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FRIENDLY SOCIETIES AND TRADE-UNIONS.

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT BY THE REGISTRAR OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES,
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1915.

*Presented to both Houses of the General Assembly pursuant to the Friendly Societies Act, 1909,
Section 9, and the Trade-unions Act, 1908, Section 16.*

The REGISTRAR OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES to the Hon. the MINISTER.

SIR,—

Wellington, 1st July, 1916.

I have the honour to submit herewith, in accordance with the Act, the annual report of this Office for the year ended 31st December, 1915.

I have, &c.,
R. E. HAYES,
Registrar of Friendly Societies.

FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' CONFERENCE.

In accordance with the recommendations of the Petitions Committee of the House last session delegates from the different orders were invited by the Minister (the Hon. J. A. Hanan) to meet the Government and discuss the relations between the societies and the National Provident Fund.

The Conference met at Parliament Buildings, Wellington, on the 13th April, 1916, at which the Hon. J. A. Hanan (Minister in Charge of the Friendly Societies Department) presiding, the Hon. Arthur M. Myers (Minister in Charge of the National Provident Fund), Mr. R. E. Hayes (Registrar of Friendly Societies and Superintendent of National Provident Fund), and Mr. A. T. Traversi (Actuary to the Department) were present.

The following delegates of the friendly societies attended:—

M.U.I.O.O.F.—Messrs. J. Smith, J. H. F. Hamel, J. McLeod, T. J. Archbold, J. Kershaw, I. Salek, J. A. Hoperaft, and A. J. Ibbotson.

A.O.F.—J. Shaldrick, R. Darlow, J. Redshaw, R. Dixon, W. D. Marks, and J. Hope.

U.A.O.D.—R. Fletcher, M.P., J. N. Grant, A. Thompson, A. Mewburn, J. W. Baty, and J. B. Steele.

I.O.O.F.—C. J. Talbot, M.P., R. Robb, and William Reid.

I.O.R.—J. W. Foster, J. J. Wesley, and T. Fathers.

H.A.C.B.S.—Hon. W. Beehan, M.L.C.

P.A.F.S.A.—W. H. Frith.

Small societies (combined)—J. F. Hosking.

After welcoming the delegates and delivering addresses explanatory of the Government's policy on the questions under discussion, the Ministers invited delegates to consider proposals for the adoption of an annuity scheme for members of societies, at rates representing contributions equal to one-half of the amounts set out in the National Provident Fund Act, 1910. After considerable discussion in committee with the Department's officers, the delegates reported to the Ministers that, while appreciating the offer, the proposals did not ensure to the societies the immediate help they desired, and they eventually carried the following resolution unanimously: "Believing that the offer of a Government-subsidized superannuation proposal by the Minister is an earnest endeavour to grant a measure of relief to friendly societies, this meeting accepts such proposal on an optional basis, relying on the statement made by the Hon. Mr. Myers that the representations of this meeting whereby immediate relief is strongly urged for friendly societies (more particularly in the form of maternity benefits) shall be taken into consideration by the Hon. Mr. Myers in conjunction with the Hon. Mr. Hanan."

MEMBERS ON ACTIVE SERVICE : REINSURANCE.

An account is submitted herewith showing the amount of the subsidies payable by the Government to the societies and representing half the cost of reinsuring the funeral benefit of members with the Expeditionary Forces :—

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Claims paid and in hand at 31st March, 1916	5,995
Claims received since 31st March, 1916	2,105

Total to date	£8,100

This amount represents half of the premium cost (which is £16,200) of reinsuring the death benefits of 4,860 members of friendly societies.

HALL PROPERTIES.

I have on previous occasions referred to the practice of transferring to Management Funds the building properties belonging to Sick and Funeral Funds. An important judgment on this point was given in the New South Wales Courts in the case "Trustees of the Loyal Ryde Lodge, M.U.I.O.O.F., *versus* the Directors and Trustees of the Head Society of the M.U.I.O.O.F." In this case it was shown that the lodge had as far back as 1867 purchased land with money advanced out of the Sick and Funeral Fund, and subsequently built a hall with moneys also advanced out of Sick and Funeral Fund, including a small sum raised by concert and subscriptions. None of these sums had ever been repaid or the indebtedness acknowledged by the Management Fund, and the property had appeared in the balance-sheet as an asset of the Sick and Funeral Fund. The Judge therefore laid it down that once the asset is treated as part of the Sick and Funeral Fund it must be definitely regarded as so allocated. This ruling applies to the attempts made in several New Zealand societies to deal with hall properties in an improper manner, and the judgment is quoted as a warning to officials who endeavour to carry out these illegal transactions.

VALIDITY OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' RULES.

The following judgment bearing directly on the powers of friendly societies to amend their rules was delivered by the Appeal Court during the year in the case *Cook and Others v. Donaldson and Others* :—

A district branch of the Ancient Order of Foresters and courts or branches thereof were registered under the Friendly Societies Act, 1909. The rules provided that the society should form a district branch in conformity with and amenable to the General Rules of the order, but the parent order was not registered in New Zealand. Under the rules each court has a Sick and Funeral Fund to which the members had to contribute according to a specified scale, and the district society had two separate funds, a Sick Fund and a Funeral Fund, consisting of contributions from the courts, each court having to make payments to those funds in respect of each of its members according to a specified scale. The Sick Fund was to meet cases of sickness continuing beyond twelve months, and the Funeral Fund was a fund out of which the district society, in consideration of the contributions thereto by the courts, indemnified the courts in respect of their liability to their members for funeral benefits. Subject to the liability to make these contributions a court Sick and Funeral Fund was the property of the court, and was held in trust for its members. The rules of the parent order provided that the funds of each branch (court or district) should vest in the trustees thereof for the sole use and benefit of the members of such branch, and should be under the exclusive control of the members and trustees thereof, subject only to the General Rules of the order. In 1914 the district society made rules purporting to abolish the two District Funds and to establish in substitution therefor one fund, a Sick and Funeral Fund, out of which all sick and funeral benefits should be paid, and for that purpose the rules required each court to transfer to the district society its Sick and Funeral Fund (except any surplus) and all future contributions thereto. The effect of these rules (if valid) would be to transfer the Sick and Funeral Fund of each court, which was for the benefit of the members thereof, to the Sick and Funeral Fund of the district society, which was for the benefit of the members of the society generally.

Held, That the transfer of each court's Sick and Funeral Fund to the new District Sick and Funeral Fund was in contravention of section 40 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, and was invalid.

The effects of the judgment were far-reaching :—

- (1.) The validity of established Sick Funds and Funeral Funds of societies was touched.
- (2.) The consolidating rules of societies which had been in operation for some years were invalidated.
- (3.) It was doubtful if a New Zealand society had power to control its own constitution independent of the original parent body in Great Britain.

Without going into the details of this important case, it must be pointed out that the judgment avoids consideration of the obvious and well-established fact that all societies had from the earliest years consolidated their funeral benefits. The objections that may be applied to the consolidation of sickness benefits would, in principle, have equal weight when applied to the consolidation of funeral benefits.

The Court of Appeal judgment meant that the Friendly Societies Act prohibited a society from effecting an important alteration in its financial constitution. (It should be noted that legislation on similar lines in other States has no such effect.) The freedom of members of societies to deal on legitimate financial lines with their own funds was thus seriously affected, and this was quickly realized by those who understand the close association and the obligatory relationship, financial and otherwise, that exist between a society and its branches. The prohibition against members altering

their business methods by means of their society's machinery was, moreover, a reversal of the established practice in friendly-society legislation, which has studiously adhered to a policy of non-interference with the internal constitutions of these organizations.

It was therefore clearly the duty of the State to relieve itself of a responsibility it never intended to undertake, and the question of freeing the Act from such an obstacle as section 40 was interpreted to be, had to be carefully considered. It was decided to repeal the section, thus putting our law in conformity with the English Act (which has no counterpart to this section), and to make due provision for the validation of rules already passed or registered. This was embodied in the Friendly Societies Amendment Act of 1915, which thus conserves for societies the fundamental right to control their own affairs. It should be added that section 40 was originally enacted in 1877 for the express purpose of imposing an extra check on bad administrative practices, at that time very common in friendly societies, but which, it is pleasing to report, are to-day almost non-existent.

It would be as well, in view of this case, that societies carefully consider the effect of any reference in their rules expressing or implying conformity or subordination to the rules of the parent body in Great Britain.

REPEAL OF SECTION 40 OF 1909 ACT.

The amending Act of last year repealed this section, as already pointed out. The statement was made that the repeal removed an important administrative safeguard and weakened the powers of the Act in regard to irregular transfers of benefit-fund moneys. In order, therefore, to place the legal position beyond doubt and reassure those who feared ill effects from the repeal, the following opinion was furnished by the Revising Barrister of the Crown Law Office :—

“I am of opinion that the repeal of section 40 of the Friendly Societies Act, 1909, has not removed any safeguard against the misapplication of the benefit or other funds of a friendly society. The same provision as that set out in subsection (1) of section 40 is still contained in the Act in another way. In fact, section 40 contained a duplicate provision.

“Section 12 (2) provides that the rules of a society *shall* contain provisions in respect of the several matters mentioned in the Second Schedule. Paragraph 17 of that schedule requires in the case of friendly societies ‘the keeping of separate accounts of all moneys received or paid in respect of every particular fund for which a separate table of contributions payable has been adopted.’ Then paragraph 18 requires ‘the establishment of a separate fund for the payment of all expenses of management and of all expenses on account of medical and surgical attendance, including medicine and medical and surgical requisites, and the keeping of separate accounts of such expenses and of all contributions on account thereof.’ Similar provisions are set out in the Third Schedule with respect to branches. As these requirements are mandatory, no rules can be registered which do not contain these provisions.

“Any person who wilfully applies any part of the funds to purposes other than those directed in the rules is liable under section 81 of the Act to a fine of £50.

“Our provisions on this subject are now the same as those contained in the English Friendly Societies Act, 1896, and should be amply sufficient to safeguard benefit funds.

“E. Y. REDWARD,

“Revising Barrister.

“Crown Law Office, 20th October, 1915.”

OTHER PROVISIONS OF AMENDING ACT, 1915.

This Act, besides dealing with the important policy question referred to in the preceding paragraphs, also provided for the following matters: The legalizing of the “officer” status of members of advisory or controlling bodies appointed by a society or branch to assist in the investment of funds; the furnishing of evidence of assets, &c., on valuation as required and when required by the Registrar; the limiting of the protection of the rights of soldier members to service *in New Zealand*; the reinstatement of provisions relative to “specially authorized societies,” making their rules binding and giving the right to sue for subscriptions.

OPERATIONS OF NEW ZEALAND SOCIETIES.

REGISTRATIONS.

There were registered during the past year 13 new societies and branches, distributed among the various orders as follows: M.U.I.O.O.F., 1 lodge; I.O.O.F., 3 lodges; A.O.F., 5 courts; I.O.R., 1 tent; isolated friendly societies, 3.

The following registrations were cancelled :—

By request: M.U.I.O.O.F. Tamahine Lodge (North Canterbury District); I.O.R. Pride of Manukau (New Zealand District).

The following amalgamation was registered: M.U.I.O.O.F. Sisters of Friendship with Ponsonby (Auckland District).

Court Enterprise seceded from United Otago District A.O.F., and the Fountain of Friendship Lodge seceded from the Auckland District M.U.I.O.O.F.

The following changes of name were registered: M.U.I.O.O.F. Waimangaroa to Denniston (United Westland District); I.O.O.F. Star of Ohacawai to Star of Kaikohe (I.O.O.F. of New Zealand).

The position of the orders in respect of registration is shown by the following summary as at the beginning and end of 1915 :—

Name of Order.	Registrations at 1st January, 1914.	Established.	Closed.	Registrations at 31st December, 1915.
Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows ..	229	1	3	227
Independent Order of Odd Fellows	102	3	..	105
National Independent Order of Odd Fellows	3	..	..	3
British United Order of Odd Fellows	1	..	..	1
Ancient Order of Foresters	149*	5	1	153*
Ancient Order of Shepherds	1	..	..	1
United Ancient Order of Druids	138	..	..	138
Independent Order of Rechabites	77	1	1	77
Sons and Daughters of Temperance	11	..	..	11
Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society	66	..	..	66
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia	13	..	..	13
Isolated friendly societies	28	3	..	31
Working-men's clubs	16	..	..	16
Independent Order of Good Templars	55	..	..	55
Specially authorized societies	20	..	..	20
Totals	909	13	5	917

* Includes three courts under expulsion but position undetermined.

A complete list of societies and branches on the register as at the end of 1915 is given in Appendix I.

RULES.

The rules of 36 societies and branches came under revision in one form or another for amendment during 1915.

Complete amendments were registered during the year, viz. :—

M.U.I.O.O.F.—Hawke's Bay District; Lyttelton District; Napara (Otago District); Southland District.

I.O.O.F.—I.O.O.F. of New Zealand; Pioneer of Southland.

A.O.F.—Ashburton and Queen of the Isles (Canterbury United District).

U.A.O.D.—Grand Lodge of the North Island of New Zealand.

I.F.S.—Kaitangata Employees' Benefit Society.

W.M.C.—Wellington Working-men's Club; South Wairarapa Working-men's Club.

Partial Amendments of Rules registered.

Partial amendments for the following were made :—

M.U.I.O.O.F.—General Cameron (Nelson District); Clive (Hawke's Bay District); Motueka District; Wanganui District; North Canterbury District; City of Norwich (Lyttelton District); Makikihi (South Canterbury District); Otago District.

A.O.F.—Auckland District (2); Canterbury United District (2); Court City of Auckland.

U.A.O.D.—Grand Lodge of Canterbury District.

I.O.R.—New Zealand District; New Zealand Central District.

S. and D. T.—National Division of New Zealand.

I.F.S.—Grey Valley Accident Relief Fund; Denniston Collieries Medical and Accident Relief Association; Nightcaps Collieries Medical Sick and Accident Relief Association; Otago Daily Times Mutual Provident Society; Palmerston North United Friendly Societies' Dispensary; Millerton Colliery Medical and Accident Relief Association.

W.M.C.—Blenheim Working-men's Club; Napier Working-men's Club.

S.A.S.—New Brighton Co-operative Money Club.

Some of the above amendments relate to the conditions brought about by the war, and have taken the form of—

- (1.) Exempting members on active service from the payment of contributions.
- (2.) Establishment of district or society Sick Funds for the pooling of the lodges' war sick liabilities.
- (3.) Withholding sick-pay while members absent from New Zealand on active service.

ANNUAL RETURNS OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE, ETC.

Many societies failed to strictly comply with the Act, which requires the returns to reach me on or before the 31st March. The number outstanding at that date in each society was as follows:—

Annual Returns Outstanding at 31st March, 1916.

Name of Society.	Central Body.	Branches.
M.U.I.O.O.F.—		
New Plymouth District .. .. .	..	1
Marlborough District	1	1
Ashley District .. .. .	..	2
Ashburton District	1	3
Otago District	1	2
I.O.O.F. of New Zealand .. .. .	..	33
A.O.F.—		
Auckland District .. .. .	..	1
Hawke's Bay District .. .. .	..	1
Taranaki District .. .. .	..	3
Wellington District .. .. .	..	4
Canterbury United District .. .. .	..	13
South Canterbury District .. .. .	..	3
United Otago District	1	3
U.A.O.D.—		
Grand Lodge of the North Island of New Zealand .. .. .	..	10
Grand Lodge of Canterbury .. .. .	..	5
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	1	5
I.O.R.—		
New Zealand District .. .. .	..	3
New Zealand Central District .. .. .	..	12
S.D.T.—		
National Division	1	..
Divisions separately registered .. .. .	..	1
H.A.C.B.S.	1	29
I.F.S., &c. .. .. .	..	34
	7	169
	176	

The above results are, I regret to state, not so satisfactory as last year.

STATISTICS OF MEMBERSHIP AND FUNDS.

The following table shows the membership of 728 lodges* of the Dominion, for the year 1915:—

Number of members, 1st January	74,377
Number admitted by—	
Initiation, &c.	3,881
Clearance	571
	4,452
	78,829
Number who died	767
Number left by—	
Clearance	583
Arrears, &c.	4,452
	5,802
Number of members at 31st December	73,027

There is therefore on the whole a small decrease in membership equal to 1·8 per cent.—a not unexpected result in view of the diversion of young lives to the war and the policy of societies in ceasing to initiate members of military age.

The total funds of the societies and branches as on the 31st December, 1915, amounted to £1,852,355, made up as follows: Sick and Funeral Funds (inclusive of amounts transferred to special funds out of surplus), £1,699,790; Medical and Management Funds, goods, &c., £152,565. Dividing the total funds by the number of members at the end of the year it is found the average capital per member is now £25 7s. 4d.

* The word "lodge," when applied to all societies, is to be understood as embracing the synonymous terms "court," "tent," &c., as used in the various orders.

Taking the several years 1906-1915, the number of lodges whose returns were tabulated, the number of members, total funds, and average capital per member at the end of each year were as under :—

Year.	Number of Lodges tabulated.	Number of Members.	Total Funds	Average Capital.
			£	£ s. d.
1906	500	53,759	1,057,821	19 13 6
1907	516	56,817	1,118,217	19 13 7
1908	505	58,517	1,123,886	19 4 1
1909	567	64,428	1,266,297	19 13 1
1910	609	68,006	1,367,282	20 2 1
1911	658	71,771	1,441,353	20 1 8
1912	664	73,243	1,553,339	21 4 2
1913	681	73,691	1,643,177	22 6 0
1914	717	74,074	1,744,456	23 11 0
1915	728	73,027	1,852,355	25 7 4

The above figures include the latest statistics received from lodges.

The following statement shows the disposal of the total funds (including those of the central bodies) as on 31st December, 1915 :—

Funds.	Assets.
	£
Sick and Funeral Funds	1,641,479
Surplus Appropriation Funds, &c.	58,311
Management Funds, goods, &c.	89,166
Widow and Orphans' Funds	14,538
Distress, Benevolent Funds, &c.	48,861
Total	£1,852,355
	Investments at interest
	Value of land and buildings
	Cash not bearing interest
	Value of goods
	Other assets
	Owing by Management Fund
	Total
	£1,852,355

The next table shows the number of members of friendly societies, the amount of their accumulated capital, and the average capital per member, in each of the Australian States and in the Dominion of New Zealand, according to the latest received statistics, arranged in order of membership :—

State or Dominion.	Date of Return.	Number of Lodges.	Number of Members.	Amount of Funds.	Capital per Member.
				£	£ s. d.
New South Wales	31st December, 1914	1,874	182,223	1,784,931	9 15 10
Victoria	1914	1,524	159,741	2,644,216	16 11 1
New Zealand	1914	717	74,074	1,744,456	23 11 0
South Australia	1914	578	66,532	1,189,218	17 17 6
Queensland	1914	550	52,247	747,844	14 6 3
Tasmania	1914	209	23,399	241,387	10 6 4
Western Australia	1914	296	19,903	236,935	11 18 1

Sickness.

The number of members sick during 1915 was 11,864, equal to 16.44 per 100 members at risk. The sickness experienced during 1915 was 113,682 weeks, equal to 9 weeks 4 days per sick member, and 1 week 4 days for each member at risk.

Mortality.

The following statement of average mortality experienced during the years 1911-15 is given herewith, but it takes no account of age incidence :—

Year.	Members.		Wives.	
	Number who died.	Number per 1,000 Members at Risk.	Number who died.	Number per 1,000 Members at Risk.
1911	475	7.10	210	3.14
1912	471	6.80	241	3.48
1913	523	7.38	158	2.28
1914	506	7.02	238	3.30
1915	767	10.63	240	3.33

Sick and Funeral Funds.

The contributions and entrance fees paid to Sick and Funeral Funds in 1915 amounted to £112,815. Divided by the mean number of members the average was £1 10s. 7d., as compared with £1 10s. 10d. in 1914.

The interest and rent received by the lodges and central bodies amounted to £79,238 in 1915, equal to £1 1s. 6d. per member, as against 19s. 10d. for 1914.

The amount of sickness benefit paid was £76,554 in 1915, equal to £6 9s. 1d. per member sick, and £1 0s. 9d. per member, as against £6 9s. 11d. and £1 0s. 11d. respectively for 1914. Viewing the amount paid in relation to the weeks of sickness, the average benefit per week is found to be 13s. 6d. in 1915, as compared with 13s. 9d. in 1914.

The funeral benefit paid amounted to £19,701 in 1915, equal to 5s. 4d. per member, as compared with 4s. 4d. for 1914.

The total worth of the Sick and Funeral Funds of 728 lodges at the beginning of 1915 was £1,546,937, and at the end of the year £1,641,479. The balance of gain for the year was £94,542, or £1 5s. 8d. per member in 1915, as compared with £90,791, or £1 4s. 5d. in 1914.

Investment of Funds.

The net income from investments credited to the Sick and Funeral Funds for 1915 amounted to £79,238, the average rate being 5·10 per cent. (say, £5 2s.), as against £5 0s. 8d. in 1914.

TABLE SHOWING THE TOTAL WORTH OF THE SICK AND FUNERAL FUNDS OF 728 LODGES AS ON THE 1ST JANUARY, 1915, AND THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1915, INCLUSIVE OF THE ACCUMULATIONS HELD BY THE CENTRAL BODIES; ALSO THE AMOUNT AND AVERAGE RATE OF INTEREST EARNED.

Name of Society.	Total Worth of Sick and Funeral Fund as on		Amount of Interest.	Average Rate per Cent.
	January 1, 1915.	December 31, 1915.		
	£	£	£	£
M.U.I.O.O.F.	659,590	708,199	33,939	5·11
I.O.O.F.	98,290	102,792	4,791	4·88
N.I.O.O.F.	4,975	5,181	218	4·39
B.U.O.O.F.	3,154	3,327	164	5·19
A.O.F.	372,125	389,595	18,705	5·04
A.O.S.	1,151	1,191	60	5·26
U.A.O.D.	226,338	247,379	11,668	5·05
I.O.R.	77,482	81,762	4,044	5·21
S.D.T.	20,465	21,411	1,114	5·47
H.A.C.B.S.	31,327	33,524	1,573	4·97
P.A.F.S.A.	21,604	22,975	1,193	5·50
Other societies	30,436	29,143	1,774	6·14
Totals	1,546,937	1,641,479	79,238	5·10

TRADE-UNIONS.

