

CONDITION OF THE BANKS.

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Comparative view of the average weekly condition of the banks of the State of South Carolina, from their returns for the month of December, 1859, made conformably to acts of 1840 and 1855.

	Bank State of South Caro- lina.	Branch Bank State of South Carolina, Co- lumbia.	Branch Bank State of South Carolina, Camden.	Southwestern Railroad Bank.	Planter's & Mechanics' Bank.	
DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.						
Capital stock.....	\$1,088,362 34	.....	.....	8872,475 00	\$1,000,000 00	
Bills in circulation.....	1,815,552 62	.....	.....	321,280 00	257,835 00	
Net profits on hand.....	44,008 57	810,194 18	82,672 24	149,637 71	141,075 51	
Balance due to banks in this State.....	73,798 82	*1,048,563 01	*361,701 79	74,513 07	18,567 43	
Balance due to banks in other States.....	9,303 38	.....	.....	49,211 54	152,171 60	
All other money due which bear interest.....	250,483 20	.....	.....	1,450 00	.....
State treasury for balance current fund.....	207,476 54	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for balance sinking fund.....	1,804,811 54	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for loan for rebuilding the city.....	1,163,904 66	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cash deposited and all other money due, exclusive of bills in circulation, profits on hand, balance due to other banks, and money bearing interest.....	567,599 13	309,239 96	11,503 12	338,533 47	279,122 50	
Total Liabilities.....	7,025,300 80	1,367,997 15	375,877 15	1,827,100 79	1,848,772 45	
RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.						
Specie on hand.....	319,103 33	15,364 49	1,816 53	81,772 70	117,675 73	
Real estate.....	129,256 69	.....	890 52	41,702 46	98,525 41	
Bills of other banks in this State.....	42,593 00	65,642 00	35,833 00	15,751 00	16,595 00	
Bills of banks in other States.....	18,195 00	.....	95 00	.....	.....
Balance due from banks in this State.....	87,717 13	.....	1,030 02	41,397 83	28,600 61	
Balance due from banks in other States.....	44,694 47	17,298 92	4,071 74	132,161 23	42,443 06	
Notes discounted on personal security.....	1,877,488 72	709,407 71	183,579 61	643,698 80	687,256 27	
Loans secured by pledge of its own stock.....	.....	.....	.....	6,937 00	.....
Loans secured by pledge of other stock.....	281,823 18	.....	.....	90,000 00	179,561 00	
Domestic exchange.....	704,236 81	108,831 13	75,630 37	178,335 01	398,181 78	
Foreign exchange.....	249,571 59	.....	.....	15,885 64	46,182 10	
Bonds.....	380,551 19	20,497 11	37,680 36	126,190 80	88,794 18	
Money invested in stock.....	551,593 77	.....	.....	186,362 89	153,748 61	
Suspended debt and debt in suit.....	346,058 90	198,799 43	25,248 00	53,327 06	13,141 37	
State treasury.....	.....	232,156 36	.....	.....	.....
Branches and agencies.....	1,439,664 87	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston.....	122,447 12	.....	.....	.....	.....
Interest and expenses of State loan.....	8,920 99	.....	.....	.....	.....
Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars.....	1421,184 11	.....	.....	938,515 31	11,130 29	
Total resources of the banks..	7,025,300 80	1,367,997 15	375,877 15	1,827,100 79	1,848,772 45	
Rates and amounts of the last dividend.....	For last fiscal year.	Included in profits of parent bank.	Included in profits of parent bank.	6 per cent. per annum, 26,174 25	7 per cent. per annum, 35,000 00	
Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend.....	.....	.....	.....	129,455 92	98,900 00	

* This is due the mother bank at Charleston for capital, &c.

† Advances to the State for sundry purposes.

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DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.

Capital stock.....	
Bills in circulation.....	
Net profits on hand.....	
Balance due to banks in this State.....	
Balance due to banks in other States.....	
All other money due which bear interest.....	
State treasury for balance current fund.....	
State treasury for balance sinking fund.....	
State treasury for loan for rebuilding the city.....	
Cash deposited and all other money due, exclusive of bills in circulation, profits on hand, balance due to other banks, and money bearing interest.....	
Total Liabilities.....	1,7

RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.

