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This paper is the third in a series presenting for each Australian state long-run statistics of colonial/state and local government finances. It follows the format of Source Papers 8 and 9 so that comparative and aggregative use may be made of them. For that reason also, as far as possible definitions have been made consistent over time and between governments. Where inconsistencies exist within a state they will be indicated in the text; where they exist between states they will become apparent only by comparing different papers.

The object of the series is to provide easily accessible long-run series, consistently defined, which are otherwise lacking. To that end, this paper presents simplified tables of South Australian colonial/state government finances for 1851-1968, of local government finances for 1855-1967, of the aggregated finances of all state and local authorities for 1963-82, and of total central government taxation collections for 1851 to 1968.

The overlap between various sets of data covering 1963 to 1968 is important, because those commencing in 1963 are constructed on a quite different basis. In the first place, those terminating in 1967 or 1968 are based on transactions recorded in the Consolidated Revenue Fund (CRF) or Loan Fund, the two main accounts through which government Treasurers operated. The CRF was that to which most current revenues were paid and from which most current expenditures were met. To the Loan Fund were credited the proceeds of borrowings on long-term public securities and from it authorised loan expenditures were paid. Concentration on these two funds excludes operations on a variety of Trust Funds and Special Accounts and by a variety of semi-government authorities, all of which became increasingly important during the twentieth century. By contrast, tables commencing in 1963 integrate all

the accounts and authorities that constitute the 'public sector', netting out transactions between them. In the second place, tables running to 1967 or 1968 are effectively on a cash basis and, with exceptions, represent all transactions in the funds covered. Those commencing in 1963 are defined in the context of national income accounting, in which some revenues are offset against expenditures and the net outcome of public trading enterprises is counted rather than their gross revenues and expenditures.

A second general point to be noted is that while colonial/state revenues presented below are current receipts, excluding loan raisings, total expenditures consist of current expenditures plus loan expenditures, net of transfers between the two funds.

SOURCES

Colonial government revenues and total expenditures, 1850-55 are estimated from The Blue Book of South Australia. For 1856-1906 they are estimated from the Treasurer's Statements and Report of the Auditor-General, both published annually in Parliamentary Papers. Figures for 1907-68 are from those published annually in Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics (CBCS), State, Territory and Local Government Authorities' Finance and Government Securities 1967-68 (Reference No. 5.11), and its predecessors. There is a break in the series between 1906 and 1907.

Integrated accounts of state and local government authorities' receipts and outlays are latest figures published in Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS), State and Local Authority Finance Australia 1981-82 (Catalogue No. 5504.0) and predecessors.

Public debt data are from Statistical Register of South Australia, Statistical

Summary, to 1900; from Mrs P. Brown's compilation, based on CBCS, Finance Bulletin, and held in the Department of Economic History, RSSS, Australian National University, for 1901-75; and from Budget Paper No. 8, (Commonwealth) Budget Papers, 1982-83 for 1976-1982. Breaks in the series occurs at each source change.

Local government finances for 1855-1914 are from G.H.Knibbs, Local Government in Australia (Government Printer, Melbourne, 1919) and for 1915-67 from CBCS, State, Territory and Local Government Authorities' Finance and Government Securities. Knibbs presents figures running to 1916; the official annual data are first published for 1907. The choice of year at which to change sources was determined by the degree of Australia-wide reliability that can be accorded each before and after 1914. Breaks in the series occur between 1914 and 1915 and between 1935 and 1936.

Taxation collections for 1851-1879 are derived from Statistical Register; for 1880-1910 from the Treasurer's Statement; for 1911-20 from the Report of the Auditor-General; for 1921-29 from the Treasurer's Statement; and those 1930-68 are from CBCS, State, Territory and Local Government Authorities Finance..., and predecessors.

OTHER COLLECTIONS

At least from 1859, Statistical Register of South Australia carried decennial tables of revenues and expenditures. The former are usefully detailed, the latter become more informative with the passage of time. With a fine show of independence, however, the statistician published figures for years ending 31 December at least until 1900. The official year closed on 30 June since 1874 and had earlier been altered twice. There are advantages in having so constant a source. Here a more conventional approach is taken and the Treasurers' years have been followed.

ABS, State and Local Government Finance Australia 1981-82 includes integrated tables of state and local authorities' final consumption expenditure and expenditure on fixed assets, both classified by purpose. It also presents those tables, and tables of receipts and outlays, for each level of government separately. ABS, Taxation Revenue Australia 1981-82 (Catalogue No. 5506.0) contains good runs of state and local government authorities' taxation for the same period 1963-82.

Tables of social and welfare expenditures and of debt charges are included in Reports of the Commonwealth Grants Commission.

In an appendix to Ronald Mendelsohn's The Condition of The People (George Allen and Unwin, Sydney, 1979), there are valuable detailed tables of total expenditure on welfare, health and social security, by individual governments, estimated by Andrew Podger. They are recommended.

THE TABLES

These tables are arranged in relatively few categories that are, therefore, wide and therefore also avoid inconsistencies evident in finer classifications

used elsewhere, particularly by the Auditor-General and Treasurer and in the early predecessors of State, Territory and Local Government Authorities' Finance and Government Securities.

TABLE 1

In the colonial/state government revenue and expenditure tables, 1851-1968, figures refer to transactions taking place within the stated year and not those relating necessarily to the parliamentary appropriation of that year.

CRF is taken here to include the Land Fund, which was amalgamated with CRF in 1857.

Transactions on account of the Northern Territory are included from 1864, with cross-entries between the two entities netted out.

Figures are net of refunds of revenue from 1881.

The source lacks detail for 1917, 1918 and 1920. Revenue figures have been added from Treasurer's Statement; the difficulties of replicating expenditure figures shown in Finance Bulletin, however, mean that only expenditure totals have been inserted.

Definitions used are:

Col. 1 Public debt is that outstanding at 31 December until 1881 and 30 June thereafter. It does not therefore correspond with financial years for the other figures. Notionally it includes short-term debt for which securities have been issued but it is likely that some may be omitted before 1901. There is a break in the series between 1900 and 1901.

Col. 2 Apparent surplus is that produced by subtracting Consolidated Revenue

Fund expenditure (not presented in these tables) from revenue (Col.8).

Col. 3 Taxes include stock assessments 1860-71.

Col. 4 Businesses comprise the earnings of railways, postal and telegraph services (to 1901), water and sewerage, electricity and 'other public services' (1907-35). The meaning of this latter, Finance Bulletin, category is uncertain. It is retained here to enable comparison with other states where it does include some business enterprises. Harbour management, which might properly be regarded as business, is excluded because Finance Bulletin figures include other, unrelated receipts. Subsidy transfers from Treasury to railways are excluded from 1950.

