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VICTORIA.

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# STATISTICS

OF

# THE COLONY OF VICTORIA,

FOR THE YEAR

1868.

*Compiled from Official Records in the Registrar-General's Office.*

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PART II.

# ACCUMULATION.

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# STATISTICS OF VICTORIA, 1868.

## ACCUMULATION.

### 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, Agencies, &c., according to the Returns of the various Banks in Victoria, for the Year ending 31st December, 1868.

Banks.	Average Rates 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 ... ..	½ per cent. prem. ...	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Bank of New South Wales ...	8s. 9d. per cent. prem. ...	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	9s. 1d. per cent. dis.
Bank of Victoria ... ..	½ per cent. prem. ...	1s. 11d. per rupee	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Colonial Bank of Australasia ...	½ per cent. prem., 60 d. s.	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis., 60 d. s.
Commercial Bank of Australia ...	½ per cent. prem., 60 d. s.	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. dis.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	par to 1 per cent. prem.	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. dis. to par.
London Chartered Bank of Australia	½ per cent. prem. ...	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
National Bank of Australasia ...	⅞ per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Oriental Bank Corporation ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	2s. 1d. per rupee	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Union Bank of Australia ...	10s. 5d. per cent. prem.	...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	8s. 4d. per cent. dis.

  

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 Bank.	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 ... ..	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	8 to 10 per cent.	£ 343,864 0 0	£ 108,803 0 0	£ 18,192 0 0	£ 215,598 0 0	19
Bank of New South Wales ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	10 per cent. ...	359,211 2 9	64,883 9 3	...	150,414 16 8	20
Bank of Victoria ... ..	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	310,682 14 8	124,889 15 4	...	276,060 0 0	42
Colonial Bank of Australasia ...	6½ per cent. ...	6½ per cent. ...	7½ per cent. ...	8½ per cent. ...	197,608 0 1	18,913 1 10	3,820 7 8	90,807 3 1	19
Commercial Bank of Australia ...	7 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	10 per cent. ...	95,337 12 3	24,773 13 0	...	37,323 0 0	11
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	7 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	76,814 7 5	2,430 18 3	...	38,123 4 7	5
London Chartered Bank of Australia	6½ per cent. ...	6½ per cent. ...	7½ per cent. ...	8½ per cent. ...	206,470 12 0	32,942 11 6	11,259 12 3	123,334 10 0	15
National Bank of Australasia ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	10 per cent. ...	178,417 0 0	39,709 0 0	18,237 0 0	123,451 0 0	25
Oriental Bank Corporation ...	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	100,662 8 3	68,608 4 2	6,620 0 0	63,147 16 9	10
Union Bank of Australia ...	6½ per cent. ...	6½ per cent. ...	7½ per cent. ...	8½ per cent. ...	339,794 0 0	84,371 0 0	...	108,223 0 0	11
Total ... ..	...	...	...	...	2,208,861 17 5	570,324 13 4	58,128 19 11	1,226,482 11 1	177

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

**BANKS.—LIABILITIES, ASSETS, CAPITAL, AND PROFITS.**

RETURN showing, in the Quarter ending 31st December, 1868, the Liabilities, Assets, Capital, and Profits, of the various Banks in Victoria which furnished sworn returns, pursuant to the *Banks and Currency Statute 1864, 27 Vict. No. 194.*

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Banks.	Notes in Circulation (not bearing Interest).		Bills in Circulation (not bearing Interest).		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.				Total Amount of Liabilities.	
							Not bearing Interest.		Bearing Interest.			
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Australasia .. .. .	217,880	12 4	10,759	1 1	..	..	623,118	10 0	1,068,281	16 0	1,920,039	19 5
Union, of Australia .. .. .	109,747	11 7	45,984	18 0	..	..	459,469	9 6	906,622	19 10	1,521,824	18 11
New South Wales .. .. .	145,314	13 1	369	8 2	9,569	5 6	500,393	15 3	837,238	2 4	1,502,885	4 4
Victoria .. .. .	280,523	0 0	11,779	5 8	59,170	13 4	738,789	17 3	1,209,016	16 7	2,377,279	12 10
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	143,798	16 11	2,327	16 0	..	..	238,789	16 3	502,178	15 4	887,031	19 4
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	45,315	12 3	..	..	3,521	5 8	118,507	9 1	235,238	15 8	405,373	2 8
Oriental .. .. .	64,105	1 6	17,204	16 1	13,620	13 8	144,673	5 11	385,502	12 0	625,106	9 2
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	92,589	12 3	1,566	19 6	1,620	13 8	335,786	3 3	514,463	5 11	948,026	13 11
National, of Australasia .. .. .	125,212	3 10	2,099	4 2	9,582	12 8	391,378	12 10	502,383	4 7	1,030,655	18 1
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	45,330	3 1	532	15 0	9,460	1 0	144,163	5 5	264,453	11 1	463,939	15 7
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>1,270,727</b>	<b>6 10</b>	<b>92,624</b>	<b>3 8</b>	<b>99,571</b>	<b>19 8</b>	<b>3,703,860</b>	<b>4 9</b>	<b>6,512,379</b>	<b>19 4</b>	<b>11,679,163</b>	<b>14 3</b>

