No. 1.

# STATISTICAL SUMMARY OF VICTORIA FROM 1836 TO 1885 INCLUSIVE.

| YEAR. | Population on 31st December: Persons. | Males. | Females. | BIRTHS. | DEATHS. | MARRIAGES. | IMMIGRANTS. (By sea.) | EMIGRANTS. (By sea.) | GENERAL REVENUE.[1] | GENERAL EXPENDITURE.[1] | Crown Land Sales.[2] Area Sold. | Crown Land Sales. Amount Realized. | LAND IN CULTIVATION. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | | | | £ | £ | Acres. | £ | Acres. |
| 1836 | 224 | 186 | 38 | 1 | 3 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,165 | ... | ... | 50 |
| 1837 | 1,264 | 984 | 280 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 740 | ... | 6,071 | 5,872 | 88 | 7,116 | ... |
| 1838 | 3,511 | 3,080 | 431 | 28 | 20 | 15 | 1,260 | ... | 40,020 | 16,874 | 38,694 | 33,977 | 150 |
| 1839 | 5,822 | 4,104 | 1,718 | 142 | 67 | 57 | 3,221 | ... | 74,698 | 35,849 | 38,280 | 70,236 | 2,069 |
| 1840 | 10,291 | 7,254 | 3,037 | 358 | 198 | 177 | 4,080 | ... | 255,984 | 70,129 | 83,561 | 219,300 | 3,210 |
| 1841 | 20,416 | 14,391 | 6,025 | 618 | 319 | 406 | 6,908 | 939 | 152,826 | 201,363 | 49,311 | 49,311 | 4,881 |
| 1842 | 23,799 | 15,691 | 8,108 | 1,025 | 413 | 514 | 4,136 | 1,964 | 87,296 | 124,631 | 16,698 | 21,085 | 8,124 |
| 1843 | 24,103 | 15,892 | 8,211 | 1,317 | 313 | 364 | 1,264 | 2,000 | 73,565 | 57,165 | 7,338 | 8,296 | 12,073 |
| 1844 | 26,734 | 17,626 | 9,108 | 1,336 | 240 | 328 | 2,648 | 1,423 | 69,913 | 63,048 | 181 | 985 | 16,529 |
| 1845 | 31,280 | 20,624 | 10,656 | 1,521 | 327 | 316 | 4,335 | 1,519 | 98,539 | 43,241 | 3,685 | 8,718 | 25,134 |
| 1846 | 38,334 | 23,531 | 14,803 | 1,596 | 328 | 301 | 3,676 | 1,775 | 96,347 | 51,095 | 4,601 | 19,194 | 31,578 |
| 1847 | 42,936 | 26,004 | 16,932 | 1,661 | 361 | 337 | 4,568 | 1,540 | 138,293 | 73,460 | 27,337 | 69,122 | 36,290 |
| 1848 | 51,390 | 30,697 | 20,693 | 1,789 | 405 | 351 | 8,235 | 1,669 | 144,761 | 140,260 | 17,345 | 31,716 | 40,279 |
| 1849 | 66,220 | 39,556 | 26,664 | 1,913 | 593 | 593 | 14,618 | 1,992 | 229,388 | 140,259 | 27,610 | 70,146 | 45,976 |
| 1850 | 76,162 | 45,495 | 30,667 | 2,673 | 780 | 969 | 10,760 | 3,304 | 259,433 | 196,440 | 40,042 | 97,970 | 52,341 |
| 1851 | 97,489 | 58,235 | 39,254 | 3,049 | 1,165 | 1,023 | 15,433 | 3,706 | 392,455 | 410,864 | 93,707 | 201,840 | 57,472 |
| 1852 | 168,321 | 110,825 | 57,496 | 3,756 | 2,105 | 1,958 | 94,664 | 31,038 | 1,634,448 | 978,922 | 231,297 | 671,033 | 36,771 |
| 1853 | 222,436 | 146,456 | 75,980 | 3,025[5] | 3,213[5] | 2,703* | 92,312 | 42,443 | 3,235,546 | 3,216,609 | 283,928 | 1,548,441 | 34,816 |
| 1854 | 312,307 | 205,629 | 106,678 | 7,542 | 6,261 | 3,765 | 83,410 | 34,975 | 3,087,986 | 4,185,708 | 405,679 | 1,357,965 | 54,905 |
| 1855 | 364,324 | 234,450 | 129,874 | 11,941 | 6,603 | 3,847 | 66,571 | 26,395 | 2,728,656 | 2,612,807 | 438,972 | 763,554 | 115,135 |
| 1856 | 397,560 | 255,827 | 141,733 | 14,420 | 5,728 | 4,116 | 41,594 | 21,187 | 2,972,496 | 2,668,834 | 437,562 | 749,318 | 179,983 |
| 1857 | 463,135 | 297,547 | 165,588 | 17,384 | 7,449 | 4,524 | 74,255 | 20,471 | 3,328,303 | 2,968,658 | 500,383 | 1,067,450 | 237,729 |
| 1858 | 504,519 | 323,576 | 180,943 | 19,929 | 9,015 | 4,552 | 56,168 | 25,882 | 2,973,383 | 3,092,720 | 255,724 | 638,650 | 298,960 |
| 1859 | 530,262 | 335,708 | 194,554 | 22,092 | 9,469 | 4,769 | 32,735 | 19,615 | 3,261,104 | 3,393,946 | 459,082 | 814,164 | 358,728 |
| 1860 | 537,847 | 328,251 | 209,596 | 22,863 | 12,061 | 4,351 | 29,037 | 21,689 | 3,082,461 | 3,315,307 | 492,248 | 663,238 | 419,380 |
| 1861 | 541,800 | 321,724 | 220,076 | 23,461 | 10,522 | 4,434 | 26,912 | 35,898 | 2,952,101 | 3,092,021 | 514,745 | 623,588 | 439,895 |
| 1862 | 554,358 | 324,107 | 230,251 | 24,391 | 10,080 | 4,525 | 37,836 | 38,203 | 3,269,079 | 3,039,497 | 844,969 | 910,862 | 465,430 |
| 1863 | 571,559 | 327,249 | 244,310 | 23,906 | 9,502 | 4,227 | 38,983 | 34,800 | 2,774,686 | 2,882,937 | 295,180 | 450,646 | 507,798 |
| 1864 | 601,343 | 343,296 | 258,047 | 25,680 | 8,887 | 4,554 | 36,156 | 21,779 | 2,955,338 | 2,928,903 | 260,169 | 522,602 | 479,463 |
| 1865 | 621,095 | 350,871 | 270,224 | 25,915 | 10,461 | 4,497 | 30,976 | 25,292 | 3,076,885 | 2,983,777 | 139,776 | 295,456 | 530,196 |
| 1866 | 636,982 | 357,012 | 279,970 | 25,010 | 12,286 | 4,253 | 32,178 | 27,629 | 3,079,160 | 3,222,025 | 221,582 | 380,240 | 592,915 |
| 1867 | 651,571 | 362,273 | 289,298 | 25,608 | 11,733 | 4,490 | 27,242 | 25,142 | 3,216,317 | 3,241,818 | 129,333 | 214,077 | 631,207 |
| 1868 | 674,614 | 373,232 | 301,382 | 27,243 | 10,067 | 4,692 | 32,805 | 25,552 | 3,230,754 | 3,189,321 | 275,649 | 359,703 | 712,865 |
| 1869 | 699,790 | 385,561 | 314,229 | 26,040 | 10,630 | 4,735 | 33,570 | 22,418 | 3,383,984 | 3,226,165 | 725,110 | 794,543 | 827,534 |
| 1870 | 726,599 | 398,755 | 327,844 | 27,151 | 10,420 | 4,732 | 32,554 | 21,087 | 3,261,883 | 3,428,382 | 337,507 | 463,821 | 909,015 |
| 1871 | 747,412 | 407,884 | 339,528 | 27,382 | 9,918 | 4,693 | 28,333 | 19,951 | 1,691,266[1] | 1,754,251[1] | 378,516 | 528,119 | 937,220 |
| 1872 | 758,984 | 410,278 | 348,706 | 27,361 | 10,831 | 4,791 | 27,047 | 25,295 | 3,734,422 | 3,659,534 | 752,161 | 859,142 | 963,091 |
| 1873 | 772,039 | 414,917 | 357,122 | 28,100 | 11,501 | 4,974 | 29,460 | 26,294 | 3,644,135 | 3,504,953 | 529,309 | 621,472 | 964,996 |
| 1874 | 783,274 | 418,534 | 364,740 | 26,800 | 12,222 | 4,925 | 30,732 | 27,365 | 4,106,790 | 4,177,338 | 531,538 | 579,051 | 1,011,776 |
| 1875 | 791,399 | 421,023 | 370,376 | 26,720 | 15,287 | 4,985 | 32,744 | 29,342 | 4,236,423 | 4,318,121 | 418,561 | 630,054 | 1,126,831 |
| 1876 | 801,717 | 424,838 | 376,879 | 26,769 | 13,561 | 4,949 | 35,797 | 31,977 | 4,325,156 | 4,572,844 | 476,038 | 584,913 | 1,231,105 |
| 1877 | 815,494 | 430,616 | 384,878 | 26,010 | 12,776 | 5,103 | 41,196 | 33,943 | 4,723,877 | 4,358,096 | 323,082 | 375,494 | 1,420,502 |
| 1878 | 827,439 | 435,691 | 391,748 | 26,581 | 12,702 | 5,092 | 42,268 | 37,492 | 4,504,413 | 4,634,349 | 307,457 | 375,535 | 1,609,278 |
| 1879 | 840,620 | 441,434 | 399,186 | 26,839 | 12,120 | 4,986 | 44,384 | 39,212 | 4,621,520 | 4,833,379 | 283,191 | 384,432 | 1,688,275 |
| 1880 | 860,067 | 451,456 | 408,611 | 26,148 | 11,652 | 5,286 | 56,955 | 45,294 | 4,621,282 | 4,875,029 | 409,738 | 471,824 | 1,997,943 |
| 1881 | 882,232 | 464,222 | 418,010 | 27,145 | 12,302 | 5,896 | 59,066 | 51,744 | 5,186,011 | 5,108,642 | 458,636 | 574,382 | 1,821,719 |
| 1882 | 906,225 | 477,475 | 428,750 | 26,747 | 13,634 | 6,309 | 59,404 | 48,524 | 5,592,362 | 5,145,764 | 441,433 | 598,079 | 2,040,916 |
| 1883 | 931,790 | 493,084 | 438,706 | 27,541 | 13,006 | 6,771 | 66,592 | 55,562 | 5,611,253 | 5,651,885 | 472,378 | 564,504 | 2,215,923 |
| 1884 | 961,276 | 510,659 | 450,617 | 28,850 | 13,505 | 7,218 | 72,202 | 58,061 | 5,934,687 | 5,715,293 | 469,408 | 585,099 | 2,323,493 |
| 1885 | 991,869 | 529,710 | 462,159 | 29,975 | 14,364 | 7,395 | 76,976 | 61,994 | 6,290,361 | 6,140,356 | 423,993 | 519,422 | 2,405,157 |

