

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA,

Oversea Trade.

Value of Principal Articles imported and exported during February, 1927 & 1928.
and during the first eight months of 1926-'27 and 1927-'28.

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(Subject to Revision).

IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1928.	1926-'27.	1927-'28.
	£	£	£	£
CLASS I. - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin, excluding Living Animals.				
Fish, - Preserved in Tins	167,788	149,378	1,030,529	905,508
- Fresh, Smoked, Potted and Concentrated, etc.. .. .	30,510	35,254	266,007	295,912
Meats - Preserved in Tins	6,859	6,496	35,137	39,246
- Sausage Casings	29,698	15,568	183,352	185,119
- Other	11,587	14,209	112,503	146,361
Milk and Cream	2,252	2,384	22,793	35,524
Other Animal Foodstuffs	33,227	38,534	206,803	497,976
Total, Class I,	281,921	261,823	1,858,124	2,105,646
CLASS II. - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin, Non-alcoholic Beverages and Substances used in making.				
Caramel, Caramel Paste, caramel Butter and Cocoa Butter	11,863	26,764	147,517	178,744
Cocoa and Chocolate	22,613	19,958	168,899	184,132
Coffee and Chicory	6,211	7,084	85,196	96,606
Confectionery - Chocolate	2,201	2,150	20,676	25,518
- Other	4,915	3,018	59,727	64,165
Fruits - Dried, including Dates	4,436	7,518	156,376	161,733
Fruits - Fresh - Bananas	2,678	2,610	20,709	21,166
- Other	6,935	13,747	13,428	25,025
Fruits and Vegetables, n.e.i. preserved in liquid	15,987	17,719	181,039	175,860
Grain and Pulse - Unprepared	49,002	12,437	285,832	186,432
- Prepared - Rice	9,845	9,542	93,243	51,097
- Other	1,126	2,346	12,293	18,417
Hops	465	1,039	10,879	7,225
Infants' and Invalids' Foods	5,718	6,557	73,972	74,282
Mustard	436	6,215	54,885	43,322
Nuts - Edible	23,523	33,941	278,838	267,376
Pickles and Sauces	8,585	9,098	62,597	58,094
Sago and Tapioca	3,046	3,154	40,574	36,655
Seeds - Canary, Hemp and Rape	2,325	4,448	24,987	27,994
Spices	23,382	19,616	145,971	151,548
Sugar (Cane)	163	5	47,311	96
Tea	366,507	262,261	2,701,222	2,394,696
Vinegar	2,791	2,542	21,738	17,081
Other Vegetable Foodstuffs	18,718	22,377	393,860	237,111
Total, Class II,	593,571	496,146	5,101,769	4,506,385

IMPORTS (Continued).

