

SUICIDES.

RETURN of the Number of SUICIDES in the Colony of Victoria during the Year 1859, distinguishing the modes of Death and the Number in each month:

MONTH.	CAUSE OF DEATH.												TOTAL.				
	Drowning.		Hanging.		Shooting.		Poison.		Cutting Throat.		Injuries to the Person.		Unnamed.		Males.	Females.	Total.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.					
January	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	5	2	7
February	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2
March	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
April	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	6
May	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
June	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	4
July	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
August	2	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	8	...	8
September	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
October	2	1	1	3	1	4
November	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	6	...	6
December	1	2	2	1	4	...	8	2	10
TOTAL	4	5	9	...	4	...	13	3	8	...	2	...	9	...	49	8	57

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DISTRICT ROAD BOARDS.

RETURN of the estimated Total Value and Annual Value of RATEABLE PROPERTY, in the various District Road Boards in the Colony of Victoria; also, the Amount of REVENUE and EXPENDITURE for the Year 1859.

DISTRICT.	Date when last Rate was struck.	Estimated Total Value of Rateable Property.		Estimated Annual Value of Rateable Property.		REVENUE.				Amount of Expenditure.	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	Government Aid.		Local Revenue.		£	s. d.
Alberton	25th Nov., 1859	161,677	6 8	20,209	13 4	1,521	11 0	902	14 6	2,570	8 2
Bacchus Marsh ¹	1857	413,767	0 0								
Ballaarat	4th Nov., 1859	1,000,000	0 0	65,000	0 0	2,793	6 9	2,018	19 7	6,626	2 9
Barrabool	12th Mar., 1858	309,740	0 0	26,327	18 0	7,615	7 0	2,437	4 9	8,267	13 4
Belfast	17th Oct., 1859	1,100,000	0 0	100,000	0 0	7,944	0 4	2,013	3 6	12,130	5 0
Boroondara	11th Oct., 1859	887,200	0 0	43,032	0 0	6,280	15 9	5,659	6 9 ²	9,957	1 7
Broadmeadows	15th Mar., 1859	286,515	0 0	21,500	0 0	2,285	0 9	680	12 6	2,547	10 5
Buninyong	30th Aug., 1859	13,408	9 6	920	8 1	1,613	10 0	550	19 1	3,540	3 3
Carlsruhe	12th Mar., 1859	84,000	0 0	8,000	0 0	2,000	0 0	162	5 10	1,315	11 9
Caulfield	21st Nov., 1858	94,030	0 0	9,403	0 0	996	0 9	775	3 10	1,860	3 5
Colac ³											
Conewarre	13th Nov., 1858	32,582	17 0	1,619	0 0 ⁴	793	15 0	272	6 7	1,102	5 7
Creswick	26th April, 1859	330,814	0 0	46,198	0 0	1,500	0 0	1,348	13 3	2,269	3 0
Dundas	31st Aug., 1858	1,202,759	0 0	120,275	18 0	7,054	3 0	790	9 0	5,845	12 6
Epping	Not made.	Nil.		Not estimated.		1,881	0 0	897	3 0 ⁵	2,679	4 8
Eltham	14th Oct.,	Cannot be		furnished.		680	15 10	420	8 7	1,073	9 0
Gardiner	6th Nov., 1858	195,716	17 6	13,047	15 10	1,515	4 6	652	7 9	2,166	14 0
Greensborough	23rd Feb., 1859	29,299	0 0	3,662	0 0	2,000	0 0	150	2 3	1,827	18 7
Hampden and Heytesbury	8th July, 1859	20,000	0 0	3,745	0 0	5,571	11 8	793	12 11	6,086	16 5
Heidelberg	No rate	levied, tolls only		received.		3,705	1 8	1,875	0 0	5,580	1 8
Lauriston and Edgecombe	30th Nov., 1858	286,840	0 0	25,309	0 0	1,895	8 6	1,072	15 3	3,180	14 4
Nunawading	10th Sep., 1859	89,555	0 0	3,818	6 8	422	3 9	410	13 3	678	12 2
Pentridge	18th Feb., 1859	81,750	0 0	6,540	0 0	2,000	0 0	327	0 0	2,315	0 0
Portarlington	15th July, 1859	387,663	0 0	27,136	0 0	1,744	6 8	992	17 3	2,253	3 11
Portland	12th Mar., 1859	Cannot be		furnished.		11,555	5 8	2,329	4 2	13,551	10 11
Templestowe	20th June, 1859	70,000	0 0	7,000	0 0	478	2 9	160	0 0	624	11 6
Tylden and Trentham	17th Dec., 1859	186,276	0 0	12,418	0 0	2,000	0 0	280	2 3	1,386	5 10
Warrnambool	June, 1859	650,000	0 0	Not furnished		9,212	0 0	2,320	18 10	11,532	18 10
Woodstock	22nd Mar., 1859	170,654	0 0	12,800	0 0	685	10 0	357	10 2	914	14 6
Willowmavin	October, 1859	22,978	15 0	4,595	15 0	847	14 3	376	18 2	1,373	1 0
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	87,591	15 7	31,028	13 0	115,256	18 1

¹ In consequence of an irregularity in the election of the Board for 1859 there was not any business transacted during this year. The total value of rateable property, as above, stands the same as in 1858.

² Includes tolls.

³ Not as yet in operation.

⁴ Annual value of houses only.

⁵ Consists of tolls and subscriptions.

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MUNICIPALITIES.

