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STATISTICS  
OF  
THE COLONY OF VICTORIA,  
FOR THE YEAR  
1871.

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ACCUMULATION.

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# STATISTICS OF VICTORIA 1871.

## 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 1871.

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 ... ..	13s. per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	12s. per cent. dis.
Bank of New South Wales ...	13s. 4d. per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	12s. 1d. per cent. dis. 60 days
Bank of Victoria ... ..	½ per cent. prem. ...	4 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	6s 8d. per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Colonial Bank of Australasia ...	12s. per cent. prem. 60 days ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	8s. per cent. dis. 60 days
Commercial Bank of Australia ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	par to 1 per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis. to 1 per cent. dis.
London Chartered Bank of Australia	½ per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
National Bank of Australasia ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. dis.
Oriental Bank Corporation ...	10s. 5d. per cent. prem. ...	2s. 1d. per rupee ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	16s. 11d. per cent. dis.
Union Bank of Australia ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	...	½ per cent. prem. ...	1 per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	¼ per cent. prem. ...	½ per cent. prem. ...	½ 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. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	£ 382,580 s. 0 d.	£ 46,030 s. 0 d.	£ ... s. d.	£ 191,242 s. 0 d.	19
Bank of New South Wales ...	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	298,147 7 3	66,256 17 9	48,671 3 1	136,768 3 10	18
Bank of Victoria ... ..	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	356,924 14 11	101,031 14 10	...	275,807 0 0	40
Colonial Bank of Australasia ...	6 to 7 per cent.	6 to 7 per cent.	7 to 8 per cent.	8 to 9 per cent.	174,579 0 0	18,381 0 0	...	86,414 0 0	16
Commercial Bank of Australia ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	45,077 9 2	32,117 5 3	...	59,534 0 0	15
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered Bank	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 to 8 per cent.	8 per cent. ...	69,977 17 0	195 4 9	...	40,128 0 0	4
London Chartered Bank of Australia	6 per cent. ...	6½ per cent. ...	7½ per cent. ...	8½ per cent. ...	158,713 7 2	7,319 10 6	...	121,818 16 9	15
National Bank of Australasia ...	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	174,923 7 5	41,300 3 1	6,830 7 2	133,440 6 8	20
Oriental Bank Corporation ...	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	9 per cent. ...	123,485 13 2	68,210 15 3	...	78,685 17 10	10
Union Bank of Australia ...	6 per cent. ...	6 per cent. ...	7 per cent. ...	8 per cent. ...	270,405 12 3	54,259 11 4	...	92,385 14 7	12
<b>Total</b> ... ..	...	...	...	...	2,054,814 8 4	435,102 2 9	55,501 10 3	1,216,223 19 8	169

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

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

RETURN showing, in the Quarter ending 31st December 1871, 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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## LIABILITIES.

Banks.	Notes in Circulation.		Bills in Circulation.		Balances due to other Banks.		Deposits.				Total Amount of Liabilities.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Not Bearing Interest.		Bearing Interest.		£	s. d.
Australasia .. .. .	187,288	13 8	9,698	2 5	..	..	579,825	9 11	1,212,252	2 5	1,989,064	8 5
Union, of Australia .. .. .	97,709	2 10	58,030	11 7	2,782	1 11	444,164	8 2	1,051,358	18 10	1,654,043	3 4
New South Wales .. .. .	133,188	6 11	3,229	12 5	3,349	17 3	478,567	19 8	984,438	2 6	1,602,773	18 9
Victoria .. .. .	292,411	0 0	19,096	12 11	38,439	17 11	804,956	9 11	1,572,963	9 2	2,727,867	9 11
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	124,512	9 7	1,230	5 9	544	15 11	232,342	1 10	810,621	9 6	1,160,251	2 7
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	39,598	12 3	..	..	1,314	3 5	136,689	14 3	193,316	11 10	370,919	1 9
Oriental .. .. .	85,366	6 2	20,610	14 10	40,369	4 4	237,469	2 11	447,568	7 3	831,323	15 6
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	90,065	5 5	1,871	3 1	2,611	6 10	275,260	18 8	695,373	5 4	1,065,181	19 4
National, of Australasia .. .. .	133,875	18 5	3,126	0 6	17,732	4 6	440,232	10 5	390,757	9 8	985,724	3 5
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	65,257	7 2	4,610	6 2	25,873	12 11	201,808	11 8	168,949	5 2	466,499	3 1
Total .. .. .	1,249,213	2 5	121,593	9 8	133,017	5 0	3,831,317	7 5	7,527,599	1 8	12,862,650	6 2

## 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.		All Debts due to the Bank. <sup>1</sup>		Total Amount of Assets.	
	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Australasia .. .. .	486,194	19 0	43,103	16 8	86,520	0 0	23,063	7 1	..	..	1,964,256	9 1	2,603,138	11 10
Union, of Australia .. .. .	274,873	8 4	55,902	0 7	61,000	0 0	13,513	16 8	5,066	5 10	1,292,216	2 8	1,702,571	14 1
New South Wales .. .. .	342,218	3 6	63,453	12 3	47,410	10 7	16,101	12 3	66,774	19 9	1,354,809	14 11	1,890,828	13 3
Victoria .. .. .	402,146	4 3	114,473	9 3	131,428	8 1	27,392	9 2	133,103	7 1	2,604,061	11 10	2,412,575	9 8
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	220,258	3 9	29,322	1 0	93,432	2 7	13,044	6 10	17,363	5 10	1,689,092	2 7	2,062,712	2 7
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	79,227	1 11	..	..	22,181	15 11	7,300	17 3	5,079	7 1	540,286	18 9	654,676	0 11
Oriental .. .. .	121,936	15 5	82,730	13 0	40,000	0 0	5,609	12 4	10,320	14 6	983,108	16 7	1,243,706	11 10
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	182,025	0 1	18,887	6 5	58,269	16 0	13,001	11 11	51,214	7 2	1,179,922	4 10	1,503,380	6 5
National, of Australasia .. .. .	235,658	10 3	44,257	18 7	89,955	10 7	21,535	11 9	28,233	19 10	1,108,380	10 4	1,518,022	7 4
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	40,811	10 10	35,368	3 2	5,670	0 0	18,854	1 5	5,451	16 11	524,325	6 10	630,480	19 2
Total .. .. .	2,385,349	17 4	487,499	0 11	635,868	3 9	159,507	6 8	313,408	4 0	13,240,460	4 5	17,222,092	17 1

## CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Banks.	Amount of Capital Stock Paid up.		Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.	Amount of last 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	8 per cent. per annum	48,000	0 0	311,950	3 6
Union, of Australia .. .. .	1,250,000	0 0	13 per cent. per annum	81,250	0 0	484,010	5 0
New South Wales .. .. .	1,000,000	0 0	10 per cent. per annum	50,000	0 0	308,000	0 0
Victoria .. .. .	500,000	0 0	10 per cent. per annum	25,000	0 0	150,000	0 0
London Chartered, of Australia .. .. .	1,000,000	0 0	8 per cent. per annum	40,000	0 0	169,030	2 10
English, Scottish, and Australian Chartered .. .. .	600,000	0 0	7 per cent. per annum	21,000	0 0	20,000	0 0
Oriental .. .. .	1,500,000	0 0	12 per cent. per annum	90,000	0 0	444,000	0 0
Colonial, of Australasia .. .. .	406,250	0 0	8 per cent. per annum	16,250	0 0	15,000	0 0
National, of Australasia .. .. .	660,000	0 0	10 per cent. per annum	33,000	0 0	186,000	0 0
Commercial, of Australia (Limited) .. .. .	160,000	0 0	6 per cent. per annum	6,000	0 0	4,000	0 0
Total .. .. .	8,276,250	0 0	9½ per cent. average <sup>2</sup>	410,500	0 0	2,091,991	1 4

<sup>1</sup> 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.—<sup>2</sup> These figures represent the average rate of dividend paid by the various banks. The average rate of interest received by the shareholders was 9.92 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 by order of the Legislative Assembly.

BANKS.—DECENNIAL RETURN.

	Quarter ending 31st December—									
	1862.	1863.	1864.	1865.	1866.	1867.	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.
Number of Banks in Victoria } furnishing returns pursuant to Act of Council... }	9	9	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10

LIABILITIES.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Notes in Circulation } ...	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	1,287,535	5	8	1,212,792	9	1	1,249,213	2	5
Bills in Circulation ...	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	116,171	5	2	112,656	6	5	121,503	9	8
Balances due to other Banks ...	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	202,533	8	3	133,096	3	0	133,017	5	0
Deposits bearing Interest ...	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	6,501,159	7	2	7,822,090	17	5	7,527,599	1	8
Deposits not bearing Interest ...	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	3,849,176	2	5	3,076,935	7	1	3,831,317	7	5
Total ...	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	11,956,575	8	8	12,357,571	3	0	12,862,650	6	2

ASSETS.

Coined Gold, Silver, & other metals	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	1,880,430	2	9	1,773,957	16	9	2,385,349	17	4
Gold and Silver in bullion or bars	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	473,999	8	3	621,078	12	2	487,499	0	11
Landed Property ...	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	584,088	3	4	616,038	2	10	635,868	3	9
Notes and Bills of other Banks...	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	160,041	8	5	150,244	11	2	159,507	6	8
Balances due from other Banks	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	236,504	0	0	230,177	13	6	313,408	4	0
Government Securities	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 <sup>1</sup>	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	14,330,798	4	1	13,474,908	6	11	13,240,460	4	5
Total ...	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	17,665,861	6	10	16,866,405	3	4	17,222,092	17	1

CAPITAL AND PROFITS.

Capital Stock paid up	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	8,347,500	0	0	8,305,224	0	0	8,276,250	0	0
Average per annum of Rates of last Dividend declared by the Banks ...	11½ per cent.			10¾ per cent.			11¾ per cent.			11 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>16</sub> per cent.			10¾ per cent.			10 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>20</sub> per cent.			10 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>20</sub> per cent.			9 <sup>11</sup> / <sub>25</sub> per cent.			9 <sup>9</sup> / <sub>20</sub> per cent.			9 <sup>4</sup> / <sub>25</sub> per cent.		
Average Rate per Annum of Interest paid to Shareholders }	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.			10'830 per cent.			10'054 per cent.			9'920 per cent.		
Total Amount of last Dividend declared ...	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	452,000	0	0	417,500	0	0	410,500	0	0
Amount of Reserved Profits after declaring Dividend ...	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	2,208,509	8	4	2,127,770	9	0	2,091,991	1	4

<sup>1</sup> 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.

