

EXCHANGES, MONEYS, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES.

COURSE OF EXCHANGE.

BANK BILLS ON LONDON.

The rates of Exchange for Bills drawn on London by the several Banks were as follow, viz.—

Bank of Australasia	Par to 2 per cent. premium.
Union Bank of Australia	2 per cent. premium to par.
Bank of Victoria	Par to 2 per cent. premium.
London Chartered Bank of Australia	2 per cent. premium to par.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	Ditto.
Oriental Bank Corporation	Par to 3 per cent.
Colonial Bank of Australasia	Par to 2 per cent. premium.

PRIVATE BILLS ON LONDON.

The rates of Exchange on private Bills drawn on London were as follow, viz.—

Bank of Australasia	1 per cent. discount to 1 per cent. premium.
Bank of New South Wales	1 per cent. premium to par.
Bank of Victoria	1 per cent. discount to 1 per cent. premium.
London Chartered Bank of Australia	1 per cent. premium to 1 per cent. discount.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	Ditto.
Oriental Bank Corporation	2 per cent. premium to 1½ per cent. discount.

FOREIGN BILLS.

The rates of Exchange on Bills drawn on the undermentioned places were as follow, viz.—

	British India.	Van Diemen's Land.	South Australia.	New Zealand.
Bank of Australasia ... ..	...	1 per ct. prem.	1 per ct. prem.	
Union Bank of Australia ... ..	...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	2 per ct. to 1 per ct. prem.
Bank of New South Wales ...	1s. 10½d. per C. rupee ...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
Bank of Victoria { selling ...	...	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	
{ purchasing ...	...	1 per ct. disct.	1 per ct. disct.	
London Chartered Bank ...	...	...	1 per ct. prem.	
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank ...	...	1 per ct. prem.	Ditto	
Oriental Bank Corporation {	Bombay, 2s. 1½d. per C. rup.	}	...	1 per ct. to 2½ per ct. prem.
	Calcutta, 2s. 1d. to 2s. 1½d.			
	Madras, 2s. 1½d.			
	Singapore, 4s. 11d. per doll.			
Colonial Bank of Australasia {	Ceylon, 3½ per cent. prem.	1 per ct. prem.	1 per ct. prem.	

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COINS.

The Coins in circulation are in every respect the same as those used in the United Kingdom.

AMOUNT OF COIN IN CIRCULATION.

No means of ascertaining.

AMOUNT OF PAPER CURRENCY IN CIRCULATION.

The average amount of Notes in circulation not bearing interest, by the various Banks, is as follows, viz.—

	£	s.	d.
Bank of Australasia	532,648	15	9
Union Bank of Australia	293,713	10	9
Bank of New South Wales	429,786	0	0
Bank of Victoria	563,247	0	0
London Chartered Bank of Australia	223,554	7	0
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	63,680	8	5
Oriental Bank Corporation	146,149	7	0
Colonial Bank of Australia	163,884	0	0

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ACCOUNTS KEPT IN.

The Accounts are kept in sterling money, £ s. d.

WEIGHTS.

The Weights in use in the Colony are the same as those used in the United Kingdom.

MEASURES.

The Measures in use in the Colony are in all respects the same as those used in the United Kingdom.