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight months.	
	1927.	1928.	1926-27.	1927-28.
	£	£	£	£
CLASS III. - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors.				
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and Perry ..	19,980	20,066	150,863	132,751
Spirits (Beverages) - Brandy	10,958	4,574	76,274	55,333
- Gin	14,783	15,366	102,093	122,055
- Rum	1,396	971	18,555	16,232
- Whisky	63,800	93,920	707,930	795,328
- Other, inc. Liqueurs	2,650	2,536	29,659	25,569
Wine (Fermented) - Sparkling	2,823	4,249	40,236	28,104
- Other	2,187	3,104	24,764	22,626
Total, Class III.	118,577	144,786	1,150,384	1,209,998
CLASS IV. - Tobacco and Preparations thereof.				
Tobacco - Manufactured	20,587	17,717	133,726	228,382
- Unmanufactured	204,388	215,022	1,391,182	1,147,423
Cigars	5,491	5,759	81,267	111,266
Cigarettes	33,220	42,431	262,053	354,848
Snuff	30	31	1,069	646
Total Class IV.	263,716	280,960	1,869,297	1,842,555
CLASS V. - Live Animals				
	31,094	15,207	106,776	95,245
CLASS VI. - Animal Substances (mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs.				
Gelatine and Glue of all kinds ..	1,558	1,732	25,227	17,325
Hair and Fibre	4,056	5,948	51,400	56,519
Hides and Skins - Calf, Cattle, Horse ..	38,798	38,811	293,557	296,384
- Sheep	28,926	5,412	53,135	27,134
- Other	8,307	15,488	137,552	194,460
Silk, Raw	20,990	20,884	159,079	159,792
Wool	52,458	130,425	343,139	618,030
Other Animal Substances	8,394	5,278	93,399	95,345
Total, Class VI.	163,487	229,976	1,159,488	1,464,990
CLASS VII. - Vegetable Substances & Fibres				
Copra	57,114	46,671	565,405	446,866
Corks and Cork Manufactures	6,850	4,892	83,056	88,631
Fibres - Cotton, raw	6,740	1,334	64,918	40,438
- Flax and Hemp, inc. Phormium ..				
- Tenax	25,877	35,818	231,428	242,907
- Kapok	40,943	35,205	296,498	260,764
- Other	25,210	15,486	192,325	158,141
Grass or Straw for Hatmaking, Furniture, Mats, etc.	8,854	1,361	63,347	18,709
Gums and Resins	16,283	23,301	233,651	209,232
Pulp for Papermaking	20,548	25,306	141,184	237,139
Seeds - Linseed	23,980	22,173	184,796	247,736
Tanning Substances - Bark	2,465	..	25,600	2,731
- Other	2,980	5,316	58,894	47,996
Other Vegetable Substances	20,896	21,291	154,449	120,291
Total, Class VII.	258,740	241,154	2,295,551	2,121,665

IMPORTS (Continued).

Article.	Period.		
	February.		1st Month
	1927.	1928.	1926-27.
	£	£	£
CLASS VIII. - (a) Apparel & Attire;			
(b) Textiles; & (c) Manufactured			
Fibres.			
(a) Apparel & Attire.			
Blouses, Skirts, Costumes, etc. (Other than Knitted)	44,996	48,553	306,246
Boots and Shoes	51,155	37,606	352,628
Furs & Other Skins wholly or partly made up and dressed or prepared	58,083	79,241	397,624
Gloves	60,800	47,916	417,731
Hats and Caps	91,311	96,429	576,252
Knitted Articles of Apparel - Blouses, Skirts, Jumpers, Underwear, etc.	36,061	26,529	155,284
Socks and Stockings	143,408	97,048	1,227,254
Men's and Boys' Outer Garments.	5,399	39,133	105,207
Shirts, Collars, Ties, etc. .. .	4,640	3,376	47,445
Trimmings and Ornaments .. .	110,149	74,576	876,115
Other Apparel and Attire. .. .	69,351	70,146	582,026
(b) Textiles.			
Carpets, Linoleums, and other Floor Coverings	245,513	254,281	1,944,505
Handkerchiefs & Serviettes of Cotton or Linen	11,004	13,401	318,484
Piece Goods - Canvas and Duck	64,271	55,393	621,829
- Cotton and Linen	811,094	735,245	7,459,533
- Hessians and other Jute Piece Goods	51,347	60,709	514,044
- Lace for attire, etc.	34,175	28,469	332,695
- Silk or contg. silk	502,156	430,688	5,122,414
- Velvets, Velveteens, Plushes, etc. .. .	96,630	79,125	394,486
- Woollens	376,132	373,213	1,743,264
- Other	169,281	167,621	700,038
Quilts, Tablecovers, Sheets, etc.	36,726	34,544	254,275
Sewing & Other Cottons, Threads, etc.	75,186	85,315	624,667
Towels and Towelling	54,389	51,026	439,686
Other Textiles	61,233	66,996	529,278
(c) Yarns and Manufactured Fibres.			
Bags & Sacks - Bran, Chaff and Compressed Fedder	52,804	44,767	194,963
- Corn and Flour .. .	100,563	90,148	2,971,803
- Woolpecks	1,637	4,572	572,485
- Other	5,834	16,823	40,625
Cordage & Twines ex. Metal Cordage	14,051	13,923	183,225
Yarns - Artificial Silk .. .	32,224	32,768	289,766
- Cotton	71,988	47,419	606,479
- Wool	57,415	36,249	392,771
- Other	11,502	8,966	95,282
Total, Class VIII. .. .	3,654,518	3,353,316	31,401,111
CLASS IX. - Oils, Fats & Waxes.			
Fats and Waxes, etc.	21,653	16,250	179,303
Oils, Kerosene	87,150	100,394	770,481
Linseed	5,102	10,173	54,252
Lubricating (Mineral) .. .	108,609	70,417	730,000
Petroleum Spirit	674,009	617,368	4,409,590
Turpentine	4,779	4,739	125,351
Other	80,369	106,969	848,651
Total, Class IX. .. .	981,671	926,310	7,117,651