| YEAR. | Live Stock: Horses. | Cattle. | Sheep. | Pigs. | Postage: Number of Post Offices. | Number of Letters. | Number of Newspapers. | Shipping Inwards: Vessels. | Tons. | Shipping Outwards: Vessels. | Tons. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1836 | 75 | 155 | 41,332 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1837 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 1,050 | 1,355 | 140 | 12,754 | 140 | 13,424 |
| 1838 | 524 | 13,272 | 310,946 | ... | 1 | 7,424 | 2,795 | 137 | 11,717 | 136 | 11,679 |
| 1839 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 16,418 | 22,800 | ... | ... | 189 | 20,352 |
| 1840 | 2,372 | 50,837 | 782,283 | ... | 2 | 32,163 | 70,240 | 262 | 43,416 | 232 | 34,334 |
| 1841 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3 | 56,704 | 120,227 | 272 | 52,500 | 228 | 34,156 |
| 1842 | 4,065 | 100,792 | 1,404,333 | ... | 3 | 97,490 | 147,160 | 237 | 43,760 | 225 | 34,265 |
| 1843 | 6,278 | 167,156 | 1,602,798 | ... | 8 | 129,476 | 155,497 | 288 | 43,605 | 230 | 27,602 |
| 1844 | 7,076 | 187,873 | 1,860,912 | ... | 13 | 117,072 | 134,124 | 229 | 29,966 | 247 | 34,596 |
| 1845 | 9,289 | 231,602 | 1,792,527 | 3,986 | 14 | 127,168 | 150,602 | 273 | 31,337 | 291 | 31,114 |
| 1846 | 11,400 | 290,439 | 2,996,992 | 5,501 | 14 | 139,402 | 204,620 | 349 | 40,569 | 340 | 35,717 |
| 1847 | 13,292 | 322,824 | 4,164,203 | 5,015 | 16 | 177,821 | 249,651 | 423 | 47,885 | 425 | 48,634 |
| 1848 | 16,495 | 386,688 | 5,130,277 | 5,659 | 27 | 209,798 | 310,004 | 469 | 67,618 | 446 | 55,094 |
| 1849 | 16,733 | 346,562 | 5,318,046 | ... | 36 | 261,556 | 322,768 | 484 | 97,003 | 460 | 82,909 |
| 1850 | 21,219 | 378,806 | 6,032,783 | 9,260 | 40 | 381,651 | 381,158 | 555 | 108,030 | 508 | 87,087 |
| 1851 | 22,086 | 390,923 | 6,589,923 | 7,372 | 44 | 504,425 | 456,741 | 712 | 129,426 | 658 | 111,005 |
| 1852 | 34,021 | 431,380 | 6,551,506 | 8,996 | 46 | 972,176 | 709,837 | 1,657 | 408,216 | 1,475 | 350,296 |
| 1853 | 15,166 | 410,139 | 5,594,220 | ... | 62 | 2,038,999 | 1,618,789 | 2,594 | 721,473 | 2,268 | 664,867 |
| 1854 | 27,038 | 481,640 | 5,332,007 | 9,278 | 95 | 2,674,384 | 2,394,941 | 2,596 | 794,604 | 2,607 | 798,837 |
| 1855 | 33,430 | 534,113 | 4,577,872 | 20,686 | 89 | 2,990,992 | 2,349,656 | 1,907 | 551,726 | 1,995 | 581,557 |
| 1856 | 47,832 | 646,613 | 4,641,548 | 52,227 | 125 | 3,220,614 | 2,906,141 | 1,920 | 538,609 | 1,959 | 538,362 |
| 1857 | 55,683 | 614,537 | 4,766,022 | 43,632 | 152 | 3,899,981 | 2,981,970 | 2,190 | 694,564 | 2,207 | 684,526 |
| 1858 | 68,323 | 699,330 | 5,578,413 | 37,756 | 232 | 5,025,820 | 4,264,691 | 2,034 | 648,103 | 2,015 | 641,254 |
| 1859 | 69,288 | 683,534 | 5,794,127 | 50,965 | 263 | 6,649,288 | 5,051,402 | 2,026 | 634,131 | 2,056 | 661,518 |
| 1860 | 76,536 | 722,332 | 5,780,896 | 61,259 | 311 | 8,116,302 | 5,683,023 | 1,814 | 581,642 | 1,841 | 599,137 |
| 1861 | 84,057 | 628,092 | 6,239,258 | 43,480 | 369 | 6,109,929 | 4,277,179 | 1,778 | 549,195 | 1,820 | 540,807 |
| 1862 | 86,067 | 576,601 | 6,764,851 | 52,991 | 408 | 6,276,623 | 4,909,219 | 1,715 | 556,188 | 1,766 | 581,892 |
| 1863 | 103,328 | 675,272 | 7,115,943 | 79,655 | 437 | 6,636,291 | 4,930,646 | 1,739 | 624,061 | 1,782 | 618,052 |
| 1864 | 117,182 | 640,625 | 8,406,234 | 113,530 | 475 | 6,790,244 | 5,671,545 | 1,816 | 620,200 | 1,896 | 641,614 |
| 1865 | 121,051 | 621,337 | 8,835,380 | 75,869 | 525 | 7,485,808 | 6,037,529 | 1,743 | 580,973 | 1,823 | 599,351 |
| 1866 | 121,381 | 598,968 | 8,833,139 | 74,708 | 555 | 8,631,133 | 5,438,388 | 2,078 | 649,979 | 2,203 | 675,741 |
| 1867 | 131,148 | 650,592 | 9,532,811 | 141,522 | 583 | 9,567,990 | 4,907,819 | 1,847 | 593,235 | 1,955 | 617,026 |
| 1868 | 143,934 | 693,682 | 9,756,819 | 136,206 | 633 | 9,749,716 | 4,974,102 | 2,067 | 653,362 | 2,172 | 685,207 |
| 1869 | 161,830 | 692,518 | 9,923,663 | 111,464 | 651 | 10,582,711 | 5,251,327 | 2,320 | 721,274 | 2,334 | 730,961 |
| 1870 | 167,220 | 721,096 | 10,761,887 | 130,946 | 677 | 11,133,283 | 5,287,482 | 2,093 | 663,764 | 2,187 | 681,098 |
| 1871 | 181,643 | 799,509 | 10,002,381 | 177,447 | 706 | 11,716,166 | 5,172,970 | 2,137 | 663,002 | 2,257 | 692,023 |
| 1872 | 185,796 | 812,289 | 10,575,219 | 193,722 | 733 | 12,941,095 | 5,490,772 | 2,104 | 666,336 | 2,234 | 694,426 |
| 1873 | 180,342 | 883,763 | 11,323,080 | 160,336 | 764 | 14,475,085 | 6,080,007 | 2,187 | 756,103 | 2,226 | 762,912 |
| 1874 | 180,254 | 958,658 | 11,221,036 | 137,941 | 802 | 15,738,888 | 6,866,918 | 2,100 | 777,110 | 2,122 | 792,509 |
| 1875 | 196,184 | 1,054,598 | 11,749,532 | 140,765 | 855 | 17,134,101 | 7,552,912 | 2,171 | 840,386 | 2,223 | 833,499 |
| 1876 | 194,768 | 1,128,265 | 11,278,893 | 175,578 | 886 | 18,963,503[6] | 9,010,147 | 2,086 | 810,062 | 2,150 | 847,026 |
| 1877 | 203,150 | 1,169,576 | 10,117,867 | 183,391 | 948 | 20,910,958 | 9,809,064 | 2,192 | 939,661 | 2,219 | 935,324 |
| 1878 | 210,105 | 1,184,843 | 9,379,276 | 177,373 | 1,007 | 22,324,931 | 10,697,331 | 2,119 | 951,750 | 2,173 | 961,677 |
| 1879 | 216,710 | 1,129,358 | 8,651,775 | 144,733 | 1,069 | 23,215,648 | 10,075,407 | 2,084 | 963,087 | 2,083 | 977,135 |
| 1880 | 275,516 | 1,286,267 | 10,360,285 | 241,936 | 1,100 | 24,195,149 | 10,640,540 | 2,076 | 1,078,885 | 2,115 | 1,101,014 |
| 1881 | 278,195 | 1,286,677 | 10,267,265 | 239,926 | 1,158 | 26,308,347 | 11,440,732 | 2,125 | 1,219,231 | 2,123 | 1,192,671 |
| 1882 | 280,874 | 1,287,088 | 10,174,246 | 237,917 | 1,218 | 28,877,977 | 12,383,928 | 2,089 | 1,349,093 | 2,079 | 1,341,791 |
| 1883 | 286,779 | 1,297,546 | 10,739,021 | 233,525 | 1,295 | 30,962,167 | 13,982,222 | 2,023 | 1,464,752 | 2,064 | 1,499,579 |
| 1884 | 293,846 | 1,287,945 | 10,637,412 | 234,347 | 1,342 | 33,403,884 | 15,143,067 | 1,986 | 1,569,162 | 1,989 | 1,582,425 |
| 1885 | 304,098 | 1,290,790 | 10,681,837 | 239,837 | 1,384 | 36,061,880 | 16,277,108 | 2,154 | 1,631,266 | 2,119 | 1,628,892 |

