
STATISTICS
OF
THE COLONY OF VICTORIA, 1863.

PART III.

ACCUMULATION.



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STATISTICS OF VICTORIA, 1863.

ACCUMULATION.

No. 11—2.

COINS.

The Coins in circulation are, in all respects, the same as those used in the United Kingdom.

ACCOUNTS.

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

BANKS—COURSE OF EXCHANGE, ETC.

RETURN showing the Average Rates of Exchange for Bank Bills drawn on London, British India, and the neighboring Colonies, also of Private Bills on London, the Rates of Discount on Local Bills, the Average Amounts of Coin and Bullion, of Government Securities, and of Notes in Circulation, and also the Number of Branches, Sub-Branches, &c., according to the Returns of the various Banks in Victoria for the Year ending 31st December, 1863.

Banks.	Average Rate of Exchange for Bills drawn on							Average Rate of Exchange for Private Bills on London.
	London.	British India.	New South Wales.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	
Bank of Australasia	1 per cent. prem., 60 days' sight	.. .. .	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	11s. 3d. per cent. prem.	par, 60 days' sight.
Union Bank of Australasia	17s. 4d. per cent. premium	.. .. .	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	par.
Bank of New South Wales	par to ¼ per cent. premium	2s. 1d. per rupee	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per ct. dis. to ½ per ct. prem.
Bank of Victoria	1 per cent. premium	2s. 1d. per rupee	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	par.
London Chartered Bank of Australia	17s. 6d. per cent. premium	.. .. .	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	2s. 6d. per cent. discount.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	1 per cent. premium	.. .. .	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. discount to par.
Oriental Bank Corporation	½ per cent. premium	2s. 1d. per rupee	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. discount.
Colonial Bank of Australasia *	17s. 5d. per cent. prem. 60 days' sight, 1½ per ct. prem. 30 days' sight, 2 per cent. prem. sight,	.. .. .	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	par, 60 days' sight.
National Bank of of Australasia	1 per cent. premium	.. .. .	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	1 per cent. premium	½ per cent. premium.

Banks.	Average Rates per cent. per annum of Discount on Local Bills.				Average Amount of Coin held by the Bank.	Average Amount of Bullion held by the Banks.	Average Amount of Government Securities held by the Bank.	Average Amount of Notes in Circulation.	Number of Branches, Agencies, &c., in Victoria.
	Under 65 Days' Currency.	Under 95 Days' Currency.	From 95 to 125 Days' Currency.	Above 125 Days' Currency.					
Bank of Australasia	7 per cent.	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	£ 273,337 18 6	£ 43,177 8 5	† 46,276 15 10	£ 266,444 8 5	19
Union Bank of Australasia	7 per cent.	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	219,256 11 6	62,281 1 7	.. .. .	140,694 0 0	11
Bank of New South Wales .. .. .	.. .. .	7 to 8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	185,189 3 6	60,438 11 2	.. .. .	200,898 13 7	16
Bank of Victoria .. .. .	.. .. .	7 per cent.	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	315,138 13 11	89,237 7 4	.. .. .	283,287 0 0	32
London Chartered Bank of Australia	.. .. .	7½ per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	236,596 12 11	39,982 19 8	.. .. .	121,841 18 10	11
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	.. .. .	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	49,317 17 10	5,812 12 10	.. .. .	39,610 18 4	4
Oriental Bank Corporation .. .. .	.. .. .	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	158,327 15 2	109,808 13 6	.. .. .	135,164 0 0	17
Colonial Bank of Australasia	7 per cent.	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	126,336 0 0	12,516 0 0	.. .. .	85,736 0 0	7
National Bank of Australasia .. .. .	.. .. .	8 per cent.	9 per cent.	10 per cent.	67,337 10 0	33,126 0 0	.. .. .	89,539 15 0	11
Total .. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	.. .. .	1,631,637 3 4	456,650 14 6	46,276 15 10	1,363,216 14 2	128

* The rates given for exchange are taken from the monthly rates; were the amount of private bills purchased by the banks considered, then the rate would be nearly one per cent. discount. The amount of bullion does not include what is in transit to London.
 † This amount (£46,276 15s. 10d.) is for the last three quarters only.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

LIABILITIES, ASSETS, CAPITAL, AND PROFITS OF THE VARIOUS BANKS.