IMPORTS (Continued).

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight Months	
	1927.	1928.	1926-'27.	1928.
	£	£	£	
CLASS X. - Paints and Varnishes.				
Paints and Colours	61,000	65,197	464,272	
Varnishes, Stains, Lacquers, etc...	8,709	5,617	64,663	
Total, Class X.	63,709	70,814	528,935	
CLASS XI. - Stones and Minerals, inc. Ores and Concentrates.				
Asphalt, Bitumen & Natural Pitch	42,045	45,450	309,407	
Stone (inc. Marble and Slate) -				
Abrasives	12,985	14,626	108,015	
Other Stone.. .. .	8,990	8,240	72,911	
Other Minerals, etc. inc. Ores and Concentrates.	16,831	32,133	147,565	
Total, Class XI.	80,851	100,449	637,898	
CLASS XII. - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery.				
(a) Machines and Machinery.				
Electrical Machinery & Appliances -				
Batteries and Accumulators	82,169	46,454	536,886	
Cable and Wire, covered	163,125	115,888	1,167,274	1
Dynamo Electric Machines	75,303	77,963	719,372	
Lamps, Filament for lighting and heating	44,790	48,784	378,505	
Telegraph Instruments etc. Telephones & Telephone Switchboards, etc.	39,621	59,090	516,995	
Other	170,592	138,278	1,633,567	1
Implements & Machinery (Agricultural, Horticultural, etc.)	82,737	26,842	574,771	
Metal-working Machinery	42,286	51,269	414,808	
Motive-power Machinery (ex. electric)	183,009	268,980	1,669,505	1
Printing Machinery	80,494	58,073	353,159	
Sewing Machines	53,454	60,406	423,501	
Yarn-making & Textile-making machy.	44,362	35,249	349,111	
Other Machines and Machinery	322,364	273,749	2,451,197	2
(b) Metals & Manufactures, other than Machinery.				
Alloys	26,221	21,442	268,615	
Bolts & Nuts, Rivets and Washers	30,222	25,753	218,582	
Iron and Steel -				
Bars, Rods, Hoop, Ingots, etc.	124,985	72,981	667,085	
Beams, Channels, Girders, Joists, etc.	24,773	24,407	118,843	
Pig and Scrap	3,500	5,910	42,147	
Pipes and Tubes	148,116	166,332	1,065,297	1
Plate and Sheet -				
Galvanized - Corrugated.. .. .	145,011	38,982	1,098,786	1
Flat	68,785	21,630	328,829	
Plain	93,265	76,971	438,528	
Tinned	172,286	95,222	837,199	
Rails, Fishplates, Fishbolts, etc.	13,455	76,391	42,073	
Wire	44,717	30,923	433,292	
Lamps and Lampware	54,583	35,213	388,407	
Plated Ware and Cutlery	113,557	58,117	720,576	
Tools of Trade (not being Machines)	108,203	88,382	884,598	
Vehicles -				
Motor Cars - Bodies and parts	133,668	81,622	843,597	
- Chassis and parts	1,374,002	545,497	8,175,174	5
Motor Cycles, Side Cars, etc.	72,179	37,376	483,199	
Other, and parts	224,042	146,856	1,825,246	1
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures	390,737	337,482	3,165,571	3
Total, Class XII.	4,750,614	3,242,514	33,235,395	3

IMPORTS (Continued).