Specie on hand.....	
Real estate.....	4
Bills of other banks in this State.....	
Bills of banks in other States.....	
Balance due from banks in this State.....	2
Balance due from banks in other States.....	
Notes discounted on personal security.....	1
Loans secured by pledge of its own stock.....	60.
Loans secured by pledge of other stock.....	41.
Domestic exchange.....	100.
Foreign exchange.....	68.
Bonds.....	50.
Money invested in stock.....	22.
Suspended debt and debt in suit.....	39.
State treasury.....	
Branches and agencies.....	
Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston.....	
Interest and expenses of State loan.....	
Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars.....	
Total resources of the banks..	1,763,

Rates and amounts of the last dividend.....	
Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend	25,

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O.—Condition of the banks in South Carolina—Continued.

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on December, 1859, made

inch	Southwestern State of Carolina, idem	Planters & Mechanics Bank	Union Bank of Charleston	State Bank of South Caro- lina	Bank of South Carolina	Bank of Charleston	Farmers' and Exchange Bank of Charleston
DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.							
Capital stock.....	\$1,000,000 00	\$1,000,000 00	\$1,000,000 00	\$3,160,800 00	\$1,000,000 00	\$1,000,000 00	\$1,000,000 00
Bills in circulation.....	441,725 00	460,980 00	86,525 00	907,102 00	57,969,365 00	.....	.....
Net profits on hand.....	54,713 61	104,649 01	100,721 32	390,360 95	109,656 61	.....	.....
Balance due to banks in this State.....	39,438 85	102,480 57	12,915 82	184,944 67	9,116 52	.....	.....
Balance due to banks in other States.....	29,049 87	21,013 50	34,772 94	266,337 52	9,879 11	.....	.....
All other money due which bear interest.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for balance current fund.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for balance sinking fund.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for loan for rebuild- ing the city.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cash deposited and all other mo- ney due, exclusive of bills in circulation, profits on hand, bal- ance due to other banks, and money bearing interest.....	198,082 78	248,429 63	185,091 17	713,360 62	120,180 46	.....	.....
Total liabilities.....	1,763,010 11	1,937,561 93	1,420,538 23	5,742,895 76	2,918,197 70	.....	.....
RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.							
Specie on hand.....	128,848 99	132,276 23	49,181 47	438,018 86	196,318 00	.....	.....
Real estate.....	40,000 00	80,000 00	40,000 00	101,000 00	48,354 62	.....	.....
Bills of other banks in this State.....	5,723 00	8,875 00	8,339 00	24,170 00	8,837 75	.....	.....
Bills of banks in other States.....	5,947 00	68 00	.....	4,677 00	2,942 50	.....	.....
Balance due from banks in this State.....	20,260 46	27,887 67	20,683 41	42,744 44	25,067 83	.....	.....
Balance due from banks in other States.....	10,617 15	.....	12,402 00	250,393 87	64,296 26	.....	.....
Notes discounted on personal se- curity.....	607,720 52	453,465 25	843,339 36	2,949,388 36	783,086 13	.....	.....
Loans secured by pledge of its own stock.....	41,904 98	6,050 00	5,250 00	40,460 00	25,787 50	.....	.....
Loans secured by pledge of other stock.....	106,074 50	52,400 00	58,580 00	42,375 00	64,692 00	.....	.....
Domestic exchange.....	683,862 00	999,063 49	315,925 24	1,464,664 97	802,798 19	.....	.....
Foreign exchange.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonds.....	50,711 67	18,307 63	38,246 42	149,191 66	.....	.....	.....
Money invested in stock.....	23,222 60	134,000 00	2,250 00	32,067 63	6,000 00	.....	.....
Suspended debt and debt in suit.....	39,117 24	25,368 61	7,781 95	715,417 11	8,420 00	.....	.....
State treasury.....	.....	.....	.....	149,801 75	128,921 36	.....	.....
Branches and agencies.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Interest and expenses of State loan.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars.....	.....	.....	.....	18,577 40	38,595 11	60,575 56	.....
Total resources of the banks..	1,763,010 11	1,937,561 93	1,420,538 23	5,742,895 76	2,918,197 70	.....	.....
Rates and amounts of the last divi- dend.....	5 per cent. per annum, 25,000 00	6 per cent. per annum, 30,000 00	6 per cent. per annum, 20,999 70	7 per cent. per annum, 110,628 00	8 per cent. per annum, 40,000 00	.....	.....
Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend	25,759 88	65,141 19	68,094 24	277,459 52	81,007 25

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O.—Condition of the banks in South Carolina—Continued.