The following registrations were cancelled: By request—The Picton Waterside Workers' Union and the Millerton Mine Workers' Union.

There were 32 unions on the register at the end of the year.

Complete amendment of rules: West Coast Workers' Trade Union.

Partial amendments of rules: Waihi Trade Union of Workers.

INCORPORATED SOCIETIES ACT.

During 1915 there were 58 societies, clubs, or associations incorporated under this Act, and amendments of rules of 43 societies were accepted. One society was wound up and 2 dissolved. On the 31st December, 1915, there were 1,014 incorporated bodies on the register. A classification of these societies gives: 423 sports clubs; 274 automobile, social, and musical clubs; 174 professional, commercial, industrial, &c.; 67 public-hall societies; and 76 miscellaneous.

EXPLANATORY NOTE OF TERMS USED IN REPORT.

A.O.F. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Ancient Order of Foresters.
A.O.S. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Ancient Order of Shepherds.
B.U.O.O.F. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	British United Order of Odd Fellows.
E.T.B.F.S. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Eden Temperance Benefit Friendly Society.
H.A.C.B.S. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society.
I.F.S. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Isolated friendly society.
I.O.G.T. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Independent Order of Good Templars.
I.O.O.F. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Independent Order of Odd Fellows.
I.O.R. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Independent Order of Rechabites.
M.U.I.O.O.F. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows.
N.I.O.O.F. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	National Independent Order of Odd Fellows.
P.A.F.S.A. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia.
S.A.S. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Specially authorized society.
S.D.T. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Sons and Daughters of Temperance.
U.A.O.D. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	United Ancient Order of Druids.
W.M.C. . . . .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	Working-men's Club.

REPORT BY THE ACTUARY.

Friendly Societies Department, Wellington, 26th May, 1916.

To the Registrar.

THE valuations completed during the past year have been made upon the same mortality and sickness bases as in previous years—namely, upon the experience of New Zealand friendly societies up to age 70, and upon Sutton's English Sickness Tables and Farr's Healthy English Mortality Tables after that age, with modification in special cases.

In my report for a previous year I stated that "though the above tables are on the whole very suitable for the valuation of New Zealand societies, it is found that in certain geographical districts and in certain societies there are well-defined departures from the standard rates of mortality and sickness, and before long it will become necessary to undertake a thorough investigation of the data with a view to the construction of auxiliary tables." The need for these auxiliary valuation tables is becoming more and more pronounced, and this work should be undertaken at the earliest opportunity.

No allowance has, so far, been made in the valuations for the prospective effect of the war upon the liabilities of the societies, and that fact will require to be borne in mind in basing any transactions upon the results. So far as immediate mortality is concerned, the financial effect of the war will to a great extent disclose itself during the continuance of the war—that is to say, the first valuation following the war will automatically indicate the exact effect of deaths that have actually occurred in action or from disease. The case is different, however, when we consider temporary or permanent impairment caused by the war and involving prospective sickness or early death, or both. This will constitute an addition to the liabilities of the societies, depending, of course, upon the manner in which societies deal with these cases. There is no doubt that, if it were feasible, the proper course would be to estimate the prospective effect of this factor and add it to the liabilities in the valuation. An alternative course is to leave the matter in abeyance pending the end of the war, and then to make estimates on the best facts that can be obtained. Meanwhile each valuation must be considered to be subject to a reservation. It is, of course, possible that in many lodges the additional liability so produced may be negligible when measured against the total strength of the lodge.

The societies valued during the year comprise the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand, a consolidated society; the Canterbury District, A.O.F.; the South Canterbury District, A.O.F.; the Otago and Southland District, U.A.O.D.; and Court Coromandel. Of these the first is completely solvent on valuation, and the second nearly so; whilst the others, excepting Court Coromandel, show a distinct tendency towards improvement.

A. T. TRAVERSI, Actuary.

APPENDIX I.

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, WITH THEIR REGISTERED BRANCHES, AS ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1915.

I. Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

- | Reg. No. | Reg. No. |
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| 312. <i>New Zealand Branch, Wellington.</i> | 5. (32.) Pukekohe Lodge, Pukekohe. |
| 1. <i>Wellington District—Wellington.</i> | (33.) Matamata Lodge, Matamata. |
| (1.) Combination Lodge, Johnsonville. | (34.) Te Kuiti Lodge, Te Kuiti. |
| (2.) Masterton Lodge, Masterton. | (35.) Morrinsville Lodge, Morrinsville. |
| (3.) Heart of Oak Lodge, Carterton. | (36.) Ngaruawahia Lodge, Ngaruawahia. |
| (4.) Greytown Lodge, Greytown. | (37.) Mamaku Lodge, Mamaku. |
| (5.) Unity Lodge, Featherston. | (39.) Sisters of Hamilton Lodge, Hamilton. |
| (6.) St. George Lodge, Pahautanui. | (40.) Mangapai Lodge, Mangapai. |
| (8.) Petone Lodge, Petone. | (41.) Dominion Lodge, Mount Eden. |
| (10.) Rose of Sharon Lodge, Upper Hutt. | (42.) Selwyn Lodge, Putaruru. |
| (11.) Britannia Lodge, Wellington. | (43.) Ponsoby Lodge, Auckland. |
| (12.) Antipodean Lodge, Wellington. | (44.) Waitoa Lodge, Waitoa. |
| (13.) Eketahuna Lodge, Eketahuna. | (45.) Te Puke Lodge, Te Puke. |
| (14.) Martinborough Lodge, Martinborough. | (46.) Patutahi Lodge, Patutahi. |
| (15.) Rose of the Valley Lodge, Hutt. | (47.) Remuera Lodge, Remuera. |
| (16.) Mangatainoka Lodge, Mangatainoka. | (48.) Calliope Lodge, Devonport. |
| (17.) Newtown Lodge, Newtown. | (49.) Hearts of Oak Lodge, Taumarunui. |
| (18.) Victoria Diamond Lodge, Levin. | |
| (19.) Sister Wallis Lodge, Wellington. | 6. <i>Ashburton District—Ashburton.</i> |
| (20.) Kilbirnie Lodge, Kilbirnie. | (1.) Ashburton Lodge, Ashburton. |
| | (2.) Pioneer Lodge, Springburn. |
| 2. <i>Ashley District—Rangiora.</i> | (3.) Waterton Lodge, Waterton. |
| (1.) Leithfield Lodge, Leithfield. | (5.) Tinwald Lodge, Tinwald. |
| (2.) Cust Lodge, Cust. | (6.) Methven Lodge, Methven. |
| (3.) Woodend Lodge, Woodend. | (7.) Mayfield Lodge, Mayfield. |
| (4.) Ohoka Lodge, Ohoka. | (8.) Hinds Lodge, Hinds. |
| (5.) Oxford Lodge, Oxford. | (9.) Rakaia Lodge, Rakaia. |
| (6.) Amberley Lodge, Amberley. | |
| (8.) Waikari Lodge, Waikari. | 7. <i>Motueka District—Motueka.</i> |
| (9.) Rangiora Lodge, Rangiora. | (1.) Motueka Lodge, Motueka. |
| (10.) Nil Desperandum Lodge, East Oxford. | (2.) Good Intention Lodge, Riwaka. |
| (12.) Waiau Lodge, Waiau. | (3.) Takaka Lodge, Takaka. |
| | (4.) South Star Lodge, Dovedale. |
| 3. <i>Nelson District—Nelson.</i> | |
| (1.) Howard Lodge, Nelson. | 8. <i>New Plymouth District—New Plymouth.</i> |
| (2.) General Cameron Lodge, Brightwater. | (1.) Excelsior Lodge, New Plymouth. |
| (4.) Mansion of Peace Lodge, Wakefield. | (2.) Waitara Lodge, Waitara. |
| (5.) Travellers' Rest Lodge, Richmond. | (3.) Union Lodge, Hawera. |
| (6.) Nelson Lodge, Nelson. | (4.) Egmont Lodge, New Plymouth. |
| (7.) Mataki Lodge, Murchison. | (5.) Manaia Lodge, Manaia. |
| (8.) Palmyra Lodge, Tadmor. | (6.) Eltham Lodge, Eltham. |
| | (7.) Midhurst Lodge, Midhurst. |
| 4. <i>Hawke's Bay District—Napier.</i> | (8.) Stratford Lodge, Stratford. |
| (1.) Meeanee Lodge, Taradale. | (9.) Toko Lodge, Toko. |
| (2.) Abbotsford Lodge, Waipawa. | (10.) Opunake Lodge, Te Kiri. |
| (3.) Clive Lodge, Clive. | (11.) Kaponga Lodge, Kaponga. |
| (4.) Hastings Lodge, Hastings. | |
| (6.) Tavistock Lodge, Waipukurau. | 10. <i>Wanganui District—Wanganui.</i> |
| (7.) Woodville Lodge, Woodville. | (1.) Manawatu Lodge, Palmerston North. |
| (8.) Napier Lodge, Napier. | (2.) Manchester Lodge, Feilding. |
| (9.) Forest Home Lodge, Ormondville. | (4.) Apiti Lodge, Apiti. |
| (10.) Dannevirke Lodge, Dannevirke. | (5.) Rangitikei Lodge, Mangaweka. |
| (12.) Ruahine Lodge, Tikokino. | (6.) Hautapu Lodge, Taihape. |
| (13.) Te Reinga Lodge, Clyde. | (7.) Bunnythorpe Lodge, Bunnythorpe. |
| | (9.) Wanganui Lodge, Wanganui. |
| 5. <i>Auckland District—Auckland.</i> | (10.) Hunterville Lodge, Hunterville. |
| (1.) Howick Lodge, Howick. | (11.) Foxton Lodge, Foxton. |
| (2.) Charles Bruce Lodge, Thames. | (12.) Kimbolton Lodge, Kimbolton. |
| (3.) Good Intent Lodge, Auckland. | (13.) Ohakune Lodge, Ohakune. |
| (4.) Waikato Lodge, Thames. | |
| (5.) Gisborne Lodge, Gisborne. | 11. <i>North Canterbury District—Christchurch.</i> |
| (6.) Whangarei Lodge, Whangarei. | (1.) Volunteer Lodge, Sydenham. |
| (7.) Franklin Lodge, Otahuhu. | (2.) Perseverance Lodge, Woolston. |
| (9.) Parnell Lodge, Parnell. | (4.) Benevolent Lodge, Christchurch. |
| (14.) Warkworth Pioneer Lodge, Warkworth. | (8.) Kaiapoi Lodge, Kaiapoi. |
| (16.) Duke of Cambridge Lodge, Cambridge. | (9.) Phillipstown Lodge, Phillipstown. |
| (17.) Hauraki Lodge, Coromandel. | (10.) Leeston Lodge, Leeston. |
| (18.) Hokianga Lodge, Hokianga. | (11.) Papanui Lodge, Papanui. |
| (19.) Karangahake Lodge, Karangahake. | (12.) Coleridge Lodge, Coleridge. |
| (20.) Waihi Lodge, Waihi. | (14.) Addington Lodge, Addington. |
| (21.) Jubilee Lodge, Paeroa. | (16.) Malvern Lodge, Waddington. |
| (22.) Manukau Lodge, Onehunga. | (20.) City of Christchurch Lodge, Christchurch. |
| (23.) Rotorua Lodge, Rotorua. | (21.) Heart of Oak Lodge, Kaikoura. |
| (24.) Waitokauri and Golden Cross Lodge, Waitokauri. | (22.) Riccarton Lodge, Papanui. |
| (25.) Waipu Lodge, Waipu. | (23.) Jubilee Lodge, Prebbleton. |
| (27.) Hot Springs Lodge, Te Aroha. | (24.) Sister Pearce Lodge, Christchurch. |
| (28.) Te Awamutu Lodge, Te Awamutu. | |
| (29.) Hamilton Lodge, Hamilton. | 12. <i>Marlborough District—Blenheim.</i> |
| (30.) Hikurangi Lodge, Hikurangi. | (1.) Marlborough Lodge, Blenheim. |
| (31.) Hand of Friendship Lodge, Huntly. | (2.) Renwick Lodge, Renwicktown. |

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, ETC.—*continued.*I. Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows—*continued.*

- Reg. No.
312-19. *United Westland District*—Reefton.
- (1.) Reefton Lodge, Reefton.
 - (2.) Westport Lodge, Westport.
 - (3.) Charleston Lodge, Charleston.
 - (5.) Denniston Lodge, Denniston.
 - (6.) Blackball Lodge, Blackball.
 - (7.) Ngakawau Lodge, Granity.
 - (8.) Mokihinui Lodge, Seddonville.
 - (9.) Albert Lodge, Kumara.
 - (10.) Waimea Lodge, Stafford.
 - (11.) Greymouth Lodge, Greymouth.
5. *Lyttelton District*—Lyttelton.
2. Hand of Friendship Lodge, Okain's Bay.
 4. Good Intent Lodge, Akaroa.
 5. Perseverance Lodge, Barry's Bay.
 6. City of Norwich Lodge, Lyttelton.
 7. Hand and Heart Lodge, Pigeon Bay.
 10. Wairewa Lodge, Little River.
315. *South Canterbury District*—Timaru.
1. Timaru Lodge, Timaru.
 2. Pleasant Point Lodge, Pleasant Point.
 3. Heart of Friendship Lodge, Waimate.
 4. Makikibi Lodge, Makikibi.
 5. Morven Lodge, Morven.
23. *Otago District*—Dunedin.
1. Outram Lodge, Outram.
 2. Albion Lodge, Dunedin.
 3. Alexandra Lodge, Port Molyneux.
 4. Prince of Wales Lodge, Port Chalmers.
 5. Tapanui Lodge, Tapanui.
 6. Roxburgh Lodge, Roxburgh.
 7. Prince Alfred Lodge, Waikouaiti.
 8. Dunedin Lodge, Dunedin.
 9. Waipori Lodge, Waipori.
 10. Palmerston Lodge, Palmerston South.
 11. Dalton Lodge, Balclutha.
 13. Cromwell Lodge, Cromwell.

- Reg. No.
23. 14. Hand and Heart Lodge, Dunedin.
15. Oamaru Lodge, Oamaru.
 16. Band of Friendship Lodge, Kakanui.
 17. Tuapeka Pioneer Lodge, Lawrence.
 18. Waitahuna Lodge, Waitahuna.
 19. Bluespur Lodge, Bluespur.
 20. Mosgiel Lodge, Mosgiel.
 21. Mount Wendon Lodge, Waikaka.
 22. Caversham Lodge, Caversham.
 23. Valley Lodge, North-east Valley.
 24. Naseby Lodge, Naseby.
 25. Ngapara Lodge, Ngapara.
 26. Dunback Lodge, Dunback.
 27. Pride of Kaitangata Lodge, Kaitangata.
 28. Milton Lodge, Milton.
 29. United Brothers Lodge, Cambrian.
 30. Waikaka Lodge, Waikaka.
 31. Middlemarch Lodge, Middlemarch.
 32. Centenary Lodge, South Dunedin.
 33. Maniototo Lodge, Ranfurly.
 34. Vincent Lodge, Omakau.
64. *Southland District*—Invercargill.
1. Shamrock, Rose, and Thistle Lodge, Invercargill.
 2. St. George Lodge, Invercargill.
 3. Lumsden Lodge, Lumsden.
 4. Winton Lodge, Winton.
 5. United Gore Lodge, Gore.
 6. Awarua Lodge, Campbelltown.
 8. Riversdale Lodge, Riversdale.
 9. Mataura Falls Lodge, Mataura.
 10. Star of the West Lodge, Orepuki.
 11. Star of Nightcaps Lodge, Nightcaps.
 12. Hearts of Oak Lodge, Invercargill.
 13. Balfour Lodge, Balfour.
 14. Otautau Lodge, Otautau.
 15. Star of Edendale Lodge, Edendale.
 16. Queen of the West Lodge, Wallacetown.
 17. Dipton Lodge, Dipton.

II. Independent Order of Odd Fellows of New Zealand.

146. *Grand Lodge of New Zealand*—Dunedin.
1. Pioneer Lodge, Dunedin.
 2. Star of Canterbury Lodge, Timaru.
 4. Alexandrovna Lodge, Temuka.
 5. Unity Lodge, South Dunedin.
 8. Southern Cross Lodge, Wellington.
 12. Alfred Lodge, Oamaru.
 15. Pioneer of Southland Lodge, Invercargill.
 16. Leith Lodge, Dunedin.
 17. Star of Auckland Lodge, Auckland.
 19. Victoria Lodge, Geraldine.
 20. Templeton Lodge, Templeton.
 21. Alma Lodge, Wyndham.
 22. Ridgley Lodge, Christchurch.
 23. Wallace Lodge, Riverton.
 25. Gladstone Lodge, Fairlie Creek.
 26. Mataura Lodge, Mataura.
 27. Kawakawa Lodge, Kawakawa.
 28. Orient Lodge, Palmerston North.
 29. Kaeo Lodge, Kaeo.
 31. Washington Lodge, Sydenham.
 32. Linden Lodge, Kaikorai.
 37. Popotunoa Lodge, Clinton.
 39. Hope of Maheno Lodge, Maheno.
 44. Waiareka Lodge, Enfield.
 46. Rangitikei Lodge, Bull's.
 47. Star of Eden Lodge, Ponsonby.
 49. Northern Wairoa Lodge, Westport.
 50. Myrtle Rebekah Lodge, Auckland.
 51. Aparima Lodge, Otautau.
 52. Linda Rebekah Lodge, Roslyn.
 54. Wynyard Lodge, Auckland.
 55. Opotiki Lodge, Opotiki.
 56. Naomi Rebekah Lodge, Christchurch.
 57. Star of Waiuku Lodge, Waiuku.
 58. Owaka Lodge, Owaka.
 59. Star of Gisborne Lodge, Gisborne.
 60. Te Ngawai Lodge, Albury.
 61. Star of Napier Lodge, Napier.
 62. Hereweka Lodge, Portobello.
 63. Star of Linwood Lodge, Linwood.
 64. Royal Oak Lodge, Drummond.
 65. Awhina Lodge, Mamaku.
 66. Hakatere Lodge, Ashburton.
 67. Star of Sydenham Lodge, Sydenham.
 68. Waiata Lodge, Clifden.
 69. Star of St. Albans Lodge, St. Albans.
 70. Aroatea Lodge, Birkenhead.
 71. Wairoa Lodge, Wairoa.
 72. Zealandia Lodge, Wellington.
 73. Clevedon Lodge, Clevedon.
 74. Star of Papakaio Lodge, Papakaio.
 75. Excelsior Lodge, Pukekohe.
146. 76. Star of Kaikohe Lodge, Kaikohe.
77. Royal Pukerau Lodge, Pukerau.
 78. Star of Hokianga Lodge, Kohukohu.
 79. Star of Avondale Lodge, Avondale.
 80. Star of Waikato Lodge, Hamilton.
 81. Ruth Rebekah Lodge, Dunedin.
 82. Moana Rebekah Lodge, Riverton.
 83. Miriam Rebekah Lodge, South Dunedin.
 84. Golden Link Rebekah Lodge, Linwood.
 85. Lily of Sydenham Rebekah Lodge, Sydenham.
 86. Gisborne Rebekah Lodge, Gisborne.
 87. Te Ara Rebekah Lodge, Otautau.
 88. Takiara Rebekah Lodge, Invercargill.
 89. Rakaia Lodge, Rakaia.
 90. St. Kilda Lodge, Dunedin.
 91. Maori Hill Lodge, Maori Hill.
 92. Star of Papakura Lodge, Papakura.
 93. Loyal Waimate Lodge, Waimate.
 94. Pride of Taumarunui Lodge, Taumarunui.
 95. Star of Bombay Lodge, Bombay, Auckland.
 96. Karamu Lodge, Hastings.
 97. New Brighton Lodge, New Brighton.
 98. Pyramid Lodge, Wanganui.
 99. Marama Lodge, Morton Mains.
 100. Star of Whangarei Lodge, Whangarei.
 101. Chertsey Lodge, Chertsey.
 102. Kia Ora Lodge, Dannevirke.
 103. Star of Bluff Lodge, Bluff.
 104. Arawa Lodge, Cambridge.
 105. Star of Waikiwi Lodge, Waikiwi.
 106. Epsom Lodge, Epsom.
 107. Awarua Lodge, Taihape.
 108. Hokonui Lodge, Gore.
 109. Kiwitea Lodge, Feilding.
 110. Tois Tois Lodge, Waimahaka.
 111. Waipoua Lodge, Masterton.
 112. Lily of Eden Rebekah Lodge, Ponsonby.
 113. Paritutu Lodge, New Plymouth.
 114. Oreti Lodge, Wallacetown.
 115. Clutha Lodge, Balclutha.
 116. Star of Egmont Lodge, Eltham.
 117. Aroha Lodge, South Invercargill.
 118. Star of Ellerslie Lodge, Ellerslie.
 119. Kennington Lodge, Kennington.
 120. Poutou Lodge, Whangamomona.
 121. Star of Melrose Lodge, Devonport.
 122. Cleveland Lodge, Brooklyn.
 123. Star of Opawa Lodge, Opawa.
 124. Victoria Rebekah Lodge, Wellington.
 125. Huia Lodge, Hawera.
 126. Sunshine Rebekah Lodge, Timaru.
 127. Star of Opunake Lodge, Opunake.

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, ETC.—*continued.*

III. National Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

Reg. No.	Reg. No.
160. <i>Auckland Provincial District</i> —Auckland.	160. 2. United Brothers Lodge, Mount Eden.
1. Auckland Pioneer Lodge, Auckland.	

IV. British United Order of Odd Fellows.

Reg. No.
311. Aorangi Lodge, Wellington.