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.		All Debts due to the Bank. a		Total Amount of Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Australasia .. .. .	384,239	9 11	93,831	0 1	85,872	6 2	33,284	19 11	..	..	1,654,034	8 1	2,251,262	4 2
Union, of Australia .. .. .	295,334	6 3	66,509	13 5	52,500	0 0	9,693	12 9	..	..	1,685,852	6 0	2,110,159	18 5
New South Wales .. .. .	264,445	1 7	63,774	3 1	49,042	1 5	17,367	11 0	20,587	2 9	1,554,110	15 3	1,969,326	15 1
Victoria .. .. .	308,940	7 10	123,149	0 7	130,970	19 6	24,874	4 0	198,580	17 2	2,249,668	17 10	3,030,190	6 11
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	222,633	4 9	42,227	16 5	83,202	1 7	9,924	17 4	4,755	3 1	1,351,480	8 6	1,714,223	11 8
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	88,113	9 9	1,499	0 3	22,007	4 10	8,430	9 9	8,888	3 0	522,879	17 10	651,788	5 5
Oriental .. .. .	126,648	1 8	66,679	4 3	40,000	0 0	5,629	6 2	12,517	10 6	671,544	11 7	923,018	14 2
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	200,517	7 3	19,735	12 10	52,604	1 7	10,539	3 2	74,859	8 7	1,090,285	16 8	1,448,541	10 1
National, of Australasia .. .. .	243,888	3 10	24,473	10 2	52,429	19 9	26,033	6 6	28,834	7 6	1,155,671	3 6	1,531,330	11 3
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	152,518	8 3	20,933	3 11	2,000	0 0	8,231	18 10	9,301	8 7	423,180	1 0	616,165	0 7
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>2,287,284</b>	<b>1 1</b>	<b>522,782</b>	<b>5 0</b>	<b>570,628</b>	<b>14 10</b>	<b>154,279</b>	<b>9 5</b>	<b>358,324</b>	<b>1 2</b>	<b>12,358,708</b>	<b>6 3</b>	<b>16,252,006</b>	<b>17 9</b>

Banks.	Amount of Capital Stock paid up.		Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.	Amount of last Half-yearly Dividend declared.		Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such Dividend.	
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Australasia .. .. .	1,200,000	0 0	10 per cent. per annum	60,000	0 0	332,284	2 5
Union, of Australia .. .. .	1,250,000	0 0	15 per cent. per annum	93,750	0 0	497,883	16 6
New South Wales .. .. .	1,000,000	0 0	15 per cent. per annum	75,000	0 0	333,333	6 8
Victoria .. .. .	500,000	0 0	10 per cent. per annum	25,000	0 0	125,000	0 0
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	1,000,000	0 0	8 per cent. per annum	40,000	0 0	161,885	8 6
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	600,000	0 0	7 per cent. per annum	21,000	0 0	45,000	0 0
Oriental .. .. .	1,500,000	0 0	12 per cent. per annum	90,000	0 0	444,000	0 0
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	437,500	0 0	8 per cent. per annum	17,500	0 0	47,500	0 0
National, of Australasia .. .. .	633,124	0 0	12 per cent. per annum	33,750	0 0	155,000	0 0
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	200,000	0 0	6 per cent. per annum	3,279	18 0	3,118	18 6
<b>Total .. .. .</b>	<b>8,320,624</b>	<b>0 0</b>	<b>10 per cent. average b</b>	<b>459,279</b>	<b>18 0</b>	<b>2,145,005</b>	<b>12 7</b>

(a) 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.—(b) These figures represent the average rate of dividend paid by the various banks. The average rate of interest received by shareholders was 12.192 per cent.  
 Note.—This return has been compiled from the sworn returns of the various Banks rendered pursuant to the *Banks and Currency Statute 1864 (27 Vict. No. 194)*, and published in the *Government Gazette*.

BANKS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

	Quarter ending 31st December.									
	1859.	1860.	1861.	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.
Number of Banks in Victoria } furnishing returns pursuant } to Act of Council ... }	9	9	9	9	9	9	9	10	10	10

LIABILITIES.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Notes in Circulation ...	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	1,306,809	4	0	1,319,186	15	9	1,211,887	6	8	1,182,700	19	0	1,270,727	6	10
Bills in Circulation ...	66,437	14	10	63,104	2	9	83,223	10	8	110,488	16	6	87,019	13	10	85,892	16	0	75,791	5	8	144,693	17	6	127,500	14	11	92,624	3	8
Balances due to other Banks ...	185,831	14	3	115,625	0	5	133,328	16	0	202,230	14	4	93,066	16	0	74,008	19	5	137,690	3	2	101,222	16	9	120,125	2	11	99,571	19	8
Deposits bearing Interest ...	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	4,588,149	2	7	5,180,700	11	0	5,301,500	12	8	6,599,684	13	3	6,512,379	19	4
„ not bearing Interest ...	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	3,430,302	14	9	3,234,694	17	6	2,987,270	8	11	2,860,279	16	4	3,703,860	4	9
Total ...	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	9,485,162	16	9	9,948,063	13	1	9,746,575	2	6	10,890,291	6	5	11,679,163	14	3

ASSETS.

Coined Gold, Silver, & other Metals	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	1,382,152	8	7	1,356,540	0	5	1,377,645	0	10	1,974,288	5	9	2,287,284	1	1
Gold and Silver in bullion or bars	632,913	14	5	519,405	10	5	640,610	9	0	494,441	7	5	534,171	11	5	469,438	2	7	454,134	17	2	492,480	11	7	615,216	18	1	522,782	5	0
Landed Property ...	451,690	5	11	506,582	11	7	510,132	3	6	504,949	2	11	508,132	9	1	511,688	9	11	517,904	1	8	545,106	3	9	554,105	5	8	570,628	14	10
Notes and Bills of other Banks ...	174,646	5	11	167,276	2	3	138,028	15	8	149,945	4	5	145,055	3	3	160,506	8	5	175,323	6	0	151,744	15	11	139,734	4	8	154,279	9	5
Balances due from other Banks ...	305,303	10	7	141,443	15	9	101,296	14	5	277,719	15	7	200,075	17	8	262,609	9	6	167,728	5	10	210,805	0	3	259,910	19	2	358,324	1	2
Government Securities ...	20,209	15	4	11,421	8	6	78,657	5	1	80,500	0	5	86,761	3	1	93,424	5	9	123,705	17	3	40,136	8	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Debts due to the Banks "	9,406,450	13	0	9,206,428	0	9	9,538,419	17	8	10,005,342	14	2	10,440,458	13	6	10,553,590	12	4	11,960,181	15	4	12,067,436	18	10	12,234,635	8	10	12,358,708	6	3
Total ...	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	13,433,409	17	1	14,755,518	3	8	14,885,354	19	9	15,777,891	2	2	16,252,006	17	9

