

AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

TABLE I.—Abstract showing the Number of Holders of Purchased Land in each County and Pastoral District of Victoria, the Extent of their Holdings, the Quantity of Land Enclosed, the Area Cultivated and Uncultivated, and the Extent in Statute Acres under each Description of Crop for the Year ended 31st March, 1860.

COUNTIES AND PASTORAL DISTRICTS.	Number of Holdings exceeding 1 acre.	Total extent of Holding. acres.	Total extent Uncultivated. acres.	Extent not Enclosed. acres.	Total extent of Enclosed Land. acres.	Extent of Enclosed Land not Cultivated. acres.	Total extent Cultivated. acres.	EXTENT UNDER CROP IN STATUTE ACRES.						
								CORN, PEAS, AND BEANS.						
								Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Malze.	Rye and Bere.	Peas, Sorghum, Beans and Millet.	Total.
Anglesey ...	71	19,091½	17,778¾	8,636½	10,455	9,142¼	1,312¾	324	293	8½	...	...	4½	630¼
Bourke ...	3,429	623,657½	540,628¾	182,222¾	441,435	358,406½	83,028¾	17,657¾	17,926	750¾	18½	6	4½	36,400½
Dalhousie ...	912	145,211¾	110,323¼	18,198¾	127,013	92,124¾	34,888¼	7,470¾	16,774¼	193	6¼	5½	38¾	24,488
Dundas ...	117	46,651¾	45,058¾	32,058½	14,593¼	13,000¼	1,593	691	256¼	28½	...	...	...	975¾
Evelyn ...	271	68,849¾	63,028¾	11,703½	57,145¾	51,324¾	5,821	1,789¾	1,792	43¾	6½	...	13½	3,645
Follett ...	14	8,641	8,479½	6,735	1,906	1,744½	161½	23½	22	...	...	...	...	45½
Grant ...	2,411	461,889	398,904½	163,054½	298,834½	235,850	62,984½	22,060½	15,108	1,217¾	9	87½	133	38,615¾
Grenville ...	441	183,323	173,673¾	116,863¾	66,459¼	56,810	9,649¼	1,904¼	3,048½	137¾	1½	2	1	5,095¼
Hampden ...	123	153,050	150,534	33,496½	119,553½	117,037½	2,516	971¼	597¼	34	...	...	1	1,603¾
Heytesbury ...	82	39,628	36,842½	7,140	32,488	29,702½	2,785½	1,864	298	64	...	...	12	2,238
Mornington ...	437	139,560½	131,601¼	25,853¼	113,707¼	105,748	7,959¼	2,334¼	2,475½	270¾	11½	4	49¼	4,944¾
Normanby ...	481	109,704¾	103,671	61,549½	48,154¾	42,121½	6,033¼	2,468	774	264¾	2	1	1½	3,311¼
Polwarth ...	170	89,791¾	85,032¾	14,816	74,975¾	70,216½	4,759½	2,091	1,747½	14½	...	34½	3	3,890¼
Ripon ...	311	93,696¾	75,080¾	31,221½	62,475½	43,859	18,616¼	5,208¾	5,652¼	103½	...	...	...	10,964¾
Talbot ...	1,280	250,297¼	205,901	69,247	181,050½	136,654	44,396¼	13,916¾	15,717¼	363¼	9½	...	9½	30,016
Villiers ...	871	211,291½	182,137½	54,740¾	156,550¾	127,396¾	29,154	17,093¾	3,003	546½	...	...	75¼	20,718
Gipps Land ...	273	79,164½	74,992¾	14,753½	64,411	60,316¾	4,172½	1,156¾	804¼	68½	11¾	9	3½	2,053½
The Loddon ...	847	123,922¾	102,742¼	41,542¾	82,379¾	61,199¼	21,180¼	1,974	1,145½	246¾	68½	...	8¼	3,443
Rodney ...	46	23,184½	21,025½	11,019	12,165½	10,006½	2,159	299	179	40	...	...	...	518
The Murray ...	496	116,603¼	102,257¾	46,059¼	70,544	56,198½	14,345½	5,774	2,501½	90¾	592¾	...	...	8,959
The Wimmera ...	92	25,398	27,186	16,603½	11,794½	10,582½	1,212	21	52	15	...	...	...	88
Total ...	13,175	3,015,607½	2,656,879¾	967,515¼	2,048,092	1,689,442¾	358,727¾	107,092½	90,167¼	4,101¼	738	149	395¼	202,643¾

