

## VICTORIA.

No. 8.

## CHURCHES, CHAPELS, ETC.

RETURN of the CHURCHES, CHAPELS, &c., in the Colony of VICTORIA, on the 31st  
December, 1852.

DENOMINATION.	Number of Churches, &c., &c.	Number of Persons they are estimated to contain.	Number of Persons generally attending.
Church of England ... ..	13	3,190	2,930
Presbyterian Church ... ..	7	1,800	1,305
Wesleyan Church ... ..	17	5,000	5,000
Independent Church ... ..	3	1,110	1,010
Baptists ... ..	2	480	330
Roman Catholics ... ..	6	4,400	3,845
Jews' Synagogue ... ..	1	80	100
<b>TOTAL</b> ... ..	<b>49</b>	<b>16,060</b>	<b>14,520</b>

Registrar General's Office,  
Melbourne, 30th July, 1853.

W. H. ARCHER,  
Acting Registrar General.

No. 9.

## POSTAGE.

RETURN of the NUMBER of LETTERS and NEWSPAPERS that passed through the various  
POST OFFICES in VICTORIA, during the Year 1852, distinguishing Ship from Inland  
Letters.

Number of Post Offices.	Number of Letters passed through the Post Offices.		Number of Newspapers passed through the Post Offices.		TOTAL.		INCOME.	EXPENDITURE.
	Ship.	Inland.	Ship.	Inland.	Letters.	News- papers.		
46	482,326	489,850	338,206	371,631	972,176	709,837	£ s. d. 12,453 12 9	£ s. d. 25,312 0 8

Post Office,  
Melbourne, 14th January, 1853.

(Signed) A. McCRAE,  
Chief Postmaster.