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Capital Stock paid up ...	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	7,618,960	0	0	8,007,500	0	0	8,092,555	0	0	8,136,325	0	0	8,320,624	0	0
Average per annum of Rates of } last Dividend declared by the } Banks ... } average for 8 Banks } average for 8 Banks }	12 per cent.	10 15-16ths per cent.	10 1-9th per cent.	11 1-6th per cent.	10 2-3rds per cent.	11 8-9ths per cent.	11 9-10ths per cent.	10 2-5ths per cent.	10 9-20ths per cent.	10 7-20ths per cent.																				
Average Rate per Annum of } Interest paid to Shareholders } Total Amount of last Dividend } declared ... }	11 674 per cent.	11 346 per cent.	10 640 per cent.	11 931 per cent.	11 782 per cent.	11 988 per cent.	12 615 per cent.	12 375 per cent.	12 192 per cent.	11 039 per cent.																				
Amount of Reserved Profits after } declaring Dividend ... }	354,624	0	0	348,029	15	0	342,005	0	0	395,135	17	0	402,200	0	0	456,669	16	8	505,066	0	0	500,750	0	0	496,000	0	0	459,279	18	0
Amount of Reserved Profits after } declaring Dividend ... }	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	1,594,805	19	2	1,963,717	9	1	2,151,287	3	4	2,123,674	1	6	2,145,005	12	7

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

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## POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.

RETURN showing the Names of Places where Post Office Savings Banks have been established, the Dates of their Establishment, the Number of Accounts Opened and Closed, and the Number and Amounts of Deposits and Withdrawals during the Year 1868; also the Amount of Balances remaining at the end of the Year.