V. Ancient Order of Foresters.

17. <i>Auckland District</i> —Auckland.	144. 27. Court Makakahi, Eketahuna.
3. Court Zealandia, Auckland.	28. " Lady Glasgow, Wellington.
4. " Robin Hood, Panmure.	29. " Primrose, Petone.
5. " Nil Desperandum, Newton.	31. " Star of Levin, Levin.
6. " Royal Oak, Tauranga.	33. " Pride of Foxton, Foxton.
7. " Pride of Onehunga, Onehunga.	35. " Pongaroa, Pongaroa.
8. " Pride of the North, Grahamstown.	36. " Alexandra, Marton.
9. " Star of the South, Otahuhu.	37. " Loyal Northland, Northland.
10. " Pride of Newmarket, Auckland.	38. " Sir George Grey, Wellington.
11. " Northern Wairoa, Dargaville.	40. " Rangataua, Rangataua.
13. " Star of Helensville, Helensville.	
14. " Victoria, Devonport.	4. <i>Nelson District</i> —Nelson.
15. " Queen of the North, Maungaturoto.	1. Court Pride of the Forest, Wakapuaka.
18. " Maid Marion, Auckland.	2. " Concord, Greymouth.
19. " Waihi, Waihi.	3. " Sherwood Forest, Stoke.
23. " Birkenhead, Birkenhead.	4. " Robin Hood, Nelson.
24. " Pride of Awanui, Awanui.	5. " Aorere, Collingwood.
26. " Taumarunui, Taumarunui.	6. " Inangahua, Reefton.
27. " Shaldrick, Onehunga.	7. " Unity, Havelock.
28. " Alexandra, Devonport.	8. " Perseverance, Motueka.
30. " Unity, Paparoa.	9. " Charleston, Charleston.
32. " Pride of Waikato, Hamilton.	10. " Royal Oak, Westport.
33. " Te Puke, Te Puke.	11. " Karamea, Karamea.
34. " Takapuna, Takapuna.	
150. <i>Hawke's Bay District</i> —Napier.	28. <i>Canterbury United District</i> —Christchurch.
1. Court Sir Charles Napier, Napier.*	1. Court Pride of Courtenay, Courtenay.
2. " Captain Cook, Napier.	2. " Thistle of the Forest, Sydenham.
3. " Sir Henry Havelock, Havelock.*	4. " Woodford, Kaiapoi.
4. " Robin Hood, Port Ahuriri.	8. " Papanui, Papanui.
5. " Ruahine, Waipukurau.	9. " Ashburton, Ashburton.
6. " Lord Clyde, Wairoa.	10. " Star of Dunsandel, Dunsandel.
7. " Heretaunga, Hastings.*	11. " Star of Belfast, Belfast.
8. " Little John, Waipawa.	13. " Queen of Canterbury, Christchurch.
9. " Ormond, Makotuku.	14. " Victoria, Kaiapoi.
10. " Rising Sun, Dannevirke.	15. " Star of Canterbury, Christchurch.
11. " Waitangi, West Clive.	16. " Loburn, Loburn.
12. " Redclyffe, Taradale.	17. " Star of Rakaiia, Rakaiia.
14. " Viking, Norsewood.	18. " Queen of the Isles, Lyttelton.
15. " Johnston, Takapuna.	
* Under expulsion by district, but position undetermined.	252. <i>South Canterbury District</i> —Timaru.
216. <i>Taranaki District</i> —New Plymouth.	1. Court Southern Cross, Timaru.
1. Court Taranaki, New Plymouth.	2. " Progress, St. Andrew's.
2. " Inglewood Forest, Inglewood.	3. " Star of Waihao, Morven.
3. " Raleigh, Waitara.	4. " Foresters' Pride, Waimate.
4. " Egmont, Hawera.	
5. " Patea, Patea.	10. <i>United Otago District</i> —Dunedin.
6. " Stratford, Stratford.	3. Court Pride of Oamaru, Oamaru.
7. " Pride of New Plymouth, New Plymouth.	5. " Robin Hood, Port Chalmers.
8. " Opunake, Opunake.	7. " Roxburgh, Roxburgh.
9. " Waireka, New Plymouth.	8. " St. Andrew's, Caversham.
10. " Lady Islington, Stratford.	11. " Pride of Alexandra, Alexandra.
11. " Pride of Eltham, Eltham.	12. " Bruce, Milton.
144. <i>Wellington District</i> —Wellington.	14. " Excelsior, Morningson.
1. Court Robin Hood, Wellington.	15. " Pride of the Leith, Dunedin.
2. " Sir George Bowen, Wellington.	17. " Star of the South, Invercargill.
4. " Clarendon, Picton.	18. " Star of the Dunstan, Clyde.
5. " Manawatu, Palmerston North.	19. " Little John, Roslyn.
6. " Loyal Feilding, Feilding.	20. " Royal Oak, Wyndham.
7. " William Gladstone, Gisborne.	21. " Southern Star, Bluff.
8. " Pioneer, Te Nui.	22. " Woodlands' Pride, Dunedin.
9. " Roderick Dhu, Wanganui.	23. " Queen of the South, Invercargill.
10. " Blenheim, Blenheim.	24. " Star of the Forest, Woodlands.
11. " Loyal Enterprise, Masterton.	25. " Marion, Mosgiel.
12. " Marquis of Normanby, Carterton.	26. " Victoria, Oamaru.
13. " Little John, Marton.	28. " Pride of Waitaki, Kurow.
14. " Wairarapa, Greytown.	29. " Pride of Green Island, Green Island.
16. " Woodville, Woodville.	30. " King Edward's Pride, South Dunedin.
17. " Loyal Halcombe, Halcombe.	31. " Star of Heriot, Heriot.
18. " Pohangina, Ashhurst.	32. " Molyneux, Balclutha.
19. " Epuni, Petone.	33. " Southern, Invercargill.
20. " Pahiatua, Pahiatua.	34. " Pride of Edendale, Edendale.
21. " Kopuaranga, Mauriceville.	
22. " Hunterville, Hunterville.	<i>Courts not in any District.</i>
23. " Sir William Jervois, Newtown.	88. Court Coromandel, Coromandel.
24. " Pride of Levin, Levin.	340. " City of Auckland, Auckland.
25. " Bloomfield, Hutt.	342. " Pride of Parnell, Thames.
	344. " Pride of Dunedin, Dunedin.
	350. " Enterprise, Dunedin.

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, ETC.—*continued.***VI. Ancient Order of Shepherds.**

Reg. No.

11. Sanctuary Sir George Grey—Wellington.

VII. United Ancient Order of Druids

Reg. No.

296. *Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand*—Wellington.

1. Oroua Lodge, Palmerston North.
3. Horowhenua Lodge, Levin.
4. Otaki Lodge, Otaki.
5. Stonehenge Lodge, Masterton.
6. Bishop Lodge, Wanganui.
7. Turanganui Lodge, Gisborne.
8. Auckland Lodge, Auckland.
9. Pacific Lodge, Wellington.
10. Blenheim Mistletoe Lodge, Blenheim.
11. Totara Lodge, Carterton.
12. Star of Egmont Lodge, Patea.
13. Morgan Lodge, Marton.
14. Holly Lodge, Johnsonville.
15. Hawera Lodge, Hawera.
16. Star of Paeroa Lodge, Paeroa.
18. Moturoa Lodge, New Plymouth.
19. Poneke Lodge, Petone.
20. Ponsonby Lodge, Auckland.
21. Pride of Waibi Lodge, Waibi.
22. Victoria Lodge, Waikino.
23. Manakau Lodge, Manakau.
24. Pahiatua Lodge, Pahiatua.
25. Coronation Lodge, Wellington.
26. Alexandra Lodge, Karangahake.
27. Ruahine Lodge, Dannevirke.
28. Shannon Lodge, Shannon.
29. Eltham Lodge, Eltham.
30. Mungaroa Lodge, Upper Hutt.
31. Inglewood Lodge, Inglewood.
32. Myrtle Lodge, Eketahuna.
33. Excelsior Lodge, Wellington.
34. Maitai Lodge, Nelson.
35. Star of the West Lodge, Greymouth.
36. Star of Newmarket Lodge, Auckland.
37. Whangarei Lodge, Whangarei.
39. Seddon Lodge, Dunollie.
40. Trafalgar Lodge, Wakefield.
41. Shedwood Lodge, Motupiko.
42. Star of New Zealand Lodge, Hutt.
43. Reefton Lodge, Reefton.
44. Eden Lodge, Auckland.
45. Millerton Lodge, Millerton.
46. Buller Lodge, Westport.
47. Devonport Lodge, Devonport.
48. Te Aroha Lodge, Te Aroha.
49. Waitemata Lodge, Auckland.
50. Takaka Lodge, Takaka.
51. Fern Leaf Lodge, Greytown.
52. Makino Lodge, Feilding.
53. Okato Lodge, Okato.
54. Stratford Lodge, Stratford.
55. Pride of Brooklyn Lodge, Brooklyn.
56. Blackball Lodge, Blackball.
57. Naumai Lodge, Motueka.
58. Nelson Creek Lodge, Nelson Creek.
59. Island Bay Lodge, Island Bay.
60. Denniston Lodge, Denniston.
61. Aramoho Lodge, Aramoho.
62. Grey Lynn Lodge, Grey Lynn.
64. Pride of Hamilton Lodge, Hamilton.
65. Eureka Lodge, Hastings.
66. Melrose Lodge, Kilbirnie.
67. Brunner Lodge, Brunnerton.
69. Albion Lodge, Napier.
70. Karamea Lodge, Karamea.
71. Dominion Lodge, Thames.
72. Pride of the West Lodge, Kumara.
73. Manawatu Lodge, Foxton.
74. Clifton Lodge, Waitara.
77. Wairoa Lodge, Wairoa, Hawke's Bay.

Reg. No.

296. 78. Mackay Lodge, Tuihape.
 79. Light of Manukau Lodge, Onehunga.
 80. Star of Rodney Lodge, Warkworth.
 81. Roskill Lodge, Auckland.
 82. Te Awha Lodge, Mangawhare.
 83. Rotorua Lodge, Rotorua.
 84. Star of Albertland Lodge, Port Albert.
 85. Pride of Te Kuiti Lodge, Te Kuiti.
 86. Pride of Te Awamutu Lodge, Te Awamutu.
 87. Royal Oak Lodge, Northcote.
 88. Star of Piako Lodge, Morrinsville.
 89. Ruataniwha Lodge, Waipawa.
 90. Murchison Lodge, Murchison.
 91. Manaia Lodge, Manaia.
 92. Westland Lodge, Hokitika.
 93. Collingwood Lodge, Collingwood.
 94. Lind Lodge, Tokomaru.
281. *Grand Lodge of Canterbury District, New Zealand*—Christchurch.
1. Pioneer Lodge, Christchurch.
 2. Hope of St. Albans Lodge, St. Albans.
 3. Mistletoe Lodge, Christchurch.
 4. Ethelbert Lodge, Springston.
 5. Lyttelton Hearts of Oak Lodge, Lyttelton.
 6. Star of Anglesea Lodge, Lincoln.
 7. Perseverance Lodge, Sydenham.
 8. Hope of Amberley Lodge, Amberley.
 9. Anchor Lodge, Woolston.
 10. Ohoka Lodge, Ohoka.
 11. Timaru Lodge, Timaru.
 12. Ivy of Linwood Lodge, Christchurch.
 13. Trafalgar Lodge, Kaiapoi.
 14. Star of Ashburton Lodge, Ashburton.
 15. Oak of Sydenham Lodge, Sydenham.
 16. Old Oak Lodge, Southbridge.
 17. Ellesmere Lodge, Doyleston.
 18. Olive Branch Lodge, Hornby.
 20. Lily of Richmond Lodge, Richmond.
 21. Ivy Lodge, Waimate.
 22. Success of Ashburton Lodge, Ashburton.
 23. Bud of Hope Lodge, Rangiora.
 24. Queen of the Oak Lodge, Sydenham.
298. *Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland District, New Zealand*—Dunedin.
1. Otago Lodge, Dunedin.
 2. Enterprise Lodge, South Dunedin.
 3. Royal Oak Lodge, Caversham.
 4. Acorn Lodge, Invercargill.
 5. Linden Lodge, Roslyn.
 6. West Harbour Lodge, Rothesay, Dunedin.
 7. Endeavour Lodge, Oamaru.
 8. Good Intent Lodge, Mosgiel.
 9. Rose of Palmerston Lodge, Palmerston S.
 10. Gore Lodge, Gore.
 11. Oraka Lodge, Colac Bay.
 12. Lily of the Valley Lodge, Dunedin.
 13. St. Patrick's Lodge, Waikouaiti.
 14. Pride of Mornington Lodge, Mornington.
 15. Star of Tuapeka Lodge, Lawrence.
 16. Star of Duntroon Lodge, Duntroon.
 17. Ivanhoe Lodge, Dunedin.
 18. Bay Lodge, Dunedin.
 19. Hampden Lodge, Hampden.
 20. Alexandra Lodge, Alexandra South.
 21. Southern Oak Lodge, South Invercargill.
 22. Oak of Waikiwi Lodge, Waikiwi.
 23. Star of Thornbury Lodge, Thornbury.
 24. All Nations Lodge, Port Chalmers.
301. Lady Ranfurly Lodge—Wellington.

VIII. Independent Order of Rechabites.

190. *New Zealand District*—Auckland.
1. Hope of Auckland Tent, Auckland.
 3. Northern Star Tent, Aratapu.
 4. Star of Hauraki Tent, Thames.
 6. Gordon Tent, Onehunga.

10. Whangaroa Tent, Whangaroa.
11. Advance Tent, Waibi.
12. Mahurangi Homeguard Tent, Warkworth.
13. Hope of Eden Tent, Mount Eden.
15. Hope of Frankton Tent, Frankton Junction

LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, ETC.—*continued.***VIII. Independent Order of Rechabites—*continued.***

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| <p>Reg. No.
190. <i>New Zealand District—Auckland—continued.</i>
16. Rosebud Tent, Huntly.
17. Hope of Hamilton Tent, Hamilton.
18. Star of Cambridge Tent, Cambridge.
19. Hope of Devonport Tent, Devonport.
20. Hope of Morrinsville Tent, Morrinsville.
21. J. G. Carr Memorial Tent, Auckland.
22. Waitemata Tent, Northcote.
23. Primrose Tent, Ohaupo.
24. Rohe Potae Tent, Te Kuiti.</p> <p>110. <i>New Zealand Central District—Wellington.</i>
2. Murihiku Tent, Invercargill.
3. Scandia's Hope Tent, Norsewood.
4. Hope of Woodville Tent, Woodville.
5. Hope of Wellington Tent, Wellington.
6. Hope of Dunedin Tent, Dunedin.
7. Pride of Christchurch Tent, Christchurch.
8. Perseverance Tent, Wellington.
9. Bud of Promise Tent, Nelson.
10. Unity Tent, New Plymouth.
11. Hope of Ormondville Tent, Ormondville.
12. Masterton Tent, Masterton.
15. Hope of Napier Tent, Napier.
19. Excelsior Tent, Wellington.
20. Haste to the Rescue Tent, Wellington.
21. Bon Accord Tent, Blenheim.
26. Hope of Carterton Tent, Carterton.
28. Hope of Johnsonville Tent, Johnsonville.
30. Star of Wakefield Tent, Wakefield.
37. Rescue Tent, Nelson.
38. Onward Tent, Palmerston North.
40. Gisborne Tent, Gisborne.
41. Pride of Egmont Tent, Hawera.</p> | <p>Reg. No.
110. 42. Pahiatua Tent, Pahiatua.
43. Brightwater Tent, Brightwater.
44. Lily of the South Tent, Invercargill.
45. Wai Aroha Tent, Stratford.
46. Moa Tent, Inglewood.
47. New Century Tent, Levin.
50. Star of Petone Tent, Petone.
52. Hope of Wanganui Tent, Wanganui.
53. Ashburton Tent, Ashburton.
54. Kia Ora Tent, Hastings (H.B.).
55. Hope of Addington Tent, Addington.
56. Hope of South Invercargill Tent, South Invercargill.
57. Ark of Refuge Tent, St. Albans.
58. Pride of Te-au-nui Tent, Gore.
59. Pride of Dannevirke Tent, Dannevirke.
60. Hope of the Bluff Tent, Bluff.
61. Sobriety Tent, North-east Valley.
62. Enterprise Tent, Linwood.
63. Triumph Tent, Timaru.
64. Port Chalmers Tent, Port Chalmers.
65. Pride of Wallace Tent, Otautau.
66. Star of Clutha Tent, Balclutha.
67. Progress Tent, Lower Hutt.
68. Pride of Waikiwi Tent, Invercargill.
69. Philipson Tent, Spreydon, Christchurch.
70. Kilbirnie Tent, Kilbirnie, Wellington.
71. Star of the South Tent, Kensington, Dunedin.
72. Star of Woolston Tent, Woolston, Christchurch.
73. Pride of Roslyn Tent, Roslyn, Dunedin.
74. Alpha Tent, Granity.
75. Renwick Tent, Renwicktown.
76. Hope of Richmond Tent, Christchurch.
77. Flower of Waianiwa Tent, Waianiwa.
98. Star of Hope Tent—Hokitika.</p> |
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IX. Sons and Daughters of Temperance.

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| <p>170. <i>National Division of New Zealand—Sydenham.</i>
2. Helpmate Division, Ashburton.
4. Resolution Division, Rangiora.
6. Excelsior Division, Addington.
7. Elim Division, St. Albans.
9. Advance Division, Wellington.</p> | <p>170. 10. Sunbeam Division, Wanganui.
11. Hope of Sydenham Division, Sydenham.
15. Perseverance Division, Christchurch.
118. Antidote Division—Dunedin.
147. Progress Division—Kaiapoi.</p> |
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X. Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society.

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| <p>198. <i>New Zealand District—Auckland.</i>
2. St. John's Branch, Leeston.
3. St. Patrick's " Christchurch.
6. St. Patrick's " Lincoln.
8. St. Mary's " Timaru.
10. St. Joseph's " New Plymouth.
11. St. Patrick's " Wellington.
12. Auckland " Auckland.
14. St. Patrick's " Blenheim.
15. Grahamstown " Grahamstown.
16. Waipawa " Waipawa.
17. St. Joseph's " Hastings.
18. St. Joseph's " Dunedin.
19. Charleston " Charleston.
21. Greymouth " Greymouth.
22. Onehunga " Onehunga.
25. St. Michael's " Masterton.
26. St. Patrick's " Oamaru.
27. St. John's " Napier.
28. Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Branch, Milton.
29. St. Patrick's Branch, Waimate.
30. St. Columbkille's Branch, Denniston.
31. St. Canice's Branch, Westport.
32. St. Patrick's " Gisborne.
33. St. Patrick's " Palmerston North.
34. St. Patrick's " Reefton.
35. Sancta Maria " Auckland.
36. St. Mary's " Wellington.
37. St. Aloysius " Newtown.
38. St. Joseph's " Waihi.
39. St. Patrick's " Kaiapoi.
40. St. Patrick's " Ashburton.
41. St. Ibar's " Newton.</p> | <p>198. 42. Sts. Peter and Paul's Branch, Hutt.
43. St. Ita's Branch, Hawera.
44. St. Mary's Branch, Taihape.
45. St. Patrick's Branch, Manaia.
46. St. Joseph's " Stratford.
47. St. Mary's " Invercargill.
48. Sts. Peter and Paul's Branch, Gore.
49. Sacred Heart Branch, Otautau.
50. St. Mary's " Geraldine.
51. Sacred Heart " Wellington.
52. St. Mary's " Carterton.
53. Sacred Heart " Petone.
54. St. Mary's " Opunake.
55. St. Patrick's " Meeanee.
56. St. Mary's " Port Chalmers.
57. St. Mary's " Wanganui.
58. St. Andrew's " Levin.
59. St. Stanislaus " Inglewood.
60. St. John's " Eltham.
61. St. Edward's " Kaponga.
62. St. Brendan's " Otahuhu.
63. St. Mary's " Mosgiel.
64. St. Mary's " Nelson.
65. St. Joseph's " Temuka.
66. St. Columbkille's Branch, Woodville.
67. St. Francis Xavier's Branch, Methven.
68. St. Mary's Branch, Christchurch.
69. St. Mary's " Ohaupo.
70. St. Peter's " Wairoa.
71. Robert Emmett " Hokitika.
72. St. Patrick's " Pukekohe.
73. St. Joseph's " Te Aroha.
74. St. Patrick's " Darfield.</p> |
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XI. Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia.