| YEAR. | Vessels Built: No. | Tons. | Vessels Registered: No. | Tons. | Mortgages and Liens: Number. | Amount Secured. | IMPORTS. Total Value. | Imports of Breadstuffs (Wheat, Flour, Bread, and Biscuit): Quantity.[4] | Value. | EXPORTS. Total Value. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | | | | £ | £ | Bushels. | £ | £ |
| 1836 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1837 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 115,379 | 9,738 | 3,619 | 12,178 |
| 1838 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 16 | 17,260 | 73,230 | 35,781 | 9,624 | 27,998 |
| 1839 | 1 | 10 | 4 | 194 | 110 | 77,464 | 204,722 | 39,814 | 28,090 | 77,684 |
| 1840 | 1 | 11 | 4 | 273 | 82 | 134,445 | 435,367 | 61,189 | 35,548 | 128,860 |
| 1841 | 1 | 10 | 9 | 273 | 99 | 108,474 | 364,399 | 117,045 | 50,291 | 200,305 |
| 1842 | 1 | 60 | 12 | 775 | 162 | 113,262 | 277,427 | 119,607 | 43,134 | 198,783 |
| 1843 | 3 | 108 | 13 | 600 | 171 | 299,505 | 188,036 | 58,969 | 16,522 | 254,482 |
| 1844 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 251 | 200,689 | 151,062 | 101,613 | 21,260 | 256,847 |
| 1845 | 3 | 111 | 11 | 488 | 171 | 102,892 | 248,293 | 80,247 | 13,328 | 463,597 |
| 1846 | 1 | 19 | 15 | 690 | 177 | 146,968 | 315,561 | 51,454 | 7,491 | 425,201 |
| 1847 | 3 | 163 | 11 | 819 | 265 | 212,730 | 437,696 | 52,983 | 8,676 | 668,511 |
| 1848 | 2 | 280 | 16 | 966 | 389 | 264,070 | 373,676 | 68,616 | 11,624 | 675,359 |
| 1849 | 3 | 114 | 17 | 953 | 570 | 419,455 | 479,831 | 79,168 | 10,303 | 755,326 |
| 1850 | 3 | 232 | 21 | 1,413 | 634 | 466,144 | 744,925 | 66,232 | 9,029 | 1,041,796 |
| 1851 | 12 | 530 | 28 | 2,033 | 732 | 669,120 | 1,056,437 | 227,909 | 60,622 | 1,422,909 |
| 1852 | 3 | 203 | 62 | 5,988 | 394 | 408,131 | 4,069,742 | 1,237,486 | 441,785 | 7,451,549 |
| 1853 | 1 | 11 | 236 | 33,145 | 991 | 1,868,955 | 15,842,637 | 1,909,659 | 880,789 | 11,061,544 |
| 1854 | 20 | 671 | 347 | 45,334 | 2,216 | 3,924,896 | 17,659,051 | 1,679,440 | 976,349 | 11,775,204 |
| 1855 | 11 | 329 | 159 | 20,819 | 2,340 | 2,826,548 | 12,007,939 | 2,039,211 | 1,661,545 | 13,493,338 |
| 1856 | 8 | 445 | 71 | 10,567 | 1,774 | 2,125,635 | 14,962,269 | 2,325,691 | 1,201,931 | 15,489,760 |
| 1857 | 9 | 540 | 63 | 8,109 | 2,272 | 2,418,437 | 17,256,209 | 2,184,876 | 930,250 | 15,079,512 |
| 1858 | 6 | 178 | 48 | 6,285 | 3,221 | 2,775,252 | 15,108,249 | 1,601,618 | 640,770 | 13,989,209 |
| 1859 | 4 | 71 | 47 | 8,541 | 3,406 | 3,290,181 | 15,622,891 | 1,998,498 | 939,217 | 13,867,859 |
| 1860 | 3 | 52 | 30 | 5,790 | 3,524 | 3,742,355 | 15,093,730 | 1,708,534 | 700,276 | 12,962,704 |
| 1861 | 5 | 158 | 38 | 6,199 | 2,994 | 2,744,678 | 13,532,452 | 1,867,024 | 620,129 | 13,828,606 |
| 1862 | 2 | 31 | 50 | 12,654 | 2,546 | 3,174,323 | 13,487,787 | 804,686 | 227,915 | 13,039,422 |
| 1863 | 12 | 753 | 79 | 18,159 | 2,642 | 3,406,071 | 14,118,727 | 745,178 | 215,006 | 13,566,296 |
| 1864 | 14 | 1,506 | 66 | 12,542 | 2,613 | 2,781,405 | 14,974,815 | 2,140,138 | 984,687 | 13,898,384 |
| 1865 | 15 | 841 | 50 | 11,736 | 2,788 | 3,646,699 | 13,257,537 | 1,976,075 | 919,949 | 13,150,748 |
| 1866 | 9 | 462 | 47 | 10,668 | 3,313 | 4,795,390 | 14,771,711 | 1,997,518 | 692,585 | 12,889,546 |
| 1867 | 6 | 315 | 43 | 6,787 | 3,380 | 3,754,672 | 11,674,080 | 439,855 | 109,358 | 12,724,427 |
| 1868 | 6 | 296 | 41 | 7,105 | 3,509 | 3,485,315 | 13,320,662 | 416,017 | 147,282 | 15,593,990 |
| 1869 | 7 | 303 | 45 | 9,006 | 4,036 | 4,701,485 | 13,908,990 | 810,987 | 233,887 | 13,464,354 |
| 1870 | 5 | 667 | 29 | 5,503 | 4,410 | 4,203,743 | 12,455,758 | 104,224 | 25,249 | 12,470,014 |
| 1871 | 8 | 837 | 46 | 11,015 | 4,849 | 4,278,197 | 12,341,995 | 1,295,015 | 385,325 | 14,557,820 |
| 1872 | 10 | 478 | 42 | 8,146 | 5,151 | 4,076,229 | 13,691,322 | 585,688 | 179,352 | 13,871,195 |
| 1873 | 3 | 187 | 50 | 12,640 | 5,155 | 5,248,365 | 16,533,856 | 65,167 | 16,204 | 15,302,454 |
| 1874 | 5 | 1,083 | 44 | 12,522 | 5,929 | 6,019,904 | 16,953,985 | 136,004 | 37,078 | 15,441,109 |
| 1875 | 24 | 1,752 | 53 | 8,519 | 6,035 | 4,542,569 | 16,685,874 | 284,605 | 71,137 | 14,766,974 |
| 1876 | 23 | 1,013 | 42 | 8,484 | 6,417 | 5,081,387 | 15,705,354 | 355,704 | 96,007 | 14,196,487 |
| 1877 | 7 | 425 | 26 | 6,588 | 6,510 | 4,706,138 | 16,362,304 | 80,166 | 24,370 | 15,157,687 |
| 1878 | 11 | 509 | 33 | 6,421 | 9,655 | 6,233,752 | 16,161,880 | 59,420 | 14,699 | 14,925,707 |
| 1879 | 4 | 146 | 23 | 5,227 | 12,063 | 7,358,952 | 15,035,538 | 83,837 | 20,763 | 12,454,170 |
| 1880 | 4 | 205 | 18 | 7,828 | 10,722 | 5,615,401 | 14,556,894 | 155,345 | 33,061 | 15,954,559 |
| 1881 | 9 | 698 | 28 | 7,138 | 10,636 | 6,672,733 | 16,718,521 | 157,334 | 26,464 | 16,252,103 |
| 1882 | 7 | 362 | 34 | 7,970 | 9,416 | 6,985,689 | 18,748,081 | 135,858 | 34,981 | 16,193,579 |
| 1883 | 5 | 440 | 24 | 6,605 | 9,023 | 6,021,120 | 17,743,846 | 91,455 | 21,264 | 16,398,863 |
| 1884 | 8 | 167 | 22 | 5,215 | 9,236 | 7,139,774 | 19,201,633 | 132,365 | 27,968 | 16,050,465 |
| 1885 | 2 | 46 | 31 | 10,676 | 10,738 | 9,476,723 | 18,044,604 | 79,080 | 14,892 | 15,551,758 |

