

Table No. 26.

NEW ZEALAND BANKING, 1870-1889.—NOTES and BILLS discounted

	Year.		£		Average per Head of Population.
	1870		2,236,672		=9.00
	1871		1,879,060		=7.04
	1872		1,584,358		=5.67
	1873		2,116,654		=7.15
	1874		3,739,561		=10.94
	1875		4,382,582		=11.66
	1876		4,744,845		=11.89
	1877		4,911,715		=11.73
	1878		5,980,798		=13.83
Average per head of population, } 1870-79 = £10.72 }	1879		6,061,959		=13.07
	1880		4,627,098		=9.54
	1881		4,218,559		=8.42
	1882		4,520,316		=8.73
	1883		4,673,895		=8.64
	1884		4,365,216		=7.84
	1885		4,419,107		=7.68
	1886		4,406,395		=7.48
	1887		3,604,937		=5.97
	1888		3,171,896		=5.22
Average per head of population, } 1880-89 = £7.30 }	1889		2,850,944		=4.60
Average per head of population, 20 years = £8.62.					

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BANK ADVANCES in AUSTRALASIAN COLONIES, 1870-1889.

	Sum of Advances for Twenty Years, 1870-1889.	Advances per Head of Sum of Populations, 1870-1889.
	£	£
Victoria	497,380,397	23.25
New South Wales	402,033,388	26.79
Queensland	133,953,354	27.94
South Australia	130,264,337	25.12
Tasmania	38,947,706	16.39
New Zealand	225,406,643	24.74