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	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1928.	1926-'27	1927-'28
	£	£	£	£
CLASS XIII. - Rubber & Leather & Manufactures thereof & Substitutes therefor.				
(a) Rubber & Rubber Manufactures.				
Crude Rubber, rubber waste, masticated, etc.	108,243	122,080	1,750,357	1,521,133
Rubber Manufactures -				
Boot & Apparel Elastic; Rubber Thread	17,138	31,051	174,500	229,687
Tyres, pneumatic and other	166,071	77,839	1,320,239	807,040
Other	27,030	27,859	265,523	254,833
(b) Leather & Manufactures of Leather.				
Leather	23,396	16,930	213,498	193,452
Leather Manufactures, etc.	15,853	12,102	139,030	115,660
Total, Class XIII.	357,731	287,871	3,863,127	3,121,805
CLASS XIV. - Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured.				
Timber, - Dressed	148,114	124,036	794,288	948,954
- Undressed	253,508	339,696	2,392,803	2,980,617
Wood and Wicker Manufactures, inc.				
Furniture	58,650	56,072	468,509	531,806
Total, Class XIV.	460,272	519,804	3,655,600	4,461,377
CLASS XV. - Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass and Stoneware.				
Cement (Portland)	5,102	6,212	42,667	48,217
Crockery and Other Household Ware. ..	73,816	51,847	520,296	567,447
Glass and Glassware	107,158	112,058	911,815	900,549
Other Earthenware, Cements, China and Stoneware	47,006	34,557	295,788	271,999
Total, Class XV.	233,082	204,674	1,770,566	1,783,212
CLASS XVI. - Paper and Stationery.				
(a) Paper.				
Millboards and other boards	15,103	23,744	169,374	201,840
Printing	238,277	182,573	2,191,075	2,084,871
Wrapping	25,382	34,159	242,207	293,092
Writing and Typewriting	58,740	47,621	439,335	442,680
Other	61,248	55,379	406,636	413,122
(b) Stationery & Paper Manufactures.				
Books (printed), Directories, etc. ..	67,043	94,960	966,912	985,785
Paperhangings and Wallpapers	16,955	16,607	70,738	63,684
Pens and Pencils	15,542	14,522	185,718	191,881
Other Stationery, etc.	75,672	99,010	740,747	839,344
Total, Class XVI.	573,962	568,575	5,412,742	5,516,799
CLASS XVII. - Jewellery, Timepieces and Fancy Goods.				
Fancy Goods - Toys	6,091	7,478	293,969	267,511
- Other	51,401	45,106	753,366	689,057
Jewellery - Precious Stones (Unset) -				
Pearls, Cameos, etc.	66,904	17,423	430,485	368,427
- Other	11,594	10,049	117,237	115,243
Timepieces, Watches, Clocks, etc. ..	40,972	37,490	499,787	509,760
Total, Class XVII.	176,962	117,546	2,094,844	1,949,998

IMPORTS (Continued).