| YEAR. | Exports of Wool:[3] Quantity. | Value. | Tallow: Quantity. | Value. | Hides and Skins: Value. | Breadstuffs (Wheat, Flour, Bread, and Biscuit): Quantity.[4] | Value. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | lbs. | £ | lbs. | £ | £ | Bushels. | £ |
| 1836 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1837 | 175,081 | 11,639 | 2,240 | 28 | 22 | ... | ... |
| 1838 | 320,383 | 21,631 | 18,114 | 489 | 117 | 109 | 118 |
| 1839 | 615,603 | 45,226 | 18,552 | 396 | 249 | 91 | 60 |
| 1840 | 941,815 | 67,902 | 48,048 | 953 | 251 | 3,418 | 2,474 |
| 1841 | 1,714,711 | 85,735 | 44,900 | 786 | 561 | 695 | 318 |
| 1842 | 2,828,784 | 151,446 | 78,400 | 975 | 801 | 603 | 294 |
| 1843 | 3,826,602 | 201,383 | 117,258 | 1,700 | 743 | 353 | 71 |
| 1844 | 4,326,229 | 174,044 | 961,032 | 13,907 | 989 | 3,032 | 654 |
| 1845 | 6,841,813 | 396,537 | 846,155 | 12,267 | 1,913 | 5,548 | 781 |
| 1846 | 6,406,950 | 351,441 | 250,880 | 3,049 | 2,256 | 7,526 | 1,665 |
| 1847 | 10,210,038 | 565,805 | 1,255,744 | 15,802 | 3,267 | 16,112 | 3,319 |
| 1848 | 10,524,663 | 556,521 | 3,013,808 | 37,968 | 2,066 | 3,890 | 749 |
| 1849 | 14,567,005 | 574,594 | 7,800,716 | 100,261 | 2,184 | 3,076 | 574 |
| 1850 | 18,091,207 | 826,190 | 10,056,256 | 132,863 | 5,196 | 10,668 | 2,469 |
| 1851 | 16,345,468 | 734,618 | 9,459,520 | 123,203 | 7,414 | 11,098 | 4,061 |
| 1852 | 20,047,453 | 1,062,787 | 4,469,248 | 60,261 | 13,306 | 29,480 | 13,213 |
| 1853 | 20,842,591 | 1,651,871 | 982,833 | 13,251 | 11,811 | 409,665 | 185,255 |
| 1854 | 22,998,400 | 1,618,114 | 1,340,752 | 22,750 | 29,465 | 293,975 | 118,602 |
| 1855 | 22,584,234 | 1,405,659 | 1,376,816 | 29,117 | 41,871 | 53,715 | 39,819 |
| 1856 | 21,968,174 | 1,506,613 | 1,970,976 | 35,980 | 72,103 | 89,285 | 48,457 |
| 1857 | 17,176,920 | 1,335,642 | 4,843,216 | 62,363 | 191,828 | 225,971 | 88,627 |
| 1858 | 21,515,958 | 1,678,290 | 2,275,056 | 43,987 | 106,527 | 96,858 | 32,868 |
| 1859 | 21,660,295 | 1,756,950 | 548,352 | 10,354 | 172,422 | 40,888 | 18,781 |
| 1860 | 24,273,910 | 2,025,066 | 788,144 | 18,269 | 144,236 | 143,111 | 56,567 |
| 1861 | 23,923,195 | 2,095,264 | 4,208,960 | 75,784 | 100,624 | 344,507 | 114,979 |
| 1862 | 25,245,778 | 2,350,956 | 3,998,904 | 66,515 | 130,661 | 621,580 | 165,550 |
| 1863 | 25,579,886 | 2,049,491 | 1,938,708 | 33,871 | 106,890 | 554,071 | 152,730 |
| 1864 | 39,871,892 | 3,250,128 | 3,882,256 | 60,230 | 103,625 | 271,148 | 135,924 |
| 1865 | 44,270,666 | 3,315,109 | 1,396,640 | 15,566 | 83,962 | 175,143 | 82,905 |
| 1866 | 42,391,234 | 3,196,491 | 320,432 | 6,599 | 55,880 | 242,819 | 88,072 |
| 1867 | 51,314,116 | 3,824,956 | 2,103,360 | 34,968 | 31,458 | 424,665 | 110,330 |
| 1868 | 68,010,591 | 4,567,182 | 12,104,960 | 160,909 | 33,619 | 253,979 | 90,421 |
| 1869 | 54,431,367 | 3,363,075 | 14,259,616 | 237,084 | 60,461 | 91,398 | 28,368 |
| 1870 | 52,123,451 | 3,205,106 | 22,158,080 | 358,863 | 33,649 | 199,878 | 52,941 |
| 1871 | 76,334,480 | 4,702,164 | 30,422,672 | 469,069 | 39,858 | 115,432 | 37,864 |
| 1872 | 58,648,977 | 4,651,665 | 22,656,088 | 353,358 | 49,169 | 195,725 | 62,058 |
| 1873 | 74,893,882 | 5,738,638 | 15,373,120 | 233,091 | 53,659 | 203,255 | 68,539 |
| 1874 | 88,662,284 | 6,373,676 | 13,591,760 | 199,564 | 56,993 | 176,718 | 63,399 |
| 1875 | 85,064,952 | 6,096,958 | 13,910,736 | 203,243 | 50,454 | 84,236 | 36,076 |
| 1876 | 106,265,877 | 6,413,754 | 11,424,000 | 174,507 | 59,052 | 96,773 | 40,542 |
| 1877 | 98,468,208 | 5,670,871 | 6,048,000 | 90,455 | 35,570 | 464,284 | 73,960 |
| 1878 | 101,809,809 | 5,810,148 | 7,387,520 | 103,879 | 29,123 | 1,065,388 | 311,670 |
| 1879 | 95,628,281 | 5,269,634 | 11,780,160 | 150,867 | 50,902 | 1,041,221 | 272,438 |
| 1880 | 112,486,058 | 6,417,453 | 15,097,600 | 192,394 | 98,092 | 3,734,078 | 886,980 |
| 1881 | 103,449,080 | 5,450,029 | 19,765,760 | 247,372 | 114,903 | 4,050,308 | 930,640 |
| 1882 | 108,028,601 | 5,902,574 | 13,722,240 | 189,304 | 136,105 | 3,457,390 | 966,487 |
| 1883 | 109,615,884 | 6,054,563 | 14,960,960 | 232,400 | 121,656 | 2,467,986 | 651,727 |
| 1884 | 119,542,407 | 6,342,887 | 17,030,720 | 256,686 | 148,638 | 8,364,970 | 1,769,526 |
| 1885 | 106,278,038 | 5,028,011 | 13,634,880 | 155,918 | 102,433 | 3,825,065 | 772,432 |