	People's Bank of South Carolina, Charleston.	Commercial Bank of Columbia.	Bank of Newberry.	Planters' Bank of Fair- field.	Exchange Bank of Co- lumbia.	Mercantile Bank of Charleston.
DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.						
Capital stock	\$1,000,000 00	\$800,000 00	\$392,425 00	\$300,000 00	\$500,000 00	\$400,000 00
Bills in circulation	843,720 00	390,180 00	723,610 00	448,375 00	965,497 50	481,431 00
Net profits on hand	145,070 42	45,080 52	101,513 86	38,547 02	104,157 35	77,019 10
Balance due to banks in this State	125,140 45	6,766 90	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balance due to banks in other States	54,098 36	3,512 02	28,071 76	9,367 97	26,634 27	7,777 3
All other moneys due which bear interest .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for balance current fund .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for balance sinking fund .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury for loan for rebuilding the city .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cash deposited and all other moneys due, exclusive of bills in circulation; profits on hand, balance due other banks, and money bearing interest	222,136 55	211,623 31	72,056 61	96,569 25	100,367 65	32,414 87
Total liabilities	2,391,068 28	1,457,762 75	1,318,277 03	893,059 24	1,696,586 77	998,649 3
RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.						
Specie on hand	233,573 39	114,178 75	50,947 16	44,728 68	46,839 84	40,565 29
Real estate	38,800 00	15,776 70	3,000 00	.....	.....	17,438 00
Bills of other banks in this State	15,659 00	41,976 00	26,821 0	13,046 00	8,592 00	7,731 00
Bills of banks in other States	1,417 00	.....	1,754 00	55 00	915 00	10,305 00
Balance due from banks in this State	30,848 89	28,354 31	76,971 32	81,949 05	59,149 18	73,733 01
Balance due from banks in other States	56,853 02	44,078 05	.....	732 03	6,218 62	16,076 01
Notes discounted on personal security	518,862 39	604,503 67	156,488 17	45,883 31	163,353 18	140,940 00
Loans secured by pledge of its own stock	35,075 00	58,054 13	8,516 48	.....	21,075 00	31,560 00
Loans secured by pledge of other stock	487,049 72	35,918 18	28,423 47	.....	97,682 50	.....
Domestic exchange	725,356 98	454,473 88	707,560 48	587,761 83	1,173,357 47	644,226 00
Foreign exchange	48,581 37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonds	174,162 64	9,443 33	4,500 00	20,000 00	93,024 18	.....
Money invested in stock	14,806 88	51,007 95	13,488 91	14,740 00	43,649 80	10,195 50
Suspended debt and debt in suit .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
State treasury .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Branches and agencies .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Interest and expense of State loan .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars	10,090 00	.....	13,733 96	.....	6,533 00	.....
Total resources of the bank	2,391,068 28	1,457,762 75	1,318,277 03	893,059 24	1,696,586 77	998,649 3
Rates and amounts of the last dividend	8 per cent. per annum, 40,000 00	8 per cent. per annum, 32,000 00	8 per cent. per annum, 15,697 00	7 per cent. per annum, 10,500 00	8 per cent. per annum, 20,000 00	10 per cent. per annum, 20,000 00
Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend	108,799 48	18,041 57	85,938 02	29,557 22	59,784 13	58,839 00

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DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.

Capital stock

Bills in circulation

Net profits on hand

Balance due to banks in this State

Balance due to banks in other States

All other moneys due which bear interest

State treasury for balance current fund

State treasury for balance sinking fund

State treasury for loan for rebuilding the city

Cash deposited and all other moneys due, exclusive of bills in circulation, profits on hand, balances due to other banks, and money bearing interest

Total liabilities

RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.