Name of Post Office Savings Bank.	Date when Established.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at close of 1867.	Number of Accounts Opened during 1868.	Number of Accounts Closed during 1868.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at close of 1868.	Balances on 31st Dec., 1867.		Deposits received, including Interest, during 1868.		Withdrawals paid during 1868.		Balances remaining at the end of 1868.	
						£ s. d.	£ s. d.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Ararat ..	1st Jan., 1868	70	21	18	73	1,000	8 11	104	746 6 1	65	1,091 3 10	655	11 2
Avoca ..	6th Nov., 1865	92	36	17	111	1,145	17 1	198	1,444 16 3	71	689 0 1	1,901	13 3
Bacchus Marsh ..	17th Sept., 1866	27	13	6	34	80	12 5	80	193 17 6	20	152 13 11	121	16 0
Ballararat ..	11th Sept., 1865	769	515	348	936	6,105	3 1	2,871	13,061 10 9	1,149	9,874 1 2	9,292	12 8
Beaufort ..	1st Dec., 1865	21	7	3	25	162	4 5	53	456 10 7	11	159 6 2	459	8 10
Beechworth ..	11th Sept., 1865	430	116	135	411	2,499	9 5	774	2,609 17 0	243	2,412 13 1	2,696	13 4
Belfast ..	1st Feb., 1866	11	2	..	13	699	12 9	6	90 7 1	7	412 13 6	377	6 4
Benalla ..	15th April, 1867	41	18	15	44	241	16 5	130	492 5 4	30	236 10 6	497	11 3
Bright ..	1st Feb., 1868	..	84	8	76	..	..	314	634 11 4	23	129 16 6	504	14 10
Brighton ..	1st Oct., 1866	8	7	2	13	91	16 10	48	112 4 11	11	53 17 6	150	4 3
Brunswick ..	1st Oct., 1867	14	69	8	76	52	13 1	473	186 18 10	23	106 17 0	132	14 11
Buninyong ..	12th July, 1866	74	50	16	108	573	6 3	324	1,170 10 0	85	726 6 1	1,017	10 2
Camperdown ..	1st Dec., 1865	23	19	2	40	20	16 8	65	107 0 8 5	5	9 3 2	118	14 2
Carisbrook ..	17th Sept., 1866	78	38	18	98	633	6 5	400	981 0 4	75	1,059 5 0	555	1 9
Carlton ..	1st Oct., 1867	10	70	5	75	26	18 4	463	699 2 2	42	315 10 0	410	10 6
Castlemaine ..	11th Sept., 1865	79	31	21	89	882	13 8	208	792 8 3	78	657 10 6	1,017	11 5
Cheitenham ..	1st Feb., 1868	..	106	4	102	..	..	567	195 14 6	13	65 7 8	130	6 10
Chiltern ..	6th Nov., 1865	28	20	2	46	313	18 8	97	476 7 10	36	485 12 9	304	13 9
Clinnes ..	6th Nov., 1865	138	42	34	146	858	8 0	401	970 8 8	84	754 17 8	1,073	19 0
Colac ..	6th Nov., 1865	21	25	9	35	94	4 3	397	206 14 2	19	79 10 1	221	8 4
Collingwood ..	15th Nov., 1865	960	612	334	1,238	6,200	6 2	4,637	12,916 7 0	1,192	8,690 8 1	10,426	5 1
Creswick ..	6th Nov., 1865	68	52	11	109	287	11 11	347	669 12 5	41	217 11 4	739	13 0
Dunolly ..	1st Dec., 1865	82	32	27	87	1,014	2 10	303	812 18 6	82	1,111 6 3	715	15 1
Eaglehawk ..	23rd Nov., 1868	..	6	..	6	..	..	7	33 4 0	..	..	33	4 0
Echuca ..	1st Feb., 1866	71	25	20	76	271	8 1	201	438 6 2	43	317 8 5	392	5 10
Eltham ..	1st Nov., 1867	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Emerald Hill ..	4th June, 1866	115	138	52	201	324	3 8	881	623 19 2	128	412 14 3	535	8 7
Footscray ..	1st Oct., 1867	4	4	..	8	2	12 6	51	11 12 3	..	..	14	4 9
Fryerstown ..	1st Aug., 1867	31	22	8	45	105	19 3	173	144 12 0	20	99 5 5	151	5 10
Geelong ..	11th Sept., 1865	914	307	213	1,008	6,614	1 7	3,005	8,302 6 3	779	5,304 3 1	9,012	4 9
Guildford ..	1st Oct., 1867	5	10	5	10	29	19 5	19	122 1 8	6	29 0 10	123	0 3
Hamilton ..	12th July, 1866	13	12	3	22	136	14 7	46	334 16 6	13	118 11 9	352	19 4
Hawthorn ..	1st Oct., 1867	16	27	4	39	70	2 11	152	163 18 0	12	80 13 6	153	7 5
Heathcote ..	12th July, 1866	55	66	12	109	343	4 4	294	4,156 3 8	59	660 18 7	3,838	9 5
Hotham ..	1st Oct., 1867	9	63	8	64	25	3 9	418	575 14 6	61	249 4 8	351	13 7
Inglewood ..	1st Jan., 1866	66	19	7	78	170	6 1	170	516 2 3	49	308 2 3	378	6 1
Keilor ..	17th Sept., 1866	10	5	3	12	20	18 0	20	49 1 10	11	49 9 5	20	10 5
Kerang ..	1st Aug., 1867	6	..	6	..	4	17 3	6	20 7 5	8	25 3 11	0	0 9
Kew ..	1st Oct., 1867	1	4	1	4	10	0 8	10	24 19 0	2	12 0 0	22	19 8
Kilmore ..	6th Nov., 1865	45	26	10	61	209	10 1	202	305 7 10	31	118 15 9	396	2 2
Kyneton ..	6th Nov., 1865	54	22	11	65	589	19 2	103	1,082 10 7	40	587 10 4	1,084	19 5
Maldon ..	6th Nov., 1865	223	22	26	219	409	14 4	243	738 6 1	71	311 14 5	836	6 0
Maryborough ..	11th Sept., 1865	189	79	57	219	1,576	10 9	476	2,723 6 0	214	2,296 4 1	2,003	12 8
Melbourne ..	11th Sept., 1865	4,274	2,479	1,318	5,435	52,286	11 3	17,268	98,447 5 5	7,265	67,840 5 8	82,893	11 0
Merino ..	13th Nov., 1868	..	3	..	3	4	..	4	141 2 2	..	..	141	2 2
Moonee Ponds ..	17th Sept., 1866	43	15	4	54	168	1 6	247	339 8 2	26	186 18 8	320	11 0
Penridge ..	17th Sept., 1866	9	8	..	17	11	11 11	145	74 19 5	7	29 17 2	56	4 2
Port Albert ..	1st Dec., 1865	19	24	5	38	473	3 1	139	796 11 3	17	190 5 1	1,079	9 3
Portland ..	1st Dec., 1865	9	3	3	9	49	1 4	22	174 15 8	5	36 11 4	187	5 8
Prahran ..	4th June, 1866	199	186	68	317	946	8 11	1,645	2,375 13 7	215	1,968 8 4	2,223	14 2
Queenscliff ..	12th July, 1866	98	28	6	120	314	6 7	192	498 3 1	43	196 13 8	615	16 0
Richmond ..	1st Oct., 1867	11	51	6	56	28	19 4	257	620 17 11	32	133 4 0	516	13 3
Rokewood ..	15th April, 1867	74	50	15	109	3,282	6 2	220	2,433 2 6	89	2,383 1 5	3,332	7 3
Rosedale ..	16th April, 1868	..	35	2	33	..	..	288	85 18 3	7	24 12 8	61	5 7
Rushworth ..	13th Nov., 1868	..	17	..	17	..	..	25	86 11 2	..	..	86	11 2
Rutherglen ..	1st Dec., 1865	17	13	4	26	70	11 6	49	250 18 1	6	161 6 2	160	3 5
St. Arnaud ..	1st Nov., 1867	3	23	..	26	113	6 0	113	313 2 8	6	108 0 0	211	8 8
St. Kilda ..	4th June, 1866	63	38	17	84	427	17 6	246	868 9 4	64	530 7 6	765	19 4
Sale ..	6th Nov., 1865	65	42	14	93	515	10 5	173	646 4 11	63	344 18 7	1,166	16 9
Sandhurst ..	11th Sept., 1865	353	144	81	416	2,859	6 6	1,051	4,099 7 9	316	2,858 5 7	4,000	8 8
Sandridge ..	6th Nov., 1865	93	24	18	99	376	15 8	183	404 16 9	89	517 2 8	264	9 9
Scarsdale ..	1st Nov., 1867	9	16	5	20	7	17 0	67	86 3 10	10	68 5 2	25	15 8
Smythesdale ..	1st Dec., 1865	27	12	8	31	169	9 10	92	294 1 3	33	189 17 6	273	13 7
South Yarra ..	1st Jan., 1867	106	49	38	117	427	0 5	457	1,068 19 8	92	656 9 2	839	10 11
Stawell ..	1st Dec., 1867	53	27	18	62	235	1 4	171	563 11 11	46	354 1 8	444	11 7
Swan Hill ..	1st Dec., 1865	21	9	3	27	133	11 3	67	159 7 11	13	78 4 4	214	14 10
Talbot ..	6th Nov., 1865	110	59	27	142	612	2 5	584	1,494 11 10	120	808 14 3	1,298	0 0
Tarnagulla ..	6th Nov., 1865	25	9	2	32	267	5 1	47	156 1 9	17	120 12 0	302	14 10
Wangarratta ..	1st Feb., 1866	64	12	9	67	268	17 3	89	291 1 3	29	274 2 5	285	16 1
Warrnambool ..	1st Dec., 1865	28	9	6	31	729	1 4	35	501 2 9	16	140 4 3	1,089	19 10
Whroo ..	1st Feb., 1868	..	52	11	41	..	..	192	380 8 11	24	128 11 3	161	17 8
Williamstown ..	11th Sept., 1865	432	228	120	540	4,418	5 8	1,323	10,020 12 1	670	5,430 12 1	9,008	5 8
Yaekandandah ..	1st Jan., 1866	43	33	5	71	89	16 11	280	483 7 2	21	113 15 6	459	8 7
Total ..	..	11,118	6,540	3,302	14,356	103,075	10 2	45,408	188,531 3 9	14,293	125,565 10 7	166,061	3 4

NOTE.—Of the depositors at the end of 1868 (14,356), 9,055 were males, and 5,301 were females. This return has been supplied by the Acting Deputy Postmaster-General.

## POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.—RETURN FOR FOUR YEARS.

Year.	Number of Post Office Savings Banks.	Number of Accounts Opened during the Year.	Number of Accounts Closed during the Year.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at the end of the Year.	Deposits.		Withdrawals.		Balances remaining at the end of the Year.	
					Number.	Amount, including interest, during the Year.	Number.	Amount.	Total.	Average to each Depositor.
1865	31	2,227	101	2,126	4,964	£ s. d. 18,526 7 3	495	£ s. d. 3,058 7 9	£ s. d. 15,467 19 6	£ s. d. 7 5 6
1866	50	5,703	1,055	6,774	25,909	86,570 16 4	6,204	43,348 4 11	58,690 10 11	8 13 3
1867	66	6,175	1,831	11,118	37,624	127,391 9 3	10,657	83,006 10 0	103,075 10 2	9 5 5
1868	73	6,540	3,302	14,356	45,408	188,531 3 9	14,293	125,565 10 7	166,061 3 4	11 11 4

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.



SAVINGS BANKS.

RETURN showing the Names of Places where Savings Banks have been established, the Number of Accounts Opened during the Financial Year 1868, distinguishing fresh Accounts and old Accounts Re-opened, the Number of Accounts Closed during the Year, the Number of Accounts remaining Open at the end of the Year, the Amount Deposited and the Amount Withdrawn during the Year, and the Amount remaining to the Credit of Depositors at the end of the Year.

Place.	Number of Accounts Opened during the Year ending 30th June, 1868.			Number of Accounts Closed during the Year ending 30th June, 1868.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at the close of the Year ending 30th June, 1868. a	Amount Deposited during the Year.			Amount Withdrawn during the Year.			Amount remaining to the Credit of Depositors at the end of the Year.		
	New Accounts.	Old Accounts Re-opened.	Total.			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Melbourne ...	2,540	547	3,087	2,908	9,319	231,049	12	11	234,883	11	10	401,454	13	6
Geelong ...	460	163	623	588	2,123	36,582	13	7	39,422	15	7	68,100	1	9
Portland ...	50	9	59	51	371	4,896	3	6	6,051	8	0	10,209	2	11
Belfast ...	57	12	69	81	307	5,678	10	3	7,921	6	2	6,268	15	3
Castlemaine ...	250	98	348	279	1,154	17,197	6	10	14,034	2	10	26,149	13	0
Sandhurst ...	370	152	522	483	1,460	26,569	13	7	25,867	7	9	40,738	14	4
Ballarat ...	1,238	338	1,576	1,121	2,220	59,740	3	2	45,721	10	8	62,339	4	10
Maryborough ...	50	15	65	44	157	3,846	18	7	2,198	13	1	4,531	6	0
Warrnambool ...	108	18	126	90	474	8,733	11	7	8,191	8	6	10,466	11	8
Kyneton ...	94	20	114	87	420	6,015	2	0	5,485	6	6	8,070	6	1
Hamilton ...	42	4	46	11	145	2,644	9	4	2,378	19	3	1,440	2	5
Total ...	5,259	1,376	6,635	5,743	18,150	402,954	5	4	392,156	10	2	639,768	11	9

(a) The number of depositors at the end of 1868 was 18,632, of which 11,045 were males and 7,587 were females. Of the total number of depositors on the 30th June, 1868, 10,853 had less than £20 to their credit, their balances amounting in the aggregate to £58,157 18s. 6d.; 3,603 had between £20 and £50, their balances amounting to £114,613 6s. 8d.; 1,957 had between £50 and £100, their balances amounting to £136,318 1s. 8d.; 826 had between £100 and £150, their balances amounting to £97,961 9s. 11d.; 337 had between £150 and £200, their balances amounting to £57,439 10s. 10d.; and 574 had upwards of £200, their balances amounting to £639,768 11s. 9d. The material for this return has been supplied by the Comptroller of Savings Banks.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

SAVINGS BANKS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

On the 30th June.	Number of Savings Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Total Amount of Depositors' Balances. a	Average Amount of Depositors' Balances.	On the 30th June.	Number of Savings Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Total Amount of Depositors' Balances. a	Average Amount of Depositors' Balances.
			£	£ s. d.				£	£ s. d.
1859	7	8,554	468,778	52 18 11	1864	11	17,201	769,681	44 15 0
1860	9	10,135	484,500	47 16 1	1865	11	17,948	719,100	40 1 4
1861	10	12,001	582,795	48 11 3	1866	11	16,985	642,029	37 16 0
1862	10	13,309	634,884	47 14 1	1867	11	17,258	606,438	35 2 9
1863	11	14,920	701,425	47 0 3	1868	11	18,150	639,769	35 5 0

(a) Omitting the fractional parts of a £.

NOTE.—On the 30th June, 1854, there were four Savings Banks in existence in the colony, viz., at Melbourne, Geelong, Portland, and Belfast. There are now eleven. The additional seven were established and opened as follows:—Castlemaine, 1st December, 1855; Sandhurst, 17th March, 1856; Ballarat, 15th November, 1856; Maryborough, 13th July, 1859; Warrnambool, 25th November, 1859; Kyneton, 6th March, 1861; Hamilton, 3rd November, 1862.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

MORTGAGES AND RELEASES.—LAND.