| YEAR. | Gold Raised: Estimated Quantity. | Value. At £4 per ounce. | PUBLIC DEBT ON THE 31st DECEMBER. | Government Expenditure,[7] on— Railways. | Roads and Bridges. | Melbourne Water Supply (Yan Yean). | Country Water Works. | Other Public Works. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | oz. | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ | £ |
| 1851 | 145,137 | 580,548 | ... | ... | 11,113 | ... | ... | 17,462 |
| 1852 | 2,738,484 | 10,953,936 | ... | ... | 35,249 | ... | ... | 122,099 |
| 1853 | 3,150,021 | 12,600,084 | ... | ... | 522,693 | 8,737 | ... | 356,268 |
| 1854 | 2,392,065 | 9,568,260 | ... | ... | 517,082 | 358,619 | ... | 482,401 |
| 1855 | 2,793,065 | 11,172,260 | 480,000 | ... | 576,588 | 129,991 | ... | 210,062 |
| 1856 | 2,985,735 | 11,942,940 | 648,100 | ... | 506,679 | 154,596 | ... | 368,511 |
| 1857 | 2,761,567 | 11,046,268 | 828,700 | ... | 736,050 | 97,031 | ... | 476,136 |
| 1858 | 2,528,227 | 10,112,908 | 808,100 | | 645,239 | 42,715 | ... | 466,047 |
| 1859 | 2,280,717 | 9,122,868 | 2,089,500 | 4,832,369 | 601,187 | 25,715 | ... | 537,252 |
| 1860 | 2,156,700 | 8,626,800 | 5,118,100 | | 621,554 | 16,910 | ... | 419,905 |
| 1861 | 1,967,453 | 7,869,812 | 6,345,060 | 2,798,692 | 518,329 | 7,573 | ... | 283,341 |
| 1862 | 1,658,281 | 6,633,124 | 7,992,740 | | 407,758 | 27,219 | ... | 284,906 |
| 1863 | 1,627,105 | 6,508,420 | 8,237,520 | 762,303 | 171,271 | 74,629 | ... | 257,388 |
| 1864 | 1,545,437 | 6,181,748 | 8,443,970 | 415,484 | 89,376 | 37,263 | ... | 281,377 |
| 1865 | 1,543,188 | 6,172,752 | 8,622,245 | 184,262 | 113,244 | 22,194 | 1,103 | 231,919 |
| 1866 | 1,478,280 | 5,913,120 | 8,844,855 | 135,712 | 96,898 | 2,589 | 72,156 | 277,062 |
| 1867 | 1,433,246 | 5,732,984 | 9,480,800 | 247,970 | 47,374 | 5,941 | 313,103 | 241,449 |
| 1868 | 1,634,200 | 6,536,800 | 9,417,800 | 103,076 | 110,548 | 59,041 | 144,216 | 182,476 |
| 1869 | 1,337,296 | 5,349,184 | 10,385,900 | 104,612 | 90,735 | 29,795 | 152,775 | 267,603 |
| 1870 | 1,222,798 | 4,891,192 | 11,924,800 | 192,420 | 36,832 | 20,716 | 93,553 | 191,573 |
| 1871 | 1,355,477 | 5,421,908 | 11,994,800 | 242,508[7] | 35,328[7] | 11,501[7] | 97,176[7] | 97,088[7] |
| 1872 | 1,282,521 | 5,130,084 | 11,984,800 | 566,831 | 42,192 | 9,140 | 17,945 | 264,761 |
| 1873 | 1,241,205 | 4,964,820 | 12,445,722 | 853,179 | 38,126 | 24,213 | 227,427 | 186,464 |
| 1874 | 1,155,972 | 4,623,888 | 13,990,553 | 816,616 | 102,922 | 70,893 | 212,378 | 390,955 |
| 1875 | 1,095,787 | 4,383,148 | 13,995,093 | 984,624 | 99,451 | 81,404 | 95,672 | 350,159 |
| 1876 | 963,760 | 3,855,040 | 17,011,382 | 1,481,800[7] | 66,690 | 80,141 | 142,483 | 348,596 |
| 1877 | 809,653 | 3,238,612 | 17,018,913 | 1,019,201 | 16,759 | 39,565 | 171,551 | 258,638 |
| 1878 | 775,272 | 3,101,088 | 17,022,065 | 935,666 | 11,888 | 86,229 | 37,947 | 313,039 |
| 1879 | 758,947 | 3,035,788 | 20,050,753 | 1,061,694 | 36,884 | 40,065 | 12,327 | 356,547 |
| 1880 | 829,121 | 3,316,484 | 22,060,749 | 1,988,916[12] | 24,945 | 47,094 | 84,413 | 383,751 |
| 1881 | 858,850 | 3,435,400 | 22,426,502 | 782,134 | 31,631 | 39,929 | 40,267 | 317,352 |
| 1882 | 898,536 | 3,594,144 | 22,103,202 | 1,387,711 | 53,017 | 46,924 | 120,244 | 265,836 |
| 1883 | 810,047 | 3,240,188 | 24,308,175 | 2,117,336 | 62,376 | 174,956 | 204,325 | 422,754 |
| 1884 | 778,618 | 3,114,472 | 27,526,667 | 1,399,148 | 55,879 | 93,506 | 192,059 | 454,121 |
| 1885 | 735,218 | 2,940,872 | 28,628,588 | 1,302,538 | 40,878 | 70,209 | 139,982 | 400,579 |