Col. 5 Land is receipts from land sale and leases (including the interest component on credit sales), timber leases and forestry, mining revenues including royalties and various fees associated with each.

Col. 6 Other is an heroic amalgamation, bringing together separable items such as interest, fees and fines, harbours and all other receipts except commonwealth grants.

Col. 7 Commonwealth are the payments made by the commonwealth government (other than for services rendered) and credited to CRF.

Col. 8 Total revenue is on account of CRF and Land Fund until the latter was taken into CRF. Until 1881 it is not netted for refunds of revenue or of costs of collection. From 1950 (but not earlier) excludes subsidy transfers between CRF and railways.

TABLE 2

In this table CRF and loan expenditures are aggregated. The latter are

explicitly net of credits and repayments from 1877; they include the Northern Territory from 1866. Loan expenditure on the NT sometimes cannot be allocated to purpose and on those occasions has been included with 'Other'. The figures are net of transfers between CRF and loan fund.

Col. 9 Debt charges are interest (and exchange) on the public debt, together with sinking fund payments, redemptions (including redemption of Treasury Bills) from CRF, and debt management costs. Includes land sales devoted to debt reduction, 1904-6.

Col. 10 Businesses has the same coverage as col. 3 and comprises operational costs met from CRF, costs met from loans and public buildings met from CRF from 1856 to 1906.

Col. 11 Other public works includes CRF and loan expenditures on harbours, rivers and roads (including loans and grants to roads boards) and public buildings not elsewhere included.

Col. 12 Social is, again, a very broad aggregation. It covers current and loan expenditure on health and education services, libraries and art galleries and research (except to the extent that some agricultural research is included in col. 14) and on buildings associated with them, 1856-1906. It also covers care of orphans, young children, and the aged, assistance to charitable organisations, and unemployment relief.

Col. 13 Law and defence includes police, courts, prisons, public safety, delinquent children (from 1936) and reformatories (1851-1906, 1936-68) together with defence and war expenditures and all associated buildings (including from CRF, 1871-1901).

Col. 14 Primary is expenditures on lands administration, stock and agriculture, water and soil conservation, closer settlement and assistance to

primary industries.

Col. 15 Other includes mining and assistance to that industry.

Col. 16 Total expenditure is the sum of CRF and net loan expenditures, net of transfers between them. It is net of refunds of revenue from 1881. Excludes interest relief to construction accounts in the nineteenth century and from 1950 (but not earlier) excludes subsidy transfers between CRF and railways.

TABLE 3

For the amalgamated state and local finance series, 1963-1982, the current surplus or deficit is not represented. The source instead lists various sources from which the gap between current receipts and total outlays was met. These are shown in columns 22-24. These statistics are all cast in the mould of national income accounting. A major implication is that some receipts are netted against related outlays; other implications are mentioned below. Reference should be made to the source for detailed information.

Col. 17 Public debt is for state government only and includes a break in the series between 1975 and 1976.

Col. 18 Taxes includes fees and fines. Some fees have been netted against outlays on relevant services.

Col. 19 Businesses have a wider coverage than in previous tables because those conducted outside the framework of CRF and Loan Fund are included: especially semi-government authorities. On the other hand the figures reported are (a) that part of the income of government financial enterprises paid to general government and (b) the 'net operating surplus' of government trading enterprises, excluding interest received and before interest charges are met.

Col. 20 Property income is interest, rent, royalties and dividends received (other than dividends included in column 19).

Col. 21 Grants are those from the commonwealth government to state and local government authorities, for all purposes. (State grants to local authorities disappear on amalgamating the accounts.)

Col. 22 Advances from the commonwealth government, for all purposes, to state and local authorities.

Col. 23 Borrowing is net borrowing by state general government, state public trading enterprises and local government authorities.

Col. 24 Other financing items comprises net receipts of private trust funds held by government, reduction in cash and bank balances, reduction in security holdings, depreciation allowances established in public trading enterprises and other sources of funds (including errors and omissions).

Col. 25 Total funds

TABLE 4

Col. 26 Final consumption expenditure on goods and services netted for offsetting fees and charges for services rendered and sales of goods and services by general government.

Col. 27 New assets acquired whether for replacement or additions by general government, state public trading enterprises and local government authorities; includes maintenance as well as construction of new roads.

Col. 28 Existing assets/stocks is net expenditure on existing assets, mainly land and buildings, together with changes in the balance of stock accounts,

including those of public trading enterprises.

Col. 29 Interest excludes payments between authorities aggregated in the table and are primarily those to the commonwealth government on account of advances and to other sectors for borrowings from them.

Col. 30 Personal benefits are cash benefits to persons in the form of pensions etc. and unfunded employee retirement benefits.

Col. 31 Subsidies

Col. 32 Grants are those for private capital purposes - for example, for the construction of homes for the aged or of libraries in private schools.

Col. 33 Advances consist of loans and credit made available not only to the private sector but also to public financial enterprises, including in the latter capital contributions and provision of funds for on-lending.

Col. 34 Total outlays includes transfers overseas (very minor, if any), a category not shown separately in the table.

TABLE 5

Local government finances, 1855-1914, include those of corporations, district councils, central and district road boards and drainage boards. Road boards, 1855-75, were funded entirely by colonial parliamentary appropriations and aggregation of colonial and local government finances would include unstated duplication to that extent.

Col. 35 Rates are general municipal property rates.

Col. 36 Grants are those from the colonial/state government.

Col. 37 Business No businesses were recorded separately by the source as having been undertaken by local government during this period. Drainage rates or other revenue are in cols 35 or 38.

Col 38 Other revenue includes, probably, loan receipts.

Col 39 Total revenue

Col. 40 Works/services encompass general municipal works, such as roads construction and maintenance, health and sanitary services, including loan expenditures.

Col. 41 Business- see col. 37.

Col. 42 Other includes administrative expenses and debt charges.

Col. 43 Total expenditure

TABLE 6

From 1915 to 1935 businesses are not reported separately in the source. Their revenues were included in 'Other' (48) but it is unclear where their expenditures appeared nor whether the coverage was extended in 1936. Loan receipts and expenditures are not separately specified before 1936 and the source acknowledges some expenditures especially those on 'extraordinary' works were often omitted before that date. Consequences of these changes are noted below.

Col. 44 Rates are general municipal property rates only.

Col. 45 Other rates are special purpose rates and, from 1939, rates levied by municipal business undertakings. For 1923-35 they are included in col.44.

Col 46 Business, available from 1936, are total business revenues for 1936-38 and business sales and charges revenue thereafter.

Col. 47 Grants are from state government.