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Land, and Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria, during the Year 1868.

Consideration.	MORTGAGES.									
	Town Lands.		Suburban Lands.		Country Land.		Undescribed Lands.		Total.	
	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Under £100 ...	220	12,210 14 6	76	3,796 13 2	83	4,180 16 5	23	1,153 1 6	402	21,341 5 7
From £100 to £250...	470	70,391 6 9	149	22,270 17 0	188	27,339 10 6	12	1,849 6 8	819	121,851 0 11
„ £250 to £500...	258	86,146 9 1	74	24,922 0 0	101	34,648 5 1	2	568 10 0	435	146,285 4 2
„ £500 to £1,000	144	93,057 10 0	45	29,828 0 0	64	41,674 1 6	1	550 0 0	254	165,109 11 6
„ £1,000 to £5,000	122	212,226 2 6	28	57,142 15 4	67	137,055 8 6	1	2,000 0 0	218	408,424 6 4
£5,000 and upwards	11	161,963 1 6	1	5,878 2 0	32	327,984 1 7	...	...	44	495,825 5 1
Unspecified ...	2	...	2	...	2	...	2	...	8	...
Total ...	1,227	635,995 4 4	375	143,838 7 6	537	572,882 3 7	41	6,120 18 2	2,180	1,358,836 13 7

  

Consideration.	RELEASES.									
	Town Lands.		Suburban Lands.		Country Land.		Undescribed Lands.		Total.	
	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Under £100 ...	116	6,346 10 8	33	1,849 17 11	51	2,589 8 0	2	106 0 0	204	10,891 16 7
From £100 to £250...	252	40,349 16 2	68	10,397 13 9	125	18,763 9 3	2	315 13 0	447	69,826 12 2
„ £250 to £500...	160	54,899 11 6	38	13,441 4 0	70	24,007 18 4	...	...	268	92,348 13 10
„ £500 to £1,000	80	53,057 15 8	26	16,491 13 9	44	29,565 10 0	1	500 0 0	151	99,614 19 5
„ £1,000 to £5,000	75	148,713 3 3	16	26,438 18 0	62	130,693 4 7	...	...	153	305,845 5 10
£5,000 and upwards	3	30,000 0 0	3	17,219 0 0	30	326,815 8 8	1	3,836 0 0	37	377,870 8 8
Unspecified ...	12	...	1	...	10	...	3	...	26	...
Total ...	698	333,366 17 3	187	85,838 7 5	392	532,434 18 10	9	4,757 13 0	1,286	956,397 16 6

NOTE.—The above table only relates to Mortgages and Releases under the old system. In addition to these, 705 Mortgages, securing £692,948 2s. 8d., were effected under the Transfer of Land Statute, and 318 Discharges of Mortgages, releasing £298,084 15s. 7d., took place under the same Act. These are included in the totals given in the Decennial Return of Mortgages and Releases, post.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

## MORTGAGES AND RELEASES.—LIVE STOCK.

RETURN of the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Live Stock and of Releases therefrom registered in Victoria during the Year 1868 ; also the Number of each description of Stock Mortgaged and Released.

Consideration.	MORTGAGES.						RELEASES.					
	Transactions.		Number and Description of Live Stock.				Transactions.		Number and Description of Live Stock.			
	No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.	No.	Amount.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.
Under £100 ...	50	£ 2,583 2 4	6,412	327	121	65	1	30 0 0	1,500	...	...	...
From £100 to £250 ...	49	7,183 10 6	23,470	1,977	140	36	3	476 0 0	2,600	50	4	...
„ £250 to £500 ...	41	13,169 11 7	32,636	1,513	166	14	6	1,948 0 0	7,450	200	40	...
„ £500 to £1,000 ...	31	21,882 10 1	55,391	2,422	225	79	7	4,768 2 7	9,568	1,230	...	...
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ...	64	150,979 3 7	477,845	8,243	535	15	34	84,711 2 11	170,228	8,144	381	...
£5,000 and upwards ...	46	496,199 3 11	921,722	6,869	511	...	39	565,708 8 9	742,341	10,581	1,358	...
Unspecified ...	14	...	368,027	362	77	...	7	...	34,000	...	...	...
Total ...	295	691,997 2 0	1,885,503	21,713	1,775	209	97	657,641 14 3	967,687	20,205	1,783	...

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

## PREFERABLE LIENS ON WOOL.

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Liens on Wool registered in Victoria during the Year 1868.

Consideration.	Liens on Wool.			Number of Fleeces Mortgaged.
	Number.	Amount.		
Under £100 ...	43	£ 2,273 7 5	...	30,720
From £100 to £250 ...	36	5,473 13 6	...	51,022
„ £250 to £500 ...	28	9,214 6 4	...	71,111
„ £500 to £1,000 ...	30	20,604 15 9	...	162,160
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ...	143	337,517 10 4	...	1,941,404
£5,000 and upwards ...	49	366,449 14 3	...	1,651,820
Total ...	329	741,533 7 7	...	3,908,237

NOTE.—No Releases from Liens on Wool were registered during the year 1868.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

## MORTGAGES, LIENS, AND RELEASES.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

Year.	LAND.				LIVE STOCK.			
	Mortgages.		Releases.		Mortgages.		Releases.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1859	3,137	£ 2,093,609 12 11	...	...	182	1,002,297 1 5	...	...
1860	3,125	2,348,822 19 8	...	...	262	1,101,751 17 8	...	...
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	2,184	1,694,540 16 0	1,134	674,549 10 2	272	1,215,907 9 9	120	773,516 9 10
1864	2,178	1,119,480 7 6	1,129	528,741 4 6	234	1,094,317 3 4	126	462,452 12 4
1865	2,337	1,820,454 8 7	1,228	560,412 0 2	262	1,170,681 19 5	100	646,195 14 7
1866	2,793	2,762,861 6 9	1,300	688,497 0 3	265	1,160,963 6 10	95	562,301 17 0
1867	2,816	2,206,944 16 4	1,560	1,269,854 17 6	279	874,065 14 11	102	569,798 4 11
1868	2,885	2,051,784 16 3	1,604	1,254,482 12 1	295	691,997 2 0	97	657,641 14 3

