

APPENDIX V.—SUMMARY OF VALUATIONS COMPLETED DURING THE YEAR 1898.—TABLE A—continued.

Name of Society and Branch.	Place of Establishment.	Year of Establishment.	Date of Valuation.	Number of Members.	Present Value of Benefits.	Present Value of Contributions.	Value of Accumulated Benefit Funds.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Average Surplus per Member.	Average Deficiency per Member.	Average Age of Members.	Average Annual Contribution to Benefit Funds.	Average Value of Accumulated Benefit Funds.	Rate of Interest credited to Benefit Funds (average for Quinquennium).	Surplus or Deficiency at previous Valuation (average per Member).
<b>S.D.T.</b>																
<i>National Division of New Zealand—</i>																
Perseverance ..	Christchurch ..	1872	1897.	66	2,566	1,752	1,118	304	..	4.61	..	36.12	1.63	16.94	..	..
Resolution ..	Rangiora ..	1873	Dec. 31	68	2,645	1,805	831	..	9	..	0.13	39.53	1.75	12.22	..	..
All other Divisions..	..	..	"	238	9,255	6,318	1,517	..	1,420	..	5.97	32.17	1.56	6.37	..	..
Total	..	..	..	372	14,466	9,875	3,466	..	1,125	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
<i>Grand Council of New Zealand—</i>																
<b>P.P.A.F.S.A.</b>																
Princes of Wales Lodge ..	Thames ..	1873	1896.	126	7,332	2,893	2,212	..	2,227	..	17.67	46.05	1.52	17.56	7.90	- 15.47
Pioneer ..	Dunedin ..	1873	Dec. 31	30	1,683	686	247	..	750	..	25.00	44.77	1.52	8.23	0.84	- 25.47
Excelsior ..	Green Island ..	1876	"	54	2,567	1,349	540	..	678	..	12.56	36.95	1.52	10.00	4.17	- 16.43
Wickliffe ..	Napier ..	1877	"	29	1,660	659	813	..	188	..	6.48	46.59	1.52	28.03	*	- 14.88
John Knox ..	Wellington ..	1879	"	56	2,627	1,385	993	..	249	..	4.45	37.21	1.52	17.73	5.60	- 9.29
Alexandra ..	Auckland ..	1879	"	89	4,386	2,219	1,079	..	1,088	..	12.23	38.40	1.54	12.12	6.59	- 15.59
Triumph ..	South Dunedin ..	1883	"	83	3,883	2,082	858	..	943	..	11.36	36.78	1.52	10.34	4.09	- 14.91
Valley True Blue ..	North-east Valley ..	1883	"	28	1,336	683	318	..	335	..	11.96	38.25	1.52	11.36	4.02	- 13.13
Star of Hastings ..	Hastings ..	1883	"	15	694	364	220	..	110	..	7.33	37.47	1.52	14.67	3.49	- 13.32
Star of Oamaru ..	Oamaru ..	1883	"	37	4,051	2,140	808	..	1,103	..	12.67	36.70	1.52	9.29	4.43	- 15.18
Pride of Ngapara ..	Ngapara ..	1890	"	34	1,441	860	280	..	301	..	8.85	32.85	1.52	8.24	1.70	- 15.12
St. Albans ..	Auckland ..	1896	"	29	1,114	801	154	..	159	..	5.48	27.48	1.58	5.31	..	†
Total	..	..	..	660	32,774	16,121	8,522	..	8,131	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

\* Not calculable. † Not previously valued.