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1928.	1926-'27.	1927-'28.
	£	£	£	£
CLASS XVIII. - Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments.				
Films for Kinematographs, etc. ..	45,321	23,443	180,124	179,962
Surgical and Dental Instruments, etc..	26,920	31,316	235,482	269,765
Talking Machines - Phonographs, etc...	42,706	15,985	502,295	272,337
Other Optical and Scientific Instruments	35,074	30,563	332,063	347,914
Total, Class XVIII.	150,021	101,307	1,250,024	1,069,978
CLASS XIX. - Drugs, Chemicals & Fertilizers				
Acid - Tartaric	3,321	5,094	51,575	49,236
Calcium Carbide	2,513	1,086	22,247	15,390
Cream of Tartar	11,888	17,794	144,491	139,035
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium ..	3,598	5,441	28,060	28,064
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations -				
Proprietary Medicines	20,249	26,536	194,063	211,957
Other	26,008	23,177	193,206	164,478
Resins	12,747	10,595	154,656	110,973
Fertilizers	117,353	66,583	853,434	729,889
Insecticides, Disinfectants, Washes and Dips	5,078	2,844	64,460	52,058
Essential Oils - Essential (non-spirituous) ..	9,801	12,639	102,283	104,170
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	27,951	23,013	290,294	305,149
Starch	4,196	5,560	51,288	52,028
Sodium Salts - Carbonate (Soda Ash) ..	23,458	15,530	128,924	132,872
- Hydroxide (Caustic Soda)	11,437	14,463	91,773	89,324
- Other	12,316	8,079	105,120	93,328
Spirits and Spirituous Preparations:				
Essences, Fruit Ethers, Flavours, Juices, Syrups, etc.	5,415	5,163	66,655	69,214
Other	11,844	16,010	149,118	148,120
Sulphur (Brimstone)	30,155	74,621	182,724	313,966
Other Drugs and Chemicals.	60,616	59,498	489,676	477,149
Total, Class XIX.	399,954	395,726	3,364,049	3,287,400
CLASS XX. - Miscellaneous.				
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives. ..	66,734	123,175	812,606	756,899
Bags, Baskets, Boxes, Cases, Trunks, etc.	22,083	20,702	335,258	311,103
Brushware - Vacuum Cleaners (Household) ..	18,420	8,879	156,983	139,742
- Other	23,753	15,605	231,532	188,682
Batches and Vistas	19,057	7,253	146,059	114,264
Medical Instruments, etc.				
- Pianos	14,225	7,034	146,915	94,250
- Player Pianos	68,689	34,239	557,230	448,914
- Piano & Player Piano Parts	15,271	2,279	95,985	53,621
- Other Musical Instruments and Parts ..	16,521	17,030	149,673	129,818
Machinery for Engines, Boilers, etc. ..	8,262	8,593	73,155	71,834
Map	7,912	5,989	79,689	73,492
Shells (Ships) inc. Fittings	11,414	38,784	233,911	336,960
Other Articles	77,007	87,274	765,743	826,484
Total, Class XX.	369,348	376,636	3,784,939	3,550,063

IMPORTS (Continued)

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1926.	1926-'27	1927-'26
	£	£	£	£
CLASS XXI. - Gold & Silver and Bronze Specie.				
Gold, inc. Gold in matte ..	63,000	23,700	343,215	335,946
Silver, inc. Silver in matte.	1,055	404	16,555	29,975
Bronze Specie	70	..	70	146
Total, Class XXI. ..	65,013	24,104	359,940	366,067
SUMMARY.				
Importing States -				
New South Wales	5,612,101	5,234,074	46,460,041	46,045,352
Victoria	4,537,950	3,603,097	38,055,309	34,246,924
Queensland	1,525,014	1,031,579	9,459,151	6,491,899
South Australia	1,351,504	988,361	10,669,870	9,417,303
Western Australia	609,700	750,705	6,101,093	6,33,490
Tasmania	193,304	150,300	1,166,292	1,136,729
North Australia	4,201	1,614	10,366	21,404
GRAND TOTAL	14,034,014	11,959,090	112,010,210	105,595,101
Total Imports - Merchandise	13,969,001	11,935,616	111,701,423	105,267,023
- Bullion and Specie..	65,013	24,062	316,767	328,078

EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1926.	1926-'27	1927-'28
	£	£	£	£
CLASS I. - Foodstuffs of Animal Origin excluding living Animals.				
Butter	1,021,205	956,123	4,303,176	4,420,140
Butter Substitutes	17	10	415	346
Cheese	35,883	41,423	75,327	168,971
Eggs	82	116	232,924	85,257
Meats -				
Potted or Concentrated	4,645	4,474	50,605	34,431
Preserved by Cold Process -				
Beef	104,667	56,380	1,136,394	1,308,933
Lamb	70,630	98,196	1,378,255	818,438
Mutton	23,530	21,186	403,729	193,882
Rabbits and Hares	15,822	17,494	272,893	260,160
Preserved in Tins	14,675	10,918	277,634	103,996
Sausage Casings	41,198	27,957	382,324	329,005
Other	13,590	18,600	211,885	211,868
Milk and Cream	151,916	195,860	953,214	932,512
Other Animal Foodstuffs	1,985	2,528	16,153	20,136
Total, Class I.	1,500,845	1,451,265	9,703,928	8,896,075
CLASS II. - Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin, Non-alcoholic Beverages and Substances used in making.				
Aerated Waters, Cocoa and Chocolate, Coffee & Chicory, Fruit Juices, etc.	9,576	6,185	50,076	41,635
Biscuits	18,783	15,479	102,055	101,987
Confectionery	9,484	18,282	75,248	112,161
Fodders	4,280	1,805	47,390	24,976
Fruits - Dried -				
Currants	2,428	1,352	132,915	88,790
Raisins	5,659	40,842	249,096	1,003,712
Other	77	64	4,514	1,850
Fruits - Fresh -				
Apples	8,694	74,836	18,412	84,620
Citrus	1,010	525	72,394	42,750
Other	7,328	10,656	23,372	35,880
Fruits, preserved in liquid	5,139	11,579	193,182	98,104
Fruits and Vegetables, pulped	8,972	9,563	42,521	18,083
Grain and Pulse - Unprepared -				
Barley	34,919	37,789	217,447	227,580
Wheat	3,348,300	1,144,367	8,705,022	7,130,290
Other	6,204	10,046	31,040	27,989
- Prepared -				
Bran, Pollard and Sharps	11,571	7,033	64,954	105,779
Flour (Wheaten)	530,781	471,596	3,775,163	3,361,181
Rice	7,417	6,964	58,934	48,476
Other	595	1,420	7,395	7,126
Jams and Fruit Jellies	3,599	5,494	45,033	47,664
Sugar (Cane)	6,845	153,938	1,713,457	3,775,317
Tea	7,051	8,366	83,294	101,033
Other Vegetable Foodstuffs	10,002	5,795	69,375	101,060
Total, Class II.	4,049,714	2,044,076	15,782,609	16,589,043
CLASS III. - Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors.				
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and Perry	4,248	3,039	29,670	28,402
Spirits (Beverages)	2,932	1,970	23,736	21,076
Wine	70,372	87,369	456,534	744,862
Total, Class III.	77,552	92,378	509,940	994,340

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	February.		Eight Months.	
	1927.	1928.	1925-'27	1927-'28
	£	£	£	£
CLASS IV. - Tobacco & Preps. thereof				
Cigars, Cigarettes and Snuff	3,157	2,868	17,161	24,605
Tobacco	20,190	18,745	128,038	138,469
Total, Class IV.	23,347	21,614	145,199	163,074
CLASS V. - Live Animals.				
Cattle	2,556	2,894	36,170	27,249
Horses	699	7,621	128,495	138,612
Sheep	2,934	3,124	37,006	34,190
Other Living Animals	1,555	905	7,563	10,045
Total, Class V.	7,744	14,544	209,334	210,096
CLASS VI. - Animal Substances (mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs.				
Hides & Skins - Calf, Cattle & Horses	99,820	117,572	700,589	1,192,201
- Fox	1,120	4,195	90,061	120,653
- Kangaroo and Wallaby	9,074	4,802	152,570	202,799
- Opossum	1,379	22,857	903,108	535,027
- Rabbit and Hare	54,955	38,357	1,753,497	1,820,204
- Sheep	254,358	284,523	2,468,625	3,136,711
- Other	953	14,842	16,273	230,978
Pearlshell	26,870	28,895	273,545	273,153
Trochus Shell	15,401	9,613	64,463	64,907
Wool - Greasy	6,815,543	8,893,349	37,796,439	45,125,752
- Scoured and Washed	497,829	639,976	3,788,745	4,452,641
- Tops	67,040	22,174	557,858	349,652
Other Animal Substances	7,543	10,945	106,606	107,543
Total, Class VI.	7,861,985	10,092,113	48,662,479	57,612,231
CLASS VII. - Vegetable Substances and Fibres.				
Bark, Tanning	6,789	2,657	19,477
Copra	36,460	27,860	404,977	334,910
Fibres - Cotton, raw	1,195	3,742
- Other	3,852	8,790	36,415	49,352
Sandalwood	4,316	79,093	197,186	171,867
Other Vegetable Substances	4,963	9,798	37,484	73,576
Total, Class VII.	51,591	132,350	679,915	652,924
CLASS VIII. - (a) Apparel & Attire; (b) Textiles; (c) Manufactured Fibres. -				
Boots and Shoes	1,165	1,773	11,504	14,915
Other Apparel and Attire	11,650	20,898	94,252	105,458
Piece Goods	11,178	13,727	125,591	120,080
Other Textiles	4,859	2,682	52,857	27,520
Manufactured Fibres, inc. Bags, Cordage and Yarns	8,856	16,150	66,187	78,824
Total, Class VIII.	37,708	55,230	350,391	346,797
CLASS IX. - Oils, Fats and Waxes.				
Fats and Waxes, etc.	3,714	4,168	42,637	40,251
Oils	6,356	5,270	149,843	178,412
Tallow, unrefined	117,708	71,473	949,417	760,360
Total, Class IX.	127,778	80,911	1,141,897	979,023
CLASS X. - Paints and Varnishes.	4,075	4,196	34,379	28,014