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| <p>197. <i>Grand Council of New Zealand—Auckland.</i>
1. Prince of Wales Lodge, Thames.
3. Excelsior Lodge, Green Island.
4. Wickliffe " Napier.
5. John Knox " Wellington.
6. Alexandra " Auckland.
9. Triumph " South Dunedin.</p> | <p>197. 11. Star of Hastings Lodge, Hastings.
12. Valley True Blue " North-east Valley.
14. Star of Oamaru " Oamaru.
18. St. Albans " Auckland.
19. Queen's Own " Christchurch.
20. Star of Southland " Invercargill.</p> |
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LIST OF REGISTERED SOCIETIES, ETC.—*continued.***XIII. Isolated Friendly Societies.**

- | Reg. No. | Reg. No. |
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| 24. Widow and Orphans Society, Wellington District M.U.I.O.O.F.—Wellington. | 330. Eden Temperance Benefit Friendly Society—Par-nell. |
| 183. Grey Valley Accident Relief Fund—Brunnerton. | 331. Wellington Corporation Tramways and Electric Lighting Friendly Society—Newtown, Well-ing-ton. |
| 277. Denniston Collieries' Medical and Accident Relief Association—Denniston. | 333. Inangahua Miners' Accident Relief Association—Reefton. |
| 279. United Fire-brigades' Accident Assurance Society of New Zealand—Auckland. | 334. Waihi Workers' Accident Relief Association—Waihi. |
| 286. Wellington Friendly Societies' Jubilee Orphanage Society—Wellington. | 335. Grey Valley Coal-miners' Medical Fund Society—Brunnerton. |
| 293. Blackball Colliery Accident Relief Fund Society—Blackball. | 336. The North Otago United Friendly Societies' Dis-pensary—Oamaru. |
| 306. Waikato Medical and Accident Society—Huntly. | 337. Hawera United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Hawera. |
| 307. Millerton Colliery Medical and Accident Relief Association—Millerton. | 338. Otago Daily Times Mutual Provident Society—Dunedin. |
| 310. Kaitangata Employees' Benefit Society—Kaitangata. | 341. Wanganui United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Wanganui. |
| 313. Auckland United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Auckland. | 345. The Palmerston North United Friendly Societies' Dispensary, Palmerston North. |
| 316. Auckland United Friendly Societies' Medical Insti-tute—Auckland. | 346. The Ashburton United Friendly Societies' Associa-tion, Ashburton. |
| 319. Christchurch United Friendly Societies' Dispen-sary—Christchurch. | 347. The Wakamarina Miners' Accident Relief Associa-tion, Wakamarina. |
| 322. Auckland Tramways Sick and Accident Friendly Society—Auckland. | 348. The Syrian Benevolent Society, Wellington. |
| 323. Point Elizabeth Accident Relief Fund—Runanga. | 349. The Fountain of Friendship Lodge Friendly So-ciety, Auckland. |
| 324. Waihi United Friendly Societies Hospital Con-ference—Waihi. | 351. The Akatea Miners and Settlers' Medical Associa-tion, Glen Massey. |
| 327. Nightcaps Collieries' Medical, Sick, and Accident Relief Association—Nightcaps. | |
| 328. Stockton Colliery Medical and Accident Relief Association—Ngakawau. | |

XIV. Juvenile Friendly Societies.

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| 288. Court Pride of the Forest, A.O.F.—Dunedin. | 314. Court Pride of Napier, A.O.F.—Napier. |
| 290. Court Pride of Invercargill, A.O.F.—Invercargill. | 329. Juvenile Council, A.O.F.—Dunedin. |
| 303. Kaiapoi Lodge, M.U.I.O.O.F.—Kaiapoi. | 1. Court Pride of the Port, Port Chalmers. |

XV. Working-men's Clubs.

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| 151. Wellington Working-men's Club and Literary Institute—Wellington. | 267. Palmerston North Working-men's Club and Literary Institute—Palmerston North. |
| 162. Christchurch Working-men's Club and Mutual School of Arts—Christchurch. | 271. Ashburton Club and Mutual School of Arts—Ash-burton. |
| 186. South Wairarapa Working-men's Club—Greytown. | 272. Blenheim Working-men's Club—Blenheim. |
| 202. Club Garibaldi—Wellington. | 305. Oxford Working-men's Club—East Oxford. |
| 215. Auckland Working-men's Club and Mechanics' Institute—Auckland. | 309. Napier Working-men's Club—Napier. |
| 231. Kaiapoi Working-men's Club—Kaiapoi. | 317. City Working-men's Club—Wellington. |
| 238. Petone Working-men's Club and Literary Insti-tute—Petone. | 318. North Island Brass Bands' Association of New Zea-land—Palmerston North. |
| 264. Richmond Working-men's Club—Richmond, Christ-church. | 326. South Island Bands' Association of New Zealand—Christchurch. |

XVI. Specially Authorized Societies.

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| 169. <i>Grand Lodge of New Zealand of the Independent Order of Good Templars</i> —Dunedin. | 169. 95. Union of Otago Temple, Dunedin. |
| 1. Pioneer of Dunedin Lodge, Dunedin. | 96. St. John's Lodge, Wellington. |
| 2. Aggressive Lodge, Blenheim. | 99. Southern Star Lodge, Wanganui. |
| 3. Dauntless Lodge, Christchurch. | 104. Lily of the Valley Lodge, North Dunedin. |
| 4. Hope of Christchurch Lodge, Christchurch. | 106. Bushman's Pride Lodge, Alford Forest. |
| 6. Pioneer Lodge, Wellington. | 107. Hope of Wakefield Lodge, Wakefield. |
| 7. Star of South Canterbury Lodge, Waimate. | 108. Pride of Dunedin Lodge, Dunedin. |
| 9. Loyal Nelson Lodge, Nelson. | 110. Sea-shell Lodge, Lyttelton. |
| 12. West Coast Pioneer Lodge, Greymouth. | 112. Life-boat Lodge, Timaru. |
| 13. Good Intent Lodge, Rangiora. | 113. Rose of Springburn Lodge, Springburn. |
| 17. Robert Bruce Lodge, Bannockburn. | 223. Invercargill United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Invercargill. |
| 18. Star of the East Lodge, Ashburton. | 229. Sydenham and Suburban Co-operative Money Club—Sydenham. |
| 19. Hope of Westport Lodge, Westport. | 241. New Zealand Friendly Societies' Mutual Fidelity Guarantee Association—Wellington. |
| 21. Haste to the Rescue Lodge, Havelock. | 242. Dunedin United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Dunedin. |
| 24. Reefton Fraternal Lodge, Reefton. | 245. Star of Newtown Lodge, I.O.G.T.—Wellington. |
| 30. Pride of Hawke's Bay Lodge, Port Ahuriri. | 246. Lyttelton United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Lyttelton. |
| 31. Premier Lodge, Hokitika. | 248. Timaru United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Timaru. |
| 32. Hope of Stafford Lodge, Stafford. | 251. New Zealand Foresters' Guarantee Association—Christchurch. |
| 33. Providence Lodge, Courtenay. | 255. Temple of Peace Lodge, I.O.G.T.—Kaiwarra. |
| 35. Golden Stream Lodge, Alexandra, Otago. | 257. Opotiki Gospel Temperance and Mutual Improve-ment Society—Opotiki. |
| 37. New Era Lodge, Purakanui. | 263. Stanmore Brass Band—Richmond (Christchurch). |
| 40. Second-to-none Lodge, Pigeon Bay. | 275. Ivy of Linwood Co-operative Money Club—Christ-church. |
| 41. Hope of Brunnerton Lodge, Brunnerton. | 276. Waimate Brass Band—Waimate. |
| 42. Woodstock Lodge, Woodstock. | 283. Hawke's Bay United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Napier. |
| 44. New River Pioneer Lodge, Dunganville. | 284. Christchurch and St. Albans Co-operative Money Club—Christchurch. |
| 47. Victory Lodge, No Town. | 285. Westport Garrison Artillery Volunteer Band Society—Westport. |
| 48. Victoria Lodge, Granville. | 294. Wellington United Friendly Societies' Dispensary—Wellington. |
| 50. Kumara Lodge, Kumara. | 332. New Brighton Co-operative Money Club—New Brighton. |
| 53. Rock of Freedom Lodge, Ashley Bank. | 339. Hawke's Bay A. O. F. Small-savings Society—Napier. |
| 54. Hearts and Homes Lodge, Orepuki. | 343. The Christchurch Central Co-operative Money Club, Christchurch. |
| 57. Dawn of Peace Lodge, Ashburton. | |
| 59. True Blue Lodge, Waitahuna. | |
| 66. St. Helena Lodge, Paroa, Greymouth. | |
| 68. Phoenix Lodge, Masterton. | |
| 69. North Star Lodge, Kaikoura. | |
| 72. Pride of Brookside Lodge, Brookside. | |
| 73. Mount Fyfe Lodge, Mount Fyfe. | |
| 76. Heart and Hand Lodge, Lumsden. | |
| 77. Pride of Mount Grey Lodge, Mount Grey. | |
| 85. Southern Cross Lodge, Invercargill. | |
| 86. Guiding Star Lodge, Dunedin. | |
| 89. Akaroa Hope Lodge, Akaroa. | |
| 91. Undaunted Lodge, Rimu, Owaka. | |
| 93. Welcome Retreat Lodge, Geraldine. | |
| 94. Loyal Marine Lodge, Nelson. | |

APPENDIX II.

REGISTERED TRADE-UNIONS, AS ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1915.

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| 1. Christchurch Operative Bootmakers' Society. | 48. New Zealand Federation of Labour. |
| 3. New Zealand Union of the Federated Stewards' and Cooks' Union of Australasia. | 50. The Whangarei Coal-miners' Trade-union. |
| 5. Wellington Operative Bootmakers' Society. | 51. The Patea Watersiders' and General Labourers' Union. |
| 8. Grey Valley Coal-miners' Association. | 52. The Waihi Trade-union of Workers. |
| 9. New Zealand Federated Boot-trade Union. | 54. The Lyttelton Stevedores' Trade-union. |
| 15. New Zealand Federated Wharf Carters', Expressmen's, and Storemen's Union. | 56. The Wellington Waterside Workers' Union. |
| 16. Southland Trades and Labour Union. | 58. The Hikurangi Coal-miners' Federation of Workers. |
| 18. Amalgamated Society of Railway Servants of New Zealand. | 59. Taratahi Meat-works Employees' Union. |
| 35. United Employees' Society of Boilermakers and Iron-ship Builders of New Zealand. | 60. The Otago Artificers' Trade-union. |
| 36. New Zealand Boot-manufacturers' Association. | 61. The Timaru Waterside Workers' Union. |
| 40. Hawke's Bay Operative Bootmakers' Union. | 62. The Waikato Miners' Trade-union. |
| 41. Wellington Eight Hour Federated Union. | 64. The New Plymouth Waterside Workers' Union. |
| 44. New Zealand Locomotive Engine-drivers, Firemen, and Cleaners' Association. | 65. The Oamaru Waterside Workers' Union. |
| 46. West Coast Workers' Trade-union. | 68. The Auckland Waterside Trade-union of Workers. |
| 47. The Paparoa Coal-miners' Trade-union of Workers. | 69. The Point Elizabeth State Miners' Trade-union. |
| | 70. The Westport Waterside Workers' Union. |
| | 73. The Whangamomona Railway and Road Construction Workers' Trade-union, Whangamomona. |

APPENDIX III.

FORMS WHICH MAY BE OBTAINED FREE ON APPLICATION TO THE REGISTRAR OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.

- Form of application to register a society under the Friendly Societies Act.
- Form of notice of establishment of a branch and application for registry.
- Form of notice of establishment of branch of registered society.
- Form of application to register complete amendment of rules (societies).
- Form of application to register complete amendment of rules (branches).
- Form of application to register partial amendment of rules (societies).
- Form of application to register partial amendment of rules (branches).
- Form of declaration in support of amendment of rules (societies).
- Form of declaration in support of amendment of rules (branches).
- Form of application for registry of a special resolution for amalgamation of societies.
- Form of declaration to accompany application for registry of a special resolution.
- Form of notice of appointment of trustees (societies).
- Form of notice of appointment of trustees (branches).
- Form of notice of change of registered office of society.
- Form of notice of change of registered office of branch.
- Form of return to District Land Registrar.

APPENDIX IV.

SUMMARY OF VALUATIONS COMPLETED DURING THE YEAR 1915.—TABLE A.

[N.B.—These figures refer to Sick and Funeral Funds only, and do not include Management and other Funds.]

Name of Society or District and Branch.	Location.	When opened.	Number of Members.	Annual Income from Contributions.		Rate of Interest.		Liabilities.			Assets.				Surplus.	Deficiency.	Amount of Assets to Liabilities per £1 in Debit.	
				£	s. d.	%	Credited for Period.	Employed in the Valuation.	Sickness Liabilities.	Funeral Liabilities.	Contribution to Funeral Fund.	Other.	Total.	Amount of Own Sick and Funeral Fund.				Present Value of Funeral Benefits reassured.	Present Value of Contributions from Members.	Total.
I.O.O.F. (As at the 31st December, 1912.) I.O.O.F. of New Zealand	Dunedin	1879	6,651	12,020	10 0	4.4	4	220,771	63,883	£	£	81,991	215,288	297,279	12,625	£	s. d.	
A.O.F. CANTERBURY UNITED DISTRICT. (As at the 31st December, 1912.) District Funeral Fund							4	14,999			14,999	11,183	6,169	17,352	2,353			
Court Star of Canterbury	Christchurch	1852	400	614	13 4	4.41	4	17,140	5,604	1,785	24,529	13,315	8,791	27,710	3,181			
" Queen of the Isles	Lyttelton	1859	20	24	2 0	4.31	4	1,131	456	41	1,628	1,343	164	1,963	335			
" Pride of Courtney	Courtney	1876	51	74	4 0	5.02	4	2,156	669	234	3,059	1,791	1,111	3,571	512			
" Thistle of the Forest	Sydenham	1879	137	207	19 6	5.76	4	5,201	1,573	678	7,452	3,301	3,368	8,242	790			
" Woodford	Kaipoi	1880	181	274	12 0	5.37	4	7,025	2,135	906	10,066	4,425	4,418	10,978	912			
" Papani	Papanui	1881	53	78	16 0	4.00	4	2,074	629	260	2,963	767	1,265	2,661		302	17 5	
" Star of Dunsandel	Dunsandel	1888	98	140	0 0	4.72	4	3,227	946	541	4,714	979	2,521	4,446		268	18 7	
" Star of Belfast	Belfast	1888	41	65	18 4	5.43	4	1,526	456	210	2,192	813	1,113	2,382	190			
" Ashburton	Ashburton	1889	125	193	12 0	5.32	4	4,467	1,321	665	6,453	2,113	3,340	6,774	321			
" Queen of Canterbury	Christchurch	1895	37	43	11 2	4.15	4	1,175	159	112	1,446	257	159	1,199		247	16 2	
" Victoria	Kaipoi	1895	47	48	5 6	2.34	3	1,176	143	185	1,504	103	1,134	1,380		124	18 2	
" Loburn	Loburn	1902	24	38	16 0	Nil	3½	925	272	140	1,337	103	739	1,114		223	15 10	
" Star of Rakaia	Rakaia	1909	74	122	18 0	2.07	4	2,304	663	438	3,405	206	2,263	3,132		273	18 0	
Aggregate results			1,288	1,927	7 10	4.78		49,527	15,026	6,195	70,748	29,516	15,026	75,552	6,241	1,437		
Net surplus in Courts															4,804			
Total net surplus (including District Funeral Fund)															7,137			

APPENDIX IV—continued.

SUMMARY OF VALUATIONS COMPLETED DURING THE YEAR 1915.—TABLE A—continued.

[N.B.—These figures refer to Sick and Funeral Funds only, and do not include Management and other Funds.]

Name of Society or District and Branch.	Location.	When opened.	Number of Members.	Annual Income from Contributions.	Rate of Interest.		Liabilities.			Assets.					Surplus.	Deficiency.	Amount of Assets to Liabilities per £1 in Debenture Branches.		
					Credited for Period.	Employed in the Valuation.	Sickness Liabilities.	Present Value of		Proportion of Dis-deficiency Fund.	Total.	Amount of Own Sick and Funeral Fund.	Present Value of Funeral Benefits reassured.	Present Value of Contributions receivable from Members.				Total.	
								£	s.					d.					£
A.O.F.—continued.																			
SOUTH CANTERBURY DISTRICT.																			
(As at the 31st December, 1913.)																			
District Funeral Fund	4-11	.. .. .	7,473	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .
Court Southern Cross	1865	486	674 10 1	.. .. .	4-94	18,872	5,667	1,574	2,557	28,670	11,457	4,819	10,874	27,150	1,520	18 9	
" Fogsters' Pride	1875	177	207 17 0	.. .. .	5-74	6,999	1,770	570	926	10,265	4,053	1,770	3,301	9,124	1,141	17 4	
" Progress	1883	64	85 14 0	.. .. .	4-65	2,198	538	229	372	3,337	457	538	1,512	2,507	830	14 1	
" Star of Waihao	1904	40	58 9 0	.. .. .	4-28	1,289	373	148	240	2,080	293	311	1,078	1,682	368	15 9	
Aggregate results	767	1,026 10 1	.. .. .	5-11	29,358	8,348	2,521	4,095	44,322	16,260	7,438	16,765	40,463	3,859	17 11		
(As at the 31st December, 1912.)																			
Court Coromandel	1871	49	79 18 10	.. .. .	1-12	2,455	619	.. .. .	.. .. .	3,074	1,182	.. .. .	1,352	2,534	540	18 2	

APPENDIX IV—continued.

SUMMARY OF VALUATIONS COMPLETED DURING THE YEAR 1915.—TABLE A—continued.

[N.B.—These figures refer to Sick and Funeral Funds only, and do not include Management and other Funds.]

Name of Society or District and Branch.	Location.	When opened.	Number of Members.	Annual Income from Contributions.			Rate of Interest.		Liabilities.				Assets.				Surplus.	Deficiency.	Amount of Assets to Liabilities per £1 in District.
				£	s.	d.	Credited for Period.	Employed in the Valuation.	Present Value of		Share of District Funeral Fund.	Total.	Amount of Own Sick and Funeral Fund.	Present Value of Funeral Liabilities reascribed to District Funeral Fund.	Present Value of Contributions from Members.	Total.			
									Sickness Liabilities.	Funeral Liabilities.										Funeral Fund.	Contribution to Funeral Fund.
U.A.O.D.																			
OTAGO AND SOUTHLAND DISTRICT.																			
(As at the 31st December, 1912.)																			
District Funeral Fund							5.04	4	9,343	2,219	1,229	355	13,146	3,798	2,219	7,024	13,041	105	19 10
Otago Lodge	Dunedin	1880	261	422	5	8	4.86	4	9,343	2,219	1,229	355	13,146	3,798	2,219	7,024	13,041	105	19 10
Enterprise	South Dunedin	1880	230	363	9	4	3.98	4	8,912	2,166	987	285	12,350	3,013	2,166	5,643	10,822	1,528	17 0
Ivanhoe	Dunedin	1880	326	507	5	0	4.92	4	11,894	2,846	1,467	424	16,631	3,786	2,846	8,382	15,041	1,617	17 8
Royal Oak	Caversham	1881	170	267	10	0	4.88	4	6,264	1,601	759	219	8,743	1,438	1,501	4,340	7,279	1,464	15 11
Acorn	Invercargill	1881	405	648	19	4	5.28	4	14,306	3,367	1,897	548	20,118	3,718	3,367	10,838	17,923	2,195	17 5
Linden	Roslyn	1883	102	155	6	0	4.96	4	3,770	892	444	128	5,234	1,710	892	2,539	5,141	93	19 7
West Harbour	Rothsay, Dunedin	1883	118	180	3	8	5.37	4	4,218	995	529	153	5,895	1,662	995	3,024	5,681	214	19 2
All Nations	Port Chalmers	1883	190	292	14	0	3.02	3	8,371	2,007	975	282	11,635	1,622	2,007	5,371	9,200	2,435	14 11
Endeavour	Oamaru	1884	255	397	4	0	3.93	4	9,067	2,147	1,165	337	12,716	2,839	2,147	6,660	11,646	1,070	18 0
Good Intent	Mosgiel	1885	159	252	16	4	5.09	4	3,799	883	507	147	7,718	1,280	1,280	4,336	7,718	Nil.	20 0
Rose of Palmerston	Palmerston South	1886	111	167	15	4	4.84	4	5,461	1,280	758	219	7,718	1,280	1,280	4,336	7,718	Nil.	20 0
Gore	Gore	1889	161	271	13	8	4.42	4	5,283	1,219	842	243	7,587	1,265	1,219	4,809	7,293	294	19 1
Lily of the Valley	Dunedin	1898	116	176	4	8	4.17	4	3,612	823	561	162	5,158	700	823	3,204	4,727	431	18 0
Oraka	Colac Bay	1899	39	70	12	8	1.63	3	1,739	413	236	68	2,456	284	413	1,349	2,046	410	16 0
St. Patrick's	Waikouaiti	1899	74	110	3	8	4.42	4	2,343	537	348	101	3,329	456	537	1,987	2,980	349	17 6
Pride of Mornington	Mornington	1900	82	129	0	4	4.61	4	2,555	582	410	119	3,666	520	582	2,345	3,447	219	18 7
Star of Tuapeka	Lawrence	1902	76	129	6	0	3.89	4	2,606	604	392	113	3,715	548	604	2,240	3,392	323	17 11
Star of Duntrou	Duntrou	1904	50	85	6	2	1.60	4	1,644	378	266	77	2,365	208	378	1,517	2,103	262	17 4
Bay	Dunedin	1905	47	77	15	4	2.59	4	1,505	345	244	70	2,164	345	345	1,392	1,881	283	16 11
Hampden	Hampden	1905	34	64	19	8	3.05	4	1,183	275	195	56	1,709	305	275	1,112	1,692	17	19 9
Alexandra	Alexandra South	1909	52	97	5	8	2.67	4	1,643	374	302	87	2,406	147	374	1,725	2,246	160	18 5
Southern Oak	South Invercargill	1911	48	72	18	4	3.08	4	1,372	306	243	70	1,991	10	306	1,389	1,705	286	16 7
Oak of Waikivi	Waikivi	1911	63	97	0	4	..	4	1,830	409	323	93	2,655	56	409	1,843	2,308	347	16 11
Star of Thornbury	Thornbury	1911	36	55	1	4	..	4	1,040	233	183	53	1,509	35	233	1,043	1,311	198	16 11
Aggregate results			3,205	5,092	16	6	4.57	..	113,760	26,801	15,262	4,409	160,232	31,905	26,801	87,209	145,915	14,317	17 10

TABLE I.—NUMBER OF MEMBERS AND AMOUNTS OF BENEFIT AND OTHER FUNDS, AS ON THE 31st DECEMBER, 1915, OF ALL FRIENDLY SOCIETIES AND BRANCHES ACCORDING TO THE LATEST STATISTICS RECEIVED.

