
93. New Plymouth District (1.) Excelsior Lodge, New Plymouth. 125. Egmont Lodge	New Plymouth.	(5) Oxford Lodge (6.) Amberley Lodge (7.) Sefton Lodge (8.) Waikari Lodge (9.) Rangiora Lodge	Oxford. Amberley. Sefton. Waikari.
138. Wanganui Lodge	Wanganui.	(10.) Nil Desperandum Lodge	Rangiora. East Oxford.
7. Wellington District 22. Antipodean Lodge 63. Rose of the Valley Lodge 126. Britannia Lodge	Wellington. Wellington. Lower Hutt. Wellington.	18. North Canterbury District (1.) Volunteer Lodge, Sydenham. (2.) Perseverance Lodge, Woolston.	Christehurch.
 77. Marlborough District (1.) Marlborough Lodge, Blenheim. (2.) Renwick Lodge, Renwick. 	Blenheim.	(3.) Ashburton Lodge, Ashburton. 12. Benevolent Lodge 16. City of Christchurch Lodge 52. Kaiapoi Lodge	Christchurch. Christchurch. Kaiapoi.
25. Nelson District 30. Howard Lodge 41. Nelson Lodge 109. Travellers' Kest Lodge 92. North Westland District	Nelson. Nelson. Nelson. Richmond.	5. Lyttelton District (1.) Dawn of Hope Lodge, Little River. (2.) Hand of Friendship Lodge, Okain's Bay. (3.) Timaru Lodge, Timaru.	Lyttelton.
 (1.) Reefton Lodge, Reefton. (2.) Westport Lodge, Westport. (3.) Charleston Lodge, Charleston. 		6. City of Norwich Lodge 31. Arowhenus Lodge 128. Good Intent Lodge	Lyttelton. Temuka. Akaros.