| YEAR. | Railways:[8] Miles Opened. | Train Miles Travelled. | Total Receipts. | Electric Telegraphs: Number of Stations. | Number of Miles of Wire. | Number of Telegrams. | Banks of Issue: Number of Banks. | Paid-up Capital. | Assets. | Liabilities. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | £ | | | | | £ | £ | £ |
| 1851 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1852 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1853 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1854 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6 | 3,367,560 | 10,536,528 | 7,494,090 |
| 1855 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 7 | 4,739,765 | 9,653,825 | 7,435,094 |
| 1856 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 | 5,068,373 | 11,944,545 | 9,435,986 |
| 1857 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 8 | 5,421,243 | 11,862,412 | 8,729,935 |
| 1858 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9 | 5,692,594 | 11,851,358 | 8,211,651 |
| 1859 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 9 | 6,074,539 | 12,746,286 | 8,867,298 |
| 1860 | ... | ... | 211,557 | 33 | ... | 166,803 | 9 | 6,134,657 | 12,693,727 | 9,238,731 |
| 1861 | ... | ... | 291,382 | 47 | ... | 184,688 | 9 | 6,429,025 | 12,857,879 | 8,859,374 |
| 1862 | 214 | 936,404 | 435,740 | 57 | ... | 211,685 | 9 | 6,623,460 | 13,369,102 | 9,927,079 |
| 1863 | 214 | 1,198,524 | 579,920 | 66 | 2,586 | 234,520 | 9 | 6,827,085 | 13,202,317 | 8,887,093 |
| 1864 | 272 | 1,587,842 | 646,589 | 70 | 2,626 | 256,380 | 9 | 7,618,960 | 13,433,410 | 9,485,163 |
| 1865 | 271 | 1,477,323 | 717,161 | 79 | 3,111 | 279,741 | 9 | 8,007,500 | 14,755,518 | 9,948,064 |
| 1866 | 271 | 1,543,762 | 724,186 | 78 | 3,111 | 277,788 | 10 | 8,092,555 | 14,885,355 | 9,746,575 |
| 1867 | 271 | 1,488,737 | 678,179 | 83 | 3,171 | 235,648 | 10 | 8,136,325 | 15,777,891 | 10,890,291 |
| 1868 | 271 | 1,538,964 | 712,766 | 86 | 3,171 | 254,288 | 10 | 8,320,624 | 16,252,007 | 11,679,164 |
| 1869 | 271 | 1,563,274 | 758,470 | 91 | 3,368 | 276,742 | 10 | 8,347,500 | 17,665,861 | 11,956,575 |
| 1870 | 274 | 1,495,719 | 699,273 | 95 | 3,371 | 454,598[11] | 10 | 8,305,224 | 16,866,405 | 12,357,571 |
| 1871 | 276[8] | 917,960[8] | 401,389[8] | 96 | 3,472 | 537,398 | 10 | 8,276,250 | 17,222,093 | 12,862,650 |
| 1872 | 329 | 1,571,682 | 771,638 | 117 | 3,634 | 639,960 | 10 | 8,276,250 | 18,125,902 | 13,935,047 |
| 1873 | 377 | 1,766,717 | 857,745 | 135 | 3,928 | 718,167 | 10 | 8,366,250 | 19,943,959 | 14,092,995 |
| 1874 | 457½ | 2,109,227 | 1,016,925 | 148 | 4,293 | 701,080 | 11 | 8,503,033 | 20,456,852 | 14,105,460 |
| 1875 | 603 | 2,502,838 | 1,091,937 | 164 | 4,510 | 732,869 | 12 | 8,572,120 | 22,279,482 | 15,483,172 |
| 1876 | 719[8] | 4,015,197[8] | 1,730,034[8] | 181 | 4,745 | 801,946 | 12 | 8,630,745 | 23,918,123 | 16,527,277 |
| 1877 | 950 | 3,271,007 | 1,319,638 | 206 | 5,200 | 919,985 | 13 | 8,756,894 | 26,258,439 | 18,183,119 |
| 1878 | 1,052 | 3,633,190 | 1,391,701 | 233 | 5,404 | 1,003,654 | 13 | 9,188,653 | 26,096,185 | 17,715,867 |
| 1879 | 1,125 | 4,002,624 | 1,383,650 | 257 | 5,736 | 1,010,116 | 11 | 9,026,250 | 25,339,843 | 17,818,225 |
| 1880 | 1,199 | 4,380,802 | 1,492,917 | 284 | 6,019 | 1,160,912 | 11 | 9,126,250 | 23,284,822 | 19,488,512 |
| 1881 | 1,247 | 4,633,267 | 1,665,209 | 302 | 6,626 | 1,281,749 | 11 | 9,143,122 | 27,173,809 | 22,902,017 |
| 1882 | 1,355 | 5,069,389 | 1,781,078 | 337 | 6,922 | 1,418,769 | 12 | 9,432,250 | 31,248,586 | 25,496,305 |
| 1883 | 1,562 | 5,701,513 | 1,898,311 | 365 | 7,271 | 1,474,972 | 12 | 9,597,750 | 31,742,507 | 25,856,709 |
| 1884 | 1,663 | 6,947,870 | 2,196,149 | 401 | 8,850* | 1,181,433[13]* | 11 | 8,663,184 | 36,018,866 | 30,186,336 |
| 1885 | 1,676 | 6,849,818 | 2,181,932 | 411 | 9,617 | 1,624,666[14] | 11 | 8,901,250 | 39,174,126 | 32,517,645 |