TABLE I.—Showing the Number of Holders of Purchased Land, &c., for the Year ending 31st March, 1860—continued.

COUNTIES AND PASTORAL DISTRICTS.	EXTENT UNDER CROP IN STATUTE ACRES.																							
	GREEN CROPS (exclusive of Market and Kitchen Gardens).								HAY.			GREEN FORAGE.							OTHER CROPS.					
	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Mangel- wurtzel.	Beet.	Carrots and Parsnips.	Cabbage.	Bare or Sum- mer Fallow.	Total.	Cereal Grasses, Wheat, Oats, and Barley.	Rye Grass and Lucerne.	Total.	Cereal Grasses, Wheat, Oats, and Barley.	Maize.	Rye Grass and Lucerne.	Sorghum.	Clover, &c.	Permanent Artificial Grasses.	Total.	Tobacco.	Vines.	Other Crops.	Gardens.	Orchards.	Total.
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Anglsey	67½	...	...	...	...	...	4½	72½	490	490	1	1	...	...	12	94½	109	...	...	...	7½	2½	11
Bourke	5,088½	42½	3,098½	3½	24	30½	3,195½	8,483½	30,694½	34½	30,729½	1,986½	268½	215	79½	42½	1,283	3,874½	1½	174½	230½	2,705½	429	3,540½
Dalhousie	3,694	8	33	3½	7½	2½	842½	4,559½	5,486½	17	5,503½	36½	6½	4½	4½	180½	232	...	6	...	72½	26½	105½	
Dundas	87½	...	2	...	...	...	76	165½	389½	1	390½	5½	...	1	2	17	25½	½	3	2	30½	...	35½
Evelyn	776	1½	2	364½	1,145½	828½	21½	849½	3½	17½	5½	2½	1	30½	...	4	67	...	41	42½	150½
Follett	11	...	...	...	...	...	7	18	88	...	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	10
Grant	3,604½	20½	176	2	77½	14	2,735½	6,629½	15,570	49	15,619	495½	6½	54½	13½	11	228½	809½	18½	368½	106½	568½	248½	1,310½
Grenville	1,210½	11½	6	...	11½	3½	326	1,569	2,504½	½	2,505½	124½	...	10	...	222	356½	...	9½	½	84½	29	123½	
Hampden	221½	1	...	...	...	...	97½	320½	529½	1½	531½	...	...	...	...	45	45	5½	½	...	5	5	15½
Heytesbury	331	1½	2½	...	...	...	7	342	132	...	132	½	...	...	...	52	52½	1½	½	...	16	3	21
Mornington	688½	8½	24½	½	½	14½	687	1,424½	853	104½	957½	20	46	10½	13½	8½	344	442½	...	25	2½	128½	33½	190
Normanby	377½	7½	2½	...	...	...	284½	671½	1,822½	22	1,844½	35½	1	...	4	7	48½	2	1½	...	148½	5½	157½
Polwarth	165½	1½	1½	...	...	...	129½	296½	440½	25	465½	...	...	5½	...	22½	28½	...	2½	...	63½	13	78½
Ripon	1,719½	4½	174	½	10½	9½	286½	2,048½	5,483½	9	5,493½	45½	6	...	2½	40	93½	...	1½	...	13½	2	16½	
Talbot	4,832½	34	16	1	25½	23	81	5,013½	9,141½	32	9,173½	46½	22½	4	16½	1	90½	10	53½	...	26	13	102½	
Villiers	2,822½	12½	19½	...	2½	...	76	2,934½	2,457½	34	2,491½	44½	...	10½	...	2,519	2,630½	4½	2½	1½	356	15½	380	
Gipps Land	359½	22½	3½	...	½	3½	82	470½	579½	27½	606½	12½	1	5½	½	239½	609½	868½	...	2½	1½	118	51½	173
The Loddon	852½	38½	7½	...	14	6½	1,203	2,122½	14,597½	10½	14,608	116½	66½	44½	47½	3½	278½	...	68	5	625½	30	728½	
Rodney	31½	...	...	...	...	...	10	41½	1,574	...	1,574	4	...	...	...	4	...	...	10	...	10½	1	21½
The Murray	650½	5	...	...	...	1	693	1,349½	3,524½	11½	3,535½	15	91½	5	5½	200	321½	...	13	18½	128½	19½	180
Wimmera	29½	...	1	...	1	...	36	67½	977	5	982	10	...	...	...	10	...	5½	2	...	53	4	64½
Total	27,622	220½	382½	8½	175½	112½	11,224½	39,746½	98,164½	405½	98,570½	3,002½	535	375½	190½	383	5,864½	10,350½	50	811	369	5,210½	976	7,416½