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

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 Amount of Deposits and Withdrawals, during the Year 1871; 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 1870.	Number of Accounts Opened during 1871.	Number of Accounts Closed during 1871.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at close of 1871.	Balances on 31st Dec. 1870.		Deposits received, including Interest, during 1871.		Withdrawals paid during 1871.		Balances remaining at the end of 1871.		
						No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	£	s.	d.
Alexandra ..	1st Nov. 1869	20	9	9	20	126	16	78	300	2	24	313	0	5
Ararat ..	1st Jan. 1866	97	20	10	107	923	9	160	815	15	48	303	0	1
Avenel ..	1st Nov. 1869	7	11	4	14	8	11	31	205	10	8	55	15	10
Avoca ..	6th Nov. 1865	150	44	14	180	2,795	17	254	2,517	10	4	1,352	16	11
Bacchus Marsh	17th Sept. 1866	40	9	4	45	176	2	49	230	2	15	127	1	9
Bairnsdale ..	1st Nov. 1869	9	14	4	19	41	10	54	129	15	7	67	8	1
Ballan ..	1st Nov. 1869	17	10	1	26	130	19	48	304	1	5	101	2	1
Ballarart ..	11th Sept. 1865	1,212	413	302	1,323	15,439	6	2,568	14,541	13	1	11,415	14	0
Beaufort ..	1st Dec. 1865	23	12	6	29	332	15	61	378	16	4	137	8	8
Beechworth ..	11th Sept. 1865	468	128	69	527	3,994	15	838	4,017	7	5	2,516	6	0
Belfast ..	1st Feb. 1866	14	..	1	13	647	4	14	419	19	5	114	1	1
Benalla ..	15th April 1867	46	19	8	57	864	11	79	548	0	6	373	1	2
Birregurra ..	1st July 1871	..	3	..	3	..	..	4	8	11	9	..	..	..
Bright ..	1st Feb. 1868	84	11	6	89	554	2	66	444	5	9	257	9	2
Brighton ..	1st Oct. 1866	21	13	9	25	374	3	68	411	1	4	570	19	3
Brunswick ..	1st Oct. 1867	147	69	26	190	583	16	793	1,163	11	9	890	3	6
Bungaree ..	1st Dec. 1871	..	3	..	3	..	..	6	138	10	0	..	..	..
Buninyong ..	12th July 1866	136	48	10	174	1,951	0	483	3,343	7	8	1,219	19	9
Campbell's Creek	25th Mar. 1869	19	3	1	21	57	5	9	4	14	4	1	12	9
Campdown ..	1st Dec. 1865	58	16	13	61	255	10	73	203	0	2	189	17	11
Carisbrook ..	17th Sept. 1866	112	24	16	120	1,371	0	169	1,049	7	6	735	19	0
Carlton ..	1st Oct. 1867	198	150	68	280	1,167	16	1,451	2,140	19	3	1,439	19	0
Casterton ..	1st Nov. 1869	19	8	2	25	215	12	37	213	17	9	174	19	0
Castlemaine ..	11th Sept. 1865	105	26	23	108	1,858	19	166	935	19	7	85	961	9
Cheltenham ..	1st Feb. 1868	133	23	17	139	688	4	425	428	8	6	291	9	7
Chiltern ..	6th Nov. 1865	46	14	11	49	565	5	57	527	12	8	577	5	4
Clunes ..	6th Nov. 1865	191	70	50	211	1,347	17	432	1,491	6	8	1,093	3	4
Coburg ..	17th Sept. 1866	37	18	13	62	294	5	122	301	17	0	117	3	10
Colac ..	6th Nov. 1866	47	8	5	50	468	8	45	216	8	8	427	12	7
Coleraine ..	1st Nov. 1869	25	10	6	29	184	6	42	277	1	7	156	18	10
Collingwood ..	15th Nov. 1865	1,757	810	596	1,971	17,024	16	6,391	19,154	1	7	15,821	8	7
Corop ..	1st Sept. 1871	..	5	..	5	..	..	6	39	6	2	..	..	..
Cranbourne ..	1st Sept. 1871	..	15	..	15	..	..	66	22	10	0	..	..	..
Creswick ..	6th Nov. 1865	149	36	26	159	1,268	2	260	1,017	17	11	1,124	2	1
Daylesford ..	1st Jan. 1866	68	38	23	83	1,023	5	154	748	15	2	627	6	2
Drysdale ..	1st Jan. 1870	11	8	1	18	244	18	22	127	13	9	133	19	3
Dunolly ..	1st Dec. 1865	106	26	16	116	1,745	6	280	769	13	2	706	5	9
Eaglehawk ..	23rd Nov. 1868	28	16	7	37	130	13	67	167	15	8	155	1	10
Echuca ..	1st Feb. 1866	129	58	45	142	872	18	431	1,299	1	6	1,014	7	0