Col. 48 Other includes loan receipts (insofar as they were recorded) to 1936 and revenues of businesses to 1936 and 'other' revenues of businesses from 1939.

Col 49 Total revenue

Col. 50 Works/services is the expenditure, including that from loans, on municipal works and services other than those of business undertakings, except to the extent that the latter may be included before 1936.

Col. 51 Debt charges are primarily interest and sinking fund payments and, from 1939, include those of business undertakings.

Col. 52 Business, are total business expenditures, including from loans, for 1936-38 but, from 1939, exclude debt charges.

Col. 53 Other includes administration and before 1936 may include some expenditure by businesses.

Col. 54 Total expenditures

TABLE 7

This table represents total tax collections by the central government and includes, from 1928, motor taxes credited to the Main Roads Fund as well as those credited to CRF.

- Col. 55 Customs includes excise duties.
- Col. 56 Income tax is included with land tax 1886-8
- Col. 57 Land tax includes absentee tax and , 1886-8, income tax.
- Col. 58 Probate and succession duties
- Col. 59 Other stamp duty
- Col. 60 Motor taxes includes driving licences, registration fees and allied collections.
- Col. 61 Other are licences not elsewhere included.
- Col. 62 Total

TABLE 8

For 1930-68:

- Col. 63 Income taxes include arrears of income tax collected after 1942.
- Col. 64 Land tax
- Col. 65 Probate
- Col. 66 Other stamp duties
- Col. 67 Motor taxes
- Col. 68 Gambling taxes are racing taxes.
- Col. 69 Liquor taxes

Col. 70 Other taxes include licences not elsewhere included and, in 1968, other government authority taxation and lottery profits.

Col. 71 Total

DATING

From 1851 until 1858 the financial year used by the government ended on 31 December. Figures for 1859 are for the six months ending 30 June, and that date is used for the years 1860-64. Exceptionally among Australian financial statistics, an eighteen-month 'year', ending on 31 December is used for 1865. That closing date was adhered to in the years 1866-73 but 30 June was used again for the six-month 'year' 1874. All subsequent figures are for years ending at that date.

Local government finances for 1860-1914 are said to be for years terminating on 31 December. For 1914 to 1934 figures shown are those for corporations, ending 30 November, and for district councils, ending 30 June. From 1935 all data are to 30 June, with corporations having a seven-month period only recorded for that year.

TABLE 1

STATE GOVERNMENT DEBT, SURPLUS AND REVENUE,
1851-1968, POUNDS THOUSAND

- (1) PUBLIC DEBT
 (2) CURRENT ACCOUNT SURPLUS
 (3) TAXES
 (4) BUSINESSES
 (5) LAND REVENUE
 (6) OTHER
 (7) COMMONWEALTH
 (8) TOTAL REVENUE

(YEAR)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1851	0	39	101	7				
1852	0	103	79	7	96	19	0	223
1853	0	300	179	9	112	45	0	243
1854	135	173	170	8	308	44	0	540
1855	135	-236	141	8	383	34	0	595
1856	295	-120	164	12	257	48	0	454
1857	598	-83	165	13	251	53	0	480
1858	662	-59	168	20	243	34	0	455
1859	830	-48	80	17	228	54	0	470
1860	870	-95	156	31	124	30	0	251
1861	867	42	130	109	255	28	0	470
1862	853	-20	135	123	277	37	0	553
1863	867	-51	142	137	213	36	0	507
1864	839	99	204	162	255	47	0	581
1865	796	397	364	272	285	49	0	700
1866	776	-121	241	175	779	86	0	1501
1867	1078	-304	212	189	461	76	0	953
1868	1663	-359	211	145	252	65	0	718
1869	1781	-77	235	159	306	55	0	717
1870	1945	-93	204	134	323	61	0	778
1871	2168	2	250	185	234	86	0	658
1872	2095	2	270	154	260	86	0	781
1873	2175	93	380	255	224	68	0	716
1874	2990	-93	200	134	247	65	0	947
1875	3321	-138	392	270	143	27	0	504
1876	3837	101	449	322	337	65	0	1064
1877	4737	-116	470	316	421	133	0	1325
1878	5330	-60	534	379	432	114	0	1332
1879	6606	-138	539	479	475	121	0	1509
1880	9866	-63	540	545	544	110	0	1672
1881	11197	8	565	636	608	146	0	1839
1882	11369	148	663	658	647	182	0	2030
1883	13892	-192	724	714	794	206	0	2321
1884	15527	-389	629	809	429	181	0	2114
1885	17052	-285	579	924	508	204	0	2071
1886	18340	-271	823	814	287	219	0	2230
1887	19169	-313	621	835	224	257	0	2181
1888	19398	193	795	1137	330	241	0	1921
1889	20686	43	770	1190	246	175	0	2436
1890	21152	-52	789	1333	259	177	0	2382
						178	0	2559

(YEAR)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1891	21657	-23	860	1507	273	159	0	2799
1892	21104	-42	849	1539	258	163	0	2809
1893	22307	-258	787	1338	241	152	0	2518
1894	23102	-157	795	1334	247	208	0	2584
1895	23153	-164	799	1287	216	179	0	2481
1896	24216	-55	833	1345	222	168	0	2568
1897	24414	-79	912	1399	177	197	0	2685
1898	24309	-122	892	1367	190	161	0	2610
1899	24916	-37	943	1418	175	182	0	2718
1900	26132	-83	899	1553	157	219	0	2828
1901	26524	-120	617	1536	162	222	322	2859
1902	27374	-345	267	1216	156	195	623	2457
1903	27934	-110	399	1202	160	182	579	2522
1904	28613	-139	353	1287	176	181	557	2554
1905	28421	-61	442	1398	183	212	550	2785
1906	30213	-139	369	1487	206	226	562	2850
1907	30664	-143	412	1691	239	266	645	3253
1908	30135	274	478	1898	261	293	793	3722
1909	30583	-169	450	1810	285	339	708	3591
1910	31511	-163	481	1979	377	392	803	4033
1911	28522	0	546	2190	474	461	509	4181
1912	29639	0	553	2315	478	593	512	4451
1913	30370	-4	536	2450	360	630	527	4503
1914	33808	219	731	2597	300	655	540	4823
1915	35384	-689	589	1974	175	693	543	3973
1916	38339	-384	702	2192	269	654	541	4357
1917	39972	-315	726	2732	265	621	531	4875
1918	40629	26	1017	2846	259	868	536	5526
1919	43004	-79	1185	2680	290	1093	550	5798
1920	44741	126	1392	3362	267	984	578	6583
1921	51299	-393	1622	3367	296	1278	589	7151
1922	57405	-54	1779	3716	285	1369	622	7772
1923	61976	5	1817	4138	209	1633	635	8432
1924	66584	-54	1842	4370	292	1778	650	8932
1925	73001	53	2292	4573	279	1920	668	9733
1926	79786	13	2660	4710	306	2112	685	10474
1927	87770	-1050	2798	4765	297	2220	704	10785
1928	92020	-275	3187	4275	309	2854	721	11347
1929	94151	-931	3192	4556	300	2106	686	10841
1930	94834	-1626	2858	4184	242	2203	1064	10551

