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NOTE.

The information in this Bulletin has been compiled from the latest available official records and forecasts, and is in some instances subject to revision.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY.—APRIL, 1912.

Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

No. 1.—AREA AND POPULATION.

States and Territories.	Area, Square Miles.	Population (Exclusive of Full-blooded Australian Aborigines).						
		Census—3rd April, 1911.				Estimated 31st December, 1911.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Per 100 sq. miles.	Males.	Females.	Total.
States—								
N.S.W. ...	309,460	857,698	789,036	1,646,734	532	870,966	801,817	1,672,783
Victoria ...	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	1,497	685,981	676,863	1,362,794
Queensland	670,500	329,506	276,307	605,813	90	337,955	284,174	622,129
Sth. Aust.	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	108	212,650	205,522	418,172
West Aust.	975,920	161,565	120,549	282,114	29	168,094	126,087	294,181
Tasmania	26,215	97,591	93,620	191,211	729	98,594	94,885	193,479
Territories—								
North. Ter.	523,620	2,734	576	3,310	0.6	2,662	586	3,248
Fed. Capital Territory	912	992	722	1,714	190	1,068	853	1,921
Commonwealth	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	150	2,377,920	2,190,787	4,568,707

No. 2.—ESTIMATED POPULATION EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOODED ABORIGINES.

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Q'land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	North Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Commonwealth.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,867	b	3,765,339
1901	1,375,455	1,209,900	506,721	359,330	193,601	175,233	4,673	b	3,824,913
1902	1,401,943	1,208,231	512,240	357,007	211,973	179,450	4,474	b	3,875,318
1903	1,425,183	1,204,742	517,728	357,083	224,748	182,924	4,284	b	3,916,592
1904	1,455,458	1,205,608	524,935	359,368	239,408	185,167	4,206	b	3,974,150
1905	1,487,884	1,210,421	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	b	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	185,472	3,904	b	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,805	373,663	254,540	189,598	3,737	b	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,099	385,831	259,671	191,733	3,573	b	4,232,728
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	b	4,323,960
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,892	193,803	3,301	b	4,425,083
1911	1,672,783	1,362,794	622,129	418,172	294,181	193,479	3,248	1,921	4,568,707

(b) Included with New South Wales.

No. 3.—ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).						
States—						
New South Wales ...	21,854	25,790	26,408	27,972	29,286	30,391
Victoria ...	15,104	16,826	15,831	17,108	16,705	17,810
Queensland ...	8,206	8,942	9,150	10,022	10,425	10,440
South Australia ...	5,046	5,410	5,873	6,341	6,484	7,019
Western Australia ...	3,190	4,781	4,876	4,898	4,845	5,168
Tasmania ...	3,116	3,293	3,486	3,658	3,466	3,510
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	— 34
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	20
Total ...	56,615	65,042	65,119	69,890	71,211	74,324

NET IMMIGRATION (EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION). (c)

States—						
New South Wales ...	6,704	14,164	4,052	2,004	670	1,468
Victoria ...	1,417	3,851	2,311	9,465	7,681	43,576
Queensland ...	4,578	2,110	2,144	10,724	10,746	12,673
South Australia ...	3,150	1,573	6,130	756	7,285	4,285
Western Australia ...	10,425	5,414	255	1,106	6,312	12,181
Tasmania ...	783	833	1,351	2,272	2,782	3,884
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	— 19
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	1,901
Total ...	2,959	5,195	5,437	21,783	29,912	63,300

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

States—						
New South Wales ...	15,150	39,954	22,351	29,976	29,956	28,928
Victoria ...	13,687	12,975	17,542	26,573	24,386	61,386
Queensland ...	12,874	6,832	11,294	20,746	21,171	23,118
South Australia ...	1,896	6,983	12,003	6,997	13,769	11,304
Western Australia ...	14,634	— 633	5,131	6,004	11,157	17,349
Tasmania ...	2,333	4,126	2,135	1,386	684	— 324
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	— 58
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	1,921
Total ...	59,574	70,237	70,556	91,682	101,123	143,624

(a) Included with South Australia. (b) Included with New South Wales.
(c) The figures in this table are adjusted for estimated unrecorded departures.