RETURN showing, on the 31st December, 1863, the Liabilities, Assets, Capital, and Profits of the various Banks established in Victoria.

Banks.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.	Deposits.		Total Amount of Liabilities.					
	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.		Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.						
									£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£
Australasia	261,502	3 1	16,142	8 0	..	718,492	10 6	635,087	7 2	1,631,224	8 9		
Union, of Australia	172,263	9 11	33,456	11 8	..	500,361	8 9	423,741	2 10	1,129,822	13 2		
New South Wales	136,001	6 11	2,974	14 4	..	534,439	0 3	531,423	3 3	1,272,083	9 2		
Victoria	282,392	0 0	11,413	11 6	7,245	4 5	32,819	7 0	32,819	7 0	1,786,388	7 10	
London Chartered, of Australia	98,048	17 0	3,033	8 2	4,056	13 0	236,413	7 5	288,245	12 10	623,797	18 5	
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered	40,220	11 6	..	..	91	19 4	101,269	9 3	183,972	6 1	325,554	6 2
Oriental	134,576	5 4	13,828	14 0	2,300	18 4	205,160	16 8	547,722	1 6	903,588	15 10	
Colonial, of Australasia	79,551	18 6	1,253	7 6	4,539	2 10	335,817	10 2	296,100	9 1	717,267	8 1	
National, of Australasia	95,683	4 8	4,911	18 8	..	42,213	11 1	159,304	8 8	214,652	14 2	516,765	17 3
Total	1,360,239	16 11	87,019	13 10	93,066	16 0	3,472,954	4 0	3,873,812	13 11	8,887,093	4 8	

ASSETS.

Banks.	Coined Gold and Silver, and other Coined Metals.	Gold and Silver in Bullion or Bars.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Government Securities.	All Debts due to the Bank*.	Total Amount of Assets.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£								
Australasia	171,386	17 4	47,251	11 8	85,000	0 0	17,142	16 3	2,200,585	10 10						
Union, of Australia	174,375	6 9	118,571	6 7	41,655	17 9	28,002	15 10	1,883,853	15 9						
New South Wales	149,202	11 10	66,732	8 4	52,058	15 10	15,867	5 7	1,561,961	14 4						
Victoria	273,770	2 10	89,858	7 9	123,805	13 6	21,086	15 1	2,383,975	15 3						
London Chartered, of Australia	105,142	16 4	26,999	10 0	63,387	6 5	12,728	17 2	1,386,137	19 8						
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered	40,844	18 10	7,039	6 6	24,319	5 6	7,633	19 0	695,606	13 9						
Oriental	148,194	10 5	126,098	1 8	40,000	0 0	20,931	5 5	788,838	19 4						
Colonial, of Australasia	154,974	14 8	14,637	11 2	44,792	5 6	8,398	11 7	1,169,967	5 9						
National, of Australasia	69,770	10 6	36,923	7 9	27,113	4 7	13,262	17 4	752,051	17 9						
Total	1,287,662	9 6	534,171	11 5	508,132	9 1	145,055	3 3	200,075	17 8	86,761	3 1	10,440,458	13 5	13,202,317	7 5

* Including notes, bills of exchange, and all stock and funded debts of every description, except notes, bills, and balances due to the bank from other banks.