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	1927.	1928.	1926-'27	1927-'28
	£	£	£	£
CLASS XI. - Stones and Minerals, including Ores and Concentrates.				
Coal	32,266	45,307	724,834	502,897
Ores and Concentrates - Silver and Silver Lead	8,743	17,235	325,561	336,092
- Zinc	238	137,981	411,338	1,146,872
- Other.. .. .	1,879	12,256	36,889	37,740
Other Stones and Minerals	6,104	3,950	55,848	62,495
Total, Class XI.	49,230	216,729	1,555,470	2,086,096
CLASS XII. - Metals, Metal Manufactures and Machinery.				
(a) <u>Machines and Machinery.</u>				
Machines and Machinery	49,500	50,979	345,131	392,494
(b) <u>Metals and Metal Manufactures other than Machinery.</u>				
Copper - Ingots, and in matte	3,258	42,861	102,517	121,938
Iron and Steel - Manufactured and partly manufactured	10,465	10,757	76,115	92,546
Lead - Pig; and in matte	218,340	269,652	2,935,239	2,617,061
Platinum, Osmium, etc. - Bars, Blocks, Rods, etc.	1,595	3,200	14,922	12,024
Tin Ingots	42,157	28,332	399,907	274,174
Vehicles	17,841	18,583	81,703	118,920
Zinc - Bars, Blocks, etc.	108,100	13,500	699,204	774,829
Other Metals, and manufactures thereof	35,269	41,171	329,901	321,915
Total, Class XII.	487,525	479,035	4,984,639	4,725,901
CLASS XIII. - Rubber & Leather, & Manufactures thereof & Substitutes therefor				
Rubber and Manufactures	3,144	11,262	65,155	69,257
Leather	45,130	45,895	443,841	352,381
Leather Manufactures, etc.	2,758	1,759	19,006	15,484
Total, Class XIII.	52,032	59,916	528,002	448,122
CLASS XIV. - Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured.				
Timber	124,380	84,254	964,879	982,558
Wood & Wicker Manufactures, including Furniture.. .. .	5,763	6,036	45,254	57,397
Total, Class XIV	130,143	90,290	1,010,133	1,039,955
CLASS XV. - Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass and Glassware	8,078	14,105	70,826	90,091
CLASS XVI. - Paper and Stationery				
Paper	5,221	5,061	47,035	41,120
Stationery	10,857	21,235	107,492	128,681
Total, class XVI.	16,078	26,296	154,527	169,801
CLASS XVII. - Jewellery, Timepieces and Fancy Goods.				
Precious Stones, unset, Pearls, Caskets, etc.	3,550	8,172	124,508	67,361
Other Jewellery, Timepieces & Fancy Goods	5,251	5,244	35,057	29,497
Total, Class XVII.	9,811	14,416	160,565	96,858