Name of Society and Branch.	Place of Establishment.	Year of Establishment.	Number of Members on Dec. 31, 1915.	Total Worth.	Sick and Funeral Fund, including Surplus.	Management and other Funds, Goods, &c.	Surplus or Deficiency per Member at Last Valuation.
M.U.I.O.O.F. N.Z. Branch. Central Body ..	Wellington ..	1902	..	£ 36,317	£ 35,711	£ 606	£ ..
<i>Auckland District—</i>							
Central Body ..	Auckland ..	..	1	21,350	12,075	9,275	..
Good Intent Lodge ..	..	1850	477	17,422	16,147	1,275	+ 2.90
Parnell ..	Parnell ..	1859	248	9,169	8,211	958	+ 1.82
Charles Bruce ..	Thames ..	1865	154	3,274	3,192	82	-21.85
Waikato ..	..	1866	236	2,782	2,484	298	-24.13
Duke of Cambridge ..	Cambridge ..	1867	178	2,474	2,335	139	- 3.71
Gisborne ..	Gisborne ..	1874	212	9,405	8,968	437	+10.79
Howick ..	Howick ..	1876	110	3,358	3,240	118	- 3.07
Whangarei ..	Whangarei ..	1881	58	2,746	2,710	36	- 8.66
Franklin ..	Otahuhu ..	1881	118	2,070	2,024	46	- 1.95
Warkworth Pioneer ..	Warkworth ..	1884	75	1,689	1,685	4	- 4.38
Hauraki ..	Coromandel ..	1895	41	1,505	1,499	6	+ 4.04
Hokianga ..	Hokianga ..	1896	57	892	889	3	- 2.95
Karangahake ..	Karangahake ..	1897	121	1,506	1,443	63	-11.39
Waihi ..	Waihi ..	1897	91	947	933	14	-27.55
Jubilee ..	Paeroa ..	1897	39	1,052	1,049	3	- 3.77
Manukau ..	Onehunga ..	1898	78	1,336	1,237	99	+ 2.28
Rotorua ..	Rotorua ..	1898	82	1,191	1,148	43	+ 2.87
Waitekauri and Golden Cross Lodge ..	Waitekauri ..	1899	116	1,922	1,922	..	-12.34
Waipu Lodge ..	Waipu ..	1900	24	532	495	37	- 1.62
Hot Springs ..	Te Aroha ..	1900	36	600	567	33	+ 2.55
Te Awamutu ..	Te Awamutu ..	1903	109	1,563	1,556	7	+ 2.90
Hamilton ..	Hamilton ..	1903	194	1,910	1,823	87	+ 0.34
Hikurangi ..	Hikurangi ..	1904	35	440	422	18	- 7.28
Hand of Friendship ..	Huntly ..	1906	100	556	556	..	- 6.65
Pukekohe ..	Pukekohe ..	1907	82	736	716	20	+ 0.31
Matamata ..	Matamata ..	1907	10	205	200	5	=
Te Kuiti ..	Te Kuiti ..	1907	23	256	241	15	=
Ngaruawahia ..	Ngaruawahia ..	1908	47	177	151	26	- 7.50
Mamaku ..	Mamaku ..	1908	49	87	78	9	=
Morrinsville ..	Morrinsville ..	1908	23	284	273	11	=
Sisters of Hamilton ..	Hamilton ..	1908	8	56	47	9	- 2.50
Mangapai ..	Mangapai ..	1909	24	128	119	9	=
Dominion ..	Mount Eden ..	1909	59	793	684	109	- 1.71
Hearts of Oak ..	Taumarunui ..	1909	27	98	96	2	..
Selwyn ..	Putaruru ..	1911	17	123	118	5	..
Ponsonby ..	Auckland ..	1911	49	840	715	125	..
Waitoa ..	Waitoa ..	1912	16	104	104	..	..
Te Puke ..	Te Puke ..	1912	14	107	103	4	..
Patutahi ..	Patutahi ..	1912	24	134	123	11	..
Remuera ..	Remuera ..	1912	35	197	162	35	..
Calliope ..	Devonport ..	1912	11	13	12	1	..
Total ..	..	..	3,508	96,029	82,552	13,477	- 1.66
<i>Hawke's Bay District—</i>							
Central Body ..	Napier ..	..	..	83	..	83	..
Napier Lodge ..	..	1856	371	17,722	16,184	1,538	+10.58
Meeanee ..	Taradale ..	1871	45	881	850	31	-10.29
Abbotsford ..	Waipawa ..	1873	217	12,376	11,585	791	+ 9.38
Clive ..	Clive ..	1876	24	1,472	1,472	..	+14.90
Hastings ..	Hastings ..	1878	271	9,965	9,835	130	+10.68
Tavistock ..	Waipukurau ..	1879	62	2,621	2,575	46	+10.26
Woodville ..	Woodville ..	1880	30	1,808	1,736	72	+11.71
Ruahine ..	Tikokino ..	1885	88	2,341	2,336	5	+ 3.89
Forest Home ..	Ormondville ..	1887	61	1,355	1,334	21	+ 0.73
Dannevirke ..	Dannevirke ..	1888	193	4,292	4,171	121	+ 2.99
Te Reinga ..	Clyde ..	1908	22	456	456	..	- 0.07
Total ..	..	..	1,384	55,372	52,534	2,838	+ 7.45
<i>New Plymouth District—</i>							
Central Body ..	New Plymouth ..	..	..	224	162	62	..
Egmont Lodge ..	..	1857	231	7,361	7,350	11	- 1.12
Excelsior ..	..	1865	125	7,285	7,278	7	+15.82
Waitara ..	Waitara ..	1876	57	3,733	3,679	54	+15.85
Union ..	Hawera ..	1881	128	3,999	3,924	75	- 3.15
Manaia ..	Manaia ..	1887	176	3,609	3,584	25	+ 7.88
Eltham ..	Eltham ..	1889	95	2,437	2,383	54	+ 0.73
Midhurst ..	Midhurst ..	1893	57	1,099	924	175	- 5.68
Stratford ..	Stratford ..	1900	77	1,338	1,278	60	- 2.30
Toko ..	Toko ..	1901	40	427	427	..	+ 1.72
Opunake ..	Te Kiri ..	1901	28	394	394	..	+ 1.16
Kaponga ..	Kaponga ..	1903	95	1,351	1,300	51	+ 3.80
Total	1,109	33,257	32,683	574	+ 2.73

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<i>M.U.I.O.O.F.—continued.</i>							
<i>Wanganui District—</i>							
Central Body	Wanganui	£ 141	£ 122	£ 19	£ ..
Wanganui Lodge	1858	276	19,307	13,467	5,840	+ 6-27
Manawatu	Palmerston N. ..	1881	201	5,670	5,638	32	+ 0-99
Manchester	Feilding	1883	74	2,327	2,297	30	- 2-18
Apiti	Apiti	1894	51	1,877	1,766	111	+ 2-64
Rangitikei	Mangaweka	1895	73	2,722	2,464	258	- 2-23
Hautapu	Taihape	1897	28	814	799	15	- 3-26
Bunnythorpe	Bunnythorpe	1905	27	788	754	34	+ 2-77
Hunterville	Hunterville	1905	21	112	93	19	- 5-79
Foxton	Foxton	1906	35	461	431	30	- 3-40
Kimbolton	Kimbolton	1906	13	238	231	7	- 3-13
Ohakune	Ohakune	1907	61	546	299	247	- 3-74
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	860	35,003	28,361	6,642	+ 1-02
<i>Wellington District—</i>							
Central Body	Wellington .. ..	.. ..	5	3,967	3,800	167	- 2-40
Britannia Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1843	618	32,270	31,334	936	+ 5-68
Antipodean .. ..	.. ..	1847	459	24,518	23,963	555	+ 9-50
Rose of the Valley	Hutt	1849	97	4,007	3,869	138	+ 7-39
Rose of Sharon	Upper Hutt	1857	59	2,215	2,205	10	+ 2-12
St. George	Pahautanui	1867	22	696	688	8	- 2-52
Unity	Featherston	1872	91	2,671	2,559	112	+ 7-50
Combination	Johnsonville	1876	24	1,554	1,396	158	+ 17-69
Heart of Oak	Carterton	1877	103	3,054	2,968	86	+ 5-72
Masterton	Masterton	1877	153	2,604	2,460	144	+ 4-88
Greytown	Greytown	1879	60	4,033	3,455	578	+ 17-75
Petone	Petone	1882	100	3,745	3,663	82	+ 10-09
Eketahuna	Eketahuna	1887	103	2,486	2,251	235	+ 11-76
Martinborough	Martinborough	1892	71	1,248	1,137	111	+ 8-79
Mangatainoka	Mangatainoka	1894	38	681	643	38	+ 4-91
Sister Wallis	Wellington	1895	46	501	460	41	+ 2-78
Newtown	Newtown	1897	108	1,595	1,561	34	+ 2-60
Victoria Diamond	Lewin	1897	17	420	386	34	+ 10-71
Kilbirnie	Kilbirnie	1907	44	451	435	16	+ 3-26
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2,218	92,716	89,233	3,483	+ 7-01
<i>Marlborough District—</i>							
Central Body	Blenheim .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2,162	20	2,142	.. ..
Marlborough Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1860	119	7,440	7,403	37	+ 12-08
Renwick	Renwick	1867	53	2,957	2,880	77	+ 0-25
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	172	12,559	10,303	2,256	+ 9-14
<i>Nelson District—</i>							
Central Body	Nelson .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	7,237	.. ..	7,237	.. ..
Nelson Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1842	228	7,558	6,803	755	+ 0-55
Travellers' Rest	Richmond	1847	106	3,672	3,594	78	+ 1-25
Howard	Nelson	1847	207	12,758	12,600	158	+ 9-65
Mansion of Peace	Wakefield	1859	189	8,619	8,535	84	+ 13-71
General Cameron	Brightwater	1865	61	2,832	2,795	37	+ 9-82
Mataki	Murchison	1903	54	589	505	84	- 0-56
Palmyra	Tadmor	1907	25	244	239	5	- 0-69
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	870	43,509	35,071	8,438	+ 6-18
<i>Motueka District—</i>							
Central Body	Motueka .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	5,294	.. ..	5,294	.. ..
Motueka Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1850	208	5,437	5,403	34	- 1-19
Good Intention	Riwaka	1860	97	4,149	4,148	1	+ 3-40
Takaka	Takaka	1863	123	2,300	2,276	24	- 11-99
South Star	Dovedale	1880	71	1,660	1,613	47	- 5-05
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	499	18,840	13,440	5,400	- 3-39
<i>United Westland District—</i>							
Central Body	Reefton .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	43	6	37	.. ..
Westport Lodge	Westport	1867	128	4,993	4,993	.. ..	+ 5-69
Charleston	Charleston	1867	32	2,688	2,684	4	- 0-42
Waimea	Stafford	1867	14	88	81	7	- 83-90
Greymouth	Greymouth	1867	102	4,264	4,239	25	+ 1-43
Albert	Kumara	1870	46	543	490	53	- 32-32
Reefton	Reefton	1872	106	4,363	4,328	35	- 9-68
Denniston	Denniston	1886	51	462	462	.. ..	- 9-07
Blackball	Blackball	1898	53	986	972	14	- 4-71
Ngakawau	Granity	1907	18	81	80	1	- 5-63
Mokihinui	Seddonville	1909	6	48	46	2	- 1-18
Total	556	18,559	18,381	178

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<i>M. U. I. O. F.—continued.</i>							
<i>Ashley District—</i>							
Central Body	•Rangiora	£ 301	£ ..	£ 301	£ ..
Rangiora Lodge	1860	382	12,573	12,453	120	+ 4.74
Nil Desperandum	East Oxford	1868	137	4,903	4,757	146	+ 9.05
Leithfield	Leithfield	1873	74	3,206	3,189	17	+15.87
Cust	Cust	1874	59	1,791	1,786	5	-- 1.43
Woodend	Woodend	1874	80	1,832	1,832	..	-- 1.69
Oxford	Oxford	1876	111	788	653	135	--10.26
Ohoka	Ohoka	1876	80	1,572	1,571	1	-- 2.54
Amberley	Amberley	1876	110	3,501	3,391	110	+10.00
Waikari	Waikari	1880	32	888	883	5	+ 1.26
Waiau	Waiau	1909	28	187	172	15	+ 0.85
Total] .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1,093	31,542	30,687	855	+ 3.36
<i>North Canterbury District—</i>							
Central Body	Christchurch .. ..	.. ..	10	588	256	332	.. ..
City of Christchurch Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1853	546	21,257	19,384	1,873	+ 3.67
Kaiapoi	Kaiapoi	1858	156	4,990	4,885	105	-- 0.27
Volunteer	Sydenham	1866	270	4,390	4,311	79	-- 6.96
Benevolent	Christchurch	1866	121	5,940	5,871	69	+ 7.69
Perseverance	Woolston	1872	140	2,172	2,139	33	--13.38
Malvern	Waddington	1877	76	2,192	2,029	163	+ 3.37
Phillipstown	Phillipstown	1879	93	647	630	17	--10.61
Leeston	Leeston	1880	136	2,650	2,580	70	-- 3.10
Papanui	Papanui	1880	90	2,410	2,323	87	+ 1.64
Addington	Addington	1882	115	2,876	2,811	65	-- 8.17
Coleridge	Coleridge	1883	137	1,457	1,384	73	-- 6.31
Heart of Oak	Kaikoura	1885	82	2,459	2,195	264	-- 1.51
Riccarton	Papanui	1886	107	2,291	2,240	51	+11.58
Jubilee	Prebbleton	1887	61	1,273	1,255	18	-- 6.42
Sister Pearce	Christchurch	1896	35	302	278	24	-- 2.56
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	2,175	57,894	54,571	3,323	-- 1.91
<i>Ashburton District—</i>							
Central Body	Ashburton .. ..	.. ..	1	1,481	1,134	347	.. ..
Ashburton Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1873	210	6,185	5,986	199	+ 8.33
Waterton	Waterton	1881	65	2,393	2,252	141	+19.39
Pioneer	Springburn	1881	67	2,260	2,253	7	+13.97
Tinwald	Tinwald	1882	45	2,301	2,157	144	+21.77
Methven	Methven	1900	56	953	953	..	+ 3.69
Mayfield	Mayfield	1901	46	749	724	25	+ 4.73
Hinds	Hinds	1910	26	106	106	..	.. ..
Rakaia	Rakaia	1911	16	102	76	26	.. ..
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	532	16,530	15,641	889	+10.65
Total N.Z. Branch .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	14,976	548,127	499,168	48,959	.. ..
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED.							
<i>Lytelton District—</i>							
Central Body	Lytelton .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	234	158	76	.. ..
City of Norwich Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1850	272	15,531	14,966	565	+ 7.88
Good Intent	Akaroa	1860	57	2,212	2,212	..	+ 5.71
Hand of Friendship	Okain's Bay	1875	42	1,353	1,347	6	-- 7.56
Hand and Heart	Pigeon Bay	1876	47	2,008	1,981	27	-- 2.41
Perseverance	Barry's Bay	1881	46	1,412	1,399	13	-- 3.96
Wairewa	Little River	1897	55	697	689	8	-- 9.03
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	519	23,447	22,752	695	+ 2.45
<i>South Canterbury District—</i>							
Central Body	Timaru .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	819	819	..	.. ..
Timaru Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1864	398	8,375	8,345	30	--11.32
Heart of Friendship	Waimate	1871	135	2,336	2,086	250	-- 7.81
Pleasant Point	Pleasant Point	1891	10	1,134	1,114	20	+10.71
Makikihi	Makikihi	1907	35	374	336	38	-- 9.50
Morven	Morven	1912	17	87	86	1	-- 9.50
Total	595	13,125	12,786	339	-- 9.87

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<i>M.U.I.O.O.F.—continued.</i>							
<i>DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED—continued.</i>							
<i>Otago District—</i>							
Central Body	Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	£ 4,734	£ 2,730	£ 2,004	£ ..
Hand and Heart Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1848	683	39,695	35,372	4,323	+ 5.67
Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	1862	474	23,496	23,336	160	+ 6.16
Dalton	Balclutha	1864	283	8,591	7,855	736	+ 3.49
Prince of Wales	Port Chalmers	1864	168	5,783	5,278	505	+ 5.77
Albion	Dunedin	1864	421	10,279	9,771	508	+ 6.09
Oamaru	Oamaru	1864	168	6,689	6,443	246	+ 1.17
Tuapeka Pioneer	Lawrence	1865	83	2,974	2,810	164	+ 12.17
Waitahuna	Waitahuna	1866	27	1,496	1,496	..	+ 2.54
Prince Alfred	Waikouaiti	1866	58	4,216	4,197	19	+ 12.18
Waipori	Waipori	1867	24	78	74	4	+ 20.48
Blue Spur	Blue Spur	1867	49	1,346	1,181	165	+ 27.64
Naseby	Naseby	1868	112	1,904	1,822	82	+ 12.64
Alexandra	Pt. Molyneux	1869	96	3,421	3,314	107	+ 5.20
Roxburgh	Roxburgh	1869	87	1,435	1,289	146	+ 12.96
Taparui	Taparui	1869	186	7,081	6,643	438	+ 5.28
Palmerston	Palmerston S.	1870	109	3,124	2,956	168	+ 3.86
Cromwell	Cromwell	1870	92	9,913	9,277	636	+ 23.78
Mount Wendon	Waikaia	1871	70	2,075	2,040	35	+ 16.23
Band of Friendship	Kakanui	1872	50	1,421	1,211	210	+ 8.86
Outram	Outram	1875	110	5,671	5,647	24	+ 15.37
Mosgiel	Mosgiel	1879	250	8,438	7,956	482	+ 2.31
Caversham	Caversham	1881	305	8,773	7,577	1,196	+ 7.98
Valley	N.E. Valley	1881	177	5,312	5,099	213	+ 4.87
Ngapara	Ngapara	1891	24	963	928	35	+ 4.21
Dunback	Dunback	1892	64	1,020	995	25	+ 11.85
Pride of Kaitangata	Kaitangata	1892	222	3,339	3,201	138	+ 7.71
United Brothers	Cambrian	1897	52	977	971	6	+ 9.76
Milton	Milton	1897	215	3,775	3,590	185	+ 7.60
Waikaka	Waikaka	1899	48	730	714	16	+ 17.88
Middlemarch	Middlemarch	1906	69	478	452	26	+ 9.24
Maniototo	Ranfurly	1910	68	455	420	35	..
Centenary	Dunedin S.	1911	46	314	314	..	..
Vincent	Omakau	1911	18	215	199	16	..
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	4,908	180,211	167,158	13,053	+ 1.95
<i>Southland District—</i>							
Central Body	Invercargill .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	781	386	395	..
Shamrock, Rose, and Thistle Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1860	394	14,927	14,578	349	+ 5.94
St. George Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1868	413	10,380	10,250	130	+ 11.01
Winton	Winton	1874	117	1,857	1,857	..	+ 24.01
United Gore	Gore	1878	177	4,240	4,124	116	+ 9.50
Lumsden	Lumsden	1882	145	1,873	1,821	52	+ 15.21
Awarua	Campbelltown	1883	114	2,764	2,710	54	+ 14.88
Riversdale	Riversdale	1889	45	405	383	22	+ 16.27
Star of the West	Orepuki	1899	48	671	631	40	+ 11.95
Mataura Falls	Mataura	1900	84	702	437	265	+ 24.71
Star of Nightcaps	Nightcaps	1900	56	359	315	44	+ 23.26
Hearts of Oak	Invercargill	1904	54	421	407	14	+ 0.70
Balfour	Balfour	1907	41	264	195	69	+ 12.17
Otautau	Otautau	1913	33	122	121	1	..
Star of Edendale	Edendale	1913	31	126	100	26	..
Queen of the West	Wallacetown	1914	15	27	20	7	..
Dipton	Dipton	1914	30	95	87	8	..
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	1,797	40,014	38,422	1,592	+ 12.10
Total of Order .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	22,795	804,924	740,286	64,638	..
<i>I.O.O.F.</i>							
<i>Grand Lodge of New Zealand—</i>							
Central Body	Dunedin .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	103,760	100,938	2,822	..
Pioneer Lodge .. ..	.. ..	1862	192	244	34	210	..
Leith .. ..	.. ..	1867	141	1,199	856	343	..
Alfred	Oamaru	1869	190	1,131	727	404	..
Star of Canterbury	Timaru	1869	176	269	172	97	..
Rangitikei	Bull's	1873	12	263	259	4	..
Alexandrovna	Temuka	1874	46	53	27	26	..
Unity	S. Dunedin	1875	312	1,123	74	1,049	..
Victoria	Geraldine	1875	105	569	338	231	..
Linden	Kaikorai	1875	123	283	76	207	..
Southern Cross	Wellington	1877	244	2,082	1,191	891	..
Pioneer of Southland	Invercargill	1878	256	1,604	1,080	524	..