RETURN of the Estimated Value of RATEABLE PROPERTY, in the various Municipal Districts, in the COLONY OF VICTORIA, at the time when the last Rate was struck, also the Amount of Revenue and Expenditure, for the Year 1859.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT.	Date when last Rate was struck.	Amount of Rate struck per pound.	Estimated Value of Rateable Property.	REVENUE.				Amount of Expenditure.	
				Government Aid.		Local Revenue.			
		s. d.	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
Amherst ...	31st Dec., 1859	1 3	14,700	200	16 0	287	2 8	1,110	12 4
Ararat ...	22nd Dec., 1858	1 3	21,432	2,963	4 2	1,339	10 5	4,742	12 1
Avoca ...	1st Dec., 1859	1 0	9,858	500	0 0	480	0 0	335	0 0
Ballaarat West ...	11th May, 1859	7½ per cent.	{ Nett value £416,555. Ann. value £52,069	4,328	1 3	9,015	6 3	*13,228	12 9
Ballaarat East ...	30th Aug., 1859	1 0	79,042	6,423	11 8	3,748	9 4	17,395	18 2
Beechworth ...	28th Oct., 1859	1 0	187,380	† 3,935	16 7	2,048	8 9½	† 8,342	8 4½
Belfast ...	17th Nov., 1858	1 0	{ Ann. value £16,637	1,868	9 3	759	5 6	3,782	11 5
Brighton ...	29th April, 1859	1 0	35,222	1,000	0 0	1,761	2 0	2,371	19 4
Brunswick ...	30th Nov., 1859	1 0	31,854	2,188	3 9	1,392	10 4	4,806	17 1
Buninyong ...	17th Aug., 1859	1 0	6,901	1,000	0 0	284	15 6	439	11 9
Carisbrook ...	October, 1859	1 0	12,127	987	14 10	721	17 4	3,426	3 5
Castlemaine ...	26th April, 1859	1 0	82,691	5,295	9 0	5,457	7 1	10,752	16 1
Collingwood East	1st Jan., 1859	1 0	97,756	7,840	5 4	4,069	16 4	11,306	9 10
Creswick ...	29th Mar., 1859	1 6	9,892	1,047	4 8	876	4 0	1,722	1 8
Daylesford ...	6th Nov., 1859	1 6	8,726	Nil		Nil		Nil	
Dunolly ...	12th Aug., 1859	1 6	9,999	957	4 3	586	10 4	910	16 2
Emerald Hill ...	2nd Sept., 1859	1 3	69,960	4,835	18 8	8,989	9 1	16,858	3 6
Footscray ...	13th Sept., 1859	1 0	12,580	1,000	0 0	314	10 0	316	19 5
Geelong ...	18th Jan., 1860	1 6	168,917	10,000	0 0	19,870	8 11	27,970	10 7
Hamilton ...	6th Jan., 1860	1 0	{ Not ascertained	Nil		Nil		Nil	
Heathcote ...	31st Jan., 1860	1 0	24,123	Nil		Nil		{ 31st December, 1859, £80 16 8	
Hotham ...	21st Nov., 1859	1 6	{ Ann. value £50,014	1,000	0 0	Nil		168	18 3
Kilmore ...	14th Nov.,	1 0	16,030	1,003	11 6	864	10 0	2,400	0 0
Kyneton ...	31st Jan., 1859	1 0	23,660	1,519	2 9	866	13 4	4,543	1 11
Maldon ...	11th Nov., 1859	1 6	§ 21,451	1,702	4 2	968	5 10 5	2,843	5 9
Maryborough ...	23rd Aug., 1859	1 0	21,457	1,108	12 8	15	16 0	1,989	5 6
Melbourne ...	14th Mar., 1859	{ City Rate Is. Lighting Rate 3d.	836,894	25,000	0 0	69,053	10 8	{ Public Works, &c. £85,592 10 6 Interest on Loan, £26,750 0 0	
Newtown and Chilwell	26th July, 1859	1 0	44,875	4,447	15 10	2,243	15 6	5,062	2 2
Portland ...	14th Feb., 1859	1 0	26,020	2,020	11 4	1,184	13 0	3,310	14 2
Prahran ...	2nd May, 1859	1 0	116,330	7,909	18 1	5,816	10 0	12,653	14 3
Richmond ...	9th Sept., 1859	1 0	85,596	5,796	15 3	3,561	15 0	12,251	8 3
Sandhurst ...	21st Oct., 1859	1 0	130,400	6,079	13 10	6,986	1 10	15,421	15 8
South Barwon ...	10th Oct., 1859	0 9	13,119	987	7 10	1,023	6 6	2,374	19 4
Warrnambool ...	30th Mar., 1859	1 0	19,468	1,566	14 10	1,103	15 6	2,670	10 4
Williamstown ...	22nd June, 1859	1 0	66,147	4,850	11 5	3,307	7 0	8,102	13 2
St. Kilda ...	2nd May, 1860	1 0	120,267	7,996	4 5	5,742	1 7	17,290	8 4
Fitz Roy ...	30th Nov., 1859	1 3	125,341	12,986	13 4	11,534	19 4	30,543	3 0
TOTAL ...	...	...	...	142,347	16 8	176,275	14 11½	353,869	11 2½

* £3142 11s. 11d. an overdrawn account, repaid during the year 1859. † Includes a Special Grant of £300 for Public Botanical Gardens. ‡ The difference between these two amounts was overdrawn at Bank. § This amount was reduced, on appeal, to £19,644 10s.

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