(YEAR)	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
1931	100746	-1814	3340	3423	153	1936	1873	10726
1932	114590	-1063	3076	3648	161	1893	1704	10482
1933	116685	-1009	2733	3686	185	1853	1704	10161
1934	118343	-844	2909	3529	188	1827	1734	10188
1935	118448	37	3224	3620	186	1878	2094	11002
1936	118911	149	3204	3849	212	2015	2129	11409
1937	119802	139	3541	4014	215	2055	1914	11739
1938	120559	127	3922	4322	216	2216	1784	12461
1939	121943	-397	4116	4214	201	2149	1624	12304
1940	127869	-162	4563	4243	236	2135	1579	12756
1941	123255	-83	4342	4592	296	2112	1583	12925
1942	121021	1170	4742	6030	259	2237	1734	15002
1943	123595	233	1789	7127	265	2413	3598	15193
1944	122751	15	1716	7271	268	2434	3857	15545
1945	120694	-553	1911	6875	242	2338	4193	15560
1946	126608	-1	2071	6209	230	2342	5490	16342
1947	136568	-61	2166	6065	257	2565	6139	17192
1948	148783	-313	2293	6443	291	2910	6906	18843
1949	148274	-284	2878	7297	258	3192	8220	21845
1950	156119	-190	3298	7951	274	3825	11012	26360
1951	171203	230	4052	8822	308	4512	13377	31072
1952	197994	89	4794	11462	306	5474	15551	37588
1953	223305	25	4992	13852	302	6359	18746	44251
1954	243335	1810	6540	15158	310	7303	19065	48376
1955	267099	-2234	7547	15797	379	8847	16114	48684
1956	289489	-1430	8075	16276	546	9675	20780	55352
1957	311475	-49	9311	17197	527	11356	23170	61561
1958	334982	-400	9772	18446	546	12100	25478	66342
1959	359776	-1027	10217	17888	559	12905	26461	68030
1960	385658	-312	11148	18111	613	14440	31765	76077
1961	412608	1188	11713	20053	662	16151	33399	81979
1962	439747	506	12575	21322	781	17266	37158	89102
1963	467995	290	13470	21793	842	17541	40038	93684
1964	498674	1625	14913	23627	1004	19161	42798	101503
1965	530223	-1311	17451	24064	1097	21033	43446	107091
1966	563321	-3417	18426	25349	1034	21412	48188	114408
1967	550349	53	21135	26702	1061	24950	51566	125412
1968	635589	-1430	22415	25911	1037	25669	57240	132272

TABLE 2

STATE GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE, 1851-1968,
POUNDS THOUSAND

- (9) DEBT CHARGES
 (10) BUSINESSES
 (11) OTHER PUBLIC WORKS
 (12) SOCIAL
 (13) LAW AND DEFENCE
 (14) PRIMARY
 (15) OTHER
 (16) TOTAL EXPENDITURE

(YEAR)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
1851	22	11	63	20	26	7	35	186
1852	16	6	34	11	20	7	46	140
1853	2	8	31	18	29	7	145	240
1854	18	10	196	23	59	14	102	486
1855	15	17	177	38	89	19	335	806
1856	20	243	181	47	62	23	245	821
1857	33	177	197	43	76	23	173	722
1858	66	172	138	34	77	26	148	661
1859	33	132	87	18	32	22	74	398
1860	67	194	124	42	85	36	116	664
1861	69	199	73	40	71	31	93	576
1862	53	171	107	38	78	25	86	558
1863	123	171	104	35	79	24	106	642
1864	93	161	122	42	69	23	109	619
1865	139	306	246	58	98	47	236	1130
1866	96	250	298	79	117	45	209	1094
1867	93	348	335	102	132	36	216	1261
1868	113	408	225	105	116	39	351	1357
1869	149	533	143	87	90	27	172	1201
1870	152	342	115	84	84	25	162	964
1871	170	415	124	71	76	26	153	1035
1872	150	311	110	70	78	29	122	870
1873	155	383	141	75	86	47	186	1073
1874	75	316	107	39	49	21	269	876
1875	213	638	248	100	104	46	246	1595
1876	213	701	292	133	113	60	292	1804
1877	231	609	353	150	112	97	404	1956
1878	267	1098	436	270	159	123	350	2702
1879	307	1179	542	227	189	127	372	2942
1880	398	1180	479	235	185	135	338	2950
1881	466	1735	491	258	200	136	318	3604
1882	508	1424	471	228	206	136	346	3319
1883	559	1244	483	252	257	227	320	3341
1884	611	1502	409	263	280	159	389	3613
1885	693	1469	402	273	243	192	286	3558
1886	729	1599	358	245	245	202	302	3679
1887	740	1681	213	216	215	171	220	3457
1888	730	1516	164	227	201	134	259	3231
1889	805	1263	170	219	193	314	249	3213
1890	958	1477	100	232	202	235	297	3503

(YEAR)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
1891	998	1195	107	239	209	225	334	3306
1892	972	1355	146	247	222	126	331	3399
1893	939	1364	114	279	205	152	321	3374
1894	1092	1382	83	261	172	119	292	3401
1895	989	1191	65	252	160	170	318	3147
1896	1009	1055	75	243	153	230	301	3066
1897	1039	1035	63	262	157	174	308	3036
1898	1009	1183	75	276	160	204	320	3227
1899	1008	1099	80	302	153	191	326	3159
1900	1028	1435	79	297	189	140	346	3514
1901	1043	1209	139	291	203	122	394	3401
1902	1061	1121	82	314	171	249	370	3368
1903	1089	999	95	307	132	174	304	3098
1904	1120	1000	109	273	130	150	327	3109
1905	1184	988	160	298	121	214	329	3295
1906	1262	1007	126	306	133	286	319	3439
1907	1499	1228	128	297	308	84	347	3891
1908	1252	1461	149	320	285	132	345	3944
1909	1456	1701	303	331	291	138	372	4592
1910	1667	2048	134	366	404	148	407	5174
1911	1344	2524	187	391	690	142	470	5748
1912	1380	2775	206	461	751	160	476	6207
1913	1314	3419	225	472	717	175	432	6754
1914	1260	3860	216	534	859	185	453	7367
1915	1308	3682	325	546	685	193	454	7195
1916	1339	3244	376	561	590	199	528	6838
1917	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7002
1918	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7087
1919	1754	2793	236	722	1599	231	560	7896
1920	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	9904
1921	1874	3819	533	989	1160	293	701	9371
1922	2221	4333	985	1034	879	297	767	10515
1923	2459	4778	873	1020	1747	313	717	11907
1924	2838	5042	1063	1131	1874	326	684	12958
1925	3180	6622	1002	1243	24	353	774	13200
1926	3831	7222	980	1411	1520	371	678	16013
1927	4035	8185	1213	1617	492	387	4848	20777
1928	4536	5679	1016	1574	876	400	1423	15504
1929	4623	5299	543	1659	1720	441	1022	15308
1930	4877	5035	522	1799	905	453	1077	14670