  

Year.	WOOL.				TOTAL.			
	Liens.		Releases.		Mortgages and Liens.		Releases.	
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.
1859	87	£ 194,273 18 1	...	...	3,406	3,290,180 12 5	...	...
1860	137	291,780 6 6	...	...	3,524	3,742,355 3 10	...	...
1861	163	437,117 5 5	2	7,000 0 0	2,994	2,744,678 8 7	1,202	1,349,970 16 1
1862	196	577,020 3 11	4	9,400 0 0	2,546	3,174,322 16 11	1,335	1,238,280 4 4
1863	186	495,622 13 3	5	23,028 16 5	2,642	3,406,070 19 0	1,259	1,471,094 16 5
1864	201	567,607 2 2	3	19,300 0 0	2,613	2,781,404 13 0	1,258	1,010,494 4 10
1865	189	655,562 5 5	4	18,110 2 2	2,788	3,646,698 13 5	1,332	1,224,717 16 11
1866	255	871,565 1 1	2	10,700 0 0	3,313	4,795,389 14 8	1,397	1,261,498 17 3
1867	285	673,661 13 3	1	3,000 0 0	3,380	3,754,672 4 6	1,663	1,842,653 2 5
1868	329	741,533 7 7	Nil	...	3,509	3,485,315 3 10	1,701	1,912,124 6 4

NOTE.—This table contains the Mortgages and Releases of Land under the Real Property Act and Transfer of Land Statute, as well as those under the old system.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

BUILDING SOCIETIES.

RETURN for the Year 1868 of the various Building Societies in the Colony of Victoria which furnished Returns to the Registrar-General.