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Banks.	Amount of Capital Stock paid up.	Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.	Amount of last Dividend declared.	Reserved Fund, Profit and Loss Account, &c.	Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.	Average Amount of the Capital Stock paid up during the Quarter ending on the 31st December, 1863.
	£		£	£	£	£
Australasia	900,000	0 0	14 per cent. per annum	63,000	0 0	340,030
Union, of Australia	1,000,000	0 0	16	80,000	0 0	288,871
New South Wales	750,000	0 0	20	75,000	0 0	250,000
Victoria	500,000	0 0	10	25,000	0 0	100,000
London Chartered, of Australia	1,000,000	0 0	8	40,000	0 0	117,492
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered	579,585	0 0	6	15,000	0 0	25,109
Oriental	1,260,000	0 0	14	88,200	0 0	252,000
Colonial, of Australasia	437,500	0 0	-	..	..	3,500
National, of Australasia	400,000	0 0	8	16,000	0 0	27,000
Total	6,827,085	0 0	10½ per cent. average	402,200	0 0	1,404,005

NOTE.—This Return has been compiled from the sworn Returns of the various Banks, rendered pursuant to the Act of Council, 4 Victoria, No. 13, and published in the Government Gazette.

BANKS—DECENNIAL RETURN.

STATISTICS OF VICTORIA, 1863.—ACCUMULATION.

	Year ending 31st December—									
	1854.	1855.	1856.	1857.	1858.	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.
Number of Banks in Victoria	6	7	8	8	9	9	9	9	9	9

LIABILITIES.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Notes in Circulation	2,191,117 4 10	2,014,203 18 10	2,328,266 8 7	2,279,899 12 9	2,005,697 9 4	2,003,906 11 11	1,834,274 4 11	1,650,211 13 6	1,494,765 17 3	1,360,239 16 11
Bills in Circulation	66,333 7 2	53,655 9 6	79,862 16 10	78,426 3 10	84,012 1 9	66,437 14 10	63,104 2 9	83,223 10 8	110,488 16 6	87,019 13 10
Balances due to other Banks	177,847 6 4	497,989 10 2	1,060,626 5 8	268,360 5 2	213,825 5 3	185,831 14 3	115,625 0 5	133,228 16 0	202,230 14 4	93,066 16 0
Deposits bearing Interest	697,234 13 11	227,395 7 7	840,153 11 2	1,117,558 3 8	4,601,515 10 10	4,985,744 18 4	2,932,661 1 9	2,740,330 11 2	3,992,775 2 11	3,873,812 13 11
" not bearing Interest	4,371,537 10 4	4,641,849 14 4	5,127,176 17 0	4,985,690 13 6	1,306,600 15 1	1,625,377 9 5	4,293,066 19 4	4,252,279 18 6	4,126,818 10 6	3,472,954 4 0
Total	7,494,090 2 7	7,435,094 0 5	9,435,985 19 3	8,729,334 18 11	8,211,651 2 3	8,867,298 8 9	9,238,731 9 2	8,859,374 9 10	9,927,079 1 6	8,887,093 4 8

ASSETS.

Coined Gold, Silver, and other Metals ..	2,322,443 10 7	2,737,005 1 7	2,798,257 13 4	1,953,931 2 6	2,171,188 18 11	1,755,071 4 10	2,141,169 9 3	1,850,734 1 6	1,856,204 1 0	1,287,662 9 6
Gold and Silver in bullion or bars	619,301 16 5	531,188 0 10	651,756 11 0	601,807 4 7	521,241 7 6	632,913 14 5	519,405 10 5	640,610 9 0	494,441 7 5	534,171 11 5
Landed Property	141,061 15 4	202,838 17 3	241,025 9 8	320,014 15 11	393,351 13 6	451,690 5 11	506,582 11 7	510,132 3 6	504,949 2 11	508,132 9 1
Notes and Bills of other Banks	185,286 13 10	100,861 6 4	151,350 3 5	150,803 8 3	151,710 0 2	174,646 5 11	167,276 2 3	138,028 15 8	149,945 4 5	145,055 3 3
Balances due from other Banks	648,394 14 6	1,007,151 9 0	1,152,074 3 0	390,716 14 0	301,249 3 10	305,303 10 7	141,443 15 9	101,296 14 5	277,719 15 7	200,075 17 8
Government Securities	225,530 11 4	304,149 3 1	354,186 4 3	320,404 14 0	158,938 14 11	20,209 15 4	11,421 8 6	78,657 5 1	80,500 0 5	86,761 3 1
Debts due to the Banks*	6,394,458 13 4	4,770,631 5 11	6,595,895 2 1	8,124,734 10 3	8,153,678 5 2	9,406,450 13 0	9,206,428 0 9	9,538,419 17 8	10,005,342 14 2	10,440,458 13 5
Total	10,536,527 15 4	9,653,825 4 0	11,944,545 6 9	11,862,412 9 6	11,851,358 4 0	12,746,285 10 0	12,693,726 18 6	12,857,879 6 10	13,369,102 5 11	13,202,317 7 5