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<i>I.O.O.F.—continued.</i>							
<i>Grand Lodge of New Zealand—ctd.</i>							
Star of Auckland Lodge	Auckland	1878	270	£ 1,984	£ 408	£ 1,576	..
Washington	Sydenham	1878	304	382	24	358	..
Templeton	Templeton	1881	34	361	355	6	..
Alma	Wyndham	1882	67	380	340	40	..
Wallace	Riverton	1882	77	84	4	80	..
Ridgley	Christchurch	1882	183	612	302	310	..
Kawakawa	Kawakawa	1883	26	60	59	1	..
Gladstone	Fairlie Creek	1883	105	294	183	111	..
Mataura	Mataura	1883	53	460	445	15	..
Aparima	Otautau	1883	93	170	65	105	..
Kaeo	Kaeo	1884	18	57	25	32	..
Orient	Palmerston N.	1885	87	115	96	19	..
Popotunoa	Clinton	1889	96	230	23	207	..
Hope of Maheno	Maheno	1889	68	249	189	60	..
Waiareka	Enfield	1891	70	137	137	..	..
Star of Eden	Ponsonby	1894	256	807	21	786	..
Ruth Rebekah	Dunedin	1895	23	50	44	6	..
Star of Waiuku	Waiuku	1895	102	67	11	56	..
Linda Rebekah	Roslyn	1895	25	22	10	12	..
Northern Wairoa	Newport	1896	130	398	26	372	..
Myrtle Rebekah	Auckland	1896	32	158	..	158	..
Miriam Rebekah	S. Dunedin	1898	44	63	10	53	..
Naomi Rebekah	Christchurch	1899	32	5	..	5	..
Wynyard	Auckland	1899	185	327	94	233	..
Opotiki	Opotiki	1899	60	279	111	168	..
Owaka	Owaka	1899	110	248	152	96	..
Hereweka	Portobello	1901	62	37	24	13	..
Star of Gisborne	Gisborne	1901	150	53	..	53	..
Star of Avondale	Avondale	1903	77	77	9	68	..
Star of Napier	Napier	1904	75	151	115	36	..
Royal Oak	Drummond	1904	24	30	..	30	..
Awhina	Mamaku	1904	46	44	4	40	..
Takiara Rebekah	Invercargill	1904	29	21	2	19	..
Star of Linwood	Linwood	1906	166	160	29	131	..
Hakatere	Ashburton	1906	72	26	13	13	..
Aroatea	Birkenhead	1907	103	82	25	57	..
Royal Pukerau	Pukerau	1907	27	31	..	31	..
Excelsior	Pukekohe	1907	54	106	14	92	..
Waiau	Clifden	1907	29	43	12	31	..
Star of Sydenham	Sydenham	1907	78	145	34	111	..
Clevedon	Clevedon	1907	24	66	14	52	..
Star of Papakaio	Papakaio	1907	49	114	55	59	..
Star of Kaikohe	Kaikohe	1907	27	17	9	8	..
Star of Hokianga	Kohukohu	1907	26	30	6	24	..
Zealandia	Wellington	1908	109	51	1	50	..
Star of St. Albans	St. Albans	1908	51	37	30	7	..
Epsom	Epsom	1908	38	41	17	24	..
Golden Link Rebekah	Linwood	1908	17	13	..	13	..
Te Ara Rebekah	Otautau	1908	13	21	..	21	..
Moana Rebekah	Riverton	1908	3	24	1	23	..
Loyal Waimate	Waimate	1908	42	88	52	36	..
Star of Waikato	Hamilton	1909	41	8	..	8	..
Lily of Sydenham Rebekah Lodge	Sydenham	1909	19	6	3	3	..
Pride of Taumarunui Lodge	Taumarunui	1909	34	33	26	7	..
Rakaia	Rakaia	1909	29	161	..	161	..
Maori Hill	Maori Hill	1909	28	57	22	35	..
Awarua	Taihape	1909	42	40	38	2	..
Star of Papakura	Papakura	1910	30	84	27	57	..
St. Kilda	Dunedin	1910	32	130	43	87	..
Karamu	Hastings	1910	56	18	..	18	..
Star of Bombay	Bombay	1910	21	7	..	7	..
Star of Whangarei	Whangarei	1910	26	53	10	43	..
Chertsey	Chertsey	1910	10	139	22	117	..
New Brighton	New Brighton	1910	13	27	10	17	..
Lily of Eden Rebekah	Auckland	1910	7	13	..	13	..
Marama	Morton Mains	1911	22	13	..	13	..
Kia Ora	Dannevirke	1911	32	18	3	15	..
Pyramid	Wanganui	1911	45	28	28	..	..
Star of Waikiwi	Waikiwi	1911	63	23	..	23	..
Star of Bluff	Bluff	1911	32	30	..	30	..
Arawa	Cambridge	1912	32	30	12	18	..
Pois Pois	Waimahaka	1912	15	5	..	5	..
Hokonui	Gore	1912	19	19	..	19	..
Kiwitea	Feilding	1912	22	5	..	5	..
Star of Ellerslie	Ellerslie	1912	29	45	39	6	..
Star of Melrose	Auckland	1912	36	64	17	47	..
Aroha	Invercargill	1913	45	16	..	16	..
Cleveland	Wellington	1913	57	24	..	24	..
Oreti	Wallacetown	1913	43	23	22	1	..

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<i>Grand Lodge of New Zealand—ctd.</i>							
Clutha Lodge	Balclutha	1913	40	£ 19	£ 12	£ 7	..
Paritutu	New Plymouth	1913	12	11	10	1	..
Kennington	Kennington	1913	29	25	..	25	..
Star of Opawa	Opawa	1914	26	63	25	38	..
Victoria Rebekah	Wellington	1914	17	7	..	7	..
Star of Opunake	Opunake	1915	21	44	17	27	..
Total of Order	..	..	6,763	123,375	109,758	13,617	+ 1-90
<i>N.I.O.O.F.</i>							
<i>Auckland Provincial District—</i>							
Central Body	Auckland	..	..	3,499	3,439	60	..
Auckland Pioneer Lodge	..	1878	169	788	516	272	-16-87
United Brothers	..	1879	271	1,480	1,226	254	-14-03
Total of Order	..	..	440	5,767	5,181	586	-15-25
<i>B.U.O.O.F.</i>							
Aorangi Lodge	Wellington	1884	143	3,508	3,327	181	- 5-24
<i>A.O.F.</i>							
<i>Auckland District—</i>							
Central Body	Auckland	..	..	38,984	37,414	1,570	..
Court Zealandia	..	1873	161	105	65	40	..
.. Pride of Onehunga	Onehunga	1875	235	212	50	162	..
.. Pride of the North	Grahamstown	1875	94	109	..	109	..
.. Robin Hood	Panmure	1876	23	25	1	24	..
.. Northern Wairoa	Dargaville	1877	77	287	272	15	..
.. Pride of Newmarket	Newmarket	1879	107	134	20	114	..
.. Nil Desperandum	Newton	1880	341	397	79	318	..
.. Royal Oak	Tauranga	1880	31	68	18	50	..
.. Star of the South	Otahuhu	1881	28	26	9	17	..
.. Star of Helensville	Helensville	1883	84	268	4	264	..
.. Victoria	Devonport	1885	237	287	70	217	..
.. Queen of the North	Maungaturoto	1886	46	226	143	83	..
.. Maid Marian	Auckland	1894	58	89	5	84	..
.. Waihi	Waihi	1895	203	807	68	739	..
.. Birkenhead	Birkenhead	1900	128	162	87	75	..
.. Pride of Awanui	Awanui	1904	13	188	174	14	..
.. Taumarunui	Taumarunui	1907	65	22	10	12	..
.. Shaldrick	Onehunga	1909	28	28	22	6	..
.. Alexandra	Devonport	1910	28	18	11	7	..
.. Unity	Paparoa	1911	43	25	10	15	..
.. Te Puke	Te Puke	1912	13	24	16	8	..
.. Pride of Waikato	Hamilton	1912	60	37	25	12	..
.. Takapuna	Takapuna	1914	34	36	20	16	..
Total	..	..	2,137	42,564	38,593	3,971	- 3-08
<i>Hawke's Bay District—</i>							
Central Body	Napier	..	..	19,694	19,608	86	..
Court Lord Clyde	Wairoa	1873	143	1,198	1,065	133	-10-79
.. Captain Cook	Napier	1875	141	1,023	826	197	- 4-18
.. Robin Hood	Ahuriri	1878	89	83	76	7	- 8-35
.. Ruahine	Waipukurau	1879	67	1,260	1,235	25	- 4-54
.. Little John	Waipawa	1883	42	1,013	989	24	- 9-53
.. Waitangi	West Clive	1884	16	441	434	7	- 6-62
.. Rising Sun	Dannevirke	1885	104	862	836	26	14-77
.. Ormond	Makotuku	1885	46	1,021	971	50	- 8-67
.. Redclyffe	Taradale	1886	38	695	691	4	-11-80
.. Viking	Norsewood	1894	25	201	117	84	-22-43
.. Johnston	Takapau	1909	16	22	13	9	..
Total	..	..	727	27,513	26,861	652	- 3-58
<i>Taranaki District—</i>							
Central Body	New Plymouth	..	..	648	210	438	..
Court Taranaki	..	1864	103	5,604	5,570	34	+14-29
.. Waireka	..	1866	531	12,811	12,019	792	+ 1-99
.. Patea	Patea	1867	74	1,745	1,739	6	-10-81
.. Inglewood Forest	Inglewood	1876	311	4,859	4,829	30	- 1-53
.. Raleigh	Waitara	1883	99	1,543	1,543	..	- 0-55
.. Opunake	Opunake	1883	9	415	392	23	+21-00

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<i>Taranaki District—continued.</i>							
				£	£	£	£
Court Egmont	Hawera ..	1884	47	2,851	2,847	4	+17-41
.. Stratford	Stratford ..	1887	84	1,830	1,782	48	+ 6-55
.. Pride of New Plymouth	New Plymouth	1893	124	1,013	954	59	- 2-09
.. Pride of Eltham ..	Eltham ..	1908	55	289	282	7	..
.. Lady Islington ..	Stratford ..	1911	13	78	61	17	..
Total .. ..	..	..	1,450	33,686	32,228	1,458	+ 1-97
<i>Wellington District—</i>							
Central Body	Wellington ..	..	3	22,813	22,113	700	..
Court Sir George Grey ..	..	1862	324	10,162	9,635	527	-12-84
.. Robin Hood .. ..	..	1865	271	4,577	4,066	511	-18-39
.. Little John	Marton ..	1866	195	2,679	2,626	53	-19-71
.. Roderick Dhu	Wanganui ..	1867	354	5,571	5,393	178	-12-53
.. Sir George Bowen ..	Wellington ..	1868	394	10,254	9,897	357	-10-23
.. Blenheim	Blenheim ..	1869	157	7,900	7,836	64	+ 0-21
.. Wairarapa	Greytown ..	1870	66	1,405	1,348	57	-18-79
.. Loyal Enterprise ..	Masterton ..	1871	219	1,789	1,042	747	-29-42
.. Clarendon	Pictou ..	1874	133	4,819	4,746	73	- 1-99
.. Manawatu	Palmerston N.	1875	209	3,151	2,168	983	-16-54
.. Marquis of Normanby..	Carterton ..	1876	136	2,413	2,165	248	-16-38
.. Loyal Feilding	Feilding ..	1876	95	1,825	1,776	49	-15-70
.. William Gladstone ..	Gisborne ..	1877	202	5,257	5,037	220	- 7-91
.. Pioneer	Te Nui ..	1877	71	2,600	2,437	163	- 5-53
.. Loyal Halcombe ..	Halcombe ..	1884	39	705	638	67	-17-45
.. Woodville	Woodville ..	1884	118	2,131	1,813	318	-10-40
.. Pohangina	Ashhurst ..	1885	31	408	341	67	-22-60
.. Eponi	Petone ..	1886	391	6,511	6,011	500	-12-15
.. Pahiatua	Pahiatua ..	1886	156	4,378	3,930	448	-15-88
.. Kopuaranga	Mauriceville	1887	76	1,602	1,569	33	-19-64
.. Hunterville	Hunterville..	1888	29	382	348	34	-25-82
.. Sir William Jervois ..	Newtown ..	1889	295	1,615	1,198	417	-17-11
.. Pride of Levin	Levin ..	1891	73	777	720	57	-22-65
.. Bloomfield	Hutt ..	1891	47	548	485	63	-20-08
.. Lady Glasgow	Wellington ..	1894	124	805	760	55	- 4-83
.. Primrose	Petone ..	1894	40	293	245	48	- 5-04
.. Makakahi	Eketahuna ..	1895	135	1,506	1,272	234	-18-88
.. Pongaroa	Pongaroa ..	1900	45	337	302	35	-20-10
.. Loyal Northland ..	Northland ..	1907	143	1,002	865	137	..
.. Rangataua	Rangataua ..	1911	20	117	100	17	..
Total .. ..	..	..	4,591	110,332	102,872	7,460	-13-99
<i>Nelson District—</i>							
Central Body	Nelson ..	..	..	1,514	1,406	108	..
Court Robin Hood .. ..	..	1862	311	10,801	10,532	269	- 5-63
.. Perseverance	Motueka ..	1863	64	839	788	51	-16-20
.. Pride of the Forest ..	Wakapuaka ..	1864	86	3,398	2,746	652	-12-93
.. Concord	Greymouth..	1867	101	902	855	47	-18-27
.. Unity	Havelock ..	1871	65	1,686	1,580	106	-18-74
.. Charleston	Charleston ..	1871	22	1,074	1,037	37	-11-40
.. Sherwood Forest ..	Stoke ..	1872	81	2,786	2,745	41	- 6-69
.. Aore	Collingwood	1873	105	5,482	5,415	67	- 0-89
.. Royal Oak	Westport ..	1875	42	1,647	1,599	48	- 2-00
.. Inangahua	Reefton ..	1878	27	1,119	1,057	62	- 4-68
.. Karamea	Karamea ..	1908	26	81	70	11	..
Total .. ..	..	..	930	31,329	29,830	1,499	- 9-36
<i>Canterbury United District—</i>							
Central Body	Christchurch	..	..	12,795	12,655	140	..
Court Star of Canterbury	..	1852	400	14,181	14,172	9	+ 7-95*
.. Queen of the Isles ..	Lytelton ..	1859	41	1,566	1,256	310	+16-75*
.. Pride of Courtenay ..	Courtenay ..	1876	49	2,351	2,118	233	+10-04*
.. Thistle of the Forest ..	Sydenham ..	1879	141	3,984	3,875	109	+ 5-77*
.. Woodford	Kaiapoi ..	1880	184	5,390	5,313	77	+ 5-04*
.. Papanui	Papanui ..	1881	57	956	941	15	- 5-70*
.. Star of Dunsandel ..	Dunsandel ..	1888	98	1,486	1,292	194	- 2-73*
.. Star of Belfast	Belfast ..	1888	50	937	937	..	+ 4-63*
.. Ashburton	Ashburton ..	1889	140	2,815	2,752	63	+ 2-57*
.. Queen of Canterbury ..	Christchurch	1895	42	346	346	..	- 6-68*
.. Victoria	Kaiapoi ..	1896	31	143	127	16	- 2-64*
.. Loburn	Loburn ..	1902	21	423	155	268	- 9-29*
.. Star of Rakaia	Rakaia ..	1909	52	250	242	8	- 3-69*
Total	1,306	47,623	46,181	1,442	+ 3-73*

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<i>South Canterbury District—</i>							
Central Body ..	Timaru	£ 1,056	£ 866	£ 190	..
Court Southern Cross	1865	482	12,297	12,135	162	— 3.13
.. Foresters' Pride ..	Waimate ..	1875	158	4,585	4,347	238	— 6.45
.. Progress ..	St. Andrew's ..	1883	65	607	568	39	— 12.97
.. Star of Waihao ..	Morven ..	1904	41	453	373	80	— 9.20
Total ..	..	..	746	18,998	18,289	709	— 5.03
<i>United Otago District—</i>							
Central Body ..	Dunedin ..	..	6	24,630	21,438	3,192	— 23.46*
Court Robin Hood ..	Port Chalmers ..	1864	199	2,009	1,702	307	— 10.84*
.. Pride of the Leith ..	Dunedin ..	1864	291	7,007	6,694	313	+ 3.53*
.. Bruce ..	Milton ..	1865	164	3,465	3,376	89	— 3.25*
.. Star of Dunstan ..	Clyde ..	1866	57	1,579	1,566	13	+ 8.14*
.. Pride of Oamaru ..	Oamaru ..	1868	228	5,341	5,186	155	+ 4.57*
.. Pride of Alexandra ..	Alexandra ..	1869	122	1,986	1,902	84	+ 4.89*
.. Roxburgh ..	Roxburgh ..	1873	106	1,318	1,269	49	— 1.32*
.. Star of the South ..	Invercargill ..	1874	407	6,600	6,535	65	— 0.67*
.. St. Andrew's ..	Caversham ..	1875	163	2,469	2,175	294	— 7.65*
.. Excelsior ..	Mornington ..	1877	188	4,314	4,046	268	+ 4.21*
.. Little John ..	Roslyn ..	1888	151	2,663	2,598	65	+ 3.01*
.. Royal Oak ..	Wyndham ..	1890	99	1,480	1,414	66	— 0.33*
.. Southern Star ..	Bluff ..	1890	54	557	512	45	— 2.98*
.. Victoria ..	Oamaru ..	1894	26	186	178	8	+ 3.29*
.. Woodlands Pride ..	Dunedin ..	1895	241	1,150	1,014	136	— 1.14*
.. Queen of the South ..	Invercargill ..	1896	57	466	462	4	+ 1.43*
.. Star of the Forest ..	Woodlands ..	1896	37	984	946	38	+ 8.03*
.. Marion ..	Mosgiel ..	1898	58	380	380	..	+ 1.95*
.. Pride of Waitaki ..	Kurow ..	1904	60	399	397	2	— 3.61*
.. King Edward's Pride ..	S. Dunedin ..	1907	76	313	287	26	— 1.54*
.. Pride of Green Island ..	Green Island ..	1907	106	702	666	36	— 0.55*
.. Star of Heriot ..	Heriot ..	1909	43	445	304	141	— 2.11*
.. Southern ..	Invercargill ..	1911	58	92	84	8	..
.. Molyneux ..	Balclutha ..	1912	56	82	76	6	..
.. Pride of Edendale ..	Edendale ..	1913	24	29	29	..	..
Total ..	..	..	3,077	70,646	65,236	5,410	+ 0.19*
<i>Courts not in any District—</i>							
Court Pride of Dunedin ..	Dunedin ..	1862	332	12,655	11,558	1,097	— 0.12
.. Enterprise ..	..	1863	385	11,785	11,237	548	+ 4.27
.. City of Auckland ..	Auckland ..	1863	320	11,797	11,624	173	+ 3.86
.. Pride of Parnell ..	Thames ..	1864	108	4,829	4,647	182	— 5.26
.. Coromandel ..	Coromandel ..	1871	44	1,263	1,085	178	— 11.02
Total separately registered ..	..	..	1,189	42,329	40,151	2,178	..
Total of Order ..	..	..	16,153	425,020	400,241	24,779	..
<i>A.O.S.</i>							
Sanctuary Sir George Grey ..	Wellington ..	1865	53	1,224	1,191	33	— 1.31
<i>U.A.O.D.</i>							
<i>Grand Lodge of the North Island—</i>							
Central Body ..	Wellington ..	..	..	48,096	35,134	12,962	..
Excelsior Lodge ..	..	1879	624	7,294	6,633	661	— 12.96
Stonehenge ..	Masterton ..	1880	215	1,839	1,717	122	— 8.58
Star of New Zealand ..	Hutt ..	1880	127	2,192	2,145	47	— 6.68
Star of the West ..	Greymouth ..	1881	290	2,254	2,067	187	— 7.66
Auckland ..	Auckland ..	1882	320	4,704	4,189	515	— 6.62
Albion ..	Napier ..	1882	389	3,371	3,042	329	— 7.43
Totara ..	Carterton ..	1883	199	2,285	1,893	392	— 7.56
Oroua ..	Palmerston N. ..	1883	424	4,644	4,311	333	— 5.99
Bishop ..	Wanganui ..	1883	423	5,688	4,938	750	— 6.20
Brunner ..	Brunnerton ..	1883	138	1,576	1,358	218	— 26.96
Blenheim Mistletoe ..	Blenheim ..	1884	103	1,468	1,428	40	— 6.14
Turanganui ..	Gisborne ..	1884	397	8,590	7,878	712	— 3.58

* Sick Fund only.

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				£	£	£	£
U.A.O.D.— <i>continued.</i>							
<i>Grand Lodge of the North Island</i>							
— <i>continued.</i>							
Pacific Lodge ..	Wellington ..	1886	617	8,289	7,603	686	— 4-49
Poneke	Petone	1886	164	3,258	3,127	131	— 2-67
Ponsonby	Auckland ..	1887	621	9,326	7,273	2,053	— 4-76
Star of Egmout	Patea	1891	78	1,020	825	195	— 5-08
Maitai	Nelson	1892	274	5,757	5,171	586	— 1-01
Morgan	Marton	1893	106	1,090	945	145	— 8-60
Collingwood	Collingwood ..	1893	40	615	475	140	+ 0-65
Horowhenua	Levin	1895	99	1,207	1,024	183	— 7-64
Otaki	Otaki	1895	79	1,152	1,001	151	— 4-80
Hawera	Hawera	1895	169	1,563	1,488	75	— 2-55
Holly	Johnsonville ..	1895	82	1,325	1,120	205	— 1-08
Takaka	Takaka	1895	99	890	743	147	— 14-92
Moturoa	N. Plymouth ..	1896	185	2,183	2,118	65	— 5-67
Star of Paeroa	Paeroa	1896	91	1,232	1,226	6	— 2-84
Pride of Waihi	Waihi	1897	173	1,119	919	200	— 15-28
Reefton	Reefton	1897	187	1,691	1,382	309	— 3-95
Victoria	Waikino	1899	67	1,046	992	54	— 6-01
Star of Newmarket	Auckland	1900	133	1,222	950	272	— 7-69
Pahiatua	Pahiatua	1902	60	621	513	108	— 7-01
Coronation	Wellington ..	1902	224	2,419	2,095	324	— 3-73
Alexandra	Karangahake ..	1902	111	744	617	127	— 12-57
Ruahine	Dannevirke ..	1903	121	1,394	1,293	101	— 3-71
Shannon	Shannon	1903	86	916	855	61	— 1-34
Eltham	Eltham	1903	81	828	688	140	— 4-76
Mungaroa	Upper Hutt ..	1903	55	633	618	15	— 3-49
Inglewood	Inglewood ..	1903	185	1,574	1,388	186	— 4-07
Myrtle	Eketahuna ..	1904	84	789	772	17	— 5-05
Okato	Okato	1904	16	195	194	1	— 4-00
Devonport	Devonport ..	1904	130	1,467	1,407	60	— 5-55
Te Aroha	Te Aroha	1904	48	489	415	74	— 7-25
Trafalgar	Wakefield ..	1905	68	474	413	61	— 13-92
Whangarei	Whangarei ..	1905	68	331	316	15	— 6-22
Seddon	Dunollie	1905	112	589	533	56	— 19-24
Waitemata	Auckland	1905	215	1,705	1,545	160	— 3-64
Buller	Westport	1905	125	1,089	1,042	47	— 5-96
Shedwood	Motupiko	1905	60	816	606	210	— 8-29
Eden	Auckland	1905	61	893	810	83	— 2-09
Millerton	Millerton	1905	59	109	85	24	— 15-34
Makino	Feilding	1906	89	721	703	18	— 4-30
Fern-leaf	Greytown	1906	42	428	351	77	— 1-89
Stratford	Stratford	1906	79	510	496	14	— 5-34
Pride of Brooklyn	Wellington ..	1906	75	624	517	107	— 2-55
Blackball	Blackball	1906	56	160	143	17	— 12-63
Naumai	Motueka	1906	78	686	659	27	— 2-60
Pride of Hamilton	Hamilton	1906	51	411	392	19	— 5-35
Nelson Creek	Nelson Creek ..	1906	6	219	214	5	— 3-10
Island Bay	Island Bay ..	1906	66	724	643	81	— 2-58
Denniston	Denniston	1906	104	235	223	12	— 10-88
Pride of the West	Kumara	1906	23	281	253	28	— 4-03
Aramoho	Aramoho	1907	127	589	518	71	— 4-47
Grey Lynn	Grey Lynn	1907	106	682	635	47	— 4-55
Eureka	Hastings	1907	95	583	548	35	— 4-34
Melrose	Kilbirnie	1907	99	896	847	49	— 2-76
Clifton	Waitara	1908	57	364	317	47	— 5-18
Karamea	Karamea	1908	35	104	100	4	— 5-46
Dominion	Thames	1908	52	122	105	17	— 4-60
Manawatu	Foxton	1908	64	401	386	15	— 2-68
Wairoa	Wairoa, H.B. ..	1908	76	538	523	15	— 3-33
Mackay	Taihape	1908	57	310	292	18	— 5-12
Roskill	Auckland	1909	59	266	245	21	— 4-49
Light of Manukau	Onehunga	1909	127	607	558	49	— 4-55
Star of Rodney	Warkworth ..	1909	24	276	263	13	— 2-55
Te Awaha	Mangawhare ..	1910	51	328	278	50	— 0-72
Rotorua	Rotorua	1910	20	176	167	9	— 6-58
Star of Albertland	Port Albert ..	1910	29	157	134	23	— 4-63
Pride of Te Kuiti	Te Kuiti	1910	30	102	82	20	— 4-62
Royal Oak	Northcote	1910	38	221	208	13	— 6-07
Pride of Te Awamutu	Te Awamutu ..	1911	14	57	56	1	— 4-87
Star of Piako	Morrinsville ..	1911	29	155	136	19	— 1-06
Murchison	Murchison	1911	18	64	59	5	— 3-63
Ruataniwha	Waipawa	1911	40	143	141	2	— 3-50
Manaiia	Manaiia	1911	65	300	263	37	— 3-21
Westland	Hokitika	1911	75	438	387	51	— 2-89
Lind	Tokomaru	1913	31	110	84	26	..
Total	10,969	169,049	143,246	25,803	— 6-40