Eldorado ..	1st Sept. 1871	..	32	2	30	..	..	65	364	6	0	46	7	6
Emerald Hill ..	4th June 1866	382	296	138	540	933	19	2,287	2,389	5	6	1,483	2	8
Footscray ..	1st Oct. 1867	17	4	4	17	40	12	60	91	18	10	37	1	4
Fryerstown ..	1st Aug. 1867	55	15	10	60	293	0	99	188	7	0	192	6	3
Geelong ..	11th Sept. 1865	1,256	388	307	1,337	17,033	0	3,104	14,044	9	4	11,580	4	7
Gisborne ..	1st Nov. 1869	23	7	..	30	106	10	242	166	5	0	31	3	6
Graytown ..	12th July 1869	75	25	18	82	972	5	125	360	19	6	740	6	5
Guildford ..	1st Oct. 1867	19	13	10	22	172	14	38	535	2	5	305	5	8
Hamilton ..	12th July 1866	49	21	19	51	1,110	1	90	913	0	11	865	10	5
Hawthorn ..	1st Oct. 1867	108	38	17	129	966	7	414	901	10	7	846	8	1
Heathcote ..	12th July 1866	158	23	30	151	6,534	5	173	2,118	12	3	3,284	8	6
Heywood ..	1st Nov. 1869	8	6	1	15	74	10	29	113	13	3	3	4	3
Horsham ..	1st Nov. 1869	19	8	6	19	275	11	28	251	0	4	160	18	4
Hotham ..	1st Oct. 1867	216	177	61	332	1,164	1	1,711	1,634	10	8	1,500	7	6
Ingteewood ..	1st Jan. 1866	104	31	17	118	646	9	240	1,199	11	10	376	15	9
Inverleigh ..	1st Aug. 1871	..	7	1	6	..	..	73	12	17	4	0	5	0
Jamieson ..	1st Nov. 1869	21	19	5	35	772	15	61	1,476	17	9	360	13	5
Jasper Road ..	8th Aug. 1870	3	7	3	7	41	18	33	95	16	0	7	53	16
Keilor ..	17th Sept. 1866	9	1	1	9	97	9	2	24	5	8	1	0	15
Kew ..	1st Oct. 1867	4	8	5	7	44	7	28	193	0	3	85	9	5
Kilmore ..	6th Nov. 1865	73	25	10	88	941	14	220	1,001	9	0	504	15	11
Kingston ..	1st Jan. 1869	73	7	10	70	142	8	82	112	4	3	38	14	0
Kyneton ..	6th Nov. 1865	89	16	11	94	1,140	19	187	823	11	4	701	3	8
Landsborough ..	1st Jan. 1870	24	12	5	31	59	12	302	333	9	11	12	13	5
Learmonth ..	1st Nov. 1869	1	5	1	5	0	13	14	25	11	11	7	11	0
Linton's ..	1st Jan. 1870	20	15	4	31	36	15	134	177	3	7	112	3	10
Macarthur ..	18th Sept. 1869	16	15	9	22	281	16	91	373	14	0	406	9	1
Majorca ..	2nd May 1870	9	5	13	7	73	19	104	618	13	5	97	8	2
Maldon ..	6th Nov. 1865	240	35	25	250	1,446	6	283	866	4	2	806	2	1
Malmesbury ..	1st Nov. 1869	16	5	5	16	97	1	44	86	1	0	55	1	1
Mansfield ..	1st Nov. 1869	45	25	9	61	207	11	98	398	3	0	208	12	6
Maryborough ..	11th Sept. 1865	221	61	53	229	2,239	17	306	1,716	1	9	1,962	10	0
Melbourne ..	11th Sept. 1865	7,744	3,246	1,982	9,008	133,164	1	22,116	153,540	10	2	120,625	3	10
Mereditth ..	2nd Oct. 1871	..	11	..	11	..	..	14	50	10	0	..	..	..
Merino ..	13th Nov. 1868	16	2	3	15	461	3	7	214	13	0	496	4	1
Moonee Ponds ..	17th Sept. 1866	90	34	14	110	753	17	307	754	9	0	661	3	0
Mornington ..	1st Nov. 1869	11	9	2	18	475	1	37	322	1	6	93	17	7
Mortlake ..	1st Nov. 1869	18	11	5	24	404	10	59	475	0	4	294	4	5
Mt. Egerton ..	1st Oct. 1869	8	13	4	17	481	15	60	471	3	3	255	18	4
Moyston ..	10th May 1871	..	4	..	4	..	..	10	124	3	6	1	3	0
Nagambie ..	8th Aug. 1870	..	1	..	1	..	..	1	3	10	8	..	..	..
Newstead ..	18th Sept. 1869	9	4	2	11	56	9	20	156	16	0	104	2	6
Oneco ..	1st Jan. 1870	15	5	3	17	722	19	15	579	5	7	338	14	1
Penshurst ..	1st Jan. 1870	2	4	2	4	45	18	9	84	16	9	99	18	4
Piggoreet ..	1st Nov. 1869	20	27	5	42	289	18	129	874	3	0	332	6	2
Port Albert ..	1st Dec. 1865	58	24	8	74	1,610	19	171	1,700	1	11	31	587	19
Portland ..	1st Dec. 1865	14	5	1	18	321	0	24	178	16	11	2	19	14
Prahran ..	4th June 1866	490	209	134	565	3,804	9	1,864	3,235	6	10	443	2,727	13
Queenscliff ..														