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Capital Stock paid up	3,367,560 0 0	4,739,765 0 0	5,068,373 0 0	5,421,243 0 0	5,692,594 0 0	6,074,539 0 0	6,134,657 0 0	6,429,025 0 0	6,623,460 0 0	6,827,085 0 0
Average Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders	12 ³ / ₄ cent.	14 ³ / ₄ cent.	12 ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 7 Banks	13 ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	12 ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	12 ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	10 15-16ths ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	10 1-9th ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	11 1-6th ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks	10 ³ / ₄ cent. } average for 8 Banks
Total Amount of last Dividend declared ..	254,431 5 0	349,235 10 0	322,511 15 0	358,608 6 8	359,892 11 2	354,625 0 0	348,029 15 0	342,005 0 0	395,135 17 0	402,200 0 0
Amount of Reserved Profits after declaring Dividend	681,402 9 10	1,059,867 1 2	1,151,839 18 5	1,151,031 6 3	1,209,665 16 11	1,275,496 16 0	1,248,202 17 7	1,316,792 7 1	1,386,022 10 6	1,404,005 15 1

* Including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, except Notes, Bills, and Balances due to the Bank from other Banks.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar-General.

SAVINGS BANKS.

RETURN showing the Number of Savings Banks, the Number of Depositors, and the Amount Deposited in each Savings Bank in the Colony of Victoria, for the Year ending 30th June, 1863.

Bank.	Number of Depositors' Accounts opened during the Year ending 30th June, 1863.	Amount Deposited during the Year ending 30th June, 1863.			Amount Withdrawn during the Year ending 30th June, 1863.			Number of Depositors at the close of the Year ending 30th June, 1863.	Amount of Depositors' Balances at the close of the Year ending 30th June, 1863.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Melbourne ...	4,410	278,153	8	9	237,129	3	2	8,422	435,706	1	7
Geelong ...	740	51,315	3	3	51,634	16	4	2,025	92,713	3	10
Portland ...	61	10,615	3	0	9,596	6	9	270	14,174	6	4
Belfast ...	92	5,070	19	11	2,804	8	0	185	6,358	16	6
Castlemaine ...	467	26,834	11	11	28,654	15	1	911	28,586	7	7
Sandhurst ...	700	42,538	16	6	44,301	19	0	1,209	53,573	7	7
Ballarat ...	1,091	46,582	4	4	48,322	12	6	1,243	49,776	10	3
Maryborough ...	115	5,262	4	3	5,703	1	11	134	3,897	13	8
Warrnambool ...	120	7,366	12	4	4,801	18	9	202	7,916	5	5
Kyneton ...	183	8,458	2	1	6,414	10	0	290	7,978	10	9
Hamilton ... (opened 3rd Nov., 1862)	31	801	9	3	65	10	0	29	744	2	6
Total ...	8,010*	482,998	15	7	439,429	1	6	14,920	701,425	6	0

* See Supplementary Return below.

SUPPLEMENTARY RETURN of Savings Banks, &c., for the Year ending 30th June, 1863.