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<i>U.A.O.D.—continued.</i>							
<i>Grand Lodge of Canterbury—</i>							
Central Body ..	Christchurch	£ 14,573	£ 14,025	£ 548	£ ..
Pioneer Lodge ..	..	1875	283	6,666	6,583	83	— 3-46
Hope of St. Albans ..	St. Albans ..	1879	167	3,888	3,715	173	— 1-34
Mistletoe ..	Christchurch	1879	273	3,171	3,088	83	— 5-77
Oak of Sydenham ..	Sydenham ..	1879	220	4,759	4,489	270	— 6-79
Ethelbert ..	Springston ..	1880	78	1,170	1,136	34	— 9-90
Lytelton Hearts of Oak ..	Lytelton ..	1880	132	520	438	82	— 10-96
Star of Anglesea ..	Lincoln ..	1880	67	2,095	2,077	18	+ 2-63
Perseverance ..	Sydenham ..	1880	121	1,392	1,370	22	— 9-65
Hope of Amberley ..	Amberley ..	1880	67	688	653	35	— 13-25
Anchor ..	Woolston ..	1880	201	2,122	2,028	94	— 8-52
Bud of Hope ..	Rangiora ..	1880	114	1,727	1,624	103	— 12-39
Ohoka ..	Ohoka ..	1882	31	653	640	13	— 13-70
Timaru ..	Timaru ..	1882	385	6,539	6,322	217	— 3-23
Trafalgar ..	Kaipoi ..	1882	51	412	407	5	— 14-24
Star of Ashburton ..	Ashburton ..	1883	183	2,808	2,732	76	— 7-72
Old Oak ..	Southbridge	1883	73	967	900	67	— 9-23
Ivy of Linwood ..	Christchurch	1888	205	1,586	1,439	147	— 4-59
Ellesmere ..	Doyleston ..	1895	34	502	440	62	— 6-42
Olive Branch ..	Hornby ..	1897	44	297	285	12	— 7-00
Lily of Richmond ..	Richmond ..	1902	78	535	475	60	— 3-20
Ivy ..	Waimate ..	1903	99	999	808	191	— 4-97
Success of Ashburton ..	Ashburton ..	1904	7	92	89	3	— 0-47
Queen of the Oak ..	Sydenham ..	1908	38	245	220	25	— 1-83
Total ..	..	..	2,951	58,406	55,983	2,423	— 6-18
<i>Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland—</i>							
Central Body ..	Dunedin ..	..	..	9,029	8,646	383	..
Otago Lodge ..	..	1880	249	5,023	4,627	396	— 0-40
Enterprise ..	S. Dunedin ..	1880	240	3,690	3,604	86	— 6-64
Ivanhoe ..	Dunedin ..	1880	325	4,877	4,490	387	— 4-96
Royal Oak ..	Caversham ..	1881	162	1,757	1,591	166	— 8-61
Acorn ..	Invercargill ..	1881	392	5,923	4,746	1,177	— 5-42
Linden ..	Roslyn ..	1883	102	2,299	2,129	170	— 0-91
West Harbour ..	Rothsay ..	1883	122	2,174	2,111	63	— 1-81
All Nations ..	Port Chalmers	1883	194	1,926	1,786	140	— 12-82
Endeavour ..	Oamaru ..	1884	255	3,733	3,483	250	— 4-20
Good Intent ..	Mosgiel ..	1885	147	2,809	2,707	102	=
Rose of Palmerston ..	Palmerston S.	1886	102	1,926	1,893	33	— 0-15
Gore ..	Gore ..	1889	134	1,862	1,768	94	— 1-83
Lily of the Valley ..	Dunedin ..	1898	113	1,223	1,005	218	— 3-72
Oraka ..	Colac Bay ..	1899	37	320	312	8	— 10-51
St. Patrick's ..	Waikouaiti ..	1899	70	636	620	16	— 4-72
Pride of Mornington ..	Mornington ..	1900	66	799	748	51	— 2-67
Star of Tuapeka ..	Lawrence ..	1902	61	882	764	118	— 4-25
Star of Duntroon ..	Duntroon ..	1904	45	378	352	26	— 5-24
Bay ..	Dunedin ..	1905	50	312	252	60	— 6-02
Hampden ..	Hampden ..	1905	64	540	499	41	— 0-50
Alexandra ..	Alexandra S.	1909	47	193	166	27	— 3-08
Southern Oak ..	S. Invercargill	1911	35	99	78	21	— 5-96
Oak of Waikiwi ..	Waikiwi ..	1911	58	108	70	38	— 5-51
Star of Thornbury ..	Thornbury ..	1911	56	187	131	56	— 5-50
Total ..	..	..	3,126	52,705	48,578	4,127	— 4-47
Total of Order ..	..	..	17,046	280,160	247,807	32,353	..
<i>I.O.R.</i>							
<i>New Zealand District—</i>							
Central Body ..	Auckland ..	..	2	22,789	22,352	437	..
Hope of Auckland Tent ..	..	1863	265	1,417	1,141	276	..
Star of Hauraki ..	Thames ..	1870	45	701	673	28	..
Northern Star ..	Aratapu ..	1881	15	24	11	13	..
Gordon ..	Onhunga ..	1885	63	62	19	43	..
Whangaroa ..	Whangaroa ..	1886	22	18	10	8	..
Advance ..	Waihi ..	1899	23	35	13	22	..
Waitemata ..	Northcote ..	1900	18	41	..	41	..
Mahurangi Homeguard ..	Warkworth ..	1902	37	48	19	29	..
Star of Cambridge ..	Cambridge ..	1904	31	45	14	31	..
Hope of Hamilton ..	Hamilton ..	1907	68	39	30	9	..
Hope of Eden ..	Mount Eden	1908	167	107	..	107	..
Rosebud ..	Huntly ..	1908	27	43	24	19	..
Hope of Frankton ..	Frankton ..	1910	20	20	11	9	..
Hope of Devonport ..	Devonport ..	1910	37	27	4	23	..
Primrose ..	Ohaupo ..	1910	9	4	..	4	..

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I.O.R.—<i>continued.</i>							
<i>New Zealand District—continued.</i>							
Hope of Morrinsville Tent ..	Morrinsville	1911	10	£ 32	£ 24	£ 8	..
J. G. Carr Memorial	Remuera ..	1912	19	18	5	13	..
Rohe Potae	Te Kuiti ..	1913	12	18	16	2	..
Total .. ..	..	..	890	25,488	24,366	1,122	+ 6.07*
<i>New Zealand Central District—</i>							
Central Body	Wellington ..	..	17	23,255	22,838	417	+124.70
Hope of Wellington Tent ..	..	1866	181	10,242	9,473	769	+13.32
Hope of Napier	Napier ..	1870	60	1	1	..	- 7.55
Bon Accord	Blenheim ..	1871	53	587	587	..	- 3.33
Perseverance	Wellington ..	1872	62	1,602	1,586	16	+ 0.59
Haste to the Rescue .. ..	..	1872	36	991	958	33	+ 9.07
Bud of Promise	Nelson ..	1874	160	3,511	3,363	148	- 1.73
Unity	New Plymouth	1875	132	1,602	1,504	98	-12.02
Excelsior	Wellington ..	1875	64	1,400	1,275	125	- 3.35
Hope of Dunedin	Dunedin ..	1876	247	3,990	3,772	218	- 7.71
Pride of Christchurch	Christchurch	1877	346	3,697	3,656	41	- 7.04
Murihiku	Invercargill..	1877	163	4,064	4,062	2	- 3.22
Hope of Ormondville	Ormondville	1878	27	183	107	76	-22.22
Hope of Woodville	Woodville ..	1878	23	1,130	1,122	8	+14.41
Masterton	Masterton ..	1881	87	994	982	12	-10.87
Hope of Carterton	Carterton ..	1883	45	517	496	21	- 4.91
Star of Wakefield	Wakefield ..	1883	51	1,047	1,045	2	- 5.44
Hope of Johnsonville	Johnsonville	1884	18	717	703	14	+ 9.39
Rescue	Nelson ..	1886	20	21	..	21	-11.26†
Onward	Palmerston N.	1891	59	31	29	2	-11.26†
Gisborne	Gisborne ..	1892	90	395	361	34	-11.26†
Pride of Egmont	Hawera ..	1893	48	13	5	8	-19.35
Brightwater	Brightwater	1894	22	9	5	4	-11.26†
Pahiatua	Pahiatua ..	1894	12	5	5	..	-11.26†
Lily of the South	Invercargill..	1895	42	127	124	3	-12.69
Wai Aroha	Stratford ..	1898	32	16	5	11	-11.26†
Moa	Inglewood ..	1899	30	4	..	4	-11.26†
New Century	Levin ..	1901	29	219	186	33	-18.57
Star of Petone	Petone ..	1904	44	21	7	14	-11.26†
Hope of Wanganui	Wanganui ..	1906	40	18	3	15	-11.26†
Kia Ora	Hastings ..	1907	46	12	5	7	-11.26†
Ashburton	Ashburton ..	1907	51	25	..	25	-11.26†
Triumph	Timaru ..	1909	24	48	5	43	..
Pride of Te-au-nui	Gore ..	1909	19	18	..	18	..
Hope of South Invercargill Tent	S. Invercargill	1909	34	13	7	6	..
Hope of the Bluff	Bluff ..	1909	17	21	..	21	..
Port Chalmers	Port Chalmers	1909	24	33	..	33	..
Ark of Refuge	St. Albans ..	1909	74	50	10	40	..
Hope of Addington	Addington ..	1909	59	11	8	3	..
Pride of Wallace	Otautau ..	1909	7	5	4	1	..
Pride of Dannevirke	Dannevirke..	1909	21	43	8	35	..
Enterprise	Linwood ..	1909	91	17	..	17	..
Sobriety	N.E. Valley	1910	110	38	5	33	..
Progress	Lower Hutt	1910	17	12	9	3	..
Pride of Waikiwi	Invercargill..	1910	30	20	..	20	..
Phillipson	Spreydon ..	1911	88	26	10	16	..
Kilbirnie	Wellington ..	1911	9	15	10	5	..
Star of the South	Dunedin ..	1911	66	23	..	23	..
Star of Woolston	Christchurch	1911	41	13	..	13	..
Pride of Roslyn	Dunedin ..	1912	19	11	5	6	..
Alpha	Granity ..	1913	27	6	4	2	..
Renwick	Renwicktown	1913	6	6	5	1	..
Hope of Richmond	Christchurch	1914	28	9	..	9	..
Flower of Waianiwa	Waianiwa ..	1911	17	34	5	29	..
Total .. ..	..	..	3,165	60,918	58,360	2,558	- 4.54
Total of Order .. ..	..	..	4,055	86,406	82,726	3,680	..
S.D.T.							
<i>National Division of New Zealand—</i>							
Central Body	Addington ..	..	..	10,696	10,574	122	..
Perseverance Division	Christchurch	1872	71	934	905	29	..
Resolution	Rangiora ..	1873	58	203	..	203	..
Excelsior	Addington ..	1885	61	67	27	40	..
Elim	St. Albans ..	1885	58	78	..	78	..
Helpmate	Ashburton ..	1886	17	11	..	11	..
Advance	Wellington ..	1887	39	24	4	20	..
Sunbeam	Wanganui ..	1888	24	17	6	11	..
Hope of Sydenham Division ..	Sydenham ..	1889	35	34	12	22	..
Total .. ..	..	..	363	12,064	11,528	536	+ 3.17

* Subject to a deduction of a liability on account of Eden Tent seceding, and not included in valuation.

† Tents comprising Central Sick Fund.

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<i>S.D.T.—continued.</i>							
<i>Divisions separately registered—</i>							
Antidote Division	Dunedin	1871	187	£ 6,915	£ 6,504	£ 411	£ — 3-08
Progress	Kaipoi	1872	90	3,394	3,379	15	+ 1-36
Total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	277	10,309	9,883	426	.. ..
Total of Order .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	640	22,373	21,411	962	.. ..
<i>H.A.C.B.S.</i>							
<i>New Zealand District—</i>							
Central Body .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..	15,565	14,507	1,058	.. ..
Charleston Branch	Charleston	1870	7	32	18	14	—33-46
Grahamstown	Grahamstown	1870	45	93	70	23	—28-95
Greymouth	Greymouth	1870	120	472	454	18	—13-25
St. Joseph's	Dunedin	1873	323	3,294	2,795	499	— 9-06
Auckland	Auckland	1873	212	3,821	3,083	738	—10-58
St. Patrick's	Christchurch	1874	270	2,866	2,597	269	— 9-24
St. Patrick's	Wellington	1874	264	950	519	431	—14-56
Onchunga	Onchunga	1874	38	242	208	34	—18-61
St. John's	Napier	1874	82	607	416	191	—19-81
St. Joseph's	N. Plymouth	1876	25	241	194	47	—16-87
St. Patrick's	Blenheim	1876	78	514	284	230	—26-98
Waipawa	Waipawa	1876	33	452	380	72	—17-57
St. John's	Leeston	1882	28	556	449	107	— 3-94
St. Patrick's	Lincoln	1882	39	503	417	86	—13-67
St. Mary's	Timaru	1882	172	1,658	1,449	209	—10-50
St. Joseph's	Hastings	1885	105	488	354	134	—10-24
St. Michael's	Masterton	1886	44	663	610	53	— 6-75
Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Branch	Milton	1891	27	217	175	42	—14-69
St. Patrick's Branch	Oamaru	1891	82	889	780	109	—13-49
Sancta Maria	Auckland	1895	13	205	184	21	+ 6-64
St. Columbkille's	Dennistown	1901	23	135	75	60	—13-30
St. Patrick's	Waimate	1901	31	349	274	75	—12-29
St. Canice's	Westport	1901	89	473	397	76	—11-90
St. Patrick's	Gisborne	1903	42	231	168	63	—10-76
St. Patrick's	Palmerston N.	1903	45	267	258	9	—10-26
St. Patrick's	Reefton	1903	19	327	326	1	—11-31
St. Mary's	Wellington	1904	92	658	568	90	+ 3-58
St. Aloysius's	Newtown	1904	99	379	171	208	—14-03
St. Patrick's	Kaipoi	1904	6	65	35	30	—13-37
St. Patrick's	Ashburton	1904	50	492	465	27	—11-89
St. Joseph's	Waihi	1904	38	88	13	75	—12-43
Sts. Peter and Paul's	Hutt	1905	41	245	199	46	—11-90
St. Ita's	Hawera	1906	28	205	165	40	—10-84
St. Mary's	Taihape	1906	29	214	161	53	—10-67
St. Patrick's	Manaiā	1906	60	305	241	64	—11-31
St. Mary's	Invercargill	1907	98	477	415	62	—11-65
Sts. Peter and Paul's	Gore	1908	55	268	260	8	.. ..
St. Mary's	Geraldine	1909	41	277	247	30	.. ..
Sacred Heart	Wellington	1910	45	252	181	71	.. ..
St. Mary's	Carterton	1910	7	60	30	30	.. ..
Sacred Heart	Petone	1910	34	194	146	48	.. ..
St. Mary's	Opunake	1910	12	51	44	7	.. ..
St. Patrick's	Mēanee	1910	8	9	2	7	.. ..
St. Mary's	Port Chalmers	1910	18	23	20	3	.. ..
St. Mary's	Wanganui	1911	82	275	232	43	.. ..
St. Andrew's	Levin	1911	21	74	46	28	.. ..
St. Stanislaus	Inglewood	1911	35	122	90	32	.. ..
St. Edward's	Kaponga	1912	27	68	48	20	.. ..
St. John's	Eltham	1912	25	88	55	33	.. ..
St. Brendan's	Otauhu	1913	18	62	37	25	.. ..
Robert Emmett	Hokitika	1913	14	50	43	7	.. ..
St. Mary's	Mosgiel	1913	18	71	18	53	.. ..
St. Mary's	Nelson	1913	26	40	21	19	.. ..
St. Joseph's	Temuka	1913	35	58	49	9	.. ..
St. Columbkille's	Woodville	1913	24	55	48	7	.. ..
St. Francis Xavier's	Methven	1913	20	39	38	1	.. ..
St. Mary's	Christchurch	1914	29	95	54	41	.. ..
St. Mary's	Ohaupo	1914	20	42	32	10	.. ..
St. Patrick's	Darfield	1914	18	31	17	14	.. ..
Total of Order .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	3,429	41,542	35,632	5,910	—12-63

TABLE I.—MEMBERSHIP AND FUNDS—*continued.*

Name of Society and Branch.	Place of Establishment.	Year of Establishment.	Number of Members on Dec. 31, 1915.	Total Worth.	Sick and Funeral Fund, including Surplus.	Management and other Funds, Goods, &c.	Surplus or Deficiency per Member at Last Valuation.
P.A.F.S.A.							
<i>Grand Council of New Zealand—</i>							
Central Body	Auckland .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	£ 10,764	£ 10,079	£ 685	£ ..
Prince of Wales Lodge ..	Thames	1873	38	665	659	6	-15.58
Queen's Own	Christchurch ..	1874	150	951	902	49	-18.48
Excelsior	Green Island ..	1876	108	1,376	1,275	101	-4.64
Wickliffe	Napier	1877	27	807	807	..	-4.93
John Knox	Wellington ..	1879	62	1,246	1,220	26	-3.05
Alexandra	Auckland	1879	77	1,574	1,488	86	-8.40
Triumph	S. Dunedin ..	1883	159	2,140	2,025	115	-8.57
Valley True Blue	N.E. Valley ..	1883	92	815	764	51	-5.03
Star of Hastings	Hastings	1883	56	752	732	20	+2.70
Star of Oamaru	Oamaru	1883	105	2,390	2,325	65	-3.63
St. Albans	Auckland	1896	24	772	772	..	+7.50
Star of Southland	Invercargill ..	1914	18	41	39	2	..
Total of Order .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	916	24,293	23,087	1,206	-7.48
OTHER SOCIETIES.							
Eden Temperance Benefit F.S. ..	Parnell	1874	37	2,585	2,581	4	+16.82
Fountain of Friendship Lodge ..	Auckland	1844	557	31,178	26,562	4,616	..
Total other societies .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	594	33,763	29,143	4,620	..
Grand total .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	73,027	1,852,355	1,699,790	152,565	..

TABLE II.—NUMERICAL PROGRESS, MORTALITY, AND SICKNESS FOR THE YEAR 1915.

Name of Society and Branch.	Admitted by				Left by			Sickness experienced.					Deaths of Registered Wives.			
	Initiation and Retention	Clearance and Amalgamation.		Total.	Death.	Clearance.	Arrears, &c.	Total.	At Beginning of Year.	At End of Year.	Sick during Year.	Total.		First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	After Twelve Months.
		Clearance	Amalgamation													
MANCHESTER UNITY INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS—																
NEW ZEALAND BRANCH—Central Body.																
Auckland District	178	83	261	42	15	222	279	3,526	3,508	668	5,666	3,530	336	1,800	15	
Hawke's Bay	82	1	83	16	2	81	99	1,400	1,384	200	1,808	1,015	16	777	4	
New Plymouth	50	2	52	11	2	66	79	1,136	1,109	151	1,450	821	154	475	..	
Wanganui	45	3	48	19	5	70	94	906	860	129	1,048	596	92	360	2	
Wellington	117	3	120	21	5	93	119	2,217	2,218	336	3,345	1,595	195	1,555	15	
Marlborough	5	1	6	2	..	..	2	168	172	34	381	167	50	164	..
Nelson	37	..	37	15	..	24	39	872	870	182	2,892	750	192	1,950	..	
Motueka	9	1	10	9	1	18	28	517	499	124	1,424	618	81	725	..	
United Westland	15	..	15	15	3	42	60	601	556	136	2,176	818	260	1,098	4	
Ashley	13	1	14	10	2	43	55	1,134	1,093	194	2,093	952	157	984	1	
North Canterbury	84	8	92	23	3	71	97	2,180	2,175	395	4,067	2,053	350	1,664	11	
Ashburton	32	1	33	7	4	21	32	531	532	70	495	381	33	81	5	
Total New Zealand Branch	667	104	771	190	42	751	983	15,188	14,976	2,619	26,845	13,296	1,916	11,633	57	
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED—																
Lyttelton District	8	..	8	9	..	26	35	546	519	90	1,229	476	77	676	5	
South Canterbury	26	..	26	10	2	31	43	612	595	104	1,044	514	54	476	5	
Otago	154	12	166	59	14	171	244	4,986	4,908	736	9,518	3,504	625	5,389	24	
Southland	74	6	80	29	8	97	134	1,851	1,797	260	2,688	1,281	322	1,085	3	
Total separately registered	262	18	280	107	24	325	456	7,995	7,819	1,190	14,479	5,775	1,078	7,626	37	
Total of Order ..	929	122	1,051	297	66	1,076	1,439	23,183	22,795	3,809	41,324	19,071	2,994	19,259	94	
INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS OF NEW ZEALAND																
Auckland Provincial District	629	90	719	37	121	574	732	6,776	6,763	861	6,263	4,137	516	1,610	10	
NATIONAL INDEPENDENT ORDER OF ODD FELLOWS—																
Auckland Provincial District	17	1	18	1	..	16	17	439	440	83	608	449	92	67	2	
Aorangi Lodge ..	6	..	6	2	..	17	19	156	143	26	183	135	20	28	..	
ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—																
Auckland District	121	21	142	18	29	146	193	2,188	2,137	406	3,821	2,010	361	1,450	1	
Hawke's Bay	32	2	34	9	5	45	59	752	727	122	924	613	162	149	..	
Taranaki	48	..	48	16	6	75	97	1,499	1,450	248	2,105	1,333	190	582	1	
Wellington	198	12	210	53	5	239	297	4,678	4,591	788	7,846	4,247	535	3,064	19	
Nelson	21	..	21	10	2	30	42	951	930	162	2,163	933	132	1,078	4	
Canterbury United ..	58	1	59	13	..	60	73	1,320	1,306	210	2,405	1,195	161	1,049	8	

TABLE II.—NUMERICAL PROGRESS, MORTALITY, AND SICKNESS FOR THE YEAR 1915—continued.