Specie on hand

Real estate

Bills of other banks in this State

Bills of banks in other States

Balance due from banks in this State

Balance due from banks in other States

Notes discounted on personal security

Loans secured by pledge of its own stock

Loans secured by pledge of other stock

Domestic exchange

Foreign exchange

Bonds

Money invested in stock

Suspended debt and debt in suit

State treasury

Branches and agencies

Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston

Interest and expenses of State loan

Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars

Total resources of the banks

Rates and amounts of the last dividend

Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend

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5 00	\$300,000 00	\$500,000 00	\$400,000 00
0 00	448,375 00	965,427 50	481,431 00
3 56	63,547 02	104,157 38	77,019 14
1 78	9,367 97	26,634 27	7,777 38
1 61	96,569 25	100,367 65	32,414 57
0 03	893,059 24	1,696,586 77	998,642 33
10 00	44,728 68	46,839 84	40,563 99
0 00	13,046 00	8,592 00	7,731 00
0 00	55 00	915 00	10,305 00
32	81,943 05	59,149 18	73,733 01
...	732 03	6,218 62	16,076 01
17	43,883 31	165,353 18	140,940 00
48	21,075 00	31,660 43	
47	97,662 50		
48	587,761 83	1,175,357 47	644,928 00
00	20,000 00	23,024 18	
91	14,740 00		
61	59,471 65	43,649 80	10,135 50
44	24,698 69	46,750 00	
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00	10,500 00	20,000 00	20,000 00
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	Bank of Ches- terfield	Bank of Cam- den	Bank of Han- cock	Bank of Georgetown	Total
DEBTS DUE BY THE SEVERAL BANKS.					
Capital stock	\$300,000 00	\$450,000 00	\$500,000 00	\$200,000 00	\$14,062,062 34
Bills in circulation	781,475 00	937,900 00	1,143,711 25	919,340 00	11,475,634 37
Net profits on hand	91,350 67	52,538 35	190,954 60	61,622 13	2,006,882 07
Balance due to banks in this State	1,914 00	8,875 15	1,833 16	547 33	2,068,843 39
Balance due to banks in other States	1,873 05	1,833 16	1,685 16	1,244 12	840,810 35
All other moneys due which bear interest					
State treasury for balance current fund					251,933 90
State treasury for balance sinking fund					207,476 54
State treasury for loan for rebuilding the city					1,804,811 54
Cash deposited and all other moneys due, exclusive of bills in circulation, profits on hand, balances due to other banks, and money bearing interest	93,671 93	21,900 30	44,319 94	70,738 13	1,165,904 66
Total liabilities	1,249,583 95	773,137 60	1,893,670 95	543,289 70	38,742,326 64
RESOURCES OF THE SEVERAL BANKS.					
Specie on hand	98,883 58	94,568 79	138,971 76	40,509 90	2,394,121 46
Real estate	1,000 00	17,500 00	5,000 00	681,945 06	
Bills of other banks in this State	23,117 00	3,595 50	5,366 00	1,141 00	379,608 25
Bills of banks in other States	3,609 00		13,870 25	221 00	63,670 75
Balance due from banks in this State	92,265 35	26,788 30	46,087 55	39,217 31	853,567 97
Balance due from banks in other States					
Notes discounted on personal security	5,029 39	13,609 39	30,778 83	233 02	742,077 08
Loans secured by pledge of its own stock	128,191 39	199,322 52	226,324 95	151,755 88	11,351,787 15
Loans secured by pledge of other stock	9,200 00		93,395 00	18,475 00	331,840 57
Domestic exchange	520 00		4,538 00	400 00	1,530,015 55
Foreign exchange	738,477 79	371,807 38	1,189,011 57	237,334 97	12,562,896 03
Bonds	18,585 85	10,329 29		8,903 53	509,342 29
Money invested in stock	45,002 02				1,044,985 92
Suspended debt and debt in suit	29,737 83	56,930 46	75,792 68	37,800 09	1,827,245 94
State treasury					1,516,032 10
Branches and agencies	56,839 33	57,597 47	126,736 38		232,156 38
Bonds under law for rebuilding Charleston					1,839,620 16
Interest and expenses of State loan					122,447 12
Money invested in every other way than is specified in the foregoing particulars	182 42	4,498 50			8,920 99
Total resources of the banks	1,249,583 95	773,137 60	1,893,670 95	543,289 70	38,742,326 64
Rates and amounts of the last dividend					
10 per cent., per annum, 15,000 00			12 per cent., per annum, 30,000 00	10 per cent., per annum, 10,000 00	
Amount of reserved profits at date of last dividend	80,252 32		160,000 00	44,457 18	

* This is due the mother bank at Charleston for capital, &c.

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER GENERAL, Charleston, January 14, 1860.
THOMAS J. PICKENS, Comptroller General