TABLE II.—Abstract showing the Gross Produce of each Description of Crop in each County and Pastoral District of Victoria.

COUNTIES AND PASTORAL DISTRICTS.	QUANTITY OF PRODUCE.																						
	CORN, PEAS, AND BEANS.							GREEN CROPS, (exclusive of Market and Kitchen Gardens).							HAY.			OTHER CROPS.					
	Wheat.	Oats.	Barley.	Maize.	Rye and Bere.	Peas, Sorghum, Beans, and Millet.	Total.	Potatoes.	Turnips.	Mangel wurzel.	Beet.	Carrots and Parsnips.	Cabbage.	Total.	Cereal Grasses, Wheat, Oats, and Barley.	Rye, Grass, and Lucerne.	Total.	Onions.	Tobacco.	Grape.			
																				No. of Vines.	Fruit sold.	Wine produced.	Brandy manufactured.
bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons	cwt.	cwt.	No.	cwt.	gal.	gal.	
Anglesey ...	4,832	6,615	231	25	...	30	11,733	150½	...	...	...	...	150¾	815	...	815	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bourke ...	378,533	513,499	18,872	306	63	554	911,827	13,068½	111½	832¼	8	107¾	67½	14,195¼	41,735½	32	41,767½	564	30	272,809	2,047½	708	...
Dalhousie ...	157,054	546,807	3,163	48	20	561	707,653	5,188¾	9½	4	...	15¼	4	5,221½	7,424	...	7,442	...	...	6,249	18	...	...
Dundas ...	15,054	6,627	604	...	...	...	22,285	80½	...	4	...	...	...	84½	693½	2	695½	...	10	...	...	...	...
Evelyn ...	27,622	36,753	968	130	...	234	65,707	2,586½	2	15	...	...	13½	2,616¾	944½	29¼	974	...	...	*60,700	364	182	...
Follett ...	515	630	...	...	...	...	1,145	14	...	...	...	...	14	165	...	165	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grant ...	398,015½	311,506	27,048½	45	1,646	1,505	739,766	4,803½	45½	2,797½	3	241	84	7,974¼	22,145¾	46½	22,192¼	400	114	1,064,476	1,670	12,685	150
Grenville ...	39,520	82,582	3,379	...	50	10	125,541	1,574	13	33	10	81½	...	1,711¼	4,403	2	4,405	15	...	18,500	45	80	...
Hampden ...	24,528	15,789	893	...	...	16	41,226	368	1½	1	...	...	...	370½	875	4	879	...	23	300	...	...	...
Heytesbury ...	47,042	8,346	2,107	...	...	275	57,770	750	10	19	...	...	...	779	271	...	271	...	40	800	...	...	...
Mornington ...	30,580	35,264	929	217	40	248	67,278	1,521½	27	385½	½	8	36	1,978½	888½	44½	932¾	...	...	45,600	40	143	...
Normanby ...	49,769	18,662	1,445	125	...	4	70,005	663½	36	33	...	...	...	732½	2,492¼	35½	2,527¾	...	30	50	30	...	...
Polwarth ...	46,793	31,323	327	...	718	12	79,173	264¾	1	21	...	...	...	286¾	766¾	60	826½	...	...	7,000	...	...	...
Ripon ...	137,951	221,201	3,337	...	...	...	362,489	2,660½	18	35	...	46¾	10	2,770	11,100½	...	11,100½	...	...	32,850	...	10	...
Talbot ...	357,209	537,319	10,707½	220	...	70	905,525½	6,331¼	146	149	4	130	109½	6,869¾	12,775¾	56	12,831¾	...	50	176,494	15	...	...
Villiers ...	436,924	82,644	16,313	...	...	1,962	537,843	6,417	48	229	...	31	1½	6,726½	4,592½	22	4,614½	...	120	3,993	30	...	...
Gipps Land...	22,372½	17,929	1,740	391	155	68	42,655½	1,202¼	91½	27	...	¼	14¾	1,335¾	868¼	25½	893¾	...	...	13,224	33	51	...
The Loddon...	31,812½	24,494	3,786	81	...	40½	60,214	416¾	104½	50	...	49¼	13¾	634¼	15,473	5	15,478	50	...	167,467	179½	10	...
Rodney ...	3,832	3,735	600	...	...	...	8,217	19	...	...	...	...	...	19	1,902	...	1,902	...	...	3,060	...	7	...
The Murray...	85,594½	50,743	1,611	5,786½	...	...	143,735	867	9	...	...	...	...	876	3,704¼	10	3,714¼	...	...	22,917	...	60	...
The Wimmera	554	1,169	372	...	...	...	2,095	20	...	10	...	8	...	38	1,211	4	1,215	...	46	450	1	30	...
Total ...	2,296,157	2,553,637	98,433	7,374½	2,692	5,589½	4,963,883	48,967	673¾	4,645¼	25½	718¼	355	55,384¾	135,246¾	396¼	135,643	1,029	463	1,896,939	4,473	13,966	150

