

THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON ALMANACK FOR 1873.

POPULATION OF BRITISH COLONIES.

Name of Colony.	Population.	Date of Return.	Capital.
Anguilla	2,500		
Antigua	35,412	1865	St. John's
Bahamas	35,267	1861	Nassau
Barbadoes	152,727	1861	Bridgetown
Bermuda	11,461	1861	Hamilton
British Columbia (including Vancouver Island)	14,000		Victoria
Canada	3,357,000	1868	Ottawa
Cape Colony	566,168	1865	Cape Town
Ceylon	2,088,027	1866	Colombo
Dominica	25,065		Roseau
Falkland Islands	648	1866	Stanley
Gambia	6,939	1861	Bathurst, St. Mary's
Gibraltar	25,169	1866	
Gold Coast	151,364	1858	Cape Coast Castle
Grenada	35,672	1866	St. George
Guiana, British	155,026	1867	George Town
Heligoland	2,172	1866	
Honduras	25,635	1861	Relize
Hong-Kong	124,198	1871	Victoria
Jamaica	441,264	1861	St. Jago de la Vega
Labuan	3,828	1865	
Lagos	6,500		
Malta	139,592	1866	Valetta
Mauritius	392,805	1868	Port Louis
Montserrat	7,645		Plymouth
Natal	193,103	1866	D'Urban
Nevis	9,822	1861	Charlestown
New Brunswick			Fredericton
Newfoundland	130,000		St. John
New South Wales	431,412	1866	Sydney
New Zealand	220,092	1867	Wellington
Nova Scotia			Halifax
Prince Edward Island	90,000	1866	Charlottetown
Queensland	99,849	1867	Brisbane
St. Christopher	24,440	1861	Basseterre
St. Helena	6,444	1861	James Town
St. Lucia	25,519	1866	Castries
St. Vincent	31,755	1861	Kingston
Sierra Leone	41,806	1866	Free Town
South Australia	172,860	1867	Adelaide
Straits Settlements			Singapore
Tasmania	98,455	1867	Hobart Town
Tobago	15,410	1861	Scarborough
Trinidad	84,438	1861	Port d'Espagne
Turks and Caicos	4,372	1861	Grand Turk
Victoria	731,523	1870	Melbourne
Virgin Islands	6,051	1861	Road Town, Totola
West Australia	21,713	1867	Perth

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 Stamp and Tax Offices—Good Friday, Queen's Birthday, June 10, 11, 23, first Monday in August, Nov. 9, Dec. 25.
 Chancery Offices—Good Friday, April 22, 23; Dec. 25.
 Common Pleas and Law Offices—Good Friday, April 20, 22, 23; Queen's Birthday; June 10, 11; first Monday in August; Dec. 25, 26, 27, 28.