

APPENDIX I.
PERCENTAGES and AVERAGES deduced from the Statistics of New Zealand Friendly Societies for the Years 1892-1903.

Description of Percentage or Average.	Years.											
	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.
Mortality of members (rate per 1,000 members at risk)	6.38	6.86	7.53	6.52	6.89	5.82	7.24	7.57	7.00	7.20	7.88	8.49
" wives	3.33	3.65	3.65	3.54	3.32	3.23	3.46	3.93	3.42	3.94	3.61	3.79
Sick members, percentage of	19.96	19.84	21.45	17.93	17.90	19.20	20.22	20.26	19.18	21.40	20.47	20.08
Sickness (weeks), average per member	1.33	1.31	1.41	1.34	1.36	1.40	1.43	1.44	1.44	1.57	1.58	1.56
" sick	6.65	6.61	6.55	7.49	7.61	7.36	7.06	7.10	7.52	7.35	7.67	7.63
" death of member	208.09	191.09	186.59	205.89	197.83	240.67	197.08	189.93	205.91	218.40	199.92	183.64
Contribution to Sick and Funeral Fund, average per member (on mean number)	£1.41	£1.41	£1.40	£1.39	£1.40	£1.41	£1.40	£1.42	£1.39	£1.44	£1.45	£1.45
Sickness benefit, average per member (on mean number)	20s. 10d.	20s. 5d.	22s.	21s. 4d.	20s. 1d.	20s. 9d.	22s. 3d.	21s. 3d.	20s. 11d.	21s. 9d.	22s.	21s. 4d.
" sick	£5.22	£5.14	£5.13	£5.66	£5.61	£5.42	£5.50	£5.24	£5.45	£5.35	£5.68	£5.47
Funeral benefits, average per member	3s. 1d.	3s. 6d.	3s. 9d.	3s. 8d.	3s. 7d.	3s. 1d.	3s. 8d.	4s. 5d.	3s. 8d.	3s. 9d.	4s. 3d.	5s. 1d.
Contribution to Medical and Management Fund, average per member	£1.37	£1.36	£1.37	£1.38	£1.38	£1.39	£1.37	£1.40	£1.39	£1.38	£1.46	£1.37
Medical expenses, average per member	19s. 2d.	19s.	18s. 11d.	19s.	18s. 11d.	18s. 11d.	18s. 9d.	18s. 10d.	18s. 9d.	18s. 9d.	18s. 8d.	19s.
Management expenses, † average per member	10s. 2d.	9s. 10d.	9s. 11d.	9s. 10d.	9s. 10d.	9s. 10d.	9s. 6d.	9s. 6d.	9s. 6d.	9s. 10d.	12s. 1d.	9s. 11d.
Ratio to total sickness (per cent.) of—												
1. Sickness experienced during first six months	64.53	64.57	65.27	61.77	58.99	60.16	61.20	60.07	57.65	59.08	59.50	59.14
2. " " during second six months	7.82	6.81	7.67	7.88	7.91	6.61	7.33	7.71	8.79	7.42	8.40	8.32
3. " " after twelve months	27.65	28.62	27.06	30.35	33.10	33.23	31.47	32.22	33.56	33.50	32.10	32.54
Ratio to total assets (per cent.) of—												
1. Investments at interest	71.03	72.29	73.52	73.93	74.49	75.45	76.49	77.57	77.98	77.95	78.68	78.94
2. Value of land and buildings	22.56	21.29	20.59	20.04	19.48	18.45	17.65	16.74	15.87	16.15	15.27	14.80
3. Cash not bearing interest	4.11	4.20	3.79	4.03	4.07	4.16	3.93	3.91	4.29	3.98	3.89	4.17
4. Value of goods, &c.	2.06	1.91	1.69	1.72	1.72	1.67	1.66	1.54	1.47	1.42	1.26	1.18
5. Other assets	0.24	0.31	0.41	0.28	0.24	0.27	0.27	0.24	0.39	0.50	0.90	0.91

* Inclusive of levies and entrance and clearance fees. † I.e., management expenses of lodges, and levies of the Management Fund of central bodies.