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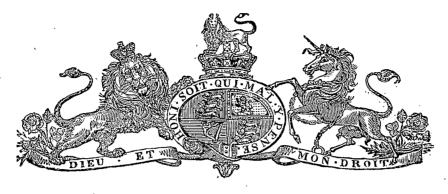
TASMANIA.

ASSETS, AND PUBLIC DEBT, OF TASMANIA.

RETURN SHOWING THE ASSETS, AND PUBLIC DEBT, OF THE COLONY ON 31 DECEMBER, 1863.

(In compliance with an Order of the House of Assembly, on the Motion of W. R. Allison, Esq.)

Laid upon the Table by the Colonial Treasurer, and ordered by the House to be printed, 9 September, 1864.



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ASSETS OF THE COLONY.		
Crown Lands. Sums due on Land sold on Credit and under the Pre-emptive Right Regulations		£ 228,300
Estimated value of 2,340,000 acres of Crown Lands which have been reporte the Survey Department* *Estimated remaining quantity of Crown Land which has not yet been re 11,087,189 acres.	d upon by	1.047.700
Private Property. Yearly value of Property, as per Valuation Rolls 1864, £675,000, representing cent., a capital of		11,250,000
Live Stock in the Colony on 31 December, 1863. Horses, 21,964, at £14 Cattle, 90,446, at £4 10s Sheep, 1,800,811, at 8s. Pigs, 41,986, at 20s. Mules and Asses, 12, at £5 Goats, 2276, at 10s.	£ 307,496 407,007 720,324 41,986 60 1138	
Crop of 1863, as shown by the Census. Wheat, 953,250 bushels, at 6s. Barley, 201,852 ditto, at 6s. Oats, 1,024,134 ditto, at 3s. 6d. Peas, 45,000 ditto, at 5s. Beans, 8000 ditto, at 5s. Tares, 7700 ditto, at 6s. Grass Seed, 71,360 ditto, at 6s. Apples, 168,114 ditto, at 5s. Pears, 25,800 ditto, at 5s. Hay, 58,491 tons, at £3 Potatoes, 36,356 ditto, at £3 Turnips, 12,312 ditto, at £1 Onions, 898 ditto, at £10 Carrots, 2399 ditto, at £2 Tobacco, 1,046,852 lbs., at 3d.	285,975 60,555 179,223 11,250 2000 2310 21,408 42,028 6450 175,473 109,068 12,312 8980 4798 13,085	1,478,011 934,915
Shipping, tonnage 23,161, value	213,014 100,586	313,600 164,494 999,511
TOTAL ASSETS	••	£16,416,531

^{*} Note.—If the value of Two Shillings per acre be attached to the 11,087,189 acres, the value would be £1,108,718.

PUBLIC DEBT.

Amount of Public Debt on 31st December, 1863. Debentures issued for Due to the Imperial Government		£ 497,880 30,000
		£527,880
Amount of registered Mortgages 1861, 1862, and 1863	• •	£734,486

The above Return has been compiled from the most reliable sources available to the Government, and may be considered a fair approximate Statement.

JAMES WHYTE.

Colonial Secretary's Office, 9th September, 1864.