(YEAR)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)
1931	5583	3357	237	2225	762	441	401	13005
1932	5455	2723	202	2260	422	398	372	11832
1933	5370	2861	304	2067	384	374	537	11813
1934	5226	2984	381	1967	347	379	469	11703
1935	5005	3030	345	1917	629	364	740	11924
1936	4954	3375	661	2032	839	406	734	12892
1937	4997	3241	905	1986	655	387	769	12845
1938	5091	3592	1084	2032	5	414	1300	13467
1939	5130	3808	1436	2140	31	433	917	13927
1940	5282	3604	1028	2242	142	473	1021	13868
1941	5322	4341	1124	2064	136	472	950	14615
1942	5372	5151	759	1913	141	467	1338	15062
1943	5345	6361	312	1939	-259	487	1460	15538
1944	5345	6631	861	2088	-132	504	962	16005
1945	5341	6335	1111	2285	450	521	727	17095
1946	5194	6450	1076	2544	620	561	1012	17395
1947	5166	8075	1347	2991	364	615	1413	20881
1948	5191	8891	1697	3561	193	716	1362	22961
1949	5378	11332	2153	4139	849	815	1675	27343
1950	5628	14453	2871	4914	1351	952	4032	36518
1951	5877	21970	3789	6271	1184	1125	3800	49127
1952	6410	30421	6374	7921	2075	1455	4260	65294
1953	7043	27466	7313	9562	3662	1696	5192	66207
1954	8237	28277	6609	10299	4843	1832	5301	68627
1955	9725	31250	8314	11259	4457	1845	5707	74362
1956	11786	31448	10294	13202	4100	2129	5676	80934
1957	13153	30773	12735	14897	3028	3076	5697	85563
1958	14596	29277	13365	16208	2779	2699	7657	88494
1959	16026	28534	14177	18933	2651	2903	6711	93216
1960	17907	30766	14248	21739	2608	3246	7522	101538
1961	19305	31090	16667	24497	2699	3641	6549	107334
1962	21300	33567	17368	27745	3318	4044	7611	114878
1963	22807	34708	16912	30211	1741	4189	8392	118399
1964	24019	33873	18963	34160	2321	4517	9354	126302
1965	26205	38771	20523	39425	2509	4971	8017	139679
1966	28130	38401	22172	43775	2934	5345	9822	150093
1967	30132	37745	26278	46245	2941	6092	9774	158685
1968	32531	40938	21733	49045	4155	6682	11716	166314

TABLE 3

STATE GOVERNMENT DEBT, RECEIPTS AND FINANCING
ITEMS, 1963-82, \$ MILLION

- (17) PUBLIC DEBT
 (18) TAXES
 (19) BUSINESSES
 (20) PROPERTY INCOME
 (21) GRANTS
 (22) ADVANCES
 (23) BORROWING
 (24) OTHER FINANCING ITEMS
 (25) TOTAL FUNDS

(YEAR)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)
1963	936.0	45.2	23.2	8.2	95.4	62.0	13.6	-1.1	246.5
1964	997.0	51.2	30.1	9.5	101.9	65.5	13.2	8.0	279.4
1965	1060.0	57.8	30.9	10.1	108.0	70.0	14.0	20.8	311.6
1966	1127.0	64.1	32.3	10.7	119.4	73.1	14.7	31.9	346.2
1967	1101.0	71.3	34.6	11.8	129.7	77.8	16.9	26.5	368.6
1968	1271.0	78.7	31.3	12.9	144.7	81.6	20.1	2.6	372.0
1969	1355.0	86.9	36.0	14.5	160.1	96.8	33.3	-1.7	426.1
1970	1467.0	96.6	45.3	17.3	181.4	92.2	24.6	15.1	472.5
1971	1539.0	101.8	45.7	19.5	244.3	72.4	25.5	10.6	519.8
1972	1618.0	141.1	43.9	24.8	264.7	78.3	24.1	20.3	597.2
1973	1746.0	169.6	42.6	26.3	321.2	85.7	29.0	5.2	679.7
1974	1473.0	215.8	41.2	33.2	396.6	107.5	33.0	7.2	834.5
1975	1551.0	295.5	19.2	40.6	596.4	167.0	40.6	8.1	1167.3
1976	1390.0	366.6	59.2	46.8	772.2	186.5	49.6	-38.6	1442.3
1977	1492.0	424.8	54.2	62.6	836.4	174.6	62.0	41.7	1656.2
1978	1603.0	445.4	49.9	69.9	961.4	192.0	79.7	101.6	1899.9
1979	1702.0	483.5	60.5	80.3	1015.0	162.0	86.9	34.7	1923.0
1980	1781.0	522.6	64.0	86.6	1113.9	109.6	99.3	-2.0	1994.1
1981	1871.0	558.9	85.7	106.0	1227.2	110.4	82.2	112.0	2282.5
1982	1962.0	630.6	112.6	123.6	1331.0	76.4	131.4	113.7	2519.3

TABLE 4

STATE AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES OUTLAYS,
1963-1982, \$ MILLION

- (26) FINAL CONSUMPTION
 (27) EXPENDITURE ON NEW FIXED ASSETS
 (28) EXISTING ASSETS PLUS INCREASE IN STOCKS
 (29) INTEREST PAID
 (30) PERSONAL BENEFITS
 (31) SUBSIDIES
 (32) GRANTS FOR PRIVATE CAPITAL PURPOSES
 (33) TOTAL NET ADVANCES
 (34) TOTAL OUTLAY