Name of Society and Branch.	Admitted by					Number of Members.					Sickness experienced.				Deaths of Registered Wives.
	Clearance and Amalgamation.	Total.	Death.	Left by		At Beginning of Year.	At End of Year.	Sick during Year.	Total.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	After Twelve Months.	Weeks.		
				Clearance.	Arrears, &c.									Weeks.	
ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—contd.															
South Canterbury District...	18	18	10	2	30	770	746	112	42	42	169	532	3		
United Otago ..	187	191	33	7	233	3,159	3,077	495	273	273	657	2,461	9		
Courts separately registered	33	34	34	..	30	1,219	1,189	250	64	64	213	2,406	5		
Total of Order ..	716	757	196	56	888	16,536	16,153	2,793	1,140	1,140	2,600	12,771	50		
ANCIENT ORDER OF SHEPHERDS	..	..	..	..	..	53	53	16	..	..	..	106	..
UNITED ANCIENT ORDER OF DRUIDS—															
Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand	690	846	87	158	838	11,206	10,969	1,811	1,083	1,083	1,028	2,634	32		
Grand Lodge of Canterbury ..	168	186	39	17	159	2,980	2,951	538	215	215	414	1,897	13		
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	130	154	29	32	138	3,171	3,126	466	199	199	257	1,308	13		
Total of Order ..	988	1,186	155	207	1,135	17,357	17,046	2,815	1,497	1,497	1,699	5,839	58		
INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES—															
New Zealand District ..	53	68	4	11	67	904	890	155	82	82	138	422	1		
New Zealand Central District ..	178	232	21	42	153	3,149	3,165	422	216	216	261	1,344	8		
Total of Order ..	231	300	25	53	220	4,053	4,055	577	298	298	399	1,766	9		
SONS AND DAUGHTERS OF TEMPERANCE—															
National Division of New Zealand ..	11	11	4	2	15	373	363	74	21	21	103	433	2		
Divisions separately registered ..	3	3	3	..	19	296	277	35	22	22	65	488	1		
Total of Order ..	14	14	7	2	34	669	640	109	43	43	168	921	3		
H I B E R N I A N AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY—															
New Zealand District ..	315	360	30	72	358	3,529	3,429	465	460	460	309	1,618	9		
PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA—															
Grand Council of New Zealand ..	36	41	10	6	55	946	916	169	71	71	268	851	..		
OTHER SOCIETIES	..	..	7	..	79	680	594	141	86	86	68	1,178	5
Grand total ..	3,881	4,452	767	583	4,452	74,377	73,027	11,864	5,802	5,802	9,133	46,014	240		

TABLE III.—SICK AND FUNERAL FUNDS.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1915.

Name of Society and Branch.	Receipts.				Expenditure.				Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Amount on 31st December, 1915.
	Contributions of Own Members.	Interest and Rent.	Repayments by Central Body.	Other Receipts.	Sick-pay to Own Members.	Funeral Donations.	Contributions and Levies to Central Body.	Other Expenditure.			
M.U.I.O.O.F.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
N.Z. Branch, Central Body ..	15	1,734	..	3,493	..	..	..	..	5,242	..	35,389
Auckland District ..	7,057	4,101	1,183	4,703	4,701	1,213	1,226	5,339	17,044	12,479	80,509
Hawke's Bay ..	2,659	2,138	490	125	1,255	420	823	..	5,412	2,498	44,841
New Plymouth ..	1,836	1,544	140	47	1,077	100	687	..	3,567	1,864	32,662
Wanganui ..	1,702	1,256	265	951	846	235	476	1,026	4,174	2,583	28,060
Wellington ..	2,963	3,595	525	8,181	2,206	550	831	293	15,264	3,880	84,806
Marlborough ..	192	425	10	20	224	50	134	..	647	408	8,511
Nelson ..	1,426	1,304	..	119	1,473	..	563	513	2,849	2,549	27,775
Motueka ..	770	532	198	5	932	174	304	1	1,505	1,411	13,268
United Westland ..	825	965	374	57	1,311	368	374	..	2,221	2,053	18,097
Ashley ..	1,825	1,322	290	5	1,270	290	752	..	3,442	2,312	28,628
North Canterbury ..	3,638	2,776	695	138	2,544	680	1,571	54	7,247	4,849	54,005
Ashburton ..	855	713	200	6	443	200	166	131	1,774	940	14,818
Total—N.Z. Branch ..	25,763	22,405	4,370	17,850	18,282	4,280	7,907	7,357	70,388	37,826	471,369
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED.											
Lyttelton District ..	900	1,152	280	43	792	280	336	..	2,375	1,408	21,271
South Canterbury ..	1,106	580	250	141	620	230	385	16	2,077	1,251	12,746
Otago ..	7,987	7,842	1,830	316	6,348	1,810	1,242	1,361	17,975	10,761	160,023
Southland ..	2,690	1,960	650	41	1,981	680	543	97	5,341	3,301	37,790
Total—Separately registered	12,683	11,534	3,010	541	9,741	3,000	2,506	1,474	27,768	16,721	231,830
Total of Order ..	38,446	33,939	7,380	18,391	28,023	7,280	10,413	8,831	98,156	54,547	703,199
I.O.O.F.											
New Zealand ..	9,288	4,791	6,123	8	4,523	1,190	9,585	410	20,210	15,708	102,792
N.I.O.O.F.											
Auckland Provincial District ..	568	218	56	32	524	56	88	..	874	668	5,181
B.U.O.O.F.											
Aorangi Lodge ..	182	164	..	4	153	24	..	..	350	177	3,327
A.O.F.											
Auckland District ..	3,370	1,726	333	1,567	2,460	180	1,774	..	6,996	4,414	38,593
Hawke's Bay ..	1,126	1,352	309	3,241	771	240	3,781	..	6,028	4,792	26,775
Taranaki ..	1,961	1,613	375	42	1,365	550	383	150	3,991	2,448	31,717
Wellington ..	7,122	5,263	2,305	278	5,179	2,308	1,783	597	14,968	9,867	102,071
Nelson ..	1,372	1,420	349	50	1,302	370	437	..	3,191	2,109	29,830
Canterbury United ..	1,768	2,047	460	..	1,447	490	363	119	4,275	2,419	45,764
South Canterbury ..	966	854	194	8	724	251	143	..	2,022	1,118	18,289
United Otago ..	4,324	2,940	680	1	3,044	667	814	1,098	7,945	5,623	60,547
Courts separately registered ..	1,878	1,490	..	82	1,886	670	..	50	3,450	2,606	36,009
Total of Order ..	23,887	18,705	5,005	5,269	18,178	5,726	9,478	2,014	52,866	35,396	389,595
A.O.S.											
Total—A.O.S. ..	56	60	..	..	76	..	..	..	116	76	1,191
U.A.O.D.											
Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand	18,746	6,711	1,805	1,659	9,641	1,815	3,061	19	28,921	14,536	142,856
Grand Lodge of Canterbury ..	4,300	2,666	1,117	195	2,992	1,148	889	235	8,278	5,264	55,983
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	4,485	2,286	690	147	2,527	630	803	6	7,608	3,966	48,540
Total of Order ..	27,531	11,663	3,612	2,001	15,160	3,593	4,753	260	44,807	23,766	247,379
I.O.R.											
New Zealand District ..	1,334	1,261	131	549	990	161	397	302	3,275	1,850	24,366
New Zealand Central District ..	3,321	2,783	881	458	2,473	600	1,488	27	7,443	4,588	57,396
Total of Order ..	4,655	4,044	1,012	1,007	3,463	761	1,885	329	10,718	6,438	81,762
S. AND D.T.											
National Division of New Zealand	569	597	394	..	611	80	218	265	1,560	1,174	11,528
Divisions separately registered ..	386	517	3	..	276	70	..	..	906	346	9,883
Total of Order ..	955	1,114	397	..	887	150	218	265	2,466	1,520	21,411
H.A.C.B.S.											
New Zealand District ..	4,650	1,573	470	436	2,976	510	1,429	17	7,129	4,932	33,524
P.A.F.S.A.											
Grand Council of New Zealand	1,436	1,193	193	167	1,123	201	266	28	2,989	1,618	22,975
Other societies ..	1,161	1,774	210	6,880	1,468	210	134	9,506	10,025	11,318	29,143
Grand total ..	112,815	79,238	24,458	34,195	76,554	19,701	38,249	21,660	250,706	156,164	1,641,479

TABLE IV.—MEDICAL AND MANAGEMENT EXPENSES FUNDS.—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1915.

Name of Society and Branch.	Receipts.			Expenditure.				Total Receipts.	Total Expenditure.	Amount on 31st December, 1915.
	Contributions of Own Members.	Interest and Rent.	Other Receipts.	Medical Attendance and Medicine.	Expenses of Management.	Levies to Central Body.	Other Expenditure.			
M.U.I.O.O.F.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
N.Z. Branch, Central Body		5	219					224		397
Auckland District ..	5,305	64	728	2,946	1,470	1,093	78	6,097	5,587	2,957
Hawke's Bay ..	2,429	..	919	1,904	741	178	131	3,348	2,954	2,034
New Plymouth ..	1,772	..	11	1,175	443	184	27	1,783	1,829	202
Wanganui ..	1,361	261	19	954	429	90	120	1,641	1,593	5,741
Wellington ..	2,746	97	105	1,862	906	269	72	2,948	3,109	2,516
Marlborough ..	291	..	36	189	92	29	..	327	310	80
Nelson ..	1,005	2	64	562	335	150	58	1,071	1,105	420
Motueka ..	735	..	31	506	132	120	30	766	788	80
United Westland ..	986	..	24	573	387	91	50	1,010	1,101	178
Ashley ..	1,073	6	25	723	249	178	10	1,104	1,160	353
North Canterbury ..	3,043	136	44	2,259	740	358	104	3,223	3,461	2,999
Ashburton ..	630	26	13	440	202	79	19	669	740	497
Total—N.Z. Branch ..	21,376	597	2,238	14,093	6,126	2,819	699	24,211	23,737	18,454
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED.										
Lyttelton District ..	719	1	2	554	172	73	58	722	857	522
South Canterbury ..	896	14	21	689	205	32	29	931	955	274
Otago ..	7,408	307	566	4,917	2,036	1,117	275	8,281	8,345	8,235
Southland ..	2,433	25	23	1,692	649	235	58	2,481	2,634	652
Total—Separately registered	11,456	347	612	7,852	3,062	1,457	420	12,415	12,791	9,683
Total of Order ..	32,832	944	2,850	21,945	9,188	4,276	1,119	36,626	36,528	28,137
I.O.O.F.										
New Zealand ..	8,922	172	746	5,710	2,409	777	233	9,840	9,129	5,037
N.I.O.O.F.										
Auckland Provincial District	585	6	15	390	167	43	5	606	605	389
B.U.O.O.F.										
Aorangi Lodge ..	212	..	..	127	83	..	..	212	210	89
A.O.F.										
Auckland District ..	3,528	18	143	2,272	972	320	63	3,689	3,627	1,755
Hawke's Bay ..	1,499	7	7	914	319	228	433	1,513	1,894	87
Taranaki ..	2,075	8	167	1,269	715	133	22	2,250	2,139	303
Wellington ..	6,609	12	38	4,384	1,875	313	244	6,659	6,816	2,186
Nelson ..	1,390	15	20	1,019	407	101	43	1,425	1,570	905
Canterbury United ..	1,713	3	90	1,307	483	127	56	1,806	1,973	499
South Canterbury ..	1,022	..	28	779	194	55	19	1,050	1,047	675
United Otago ..	4,499	124	1,100	3,005	1,084	357	76	5,723	4,522	3,173
Courts separately registered	1,849	49	62	1,221	667	..	52	1,960	1,940	1,542
Total of Order ..	24,184	236	1,655	16,170	6,716	1,634	1,008	26,075	25,528	11,125
A.O.S.										
Total—A.O.S. ..	19	..	..	..	19	..	..	19	19	4
U.A.O.D.										
Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand	17,899	95	113	10,715	5,852	1,093	370	18,107	18,030	9,384
Grand Lodge of Canterbury	5,286	14	99	3,264	1,403	334	112	5,399	5,113	1,186
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	4,817	75	22	3,186	1,436	347	511	4,914	5,480	2,509
Total of Order ..	28,002	184	234	17,165	8,691	1,774	993	28,420	28,623	13,079
I.O.R.										
New Zealand District ..	1,258	15	36	759	314	189	..	1,309	1,262	425
New Zealand Central District	3,942	19	44	2,252	1,097	466	290	4,005	4,105	1,124
Total of Order ..	5,200	34	80	3,011	1,411	655	290	5,314	5,367	1,549
S. AND D.T.										
National Division of N.Z. ..	463	6	2	255	122	71	31	471	479	236
Divisions separately registered	283	..	..	187	129	..	7	283	323	421
Total of Order ..	746	6	2	442	251	71	38	754	802	657
H.A.C.B.S.										
New Zealand District ..	4,979	111	154	3,396	1,278	384	26	5,244	5,084	2,615
P.A.F.S.A.										
Grand Council of New Zealand	1,410	7	32	839	323	221	62	1,449	1,445	278
Other societies ..	829	259	1,341	683	329	96	1,443	2,429	2,551	4,524
Grand total ..	107,920	1,959	7,109	69,878	30,865	9,931	5,217	116,988	115,891	67,483

TABLE V.—DISPOSITION OF FUNDS AS ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1915.

Name of Society and Branch.	Total.	Investments at Interest.	Value of Land and Buildings.	Cash not bearing Interest.	Value of Goods, Furniture, and Regalia.	Other Assets.
M.U.I.O.O.F.						
New Zealand Branch, Central Body	£ 36,317	£ 35,897	£ ..	£ 386	£ 34	£ ..
Auckland District	96,029	81,315	9,900	3,218	898	698
Hawke's Bay	55,372	47,991	5,920	1,227	17	217
New Plymouth	33,257	29,006	2,584	1,158	300	209
Wanganui	35,003	22,332	11,926	149	329	267
Wellington	92,716	59,926	31,369	1,044	203	174
Marlborough	12,559	11,428	370	655	36	70
Nelson	43,509	40,729	1,910	440	89	341
Motueka	18,840	16,860	1,089	595	57	239
United Westland	18,559	15,572	2,241	468	8	270
Ashley	31,542	28,728	1,931	604	159	120
North Canterbury	57,894	50,411	5,377	1,528	299	279
Ashburton	16,530	15,402	200	787	42	99
Total—New Zealand Branch	548,127	455,597	74,817	12,259	2,471	2,983
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED.						
Lyttelton District	23,447	19,893	2,500	810	82	162
South Canterbury	13,125	11,004	2,019	77	..	25
Otago	180,211	162,012	9,472	5,497	659	2,571
Southland	40,014	37,999	261	1,082	250	422
Total—Separately registered	256,797	230,908	14,252	7,466	991	3,180
Total of Order	804,924	686,505	89,069	19,725	3,462	6,163
I.O.O.F.						
New Zealand	123,375	101,792	10,735	5,835	1,796	3,217
N.I.O.O.F.						
Auckland Provincial District	5,767	5,187	305	68	138	69
B.U.O.O.F.						
Aorangi Lodge	3,508	3,434	..	53	10	11
A.O.F.						
Auckland District	42,564	28,571	11,453	1,201	877	462
Hawke's Bay	27,513	23,038	1,554	1,083	251	1,587
Taranaki	33,686	31,061	1,617	871	104	33
Wellington	110,332	88,019	16,048	3,921	1,470	874
Nelson	31,329	28,056	1,608	1,580	78	7
Canterbury United	47,623	43,470	1,348	1,642	339	824
South Canterbury	18,998	16,139	2,247	419	173	20
United Otago	70,646	65,278	1,502	2,609	271	986
Courts separately registered	42,329	37,355	3,820	545	408	201
Total of Order	425,020	360,987	41,197	13,871	3,971	4,994
A.O.S.						
Total—A.O.S.	1,224	1,187	..	23	14	..
U.A.O.D.						
Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand	169,049	139,870	13,127	12,567	1,715	1,770
Grand Lodge of Canterbury	58,406	54,044	2,125	1,225	539	473
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	52,705	45,375	4,364	1,520	910	536
Total of Order	280,160	239,289	19,616	15,312	3,164	2,779
I.O.R.						
New Zealand District	25,488	24,582	..	711	58	137
New Zealand Central District	60,918	54,422	3,623	2,612	20	241
Total of Order	86,406	79,004	3,623	3,323	78	378
S. AND D.T.						
National Division of New Zealand	12,064	10,588	815	475	155	31
Divisions separately registered	10,309	10,267	..	42	..	..
Total of Order	22,373	20,855	815	517	155	31
H.A.C.B.S.						
New Zealand District	41,542	33,204	2,469	3,015	897	1,957
P.A.F.S.A.						
Grand Council of New Zealand	24,293	22,852	300	688	293	160
Other societies	33,763	3,935	29,000	632	97	99
Grand total	1,852,355	1,558,231	197,129	63,062	14,075	19,858

TABLE VI.—INVESTMENTS AT INTEREST AS ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1915.

Name of Society and Branch.	Total.	Deposited with		Mortgages on Freehold Property.	Government and Municipal Debentures.	Other Investments.
		Post Office Savings-bank.	Other Banks.			
M.U.I.O.O.F.						
New Zealand Branch, Central Body	£ 35,897	£ 3,847	£ ..	£ 32,050	£ ..	£ ..
Auckland District	81,315	4,162	1,340	74,463	1,050	300
Hawke's Bay	47,991	541	..	47,050	400	..
New Plymouth	29,006	1,924	182	26,700	200	..
Wanganui	22,332	1,629	173	20,530	..	..
Wellington	59,926	3,065	..	52,970	250	3,641
Marlborough	11,428	182	..	11,046	200	..
Nelson	40,729	1,690	17	25,522	13,500	..
Motueka	16,860	279	..	16,581	..	..
United Westland	15,572	1,905	400	13,017	..	250
Ashley	28,728	1,512	..	27,216	..	..
North Canterbury	50,411	4,699	..	44,712	1,000	..
Ashburton	15,402	534	..	14,868	..	..
Total—New Zealand Branch	455,597	25,969	2,112	406,725	16,600	4,191
DISTRICTS SEPARATELY REGISTERED.						
Lyttelton District	19,893	1,305	50	17,528	..	1,010
South Canterbury	11,004	869	..	10,135	..	..
Otago	162,012	3,323	915	155,434	1,855	485
Southland	37,999	2,284	138	27,077	8,400	100
Total—Separately registered	230,908	7,781	1,103	210,174	10,255	1,595
Total of Order	686,505	33,750	3,215	616,899	26,855	5,786
I.O.O.F.						
New Zealand	101,792	1,447	908	98,769	..	668
N.I.O.O.F.						
Auckland Provincial District	5,187	627	704	3,795	..	61
B.U.O.O.F.						
Aorangi Lodge	3,434	44	..	3,390	..	..
A.O.F.						
Auckland District	28,571	864	569	27,113	..	25
Hawke's Bay	23,038	997	..	22,004	..	37
Taranaki	31,061	2,031	224	28,806	..	..
Wellington	88,019	4,076	..	83,687	..	256
Nelson	28,056	758	500	17,398	9,400	..
Canterbury United	43,470	2,083	..	41,387	..	..
South Canterbury	16,139	731	135	15,023	250	..
United Otago	65,278	714	..	64,360	..	204
Courts separately registered	37,355	677	11	33,002	3,500	165
Total of Order	360,987	12,931	1,439	332,780	13,150	687
A.O.S.						
Total—A.O.S.	1,187	112	..	1,075	..	..
U.A.O.D.						
Grand Lodge of North Island of New Zealand	139,870	7,718	3,894	124,322	2,300	1,636
Grand Lodge of Canterbury	54,044	3,707	67	50,270	..	..
Grand Lodge of Otago and Southland	45,375	1,934	323	42,794	..	324
Total of Order	239,289	13,359	4,284	217,386	2,300	1,960
I.O.R.						
New Zealand District	24,582	40	357	24,185	..	..
New Zealand Central District	54,422	1,043	174	49,426	3,700	79
Total of Order	79,004	1,083	531	73,611	3,700	79
S. AND D.T.						
National Division of New Zealand	10,588	92	..	10,475	..	21
Divisions separately registered	10,267	172	13	10,045	..	37
Total of Order	20,855	264	13	20,520	..	58
H.A.C.B.S.						
New Zealand District	33,204	3,355	893	28,528	300	128
P.A.F.S.A.						
Grand Council of New Zealand	22,852	815	380	21,599	..	58
Other societies	3,935	..	1,341	2,594
Grand total	1,558,231	67,787	13,708	1,420,946	46,305	9,485

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