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NEW ZEALAND.

# FINANCIAL CONDITION OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES

(RETURN OF).

*Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated 27th August, 1889.*

*Ordered, "That a return be laid on the table setting forth (1) the number of members, present value of benefits, present value of contributions, amount of funds and surplus or deficiency in each district, of the affiliated orders, as at the last valuation, together with a statement of the date up to which such valuation was made, and the amount of surplus or deficiency per member in each case; (2) a summary of the actuarial position of the several orders, including the Order of Druids, containing the same particulars of information as in section 1."—(Mr. FISH.)*

RETURN showing the Financial Condition of Friendly Societies.

Name of Society.	Date of Valuation. — Dec. 31,	Number of Members.	Present Value of Benefits.	Present Value of Contributions.	Value of Accumulated Funds.	Surplus.	Deficiency.	Average Surplus per Member.	Average Deficiency per Member.
Manchester Unity Independent Order of Odd Fellows—			£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auckland District .. ..	1886	1,307	70,010	39,051	30,536	..	423	..	0·32
Hawke's Bay District .. ..	1884	525	19,816	14,324	6,143	651	..	1·24	..
New Plymouth District .. ..	1887	387	15,338	8,524	4,134	..	2,680	..	6·92
Wanganui District .. ..	1884	96	4,485	1,433	2,598	..	454	..	4·72
Wellington District .. ..	1887	1,037	42,120	21,358	19,691	..	1,071	..	1·03
Marlborough District .. ..	1886	152	6,963	2,819	4,322	178	..	1·17	..
Nelson District .. ..	1885	793	31,143	17,571	11,033	..	2,539	..	3·20
Motueka District .. ..	1887	267	11,833	6,054	4,674	..	1,105	..	4·13
North Westland District .. ..	1887	231	11,016	6,526	6,590	2,100	..	9·09	..
Hokitika District .. ..	1883	379	19,119	7,336	9,452	..	2,331	..	6·15
Ashley District .. ..	1887	544	20,137	16,140	7,152	3,155	..	5·79	..
North Canterbury District .. ..	1886	1,348	55,231	41,036	17,909	3,714	..	2·75	..
Lyttelton District .. ..	1885	578	24,505	17,894	9,127	2,516	..	4·35	..
Otago District .. ..	1884	1,628	76,567	38,425	34,235	..	3,907	..	2·39
Invercargill District .. ..	1883	470	21,005	11,719	8,664	..	622	..	1·32
Total .. ..	..	9,742	429,288	250,210	176,260	..	2,818	..	0·29
Independent Order of Odd Fellows—									
Grand Lodge of New Zealand .. ..	1887	1,007	39,504	31,750	10,679	2,925	..	2·90	..
National Independent Order of Odd Fellows—									
Auckland District .. ..	1884	371	14,149	9,205	1,485	..	3,459	..	9·32
British United Order of Odd Fellows—									
Wellington District* .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ancient Order of Foresters—									
Auckland District .. ..	1887	1,407	58,889	35,187	14,762	..	8,940	..	6·35
Hawke's Bay District .. ..	1883	470	17,229	10,856	2,969	..	3,404	..	7·24
Taranaki District .. ..	1885	365	16,269	8,414	2,800	..	5,055	..	13·84
Wellington District .. ..	1886	1,989	76,375	46,691	22,725	..	6,959	..	3·49
Nelson District .. ..	1885	569	28,441	12,415	6,876	..	9,150	..	16·08
United Westland District* .. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Canterbury United District .. ..	1887	771	32,285	17,283	10,254	..	4,748	..	6·15
Otago United District .. ..	1887	1,231	52,736	26,900	17,830	..	8,006	..	6·50
Court Southern Cross .. ..	1887	240	11,445	4,820	4,689	..	1,936	..	8·06
Court Coromandel .. ..	1887	27	1,051	635	773	357	..	13·22	..
Court Foresters' Pride .. ..	1885	64	2,500	1,137	180	..	1,183	..	18·48
Total .. ..	..	7,133	297,220	164,338	83,858	..	49,024	..	6·87
Ancient Order of Shepherds—									
Sanctuary Sir George Grey .. ..	1886	49	1,432	794	426	..	212	..	4·32
Sanctuary Star of Canterbury .. ..	1884	32	366	191	67	..	108	..	3·37
Total .. ..	..	81	1,798	985	493	..	320	..	3·95

\* Not yet valued.

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Loyal United Friends Benefit Society ..	1882	51	£ 2,035	£ 1,088	£ 138	£ ..	£ 809	£ ..	£ 15·86
Independent Order of Rechabites—									
New Zealand District .. ..	1887	487	22,366	12,674	5,664	..	4,028	..	8·27
New Zealand Central District .. ..	1887	807	34,066	17,900	9,634	..	6,532	..	8·09
Albert District .. ..	1882	33	2,045	525	560	..	960	..	29·09
Total .. ..	..	1,327	58,477	31,099	15,858	..	11,520	..	8·68
Sons and Daughters of Temperance—									
Grand Division of New Zealand ..	1887	550	21,704	10,519	3,792	..	7,393	..	13·44
Hibernian Australasian Catholic Benefit Society—									
New Zealand District .. ..	1887	983	40,326	20,105	7,021	..	13,200	..	13·42
Protestant Alliance Friendly Society of Australasia—									
Grand Council of New Zealand ..	1886	652	28,183	14,325	3,365	..	10,493	..	16·09

Summary.

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United Ancient Order of Druids .. ..	2,156	*68,391	*45,667	*8,120	..	*14,604	..	*6·77
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Railway Employés Benefit Societies ..	299	14,703	5,587	1,833	..	7,283	..	24·35
Total .. ..	24,352	1,015,778	584,878	312,902	..	117,998	..	4·84

\* These figures relate to the Sick Funds only.

31st August, 1889.

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