Bank.	Number of New Accounts opened.	Number of Old Accounts re-opened.	Total.	Number of Accounts closed.	Increase.	Decrease.
Melbourne ...	3,715	695	4,410	3,218	1,192	...
Geelong ...	578	162	740	711	29	...
Portland ...	48	13	61	43	18	...
Belfast ...	85	7	92	48	44	...
Castlemaine ...	393	74	467	405	62	...
Sandhurst ...	547	153	700	700	...	...
Ballarat ...	893	198	1,091	988	103	...
Maryborough ...	107	8	115	79	36	...
Warrnambool ...	112	8	120	50	70	...
Kyneton ...	176	7	183	155	28	...
Hamilton ...	30	1	31	2	29	...
Total ...	6,684	1,326	8,010	6,399	1,611	...

CHARLES FLAXMAN,
Comptroller of Savings Banks.

SAVINGS BANKS.

RETURN showing the Classification of Depositors' Balances in all the Savings Banks in the Colony of Victoria, at 30th June, 1863.

Classification.	Number of Depositors.	Amount of Deposits.		
		£	s.	d.
Not exceeding £20	7,483	47,554	11	1
From £20 to £50	3,340	105,631	4	9
From £50 to £100	2,007	138,083	6	0
From £100 to £150	927	109,197	16	1
From £150 to £200	431	74,312	17	4
Exceeding £200	732	226,645	10	9
Total	14,920	701,425	6	0

RETURN showing the respective Number of Male and Female Depositors in the various Savings Banks in the Colony of Victoria on the 31st December, 1863.

Bank.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Melbourne	5,568	3,318	8,886
Geelong	1,277	801	2,078
Portland	178	100	278
Belfast	114	81	195
Castlemaine	665	323	988
Sandhurst	952	385	1,337
Ballarat	870	404	1,274
Maryborough	122	36	158
Warrnambool	135	78	213
Kyneton	196	82	278
Hamilton	26	14	40
Total	10,103	5,622	15,725

CHAS. FLAXMAN,
Comptroller of Savings Banks.

SAVINGS BANKS.—RETURN FOR SIX YEARS.

Year ending 30th June.	Number of Savings Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Amount of Depositors' Balances.
1858	7	7,232	£ 432,250 10 0
1859	7	8,854	468,778 10 11
1860	9	10,135	484,500 19 11
1861	10	12,001	582,795 14 3
1862	10	13,309	624,884 3 4
1863	11	14,920	701,425 6 0

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar-General.

MORTGAGES AND RELEASES.

LAND—(I.)

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land, and of Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria during the Year 1863.

Description of Lands.	Mortgages.		Releases.	
	Number.	Amount secured.	Number.	Amount released.
Town Lands	1,218	£ 609,407 18 6	701	£ 283,236 8 10
Country Lands	874	1,015,217 6 7	417	383,401 11 4
Town and Country Lands	44	40,705 12 3	16	7,911 10 0
Total	2,136	1,665,330 17 4	1,134	674,549 10 2

LAND—(II.)

RETURN showing, in Classified Arrangement, the Number of Mortgages on Land, and Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria during the Year 1863.

Consideration.	Number of Mortgages.			Number of Releases.		
	Town Lands.	Country Lands.	Town and Country Lands.	Town Lands.	Country Lands.	Town and Country Lands.
No consideration	30	26	1	82	47	2
Under £100	242	147	7	128	67	5
£100 to £250	476	294	9	238	134	2
£250 to £500	234	167	8	112	65	2
£500 to £1000	139	100	11	77	47	3
£1000 to £5000	84	92	6	57	42	2
£5000 and upwards	13	48	2	7	15	...
Total	1,218	874	44	701	417	16

NOTE.—It was found impossible to separate the Suburban from the Town and Country Lands. They are, therefore, included therewith in the above Tables. The Tables present a statement of all the Mortgages and Releases registered in 1863.

LIVE STOCK.

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Live Stock, and of Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria during the Year 1863.