* For a vineyard of 50 acres in this county, no return of the number of vines has been obtained, but they consist for the greater part of cuttings recently planted.

LIVE STOCK.

TABLE showing the Number of LIVE STOCK in Victoria in the month of March, 1860, distinguishing the quantity on Alienated Land from that on Crown Land, and exhibiting the Total on Stations inclusive of Alienated Land, as well as the Stock on Alienated Land exclusive of that connected with Stations.

DESCRIPTION OF LAND.	LIVE STOCK.			
	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Pigs.	Sheep.
Alienated Land	52,101	295,689	50,965	674,897
Crown Land	17,187	387,845	...	5,119,230
Alienated Land unconnected with Stations...	42,874	188,244	46,788	167,311
Crown and Alienated connected with Stations	26,414	495,290	4,177	5,626,816
Total	69,288	683,534	50,965	5,794,127

NOTE.—With reference to the number of Pigs, it should be observed that, owing to no assessment being levied on that description of stock, no return is required or furnished of the quantity on the stations of those who hold Crown land only, although doubtless there is a considerable number upon them. It may also be noticed that the returns for Crown land are obtained some weeks earlier than the period for which the Agricultural Statistics are taken.

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THE END.

ADDENDUM.

RETURN of the Number of the Places of PUBLIC WORSHIP used by the INDEPENDENTS in the Colony of Victoria on the 31st December, 1859.

Number of Churches, Chapels, &c.	Number of Persons they are estimated to contain.
41	10,950

NOTE.—Two of the above Churches, estimated to contain 280 persons, are used conjointly by the Independents and Baptist Denominations. The above return was received too late to be inserted in the table of "Churches, Chapels, &c." *Ante* page 109.—W. H. A.

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