(YEAR)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
1963	78.3	111.8	1.3	44.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	10.1	246.5
1964	87.5	125.8	0.1	47.5	2.8	0.5	0.6	14.7	279.4
1965	96.6	141.4	0.7	51.4	2.9	0.2	1.9	16.6	311.6
1966	107.3	154.8	2.9	55.9	3.5	0.2	2.1	19.3	346.2
1967	119.6	160.8	2.6	62.0	3.7	0.3	2.4	17.2	368.6
1968	129.1	150.2	2.5	67.5	3.9	.6	1.8	16.4	372.0
1969	142.2	187.9	2.3	73.6	4.4	.7	2.1	13.0	426.1
1970	161.4	193.5	10.2	82.9	5.6	.5	2.5	16.0	472.5
1971	197.6	197.4	6.8	91.0	6.2	.6	2.8	17.4	519.8
1972	238.0	213.2	11.5	101.2	9.2	1.0	3.2	19.9	597.2
1973	286.4	231.1	12.7	107.5	11.6	.9	6.5	23.0	679.7
1974	381.4	258.4	34.2	116.5	13.9	1.2	5.6	23.1	834.5
1975	548.9	385.6	44.7	131.5	16.6	1.6	5.9	32.5	1167.3
1976	724.9	472.8	33.1	139.6	18.1	3.7	4.9	45.2	1442.3
1977	886.3	489.6	39.4	170.6	17.5	3.8	6.4	42.5	1656.2
1978	1038.7	517.1	27.2	199.4	18.3	5.4	9.5	84.4	1899.9
1979	1109.6	484.6	21.4	221.8	20.1	5.2	7.2	53.1	1923.0
1980	1197.7	494.7	11.4	245.9	23.2	7.3	6.8	7.0	1994.1
1981	1396.2	537.6	-.8	281.1	19.5	11.1	8.0	29.8	2282.5
1982	1538.1	606.3	-.8	312.6	21.2	13.9	12.8	15.1	2519.3

TABLE 5

LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCES, 1855-1914,
POUNDS THOUSAND

(YEAR)	(35)	(36)	(37)	(38)	(39)	(40)	(41)	(42)	(43)
1855	27	17	0	87	131	120	0	11	131
1856	30	27	0	59	115	102	0	11	113
1857	23	31	0	131	184	168	0	7	176
1858	23	23	0	96	142	139	0	8	147
1859	22	24	0	99	145	134	0	9	142
1860	23	21	0	55	100	91	0	8	98
1861	23	22	0	68	113	104	0	8	113
1862	22	21	0	78	122	111	0	9	120
1863	25	23	0	73	120	110	0	10	120
1864	26	23	0	90	140	124	0	10	134
1865	29	27	0	130	186	154	0	10	165
1866	30	34	0	209	273	263	0	11	274
1867	36	46	0	242	324	307	0	13	320
1868	38	32	0	173	243	221	0	16	237
1869	41	27	0	106	174	148	0	19	167
1870	41	27	0	92	160	143	0	18	160
1871	40	38	0	98	177	147	0	27	174
1872	42	35	0	79	155	126	0	26	152
1873	43	32	0	118	193	163	0	27	191
1874	46	28	0	134	208	173	0	41	213
1875	55	40	0	95	190	143	0	46	190
1876	59	224	0	41	323	273	0	48	321
1877	63	203	0	47	313	260	0	54	314
1878	73	245	0	59	377	307	0	67	373
1879	82	275	0	85	442	364	0	74	439
1880	85	266	0	78	430	334	0	87	420
1881	91	286	0	82	459	376	0	72	447
1882	96	258	0	90	444	346	0	97	442
1883	105	306	0	98	509	399	0	102	501
1884	115	259	0	106	480	362	0	106	467
1885	108	237	0	95	440	326	0	107	433
1886	104	127	0	89	320	213	0	110	322
1887	94	32	0	72	198	102	0	97	199
1888	95	33	0	82	210	95	0	111	207
1889	122	100	0	67	289	150	0	107	257
1890	125	148	0	86	360	251	0	109	360
1891	133	132	0	86	351	223	0	131	354
1892	130	130	0	85	345	209	0	135	344
1893	134	137	0	91	361	198	0	149	347
1894	133	102	0	79	315	192	0	137	329
1895	129	130	0	70	329	186	0	133	319

(YEAR)	(35)	(36)	(37)	(38)	(39)	(40)	(41)	(42)	(43)
1896	132	130	0	64	326	188	0	140	328
1897	128	133	0	68	329	186	0	144	330
1898	133	124	0	114	370	200	0	162	362
1899	136	121	0	79	337	187	0	149	336
1900	142	133	0	73	349	190	0	156	346
1901	151	129	0	89	369	208	0	160	368
1902	151	117	0	87	354	201	0	161	362
1903	150	110	0	85	344	187	0	161	348
1904	168	93	0	89	350	193	0	154	347
1905	167	104	0	98	369	199	0	166	365
1906	174	100	0	96	370	202	0	160	363
1907	182	110	0	69	361	198	0	157	355
1908	187	127	0	78	392	216	0	168	383
1909	198	125	0	92	415	261	0	158	419
1910	209	163	0	89	461	275	0	176	450
1911	241	168	0	94	502	299	0	204	503
1912	257	178	0	113	548	329	0	228	556
1913	280	168	0	104	552	380	0	210	589
1914	300	199	0	103	602	362	0	233	595

TABLE 6

LOCAL GOVERNMENT FINANCES,
1915-1967, POUNDS THOUSAND

(44) GENERAL RATES
 (45) OTHER RATES
 (46) BUSINESSES
 (47) GRANTS
 (48) OTHER
 (49) TOTAL RECEIPTS
 (50) WORKS, SERVICES
 (51) DEBT CHARGES
 (52) BUSINESSES
 (53) OTHER
 (54) TOTAL EXPENDITURE