Description of Stock.	Mortgages.			Description of Stock.	Releases.		
	Number of Live Stock.	Number of Mortgages.	Amount secured.		Number of Live Stock.	Number of Releases.	Amount released.
Sheep	1,152,169	128	£ 704,198 3 9	Sheep	598,370	51	£ 329,091 14 3
Cattle	22,252	27	46,613 17 0	Cattle	52,262	21	98,494 19 4
Horses	249	31	3,860 17 3	Horses	1,028	6	5,371 9 4
Included in the same Mortgages.				Included in the same Mortgages.			
Sheep	645,569	86	461,234 11 9.	Sheep	441,497	42	340,558 6 11
Cattle	45,569			Cattle	30,054		
Horses	3,551			Horses	2,739		
Pigs	10						
Mule	1						
Total	1,869,370	272	1,215,907 9 9.	Total	1,125,950	120	773,516 9 10

PREFERABLE LIEN ON WOOL AND RELEASES.

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Liens, and Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria during the Year 1863.

LIENS ON WOOL.			RELEASES FROM LIENS ON WOOL.		
Number of Liens.	Number of Sheep.	Amount secured.	Number of Releases.	Number of Sheep.	Amount released.
186	2,622,837	£ 495,622 13 3	5	92,873	£ 23,028 16 5

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER,
Registrar-General.

MORTGAGES, LIENS, AND RELEASES.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

Year.	LAND.				LIVE STOCK.				WOOL.							
	Mortgages.		Releases.		Mortgages.		Releases.		Liens.		Releases.					
	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.	Number.	Amount.				
	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	
1854	2,023	2,747,640	7	9	...	...	154	1,108,769	13	7	...	...	39	68,485	10	3
1855	2,106	1,893,692	12	9	...	...	168	799,738	7	1	...	...	66	133,117	4	4
1856	1,570	1,145,092	13	0	...	...	154	870,420	1	1	...	...	50	110,122	15	0
1857	2,081	1,633,980	15	7	...	...	140	679,010	10	6	...	...	51	105,445	3	11
1858	2,990	1,794,758	3	4	...	...	171	893,735	4	0	...	...	60	86,758	11	7
1859	3,137	2,093,609	12	11	...	...	182	1,002,297	1	5	...	...	87	194,273	18	1
1860	3,125	2,348,822	19	8	...	...	262	1,101,751	17	8	...	...	137	291,780	6	6
1861	2,592	1,405,461	7	5	1,082	579,285	6	2	239	902,099	15	9	118	763,685	9	11
1862	2,097	1,454,717	16	7	1,231	643,780	11	0	253	1,142,584	16	5	100	585,099	13	4
1863	2,136	1,665,330	17	4	1,134	674,549	10	2	272	1,215,907	9	9	120	773,516	9	10

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STATISTICS OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—(I.)

RETURN for the Year 1863, of the Number of Members and of the Sickness, Mortality, &c., in the various Friendly Societies in the Colony of Victoria, which furnished Returns to the Registrar-General.

Name of Friendly Society.	Number of Lodges or Courts.	Number of Members at the Beginning of the Year.	Number of Members admitted during the Year.	Number of Members who died during the Year.	Number of Members who ceased to belong to the Society during the Year, from arrears, expulsion, &c.	Total Number of Members who ceased to belong to the Society during the Year.	Number of Members at the End of the Year.	Mean of the Numbers at the Beginning and End of the Year.	Number of Cases of Sickness during the Year.	Number of Days for which Alimant was allowed during the Year.
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity—										
Ballararat District	12	1,313	402	18	285	303	1,412	1,362·5	116	3,675
Belfast District	5	261	127	1	47	48	340	300·5	27	730
Bendigo District	8	832	179	7	101	108	903	867·5	180	6,406
Castlemaine District	16	1,159	548	7	175	182	1,525	1,342·0	182	7,409
Collingwood District	7	541	135	5	24	29	647	594·0	86	2,866
Geelong District	2	233	27	1	9	10	250	241·5	48	1,580
Melbourne District	36	2,413	611	22	297	319	2,705	2,559·0	314	12,590
Ancient Order of Foresters	67	4,754	1,745	36	793	829	5,670	5,212·0	547	16,654
St. Patrick's Society	1	88	41	Nil	30	30	99	93·5	2	147
United Friendly Society	1	20	3	Nil	6	6	17	18·5	1	133
Total	155	11,614	3,818	97	1,767	1,864	13,568	12,591·0	1,503	52,190

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STATISTICS OF FRIENDLY SOCIETIES.—(II.)

