GENERAL STATISTICS OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—continued.

Name of Society and Branch, and Place of Establishment.	Number of Members.					Total	Total	Number
	Admitted during 1883.	Left during 1883.	Died during 1883.	At beginni'g of Year.	At end of Year.	Worth at Beginning of Year.	Worth at End of Year.	of Years estab'shd.
HIBERNIAN AUSTRALASIAN CATHOLIC BENEFIT SOCIETY. Charleston Branch, Charleston Grahamstown Branch, Thames Hokitika Branch, Hokitika Greenstone Branch, Kumara Auckland Branch, Auckland Also Branch Waimea.	1 1 50	2 4 2 4 21	2	23 64 14 13 198	21 61 13 9 225	£ 214 897 93 43 1,528	£ 210 924 111 47 1,687	13 13 13 12 10
Total	52	33	2	312	329	2,775	2,979	••
New Zealand Hibernian Catholic Benefit Society. Executive Directory of New Zealand— St. Joseph's Branch, Dunedin St. Patrick's Branch, Lawrence St. Mary's Branch, Timaru Also Branches St. Mary's (Invercargill), St. Patrick's (Patea), St. John's (Leeston), St. Joseph's (Christchurch), St. Patrick's (Christchurch), St. Patrick's (Lincoln), St. Mary's (Wanganui), and St. Joseph's (New Plymouth).		10 4 17		55 35 51	49 35 58	423 191 ••	447 209 137	10 9 1
Total	32	31		141	142	614	793	•••
PROTESTANT ALLIANCE FRIENDLY SOCIETY OF AUSTRALASIA. Grand Lodge of New Zealand— Prince of Wales Lodge, Thames Pioneer Lodge, Dunedin Excelsior Lodge, Green Island John Knox Lodge, Wellington Alexandra Lodge, Wellington Star of Onehunga Lodge, Onehunga Triumph Lodge, South Dunedin	6 9 23 18 24 1 64	13 6 4 5 13	1 1 	118 66 19 47 83 20	111 68 37 60 94 21 52	896 111 66 170 131 19	975 118 125 198 159 32 62	10 9 7 4 3 1
Total	145	52	3	353	443	1,393	1,669	•••
RAILWAY BENEFIT SOCIETIES. Otago Railways Employés Benefit Society, Dunedin New Zealand Railways Employés Benefit Society, Invercargill	1	15 5	5	222 7 9	215 84	1,295 351	1,454 345	8
Total	24	20	6	301	299	1,646	1,799	••
ISOLATED LOCAL SOCIETIES. Kaeo and Whangaroa Friendly Society, Kaeo Also New Plymouth Friendly Society.	••	••	••	16	16	203	226	13
Grand Total	3,442	1,796	134	17,649	19,161	215,954	235,405	••

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