(YEAR)	(44)	(45)	(46)	(47)	(48)	(49)	(50)	(51)	(52)	(53)	(54)
1915	213	90	NA	58	94	455	323	28	NA	142	493
1916	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1917	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1918	265	92	NA	65	109	531	401	29	NA	117	547
1919	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
1920	296	118	NA	201	193	808	638	32	NA	152	822
1921	352	141	NA	290	185	968	758	35	NA	173	966
1922	390	169	NA	258	216	1032	852	41	NA	189	1082
1923	624	NA	NA	284	254	1162	962	51	NA	209	1223
1924	700	NA	NA	308	294	1301	999	57	NA	262	1318
1925	749	NA	NA	364	409	1522	1152	75	NA	315	1542
1926	820	NA	NA	471	430	1721	1354	94	NA	351	1798
1927	902	NA	NA	470	593	1965	1573	120	NA	338	2031
1928	954	NA	NA	516	605	2075	1729	133	NA	330	2192
1929	988	NA	NA	564	551	2103	1603	127	NA	341	2072
1930	971	NA	NA	502	445	1918	1565	124	NA	332	2021
1931	836	NA	NA	199	271	1306	950	128	NA	258	1337
1932	792	NA	NA	252	270	1314	963	107	NA	199	1269
1933	786	NA	NA	314	305	1405	1098	118	NA	209	1425
1934	787	NA	NA	246	314	1347	1018	113	NA	218	1349
1935	605	NA	NA	278	254	1137	867	82	NA	166	1115
1936	864	82	94	257	112	1409	1033	87	86	192	1398
1937	865	92	112	293	187	1549	1239	102	144	244	1729
1938	901	181	111	355	73	1621	1354	119	130	142	1745
1939	919	171	107	444	51	1692	1356	113	123	143	1734
1940	947	180	115	385	47	1673	1368	125	101	141	1736
1941	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1585	13	NA	113	NA	1556
1942	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1509	4	NA	118	NA	1395
1943	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1548	3	NA	130	NA	1355
1944	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	1522	1	NA	147	NA	1432
1945	994	182	167	188	52	1582	1157	83	151	166	1556
1946	1046	206	177	234	74	1737	1422	81	155	181	1840
1947	1163	236	189	371	73	2031	1829	96	188	205	2319
1948	1334	259	202	496	79	2370	2048	102	219	221	2590
1949	1515	317	226	606	94	2757	2333	136	269	253	2992
1950	1659	404	268	748	110	3190	2827	188	293	288	3597

(YEAR)	(44)	(45)	(46)	(47)	(48)	(49)	(50)	(51)	(52)	(53)	(54)
1951	1915	442	301	981	150	3790	3041	245	403	498	4187
1952	2384	557	346	1289	194	4770	4048	315	480	617	5460
1953	2925	706	430	1153	186	5400	4426	370	538	671	6006
1954	3310	745	476	1934	245	6709	5525	424	506	725	7180
1955	3572	847	526	1918	244	7107	6664	511	569	753	8497
1956	4133	1017	532	2190	285	8157	7498	677	498	868	9541
1957	4835	1248	453	2366	319	9221	8162	734	531	986	10412
1958	5219	1397	518	2424	303	9861	8438	753	616	1045	10852
1959	5605	1605	539	2474	317	10540	9323	806	569	1249	11947
1960	6063	1590	541	2739	335	11268	10064	842	642	1190	12738
1961	6624	1991	591	3198	114	12518	11889	913	621	1493	14916
1962	7531	2338	635	3363	118	13985	12432	1133	621	1570	15756
1963	8064	4007	677	1608	191	14547	13140	1320	773	1720	16933
1964	8587	5098	701	2159	319	16863	15407	1688	733	1793	19620
1965	9413	2795	694	3798	292	16991	15662	1826	810	1974	20277
1966	10311	3239	794	4313	351	19006	17394	2123	875	2200	22591
1967	11549	3626	794	4631	646	21244	19580	2523	1026	2390	25519

TABLE 7

STATE TAXATION COLLECTIONS,
1851-1929, POUNDS THOUSAND

(YEAR)	(55)	(56)	(57)	(58)	(59)	(60)	(61)	(62)
1851	93	0	0	0	0	0	8	101
1852	73	0	0	0	0	0	6	79
1853	171	0	0	0	0	0	8	179
1854	161	0	0	0	0	0	9	170
1855	129	0	0	0	0	0	11	140
1856	152	0	0	0	0	0	11	163
1857	152	0	0	0	0	0	13	165
1858	155	0	0	0	0	0	14	169
1859	67	0	0	0	0	0	13	80
1860	142	0	0	0	0	0	14	156
1861	115	0	0	0	0	0	15	130
1862	120	0	0	0	0	0	15	135
1863	127	0	0	0	0	0	15	142
1864	188	0	0	0	0	0	16	204
1865	346	0	0	0	0	0	18	364
1866	230	0	0	0	0	0	11	241
1867	201	0	0	0	0	0	11	212
1868	199	0	0	0	0	0	12	211
1869	223	0	0	0	0	0	12	235
1870	189	0	0	0	0	0	15	204
1871	235	0	0	0	0	0	15	250
1872	257	0	0	0	0	0	13	270
1873	367	0	0	0	0	0	13	380
1874	187	0	0	0	0	0	14	201
1875	378	0	0	0	0	0	14	392
1876	435	0	0	1	0	0	15	451
1877	450	0	0	8	0	0	15	473
1878	509	0	0	8	0	0	16	533
1879	510	0	0	13	0	0	17	540
1880	511	0	0	12	0	0	17	540
1881	529	0	0	10	0	0	26	565
1882	620	0	0	16	0	0	27	663
1883	679	0	0	17	0	0	28	724
1884	578	0	0	22	0	0	28	628
1885	534	0	0	16	0	0	28	578
1886	569	0	203	24	0	0	27	823
1887	435	0	117	18	21	0	27	618
1888	583	0	124	21	37	0	28	793
1889	587	37	70	18	37	0	18	767
1890	601	44	66	24	35	0	17	787

(YEAR)	(55)	(56)	(57)	(58)	(59)	(60)	(61)	(62)
1891	647	47	70	28	39	0	28	859
1892	649	49	65	26	36	0	24	849
1893	570	58	76	31	29	0	23	787
1894	541	73	75	56	27	0	23	795
1895	534	58	86	71	26	0	24	799
1896	591	83	75	34	28	0	22	833
1897	630	82	78	100	29	0	21	940
1898	607	83	81	69	28	0	22	890
1899	630	86	78	100	28	0	21	943
1900	643	94	78	34	29	0	21	899
1901	332	88	80	65	31	0	21	617
1902	0	81	76	61	30	0	19	267
1903	0	114	106	104	55	0	20	399
1904	0	121	78	73	62	0	19	353
1905	0	137	115	109	61	0	20	442
1906	0	129	94	60	66	0	19	368
1907	0	167	90	60	76	0	19	412
1908	0	213	96	70	79	0	21	479
1909	0	161	92	86	89	0	23	451
1910	0	181	94	85	98	0	23	481
1911	0	169	136	110	109	0	23	547
1912	0	207	119	96	107	0	23	552
1913	0	210	142	59	101	0	24	536
1914	0	241	137	226	101	0	26	731
1915	0	236	132	114	81	0	26	589
1916	0	212	154	184	114	0	37	701
1917	0	265	139	135	145	0	43	727
1918	0	452	165	170	180	0	49	1016
1919	0	542	155	222	213	0	29	1161
1920	0	662	146	193	325	37	28	1391
1921	0	852	168	158	370	43	31	1622
1922	0	975	162	198	347	66	31	1779
1923	0	903	197	205	397	83	31	1816
1924	0	894	184	191	430	111	31	1841
1925	0	1269	186	226	443	136	32	2292
1926	0	1423	244	269	464	226	34	2660
1927	0	1359	367	242	504	289	36	2797
1928	0	1804	458	328	527	545	70	3732
1929	0	1736	453	330	531	568	83	3701