RETURN for the Year 1863 of the Revenue and Expenditure, and of the Assets and Liabilities, of the various Friendly Societies, in the Colony of Victoria, which furnished Returns to the Registrar-General.

Name of Friendly Society.	Number of Lodges or Courts.	Revenue and Expenditure.								Assets and Liabilities.					
		Revenue during the Year.				Expenditure during the Year.				Assets at Date of Balancing.			Liabilities at Date of Balancing.		
		Contributions not including arrears.		Interest on Stock and other Sources.	Total.	Ailment in Sickness.	Funeral Expenses.	Other Expenses.	Total.	Stock in hand.	Property, &c.	Total.			
		Towards Sick and Funeral Fund.	Towards General Expenses.											£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Manchester Unity—															
Ballarat District ...	12	1,650 10 1	2,039 19 11	1,517 15 0	5,208 5 0	680 12 2	92 17 7	2,423 15 7	3,197 5 4	4,956 4 3	3,386 7 4	8,342 11 7	26 15 0		
Belfast District ...	5	440 13 7	368 5 7	377 15 8	1,186 14 10	130 0 6	51 13 8	591 11 2	773 5 4	94 13 6	2,104 0 11	2,198 14 5	4 7 0		
Bendigo District ...	8	1,005 16 7	1,509 15 5	1,242 1 9	3,757 13 9	874 7 10	116 18 3	2,173 8 4	3,164 14 5	3,873 11 2	517 10 0	4,391 1 2	41 15 8		
Castlemaine District	16	1,596 8 6	1,594 12 5	2,339 19 7	5,531 0 6	1,014 19 6	248 12 4	2,733 17 4	3,997 9 2	6,256 18 2	2,688 13 11	8,945 12 1	17 15 11		
Collingwood District	7	806 16 3	806 16 3	796 11 8	2,410 4 2	425 14 0	196 18 0	966 1 11	1,588 13 11	5,282 15 8	Nil	5,282 15 8	Nil		
Geelong District ...	2	304 2 3	304 2 3	409 1 2	1,017 5 8	168 13 6	50 0 0	337 14 11	556 8 5	2,946 2 2	Nil	2,946 2 2	Nil		
Melbourne District ...	36	2,866 7 4	2,810 14 10	3,216 15 6	8,893 17 8	1,483 2 3	451 15 1	3,768 14 7	5,703 11 11	18,897 8 9	4,825 10 5	23,722 19 2	21 3 4		
Ancient Order of Foresters	67	11,449 14 11½	4,869 9 7	636 14 9	16,955 19 3½	5,464 2 6	823 8 10	6,238 18 5	12,526 9 9	11,035 17 4½	8,972 3 8	20,008 1 0½	268 17 1		
St. Patrick's Society ...	1	213 0 4	59 5 8	342 17 3	615 3 3	14 0 0	Nil	403 6 4	417 6 4	3,437 3 2	3,800 0 0	7,237 3 2	18 18 3		
United Friendly Society	1	15 4 0	13 12 0	Nil	28 16 0	9 10 0	Nil	0 3 6	9 13 6	Nil	29 2 3	29 2 3	Nil		
Total ...	155	20,348 13 10½	14,376 13 11	10,879 12 4	45,605 0 1½	10,265 2 3	2,032 3 9	19,637 12 1	31,934 18 1	56,780 14 2½	26,323 8 6	83,104 2 8½	399 12 3		

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