Name of Building Society.	Date when established.	Number of Members at Date of Balancing.	Number of Shares at Date of Balancing.		Rate of Monthly Subscription.		Value of Shares.			Advances made since the founding of the Society.			Average Amount of Premium received from Borrowers, per Share.		Working Expenses during Twelve months prior to Date of last Balance-Sheet.	Gross Assets at Date of last Balance-Sheet.	Gross Liabilities at Date of last Balance-Sheet.	Total Income.															
			Satisfied, or Borrowing.	Unsatisfied, or Investing.	On each Unsatisfied Share.	On each Borrowing Share, including redemption.	Prospective, or when fully paid up.	At Date of last Balance-Sheet (assumed value).	Actual Amount (or Amount less Premium).	Nominal Amount (or Amount with Premium included).	From commencement of Society to Date of last Balance-Sheet.	During Twelve months prior to Date of last Balance-Sheet.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.																			
Second Richmond Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	Dec. 1, 1859	..	1863	85	s.	s.	£	85	1	10	120	29,316	11	6	33,570	15	3	8	23,591	15	1	15,141	15	1	..	..							
South Melbourne Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	April, 1860	103	228	83	10	30	120	93	0	0	120	29,200	5	3	33,570	15	3	8	180	1	0	29,054	12	7	15,002	16	0	5,912	5	5			
Melbourne and Suburban Building and Investment ..	May, 1860	118	210	110	10	30	120	102	1	3	120	102,200	5	3	111,138	14	6	9	314	0	0	33,351	2	5	17,622	1	9	..	..				
Metropolitan and General Building Investment and Loan ..	July, 1861	105	314	120	10	20	100	69	15	9	100	31,795	10	0	47,950	10	0	0	279	17	0	11,648	10	11	11,648	10	11	..	..				
Ballararat and Suburban Building Investment and Loan ..	Jan. 1, 1862	89	498	81	10	20	100	80	0	8	100	33,098	7	0	49,800	33	11	0	203	9	6	18,815	16	5	3,441	11	3	39,221	5	0			
Alliance Building and Investment ..	Mar. 19, 1863	114	338	342	10	30	120	59	3	6	120	33,580	0	0	39,600	18	5	0	313	17	0	40,346	5	9	24,743	15	4	9,345	0	0			
Third Union Benefit Building and Investment ..	April, 1863	683	1,533	2,310	10	30	120	47	9	0	120	184,804	0	4	208,410	13	11	10	846	18	10	194,595	10	11	123,515	7	0	55,392	7	6			
Metropolitan Permanent Building and Investment ..	Jan. 1, 1864	514	814	857	10	30	120	38	13	6	100	62,742	0	0	93,000	11	10	0	1,021	15	10	61,397	10	11	61,397	10	11	..	..				
Third Victoria Building and Investment ..	July, 1864	950	1,216	3,067	10	30	120	34	8	11	120	130,490	9	0	145,920	12	13	0	4	6	0	886	6	5	148,530	16	2	103,783	8	2	..	..	
City and Suburban Building and Investment ..	Oct., 1864	184	193	447	10	30	120	36	4	3	120	19,814	11	4	23,340	..	..	..	302	11	9	23,547	16	4	15,730	3	6	6,334	10	9			
Industrial Building and Investment ..	..	..	220	42	5	15	60	17	4	9	60	13,230	0	0	13,230	..	..	..	166	9	0	13,507	13	9	10,185	4	5	..	..				
Talbot Land Building and Investment ..	Jan. 1, 1865	16	34	17	10	20	50	38	6	2	50	1,868	0	0	1,900	7	5	0	40	11	5	1,962	18	3	1,233	2	0	518	9	2			
Villiers Building and Investment ..	Jan. 1, 1865	112	105	215	10	30	100	34	13	0	100	11,120	5	0	11,745	5	6	8	113	11	6	7,974	0	0	7,417	10	0	3,184	10	0			
Hamilton Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	Jan. 6, 1865	109	92	195	10	30	120	40	6	5	120	8,374	6	0	11,130	25	3	9	349	8	7	11,351	0	0	6,654	11	10	..	..				
Emerald Hill, Sandridge, and St. Kilda Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	April, 1865	771	433	1,601	10	30	120	26	1	9	120	43,959	16	4	51,990	18	10	0	17	4	5	530	7	7	52,077	14	6	..	..				
Ballararat Alliance Building and Investment ..	April, 1865	130	124	285	10	30	120	34	14	1	120	11,490	17	6	16,800	37	4	8	319	17	10	15,237	3	4	8,396	8	7	4,096	4	3			
Victorian Permanent Property Investment and Building ..	Aug. 16, 1865	2,673	2,386	13,764	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. b	25	..	..	..	25	61,288	10	0	61,288	..	..	..	717	19	3	57,010	10	1	52,428	16	1	47,815	2	3			
National Building and Investment ..	Sept. 14, 1865	260	227	809	10	30	120	26	9	0	120	23,260	0	0	28,890	20	12	4	19	12	1	399	0	0	27,946	7	9	19,184	16	3	9,471	0	0
North Melbourne Building and Investment ..	Sept., 1865	421	245	976	5	15	60	12	14	8	60	13,297	6	11	14,700	10	0	0	8	0	0	280	4	7	15,553	11	2	10,992	5	0	..	..	
First Victoria Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	Aug., 1865	160	60	170	10	42	100	par	..	..	100	5,966	0	0	5,966	..	..	..	56	1	0	3,931	0	0	3,895	0	0	..	..				
Second Victoria Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	Oct., 1865	100	35	117	10	42	100	par	..	..	100	3,470	0	0	3,470	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,355	0	0	2,400	0	0	..	..				
First Carlton Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment ..	Oct., 1865	105	27	78	10	42	100	par	..	..	100	2,700	0	0	2,700	..	..	..	..	..	..	48	10	10	1,800	0	0	..	..				
Bendigo Permanent Land and Building ..	Nov., 1865	64	9	93	10	18s. 6d. to 9cs. b	50	22	6	2	50	4,488	16	6	4,610	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	11	10	1,810	10	0	1,800	0	0	3,596	5	6
North Gippsland Building Land and Investment ..	Feb., 1866	45	33	94	10	30	120	28	3	7	120	3,990	0	0	3,990	22	9	5	1	8	4	21	0	0	96	8	11	4,046	5	0	2,098	0	0
Ballararat Permanent Building and Investment ..	June 1, 1866	183	307	668	10	15s. to 32s. 9d. b	50	..	..	..	50	15,350	0	0	15,350	..	..	..	..	..	..	216	6	0	..	..	..	..	..				
Freemasons' Building and Investment ..	August, 1866	205	123	434	10	30	120	17	4	5	120	14,670	0	0	14,670	22	1	0	..	..	..	404	8	11	12,691	18	8	9,785	15	8	5,500	0	0
Fourth Union Benefit Building and Investment ..	May, 1867	1,448	383	5,774	10	30	120	6	17	10	120	43,448	1	0	45,810	6	3	3	1,186	18	0	46,705	12	10	41,217	8	3	40,885	11	4	..	..	
Southern Cross Building and Investment ..	May, 1867	84	84	137	10	30	120	6	17	4	120	8,829	0	0	9,630	9	19	6	9	19	6	398	11	5	10,078	13	8	8,823	14	3	9,305	10	10
Australasian Equitable Permanent Building and Investment ..	Aug. 1, 1867	344	268	2,243	5	various	50	..	..	..	50	14,639	16	8	14,639	..	..	..	745	4	6	13,904	10	8	9,529	6	4	9,146	0	0			
Geelong Permanent Investment and Benefit Building ..	August, 1867	168	72	760	5	14s. 1d. to 26s. b	50	3	2	5	50	3,600	0	0	3,600	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,533	4	11	3,965	10	6	..	..	
Beechworth and Ovens District Benefit Building and Investment ..	Nov. 4, 1867	179	60	550	10	30	120	9	2	4	120	5,737	15	10	7,260	..	..	..	..	..	..	317	4	3	3,628	12	7	3,533	4	11	4,281	9	7
Fourth Victoria Permanent Property Building and Investment ..	Nov. 20, 1867	564	595	8,303	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. b	25	..	..	..	25	14,934	0	0	14,934	..	..	..	..	..	..	440	14	2	13,988	13	11	13,973	4	11	14,911	11	4
Southern Cross Permanent Building and Investment ..	May, 1868	115	204	487	10	..	50	..	..	..	50	7,028	10	0	7,028	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
East Collingwood Building and Investment ..	Sept. 7, 1868	604	92	2,839	2s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	30	..	..	..	30	1,991	12	6	2,040	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Colonial Permanent Building and Investment ..	Sept. 28, 1868	108	..	2,000	5	13s. to 25s. b	50	..	..	..	50	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
West Melbourne, Hotham, and Carlton Permanent Building and Investment ..	Nov. 5, 1868	375	4,079	..	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. b	25	..	..	..	25	12,581	5	0	12,581	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
North Melbourne and Carlton Permanent Building ..	Nov. 16, 1868	976	203	2,197	5	..	50	..	..	..	50	10,000	0	0	10,000	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Melbourne and Provincial Building and Investment Permanent ..	Nov., 1868	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Total ..	..	..	13,095	12,047	52,188	..	..	..	..	..	..	989,831	13	8	1,142,771	16	2	..	..	..	..	12,299	18	6	911,418	1	3	651,928	8	2	..	..	

(a) Income given from the commencement of the society.—(b) These payments vary according to the period for which the advance is made.—(c) This is the value of permanent shares in this society. It is not the assumed, but the actual amount, all outstanding loans being discounted to their cash value.

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