| YEAR. | Savings Banks:[9] Number of Savings Banks. | Number of Depositors. | Amount of Balances. | Friendly Societies:[10] Number of Branches. | Average Number of Members. | Cities, Towns, and Boroughs: Number. | Total Value of Rateable Property. | Revenue. | Shires and Road Districts: Number. | Total Value of Rateable Property. | Revenue. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | £ | | | | £ | £ | | £ | £ |
| 1851 | 4 | 1,426 | 52,697 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1852 | 4 | 2,576 | 150,161 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1853 | 4 | 2,549 | 142,655 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1854 | 4 | 2,761 | 180,020 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1855 | 4 | 2,502 | 173,090 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1856 | 6 | 3,620 | 245,923 | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |
| 1857 | 7 | 5,682 | 374,868 | 21 | 1,698 | 19 | 2,557,794 | 219,960 | 16 | 641,112 | 58,113 |
| 1858 | 7 | 7,232 | 432,250 | 29 | 2,272 | 29 | 2,605,546 | 314,316 | 24 | 2,663,398 | 98,780 |
| 1859 | 7 | 8,854 | 468,779 | 53 | 3,876 | 37 | 3,384,737 | 318,624 | 30 | 8,107,226 | 118,620 |
| 1860 | 9 | 10,135 | 484,501 | 61 | 5,028 | 41 | 18,715,561 | 324,728 | 42 | 5,409,687 | 122,470 |
| 1861 | 10 | 12,001 | 582,796 | 87 | 7,166 | 48 | 20,690,476 | 284,178 | 60 | 9,916,311 | 146,129 |
| 1862 | 10 | 13,309 | 634,884 | 124 | 9,995 | 53 | 18,377,042 | 262,179 | 84 | 4,231,308 | 226,833 |
| 1863 | 11 | 14,920 | 701,425 | 157 | 13,085 | 58 | 17,750,027 | 257,642 | 98 | 12,487,403 | 200,522 |
| 1864 | 11 | 17,201 | 769,681 | 186 | 13,906 | 61 | 17,495,183 | 336,666 | 99 | 13,500,916 | 349,340 |
| 1865 | 42 | 20,074 | 734,568 | 313 | 22,796 | 62 | 20,476,266 | 308,620 | 98 | 16,364,788 | 370,811 |
| 1866 | 61 | 23,759 | 700,720 | 362 | 24,752 | 62 | 20,241,073 | 341,429 | 98 | 19,079,270 | 403,024 |
| 1867 | 77 | 28,376 | 709,514 | 401 | 26,181 | 62 | 20,394,918 | 335,606 | 99 | 21,535,297 | 389,621 |
| 1868 | 84 | 32,506 | 805,830 | 441 | 28,596 | 62 | 21,503,942 | 500,324 | 101 | 22,628,604 | 371,368 |
| 1869 | 110 | 37,494 | 978,619 | 507 | 32,091 | 63 | 21,630,909 | 423,984 | 108 | 24,429,873 | 534,123 |
| 1870 | 123 | 41,738 | 1,047,147 | 592 | 34,224 | 65 | 22,607,630 | 386,676 | 108 | 25,322,054 | 528,881 |
| 1871 | 134 | 45,819 | 1,117,761 | 590 | 35,706 | 63 | 23,268,410 | 406,101 | 108 | 26,897,668 | 522,033 |
| 1872 | 141 | 52,749 | 1,405,738 | 683 | 42,401 | 60 | 23,929,035 | 391,936 | 110 | 29,105,169 | 541,817 |
| 1873 | 151 | 58,547 | 1,498,618 | 720 | 44,602 | 60 | 25,391,990 | 410,508 | 110 | 31,415,663 | 529,426 |
| 1874 | 157 | 64,014 | 1,617,301 | 710 | 42,664 | 60 | 27,324,605 | 449,574 | 110 | 34,897,034 | 535,440 |
| 1875 | 162 | 65,837 | 1,469,849 | 757 | 45,920 | 59 | 28,123,803 | 462,323 | 108 | 39,803,055 | 638,962 |
| 1876 | 170 | 69,027 | 1,507,235 | 761 | 45,957 | 59 | 29,638,515 | 446,256 | 110 | 46,143,622 | 595,146 |
| 1877 | 177 | 73,245 | 1,575,305 | 703 | 43,330 | 59 | 29,332,030 | 459,108 | 111 | 48,282,719 | 535,496 |
| 1878 | 184 | 76,697 | 1,510,273 | 759 | 45,692 | 59 | 31,887,816 | 453,665 | 114 | 52,545,666 | 455,593 |
| 1879 | 196 | 82,941 | 1,520,296 | 766 | 45,933 | 57 | 31,352,880 | 447,712 | 115 | 51,891,236 | 605,776 |
| 1880 | 202 | 92,114 | 1,661,409 | 748 | 46,074 | 57 | 31,199,483 | 416,765 | 117 | 52,647,936 | 405,187 |
| 1881 | 212 | 107,282 | 2,569,438 | 759 | 48,060 | 57 | 32,308,794 | 457,462 | 117 | 55,333,665 | 557,498 |
| 1882 | 222 | 122,584 | 3,121,246 | 776 | 51,399 | 58 | 34,559,353 | 458,781 | 119 | 57,233,194 | 652,469 |
| 1883 | 230 | 136,089 | 2,818,122 | 769 | 55,140 | 60 | 37,355,371 | 486,329 | 119 | 58,255,588 | 600,173 |
| 1884 | 243 | 152,344 | 2,981,083 | 788 | 59,016 | 60 | 41,261,664 | 535,919 | 120 | 62,534,168 | 593,249 |
| 1885 | 269 | 170,016 | 3,337,018 | 816 | 62,253 | 60 | 47,344,600 | 557,184 | 123 | 66,938,970 | 595,745 |