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS.

RETURN showing the Names of Places where Post Office Savings Banks have been Opened, &c.—*continued.*

Name of Post Office Savings Bank.	Date when Established.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at close of 1870.	Number of Accounts Opened during 1871.	Number of Accounts Closed during 1871.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at close of 1871.	Balances on 31st Dec. 1871.		Deposits received, including interest, during 1871.		Withdrawals paid during 1871.		Balances remaining at the close of 1871.	
						£ s. d.		No.	£ s. d.	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Smythestale ..	1st Dec. 1865	39	1	6	34	799 8 8	49	197 2 4	23	381 14 9	614 16 3		
South Yarra ..	1st Jan. 1867	177	78	54	201	1,712 19 7	637	1,032 3 7	164	658 13 6	2,086 9 8		
Stawell ..	1st Dec. 1867	111	79	27	163	1,556 3 7	363	1,634 14 9	82	908 13 10	2,282 4 6		
Steiglitz ..	1st Jan. 1870	13	15	3	25	131 4 8	101	1,118 13 1	8	163 8 2	1,086 9 7		
Stuartmill ..	1st April 1870	9	7	4	12	49 11 7	29	101 2 1	13	101 4 2	49 9 6		
Sunbury ..	2nd May 1870	30	11	1	40	136 9 7	57	222 5 4	10	106 8 0	252 6 11		
Swan Hill ..	1st Dec. 1865	34	9	6	37	432 6 7	79	322 19 6	7	194 17 10	560 8 3		
Talbot ..	6th Nov. 1865	158	62	43	177	1,857 10 1	380	1,824 10 4	145	1,366 11 6	2,315 8 11		
Taradale ..	1st Nov. 1869	51	26	12	65	287 11 2	575	351 9 2	45	245 10 10	393 9 6		
Tarnagulla ..	6th Nov. 1865	46	12	8	50	276 0 8	110	287 17 5	25	165 18 0	398 0 1		
Toorak ..	17th Jan. 1870	29	22	7	44	203 2 9	292	152 14 3	22	91 14 2	264 2 10		
Vaughan ..	17th Jan. 1870	16	23	6	33	206 0 1	67	517 5 3	22	335 0 3	388 5 1		
Walballa ..	1st Feb. 1871	..	44	5	39	..	160	850 8 6	13	242 13 1	617 15 5		
Wangaratta ..	1st Feb. 1866	106	57	23	140	487 11 2	290	909 17 1	61	504 12 2	892 16 1		
Warrnambool ..	1st Dec. 1865	52	39	21	61	581 12 0	147	876 9 7	53	599 2 5	888 19 2		
Whroo ..	1st Feb. 1868	45	11	5	51	282 4 6	98	339 4 2	25	134 2 5	487 6 3		
Williamstown ..	11th Sept. 1865	664	183	118	729	10,019 17 2	1,500	8,316 3 0	477	6,020 7 4	12,315 12 10		
Winchelsea ..	9th May 1870	25	16	1	40	411 14 2	57	749 2 0	23	256 11 3	690 18 5		
Woodonga ..	1st Feb. 1871	..	13	4	9	..	27	197 11 1	7	78 1 7	119 9 6		
Woodend ..	1st Nov. 1869	51	21	12	60	411 14 2	600	841 15 2	55	296 7 4	957 2 0		
Wood's Point ..	1st Jan. 1869	71	33	16	88	1,119 10 6	181	988 11 9	79	1,148 11 11	959 10 4		
Yackandandah ..	1st Jan. 1866	76	9	14	71	734 18 6	104	518 5 7	38	520 1 4	733 2 9		
Total ..		21,177	8,864	5,237	24,804	279,550 4 4	63,693	303,846 19 5	22,213	229,871 18 11	353,525 4 10		

WILLIAM TURNER, Deputy Postmaster-General.