TABLE 8

STATE TAXATION COLLECTIONS, 1930-68,
POUNDS THOUSAND

(YEAR)	(63)	(64)	(65)	(66)	(67)	(68)	(69)	(70)	(71)
1930	1507	440	395	380	621	52	35	58	3488
1931	1802	487	254	286	462	34	34	40	3399
1932	1484	435	323	165	500	117	19	33	3076
1933	1255	306	300	177	503	124	32	35	2732
1934	1302	346	299	190	529	193	32	34	2925
1935	1474	351	315	206	565	289	31	35	3266
1936	1495	294	234	225	608	405	33	44	3338
1937	1677	362	300	243	640	380	32	37	3671
1938	2033	325	245	278	673	373	35	37	3999
1939	2103	321	367	250	716	373	34	36	4200
1940	2359	320	563	236	688	382	34	36	4618
1941	2476	306	280	236	698	348	34	40	4418
1942	2819	300	587	233	596	279	33	35	4882
1943	227	306	382	212	562	34	34	33	1790
1944	85	297	400	223	572	128	34	35	1774
1945	49	290	521	236	602	254	35	34	2021
1946	53	289	557	288	651	298	34	37	2207
1947	23	286	553	350	737	267	36	41	2293
1948	7	285	584	391	795	295	38	44	2439
1949	8	285	772	436	1108	316	38	75	3038
1950	3	283	825	637	1267	344	40	76	3475
1951	1	282	997	779	1459	702	43	83	4346
1952	1	405	1081	852	1660	1015	46	91	5151
1953	0	574	1002	899	1727	998	52	89	5341
1954	4	568	1593	1040	2468	1087	55	96	6911
1955	1	568	1661	1227	3238	1070	58	97	7920
1956	0	567	1846	1274	3477	1167	62	104	8497
1957	1	1401	1872	1351	3670	1163	130	146	9734
1958	1	1390	2059	1514	3760	1113	188	148	10173
1959	0	1397	2145	1619	4013	1032	201	169	10576
1960	0	1360	2360	2092	4239	1077	208	186	11522
1961	0	1400	2402	2308	4433	1141	211	197	12092
1962	0	1272	1531	2121	4635	1115	529	239	11442
1963	0	2457	2625	2310	4872	1109	222	250	13845
1964	0	2450	3080	2691	5326	1131	373	259	15310
1965	0	2484	3302	4318	6412	1296	547	267	18626
1966	0	2819	3067	3989	7803	1226	571	290	19765
1967	0	3823	3661	4608	8129	1271	836	317	22645
1968	0	3850	4076	5192	8525	1009	1118	1431	25201

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CORRIGENDA

P.6 Col.4 Businesses The first five lines of this definition should be amended to read:

'Col.4 Businesses comprise the earnings of railways, postal and telegraph services (to 1901), water and sewerage and electricity. It does not include businesses, such as those associated with export marketing, that are included, 1907-35, in the *Finance Bulletin* category 'Other public services'. Harbour...'

P.7 Col.10 Businesses should have added to it:

'Excludes *Finance Bulletin's* 1907-35 category 'Other public works' which undoubtedly includes some minor business activities, but includes its 1936-68 category 'Other businesses'.

P. 7 Col. 12 Social needs the following addition:

'Loan expenditure on housing, available 1933-68, excludes that connected with Commonwealth State Housing Agreements.'

P.8 Col.15 Other This definition should be extended as:

'...industry, except that loan expenditure is wrongly included in Col. 14 for the years 1907-68. Also includes *Finance Bulletin* category 'Other public works', 1907-35.'

TABLE 2

(S.A.) STATE GOVERNMENT EXPENDITURE, 1851-1968, POUNDS THOUSAND

With the exception of those affecting cols (13) and (14), these errors also exist in figures to be published in W. Vamplew (ed), *Australians: Historical Statistics*, (Fairfax, Syme & Weldon Associates, forthcoming).

In 1854 and 1855, loan expenditure (the purpose of which is unknown) was included in the total but not in column (15). For those years that column should read:

1854	166
1855	451

Columns (13) and (14) were transposed for the years 1907-68. Column (15) should have included, 1907-35, the *Finance Bulletin* category 'Other public works', basically servicing and repairing public buildings; it was formerly in column (10). Column (12) lacked, 1933-68, loan expenditure on housing, which was missing in expenditure components but not from the total and there was a transcription error in 1925. Correct figures are:

(YEAR)	(10)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
1907	1064		84	308	511
1908	1274		132	285	532
1909	1421		138	291	652
1910	1765		148	404	690
1911	2141		142	690	853
1912	2427		160	749	824
1913	3002		175	717	849
1914	3468		185	859	845
1915	3290		193	685	846
1916	2973		199	590	799
1917	NA		NA	NA	NA
1918	NA		NA	NA	NA
1919	2469		231	1599	884
1920	NA		NA	NA	NA
1921	3356		293	1160	1164
1922	3878		297	879	1222
1923	4318		313	1747	1177
1924	4497		326	1874	1229
1925	6046		353	24	1352
1926	6609		371	1520	1291
1927	7576		387	492	5457
1928	5307		400	876	1795
1929	4960		441	1720	1361
1930	4728		453	905	1384
1931	3017		441	762	741
1932	2437		398	422	658

(YEAR)	(10)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)
1933	2594	1981	374	384	804
1934	2716	1915	379	347	737
1935	2782	1812	364	629	988
1936		1922	406	839	734
1937		1891	387	655	769
1938		1979	414	5	1300
1939		2170	433	31	917
1940		2316	473	142	1021
1941		2268	472	136	950
1942		1835	467	141	1338
1943		1833	487	-261	1460
1944		1835	504	-132	962
1945		2610	521	450	727
1946		2481	561	620	1012
1947		3903	615	364	1413
1948		4912	716	193	1362
1949		5140	815	849	1675
1950		7231	952	1351	4032
1951		11382	1125	1184	3800
1952		14299	1455	2075	4260
1953		13835	1696	3662	5192
1954		13528	1832	4843	5301
1955		13063	1845	4457	5707
1956		15501	2129	4100	5676
1957		17101	3076	3028	5697
1958		18121	2699	2779	7657
1959		22214	2908	2651	6711
1960		25241	3246	2608	7522
1961		27383	3641	2699	6549
1962		27670	4044	3318	7611
1963		29650	4189	1741	8392
1964		33255	4517	2321	9354
1965		38682	4971	2509	8017
1966		43291	5345	2934	9822
1967		45724	6092	2941	9774
1968		48558	6682	4155	11716