| YEAR. | FLOUR MILLS. | MANUFACTORIES, WORKS, ETC. (Exclusive of Flour Mills). | MINING MACHINERY. (Value.) | CHURCHES AND CHAPELS. | Schools (Public and Private): Number of Schools. | Number of Scholars on the Rolls. | Melbourne University: Number Matriculated. | Number of Direct Graduates. | Number of Persons— Taken into Custody. | Committed for Trial. | Convicted after Commitment. | Executed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | | £ | | | | | | | | | |
| 1851 | 27 | 56 | ... | 39 | 129 | 7,060 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 170 | 1 |
| 1852 | 33 | 57 | ... | 49 | 115 | 7,841 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 471 | 2 |
| 1853 | 20 | 208 | ... | 128 | 206 | 13,033 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 678 | 13 |
| 1854 | 40 | 152 | ... | 187 | 391 | 20,107 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 631 | 7 |
| 1855 | 51 | 227 | ... | 349 | 438 | 24,478 | 16 | ... | ... | ... | 595 | 4 |
| 1856 | 77 | 213 | ... | 473 | 455 | 26,323 | 7 | 3 | ... | ... | 480 | 1 |
| 1857 | 88 | 386 | ... | 587 | 675 | 36,671 | 9 | ... | ... | ... | 662 | 15 |
| 1858 | 89 | 418 | ... | 645 | 740 | 42,432 | 2 | 9 | ... | ... | 740 | 9 |
| 1859 | 97 | 403 | 1,155,923 | 642 | 772 | 46,265 | 15 | 2 | 30,357 | 1,428 | 852 | 6 |
| 1860 | 94 | 472 | 1,299,303 | 874 | 886 | 51,668 | 10 | 6 | 29,030 | 1,329 | 796 | 3 |
| 1861 | 104 | 427 | 1,411,012 | 989 | 882 | 56,473 | 14 | 5 | 25,766 | 1,283 | 846 | 5 |
| 1862 | 104 | 599 | 1,492,861 | 1,137 | 989 | 65,541 | 23 | 12 | 24,006 | 1,144 | 769 | 1 |
| 1863 | 110 | 713 | 1,503,459 | 1,352 | 1,019 | 69,619 | 28 | 8 | 22,255 | 1,081 | 684 | 6 |
| 1864 | 93 | 611 | 1,496,699 | 1,531 | 947 | 66,145 | 31 | 12 | 23,493 | 1,031 | 567 | 4 |
| 1865 | 118 | 782 | 1,773,271 | 1,695 | 1,080 | 73,599 | 27 | 8 | 25,499 | 1,167 | 675 | 6 |
| 1866 | 114 | 869 | 2,068,527 | 1,766 | 1,206 | 81,229 | 35 | 11 | 24,811 | 1,040 | 639 | 3 |
| 1867 | 118 | 986 | 2,079,195 | 1,874 | 1,385 | 91,336 | 34 | 16 | 23,721 | 957 | 566 | 5 |
| 1868 | 136 | 1,180 | 2,150,432 | 1,870 | 1,430 | 97,884 | 47 | 13 | 24,384 | 901 | 526 | 3 |
| 1869 | 149 | 1,381 | 2,108,669 | 1,967 | 1,722 | 151,844 | 53 | 17 | 24,770 | 842 | 486 | 3 |
| 1870 | 147 | 1,432 | 2,128,896 | 2,134 | 1,867 | 154,353 | 82 | 10 | 23,790 | 908 | 573 | 5 |
| 1871 | 154 | 1,586 | 2,060,885 | 2,210 | 2,050 | 165,276 | 93 | 19 | 22,800 | 781 | 511 | 2 |
| 1872 | 163 | 1,607 | 2,098,574 | 2,295 | 1,936 | 160,743 | 88 | 14 | 23,705 | 688 | 430 | 2 |
| 1873 | 157 | 1,646 | 2,131,188 | 2,284 | 1,731 | 226,254 | 98 | 21 | 24,959 | 729 | 450 | 5 |
| 1874 | 161 | 1,943 | 2,078,936 | 2,455 | 1,721 | 238,592 | 118 | 24 | 23,856 | 694 | 436 | ... |
| 1875 | 157 | 2,084 | 2,033,629 | 2,519 | 1,885 | 248,014 | 93 | 29 | 25,247 | 744 | 427 | 4 |
| 1876 | 152 | 2,150 | 1,989,500 | 2,602 | 2,143 | 260,407 | 73 | 28 | 25,281 | 680 | 384 | 3 |
| 1877 | 150 | 2,220 | 2,029,962 | 2,715 | 2,156 | 262,941 | 103 | 26 | 26,532 | 594 | 340 | 1 |
| 1878 | 149 | 2,194 | 1,903,494 | 2,815 | 2,249 | 267,042 | 114 | 24 | 25,544 | 658 | 458 | ... |
| 1879 | 139 | 2,100 | 1,899,788 | 2,890 | 2,282 | 262,599 | 112 | 56 | 24,625 | 628 | 397 | 1 |
| 1880 | 144 | 2,324 | 1,831,658 | 3,307 | 2,453 | 257,857 | 151 | 49 | 23,983 | 680 | 398 | 1 |
| 1881 | 138 | 2,350 | 1,860,577 | 3,439 | 2,402 | 265,485 | 172 | 55 | 25,346 | 591 | 332 | 1 |
| 1882 | 143 | 2,469 | 1,953,466 | 3,518 | 2,417 | 257,388 | 135 | 73 | 26,423 | 616 | 402 | ... |
| 1883 | 140 | 2,637 | 1,897,129 | 3,698 | 2,447 | 258,201 | 128 | 64 | 27,074 | 606 | 350 | 1 |
| 1884 | 139 | 2,717 | 1,888,214 | 3,735 | 2,458 | 257,169 | 173 | 80 | 27,503 | 695 | 407 | 3 |
| 1885 | 134 | 2,679 | 1,837,452 | 3,982 | 2,491 | 259,853 | 154 | 80 | 28,855 | 768 | 444 | 3 |

* Figures corrected since last publication.

1 The figures of Revenue and Expenditure are for the 12 months ended 31st December of each year until 1871, when the financial year was changed so as to terminate on the 30th June. The figures for 1871 are therefore for the six months ended 30th June, and the figures for subsequent years are for the twelve months ended 30th June.

2 In addition to the quantity of land sold and amount realized within the year, the figures under the head "Crown Land Sales" represent, during each of the years after 1868, the total extent of, and amount paid on, lands purchased under deferred payments of which the payments were completed within the year, although such payments had extended over a series of years. The extent selected, of which the purchase had not been completed, is not included in the area sold. This amounted, at the end of 1885, to 7,934,275 acres. Lands granted without purchase, which amounted up to the end of 1885 to 12,306 acres, are also excluded.

3 Since the year 1864, a considerable quantity of wool has each year been imported into Victoria across the Murray, from the Riverina district of New South Wales, for transport by railway to Melbourne and shipment thence. Prior to 1872 no precise record of the quantity so introduced was kept at the Customs. It has, however, been ascertained that at least 13,000,000 lbs. of wool, valued at £972,000, crossed the Murray into Victoria in the year 1870, and the following amounts in the years named:—19,552,598 lbs., valued at £1,096,772, in 1872; 31,542,913 lbs., valued at £1,745,550, in 1873; 35,332,089 lbs., valued at £1,975,879, in 1874; 40,535,081 lbs., valued at £2,260,799, in 1875; 44,430,185 lbs., valued at £2,039,009, in 1876; 37,647,218 lbs., valued at £1,661,868, in 1877; 43,357,702 lbs., valued at £2,081,368, in 1878; 46,561,653 lbs., valued at £2,338,670, in 1879; 54,865,967 lbs., valued at £2,720,612, in 1880; 53,090,294 lbs., valued at £2,594,240, in 1881; 44,213,260 lbs., valued at £2,224,512, in 1882; 29,072,345 lbs., valued at £1,355,219, in 1883; 42,796,749 lbs., valued at £1,875,962, in 1884; and 39,306,234 lbs., valued at £1,633,517, in 1885.

4 The quantities of flour, bread, and biscuit imported and exported are reduced to their equivalent in bushels, on the assumption that one bushel of wheat produces 45 lbs. of either of those articles.

5 The births and deaths given for 1853 are all of which there is any record; but it is known that the figures considerably under-state the truth, and it is supposed that each in reality amounted to not less than 5,000. The deficiency has chiefly arisen from the fact that the system of registering births and deaths was entirely changed during the year 1853, and the new system was not at first properly understood. In consequence of this, and also owing to the unsettled state of the goldfield population, it is known that many children born were neither baptized nor registered, and many persons who died were buried without registration or funeral service.

6 Post cards were first issued in April, 1876. They are included with the letters in this column.

7 Prior to 1871 the expenditure was for the year ended 31st December. The figures for 1871 relate to the first six months only. Since that date they have been for the year ended 30th June—except as regards the Railway expenditure in 1876, which is for the eighteen months ended 31st December, and in the years 1877 to 1884, which are for the twelve months ended 31st December; and except as regards Country Waterworks expenditure, which for all the years prior to 1885 is for the years ended 31st December. The figures do not in any case include amounts expended by municipal governments.

8 These returns are those of the Government and private railways combined, the latter of which were purchased by the State in July 1878. The returns of the former are, prior to 1871, for the year ended 31st December; in 1871 for the six months ended 30th June; in the years 1872-5 for the twelve months ended 30th June; in 1876 for the eighteen months ended 31st December; in the years 1877-84 for the twelve months ended 31st December; and in 1885 for the twelve months ended 30th June. The returns of private railways are for the year ended 31st December up to the time they were purchased by the Government.

9 Post Office Savings Banks were first opened in 1865. Hence the increase in the amounts in these columns from that year. The returns for the Post Office Savings Banks are for the years ended 31st December, those for the ordinary Savings Banks are for the years ended 30th June.

10 Until 1879 the figures did not give particulars of all the Friendly Societies in the colony, but only of such as furnished returns. For that and subsequent years the returns are complete.

11 The increase in the number of telegrams, commencing in 1870, was consequent on a reduction in the rates.

12 Including purchase-money of the late Melbourne and Hobson's Bay Company's lines.

13 For the first time telegrams on Railway service were not included.

14 On the 1st July of this year the minimum price for a telegram was reduced from 1s. to 6d.

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