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANKS—RETURN FOR SEVEN 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	18,526 7 3	495	3,058 7 9	15,467 19 6	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	188,551 3 9	14,293	125,565 10 7	166,061 3 4	11 11 4
1869	99	7,501	3,991	17,866	51,528	240,684 16 2	16,435	163,267 4 0	243,478 15 6	13 12 7
1870	112	7,973	4,662	21,177	57,241	251,674 13 0	20,622	215,603 4 2	279,550 4 4	13 4 0
1871	123	8,864	5,237	24,804	63,693	303,846 19 5	22,213	229,871 18 11	353,525 4 10	15 18 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 1871, 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 1871.			Number of Accounts Closed during the Year ending 30th June 1871.	Number of Accounts remaining Open at the close of the Year ending 30th June 1871. <sup>1</sup>	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.
Melbourne ...	2,037	989	3,026	3,076	10,361	243,355 1 1	278,119 14 3	452,968 0 10	
Geelong ...	483	158	641	542	2,370	41,508 12 6	40,251 13 8	79,949 9 6	
Portland ...	73	5	78	48	447	7,533 6 0	9,219 12 3	12,130 5 3	
Belfast ...	105	20	125	103	455	7,083 8 8	7,078 0 11	10,387 0 5	
Castlemaine ...	220	61	281	235	1,296	16,769 16 11	17,430 17 7	32,990 13 11	
Sandhurst ...	468	182	650	474	1,836	34,955 19 3	36,932 2 0	50,206 9 11	
Ballarat ...	938	323	1,261	1,204	2,710	60,780 5 2	55,735 6 1	88,131 15 5	
Maryborough	70	9	79	62	207	5,325 9 5	5,112 11 5	7,035 2 7	
Warrnambool	125	27	152	140	548	9,998 3 3	8,846 2 1	15,823 12 11	
Kyneton ...	112	26	138	102	572	7,996 19 7	7,344 16 0	12,050 4 11	
Hamilton ...	23	..	23	14	213	3,481 12 2	3,549 1 1	2,563 8 9	
Total ...	4,654	1,800	6,454	6,000	21,015	438,788 14 0	469,619 17 4	764,236 4 5	

<sup>1</sup> The number of depositors at the end of 1871 was 21,424, of which 12,535 were males, and 8,889 were females. Of the total number of depositors on the 30th June 1871, 12,478 had amounts not exceeding £20 to their credit, their balances amounting in the aggregate to £64,459 2s. 10d.; 3,878 had between £20 and £50, their balances amounting to £122,853 4s. 2d.; 2,296 had between £50 and £100, their balances amounting to £158,700 16s. 2d.; 1,073 had between £100 and £150, their balances amounting to £129,378 15s. 9d.; 455 had between £150 and £200, their balances amounting to £78,539 8s.; and 835 had upwards of £200, their balances amounting to £210,304 17s. 6d. 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. <sup>1</sup>	Average Amount of Depositors' Balances.	On the 30th June.	Number of Savings Banks.	Number of Depositors.	Total Amount of Depositors' Balances. <sup>1</sup>	Average Amount of Depositors' Balances.
1862	10	13,309	£ 634,884	£ s. d. 47 14 1	1867	11	17,258	606,438	£ s. d. 35 2 9
1863	11	14,920	701,425	47 0 3	1868	11	18,150	639,769	35 5 0
1864	11	17,201	769,681	44 15 0	1869	11	19,628	735,140	37 9 1
1865	11	17,948	719,100	40 1 4	1870	11	20,561	767,597	37 6 8
1866	11	16,985	642,029	37 16 0	1871	11	21,015	764,236	36 7 4

<sup>1</sup> Omitting the fractional parts of a £.

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 1871, distinguishing those effected under the Transfer of Land Statute from those under the old system.

## MORTGAGES.

Consideration.	Under the Transfer of Land Statute.		Under the Old System.		Total.	
	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Amount.	Number of Transactions.	Total.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Under £100... ..	359	19,927 7 3	470	25,044 3 0	829	44,971 10 3
From £100 to £250 ... ..	583	86,090 5 10	926	136,914 17 10	1,509	223,005 3 8
„ £250 to £500 ... ..	304	99,829 18 5	465	155,410 13 8	769	255,240 12 1
„ £500 to £1,000 ... ..	211	136,154 13 10	271	174,256 10 3	482	310,411 4 1
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ... ..	219	425,045 13 0	202	362,995 17 0	421	788,041 10 0
£5,000 and upwards ... ..	79	1,008,652 10 2	45	620,535 17 1	124	1,629,188 7 3
Unspecified ... ..	2	...	35	...	37	...
Total ... ..	1,757	1,775,700 8 6	2,414	1,475,157 18 10	4,171	3,250,858 7 4

## RELEASES.

		£ s. d.		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Under £100 ... ..	31	1,664 15 0	117	6,290 13 2	148	7,955 8 2
From £100 to £250 ... ..	40	6,028 6 8	215	32,019 13 7	255	38,048 0 3
„ £250 to £500 ... ..	20	6,404 5 6	132	44,506 8 1	152	50,910 13 7
„ £500 to £1,000 ... ..	15	9,636 1 7	72	46,627 19 10	87	56,264 1 5
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ... ..	14	29,942 6 10	71	133,834 12 11	85	163,776 19 9
£5,000 and upwards ... ..	1	38,250 0 0	10	152,748 8 2	11	170,998 8 2
Unspecified ... ..	...	...	319	...	319	...
Total ... ..	121	91,925 15 7	936	396,027 15 9	1,057	487,953 11 4

WILLIAM HENRY ARCHER, Registrar-General.

## MORTGAGES AND RELEASES.—LIVE STOCK.

RETURN showing the Number and Amount of Mortgages on Live Stock, and of Releases therefrom, registered in Victoria during the Year 1871; 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.					
	Number.	Amount.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.	Number.	Amount.	Sheep.	Cattle.	Horses.	Pigs.		
Under £100 ... ..	126	£ 6,024 8 4	3,182	1,128	442	77	1	67 15 3	...	38	...	...		
From £100 to £250... ..	81	12,172 3 1	32,176	2,611	575	45	5	920 3 0	2,000	348	7	...		
„ £250 to £500... ..	28	9,019 10 0	22,208	827	130	43	7	2,657 13 0	11,660	...	31	12		
„ £500 to £1,000 ... ..	18	12,316 3 6	30,840	2,338	63	110	8	6,071 17 0	32,226	731	17	...		
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ... ..	41	93,172 2 11	270,444	8,427	230	...	9	22,554 18 7	86,402	4,660	25	...		
£5,000 and upwards ... ..	25	373,297 9 1	433,040	16,318	4,272	...	17	213,437 12 8	354,418	2,235	65	...		
Unspecified ... ..	11	...	73,750	439	32	...	2	...	71,000	...	...	...		
Total ... ..	330	506,001 16 11	865,640	32,088	5,744	273	49	245,709 19 6	557,706	8,012	145	12		

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 1871; also the Number of Fleeces Mortgaged.

Consideration.	Liens on Wool.			Number of Fleeces Mortgaged.	
	Number.	Amount.			
		£	s.		d.
Under £100 ... ..	51	2,835	1	2	37,308
From £100 to £250 ... ..	44	6,947	19	1	76,360
„ £250 to £500 ... ..	29	9,878	10	6	78,209
„ £500 to £1,000 ... ..	25	16,846	13	3	178,700
„ £1,000 to £5,000 ... ..	109	261,743	12	11	1,728,381
£5,000 and upwards ... ..	32	223,085	7	2	994,300
Total ... ..	290	521,337	4	1	3,093,258

NOTE.—No Releases from Liens on Wool were registered in the year 1871.

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.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
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
1869	3,397	3,229,870	14	9	1,864	1,706,186	2	2	336	815,723	18	11	79	609,034	8	7
1870	3,687	3,096,897	9	9	1,242	865,703	12	2	344	589,322	17	1	50	220,047	8	4
1871	4,171	3,250,858	7	4	1,057	487,953	11	4	330	506,001	16	11	49	245,709	19	6

  

Year.	WOOL.				TOTAL.											
	Liens.		Releases.		Mortgages and Liens.		Releases.									
	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.	No.	Amount.								
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
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
1869	303	655,890	11	1	3	1,994	18	9	4,036	4,701,485	4	9	1,946	2,317,215	9	6
1870	310	517,522	4	7	Nil	...			4,314	4,203,742	11	5	1,292	1,085,751	0	6
1871	290	521,337	4	1	Nil	...			4,791	4,278,197	8	4	1,100	733,663	10	10

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 1871 of the various Building Societies in the Colony of Victoria which furnished Returns to the Registrar-General.

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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.		Total Income during Twelve Months prior to Date of last Balance-Sheet (inclusive of Deposits).	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.	
			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.					
Alliance Building and Investment .. .. .	19 Mar. 1863	49	217½	44¾	s.	s.	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Third Union Benefit Building and Investment ' . . . .	April 1863	331	1,336½	696½	10	30	120	101 5 10	73,692 0 0	77,090 0 0	5 10 0	nominal	7,371 12 8	301 16 8	27,247 3 3	13,072 3 3	
Metropolitan Permanent Building and Investment .. .	1 Jan. 1864	590	..	..	10s. and 5s.	13s. 11d. to 40s. "	100 and 25	..	..	..	..	..	41,042 0 0	1,520 3 9	138,877 5 5	95,223 12 7	
Third Victoria Building and Investment .. .. .	Aug. 1864	506	1,515	1,372½	10	30	120	67 18 4	356,010 14 0	371,490 0 0	5 0 0	nominal	64,683 6 8	787 6 5	202,659 9 5	127,831 1 11	
City and Suburban Building and Investment .. .. .	Oct. 1864	90	262	181	10	30	120	72 17 7	31,380 0 0	35,000 0 0	12 0 0	10 0 0	6,000 0 0	320 0 0	32,296 0 0	18,615 2 0	
Industrial Building and Investment .. .. .	Oct. 1864	140	196¾	220	5	15	60	32 10 3¾	29,377 13 11	31,190 0 0	..	..	2,442 17 0	140 16 9	14,835 4 7	10,033 0 2	
Emerald Hill, Sandridge, and St. Kilda Mutual Benefit Building and Investment	March 1865	591	763½	868½	10	30	120	56 11 4	114,065 0 0	122,280 0 0	8 1 3	0 1 0 fixed	34,411 3 11	500 17 2	91,993 7 3	58,433 9 8	
Ballarat Alliance Building and Investment .. .. .	April 1865	80	198¾	106½	10	30	120	75 17 2	27,922 0 0	35,710 0 0	26 4 0	10 5 0	6,706 0 6	207 12 10	23,245 5 2	11,087 15 3	
Hamilton Mutual Benefit Building and Investment* .. .	6 April 1865	63	121½	86¾	10	30	120	74 14 9	20,036 15 1	22,830 0 0	15 12 1	nominal	4,867 7 4	168 10 9	8,120 19 11	1,319 15 1	
Victorian Permanent Property Investment and Building	16 Aug. 1865	4,487	10,510½	31,478	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. (fortnightly)	25	13 19 3*	333,303 0 0	333,303 0 0	..	..	120,181 5 1	2,953 11 8	248,217 18 1	240,872 6 1	
North Melbourne Building and Investment .. .. .	Sept. 1865	228	379	446¾	5	15	60	27 11 9	22,714 0 0	22,740 0 0	2 0 0	nominal	3,935 16 9	258 5 10	23,174 16 2	15,265 5 0	
National Building and Investment .. .. .	14 Sept. 1865	145	403	462½	10	30	120	55 15 7	64,928 0 0	70,050 0 0	8 8 0	nominal	12,531 4 0	387 18 0	49,400 0 4	32,278 10 0	
Second Victoria Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment	Oct. 1865	80	65	15	10	42	100	36 0 0	7,740 0 0	7,740 0 0	..	..	1,855 2 0	27 19 0	3,566 8 7	3,676 13 0	
First Carlton Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment	Oct. 1865	41	30	11	10	42	100	36 0 0	4,500 0 0	4,500 0 0	..	..	1,500 10 0	20 0 0	2,300 10 0	2,400 0 0	
Bendigo Permanent Land and Building .. .. .	6 Nov. 1865	162	188½	258	10	13s. 9d. to 90s. "	50	..	13,952 13 6	14,336 0 0	1 6 11	1 0 0	5,759 6 7	404 2 4	6,703 8 2	6,703 8 2	
Ballarat Permanent Building and Investment .. .. .	1 June 1866	185	749	545	10	various "	50	..	65,859 4 0	65,859 4 0	..	..	10,092 4 5	341 15 9	34,799 0 0	28,412 0 0	
Freemasons' Building and Investment .. .. .	Aug. 1866	160	194¾	337	10	30	120	42 5 7½	27,727 0 0	30,750 0 0	11 15 10	0 11 9	9,501 18 6	503 3 5	24,269 10 11	17,738 19 6	
Fourth Union Benefit Building and Investment* .. .	May 1867	166	1,281½	2,771	10	30	120	40 7 4½	219,811 9 9	224,550 0 0	2 12 0½	0 3 0	79,354 8 9	807 19 1	163,971 12 9	121,951 4 6	
Southern Cross Building and Investment .. .. .	June 1867	85	97½	251¾	10	30	120	28 15 5	14,117 10 0	15,255 0 0	8 18 11½	..	3,682 19 7	402 19 6	12,363 12 4	10,701 8 3	
Geelong Permanent Investment and Benefit Building .. .	Aug. 1867	384	338	1,576	5	14s. 1d. to 26s. "	50	13 18 5*	19,775 0 0	19,775 0 0	..	..	9,376 12 11	511 3 9	14,744 9 4	13,334 4 1	
Australasian Equitable Permanent Building and Investment	1 Aug. 1867	363	720	1,477	5	..	50	18 9 0	49,745 1 7	70,654 14 8	..	..	30,515 13 7	566 0 2	45,646 18 6	29,782 9 10	
Beechworth and Ovens District Benefit Building and Investment	4 Nov. 1867	130	193	295½	10	30	120	38 10 5	19,867 6 3	23,160 0 0	17 1 2	13 11 4	5,240 13 0	174 1 0	23,160 0 0	16,065 16 6	
Fourth Victoria Permanent Property Building and Investment	20 Nov. 1867	475	1,578	3,239	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. (fortnightly)	25	..	53,214 0 0	53,214 0 0	..	..	17,647 2 1	610 1 0	29,521 18 11	27,705 16 11	
Southern Cross Permanent Building and Investment .. .	May 1868	103	488¾	332	10	10	50	..	19,588 10 0	19,588 10 0	..	..	4,891 8 8	442 11 2	13,541 14 9	13,439 15 9	
East Collingwood Building and Investment .. .. .	Aug. 1868	352	480½	1,677½	2s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	30	5 9 10	15,234 18 3	15,915 0 0	1 8 4	2 3 4	4,748 6 0	277 16 8	14,760 3 10	12,619 10 9	
Colonial Permanent Building and Investment .. .. .	6 Oct. 1868	229	691½	1,677	5	13s. to 25s. "	50	10 15 7½	39,550 0 0	39,550 0 0	..	..	13,226 17 6	468 15 0	27,842 15 1	2,4946 6 6	

West Melbourne, Hotbarn, and Carlton Permanent Building and Investment	Nov. 1868	400 <sup>1</sup>	1,001 <sup>2</sup>	4,495	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. <sup>3</sup> (fortnightly)	25	..	25,043 15 0	25,043 15 0	..	..	15,980 17 11	586 17 4	15,824 2 7	15,316 18 8	
North Melbourne and Carlton Permanent .. ..	Nov. 1868	409	364	946	5	13s. to 25s. <sup>2</sup>	50	10 0 9	20,738 2 6	21,025 0 0	3 15 0	5 0 0	7,423 8 4	435 17 5	14,850 9 9	13,925 17 11	
Melbourne and Provincial Building and Investment Permanent	Nov. 1868	195	391 <sup>2</sup>	1,240	2	5s. 3d. to 16s. <sup>2</sup>	25	..	12,894 9 4	12,894 9 4	..	..	3,327 11 0	271 9 10	8,591 9 0	9,201 14 10	
Port Phillip Permanent Building, Cash, Credit, and Investment	19 April 1869	28	107 <sup>2</sup>	441	5	..	50	4 11 6	76,001 14 8	76,001 14 8	..	..	970 4 0	272 13 2	5,408 7 0	2,878 18 8	
Freemasons' and Victoria Permanent Building and Investment	4 May 1869	141	161 <sup>2</sup>	758	5	13s. 2d. to 25s. 5d. <sup>2</sup>	50	..	11,759 11 0	18,867 0 0	..	..	4,726 9 0	477 14 1	13,056 10 7	13,679 14 7	
Second Taibot Land, Building, and Investment ..	May 1869	110	97	193	10	20	50	15 1 1	4,697 11 0	4,850 0 0	1 11 5	1 1 2	2,386 0 6	115 14 0	5,025 19 0	4,140 11 10	
New Third Victoria Building and Investment ..	16 June 1869	424	420 <sup>2</sup>	1,947 <sup>2</sup>	10	22s. 6d.	100	13 17 8	39,998 1 4	42,500 0 0	5 17 8	7 2 5	18,468 16 1	525 13 8	42,065 14 3	37,608 19 1	
City and Suburban Permanent Building, Investment, and Loan	June 1869	..	306	835	5	14s. 7d. to 25s. 10d. <sup>2</sup>	50	10 0 0	15,250 0 0	15,250 0 0	0 10 0	0 10 0	4,750 0 0	405 0 0	13,152 1 5	12,539 10 4	
First Ballarat and Suburban Permanent Building and Lead Investment	7 July 1869	239	237	1,217	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. <sup>2</sup> (fortnightly)	25	2 12 0	7,250 0 0	7,250 0 0	..	..	1,702 18 9	389 8 6	6,741 0 3	6,430 5 3	
Pleasant Creek and Wimmera District Benefit Building and Investment	26 July 1869	85	63 <sup>2</sup>	209 <sup>2</sup>	10	30	120	14 17 9	7,590 0 0	7,590 0 0	6 16 6	8 10 0	2,801 3 6	541 1 1	8,338 16 8	7,550 11 10	
Ballarat Alliance Permanent Building and Investment ..	Aug. 1869	84	210 <sup>2</sup>	283	10	15s. to 32s. 9d. <sup>2</sup>	50	..	11,004 15 0	11,004 15 0	..	..	3,427 19 6	210 18 0	..	..	
Irish-Australian Permanent Building and Investment ..	2 Aug. 1869	277	203	1,215	5	14s. 9d. to 26s. 7d. <sup>2</sup>	50	6 0 0	10,725 0 0	10,725 0 0	..	..	6,146 17 3	638 17 3	9,269 10 1	8,888 17 9	
Central Ballarat Permanent Building, Cash, Credit, and Investment <sup>7</sup>	9 Aug. 1869	98	61	649	5	11s. 3d.	50	3 8 9	2,698 0 0	3,050 0 0	5 15 6	5 15 6	2,068 14 3	390 8 3	2,698 0 0	700 18 9	
Carlton Mutual Permanent Building .. ..	Sept. 1869	250	494	1,700	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. <sup>2</sup>	25	..	13,350 0 0	13,350 0 0	..	..	7,288 5 11	340 15 4	11,729 18 8	11,106 12 8	
Second Industrial Building and Investment .. ..	Sept. 1869	147	163 <sup>2</sup>	578 <sup>2</sup>	5	11s. 3d.	50	7 2 11 <sup>2</sup>	7,341 14 5	8,175 0 0	..	..	2,803 2 5	177 8 11	8,287 9 8	7,435 4 5	
Second South Melbourne Building and Investment ..	Nov. 1869	337	203 <sup>2</sup>	738 <sup>2</sup>	10	30	120	13 15 4	24,948 9 10	25,380 0 0	2 0 1	2 10 4	8,684 17 1	268 6 10	24,685 2 0	23,021 5 1	
South-Eastern Permanent Building and Investment <sup>8</sup> ..	Dec. 1869	90	149	934	2s. 6d.	6s. 6d. to 12s. 6d. <sup>2</sup>	25	..	3,113 3 10	3,113 3 10	..	..	3,113 4 10	398 4 2	3,210 10 11	3,208 2 9	
Belfast District Permanent Building and Investment ..	May 1870	117	43	844	2s. 6d.	6s. 6d. to 13s. <sup>2</sup>	25	1 12 0	1,125 0 0	1,125 0 0	..	..	1,331 9 10	170 6 8	..	..	
Third Taibot Land, Building, and Investment ..	Sept. 1870	100	83	568	3	7s. 6d.	30	2 0 7	2,372 0 0	2,490 0 0	1 8 5	1 8 5	1,171 16 0	104 12 5	2,531 4 10	2,381 0 11	
Second Carlton Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building and Investment	20 Oct. 1870	410	40	370	10	42	100	6 0 0	4,035 0 0	4,035 0 0	..	..	4,311 1 10	70 10 0	3,755 10 10	3,739 10 0	
Universal Permanent Building and Investment ..	Oct. 1870	372	129	1,868 <sup>2</sup>	5	13s. to 25s. <sup>2</sup>	50	3 4 4	5,870 0 0	6,450 0 0	4 4 10 <sup>2</sup>	4 4 10 <sup>2</sup>	6,372 19 5	1,030 19 4	5,342 0 1	4,936 10 1	
Hamilton Permanent Building .. ..	15 Nov. 1870	322	173	1,940	1s. (fortnightly)	2s. 11d. to 6s. <sup>2</sup> (fortnightly)	25	1 7 0	4,325 0 0	4,325 0 0	..	..	2,589 11 10	142 1 7	4,638 18 4	4,438 1 4	
Maryborough Land, Building, and Investment ..	No return has been furnished.																
Modern Permanent Building and Investment .. ..	30 Jan. 1871	342	269 <sup>2</sup>	2,090	2s. 6d. (fortnightly)	5s. 10d. to 12s. <sup>2</sup> (fortnightly)	50	3 11 0	13,480 0 0	13,480 0 0	..	..	9,279 13 7	493 10 0	12,440 1 6	12,099 18 7	
Starr Bowkett Mutual Benefit Building .. ..	3 April 1871	612	62	2,139	5	15	50	3 0 0	3,100 0 0	3,100 0 0	..	..	5,317 3 8	172 12 6	4,959 9 9	4,819 0 0	
Sandhurst Benefit Building and Investment .. ..	No return. Society only recently established.																
Wangaratta Building and Lands Improvement, Loan, Benefit	1 Oct. 1871	..	..	..	10	12s. 6d.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Standard Building and Investment .. ..	Dec. 1871	313	..	..	10	22s. 6d.	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Second North Melbourne Building and Investment ..	12 Feb. 1872	..	..	..	5	11s. 3d.	50	..	..	..	7 10 0	..	..	..	..	..	
Royal Standard Building and Investment .. ..	No return. Society not yet established.																
Total .. ..	..	16,617	23,433 <sup>2</sup>	78,624 <sup>2</sup>	..	..	..	..	2,366,744 8 3 <sup>2</sup>	2,485,175 6 6 <sup>2</sup>	..	..	678,573 0 0	22,317 10 9	1,708,342 2 4	1,274,197 18 11	

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<sup>1</sup> This information has been brought down to date of last balance-sheet, 25th March 1872.—<sup>2</sup> These payments vary according to the period for which the advance is made.—<sup>3</sup> This information has been brought down to date of last balance-sheet, 8th March 1872.—<sup>4</sup> This is the real value of the original shares.—<sup>5</sup> This information has been brought down to date of last balance-sheet, 22nd April 1872.—<sup>6</sup> This is the value of the original shares.—<sup>7</sup> These figures are copied from the return for 1870, as the information has not been furnished for the year 1871.—<sup>8</sup> This society has been wound up; its assets have been purchased by the Universal Permanent Building Society.—<sup>9</sup> These totals do not show the whole amount advanced by building societies, as one of the largest of them, the Metropolitan Building Society, has not furnished the information.