No. 4—BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

QUARTER ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1911.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
States—							
New South Wales ...	6,190	5,756	11,946	2,520	1,709	4,229	3,990
Victoria ...	4,179	3,909	8,088	2,079	1,713	3,792	2,842
Queensland ...	2,145	2,066	4,211	1,084	687	1,771	1,301
South Australia ...	1,342	1,355	2,697	532	497	1,029	1,067
Western Australia ...	971	979	1,950	479	248	727	675
Tasmania ...	666	784	1,450	235	201	436	394
Territories—							
Northern Territory	1	6	7	10	...	10	1
Fed. Cap. Territory	10	4	14	2	...	2	2
Commonwealth	15,504	14,809	30,313	6,891	5,055	11,946	10,272

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
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BIRTHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—						
New South Wales ...	37,875	42,201	42,458	43,782	45,444	47,537
Victoria ...	31,008	31,985	31,097	31,544	31,437	33,026
Queensland ...	14,303	14,640	14,890	15,552	16,169	16,984
South Australia ...	9,079	9,209	9,756	10,064	10,540	11,057
Western Australia ...	5,718	7,712	7,755	7,602	7,585	8,091
Tasmania ...	4,930	5,291	5,615	5,600	5,586	5,437
Territories—						
Northern Territory	32	29	34	27	40	31
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	...	30
Commonwealth	102,945	110,347	111,545	114,071	116,801	122,193

BIRTH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						
New South Wales ...	27.78	27.34	26.99	27.40	27.83	28.75
Victoria ...	25.77	25.59	25.07	25.01	24.51	24.94
Queensland ...	28.52	26.79	26.79	27.29	27.33	27.65
South Australia ...	25.41	25.04	25.81	25.91	26.50	26.89
Western Australia ...	30.39	30.18	30.08	28.87	27.99	28.21
Tasmania ...	28.58	28.63	29.95	28.91	29.25	28.57
Territories—						
Northern Territory	6.71	7.59	9.30	7.63	11.75	9.34
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	...	16.85
Commonwealth	27.16	26.76	26.59	26.69	26.73	27.21

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
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DEATHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—						
New South Wales ...	16,021	16,411	16,065	15,810	16,168	17,146
Victoria ...	15,904	14,539	15,766	14,480	14,782	16,216
Queensland ...	6,007	5,598	5,680	5,530	5,744	6,544
South Australia ...	3,974	3,786	3,834	3,789	4,014	4,038
Western Australia ...	2,519	2,981	2,879	2,704	2,740	2,923
Tasmania	1,814	1,908	2,129	1,842	2,190	1,927
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	91	92	83	68	82	65
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Commonwealth	46,890	45,905	46,426	44,172	45,600	47,869

DEATH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						
New South Wales ...	11.75	10.63	10.20	9.80	9.89	10.37
Victoria ...	13.22	11.86	12.71	11.45	11.49	11.45
Queensland ...	11.98	10.81	10.26	9.70	9.71	10.05
South Australia ...	11.12	10.16	10.14	9.74	10.09	9.82
Western Australia ...	13.89	11.47	11.17	10.27	10.11	10.19
Tasmania ...	10.51	10.81	11.36	9.68	11.10	10.13
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	10.10	24.07	22.71	19.20	24.10	19.58
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	5.62
Commonwealth	12.22	10.99	11.07	10.23	10.43	10.66

MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—						
New South Wales ...	10,588	12,187	12,641	13,025	14,307	15,278
Victoria ...	8,406	9,575	9,335	9,431	10,339	11,088
Queensland ...	3,341	4,105	4,009	4,543	4,768	5,167
South Australia ...	2,304	3,070	3,112	3,275	3,661	4,036
Western Australia ...	1,821	2,114	2,012	1,997	2,107	2,421
Tasmania ...	1,338	1,410	1,432	1,494	1,493	1,477
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	5	9	10	10	17	10
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Commonwealth	27,753	32,470	32,551	33,775	36,592	39,482

POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.						
States—						
New South Wales ...	7.73	7.89	8.03	8.15	8.76	9.24
Victoria ...	6.99	7.81	7.53	7.48	7.98	8.34
Queensland ...	6.66	7.56	7.24	7.97	8.06	8.41
South Australia ...	6.45	8.35	8.23	8.43	9.20	9.81
Western Australia ...	9.68	8.27	7.80	7.59	7.77	8.44
Tasmania ...	7.76	7.63	7.64	7.85	7.82	7.76
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	1.05	2.35	2.74	2.83	5.00	8.01
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	2.81
Commonwealth ...	7.32	7.87	7.76	7.90	8.37	8.79

No. 5.—RECORDED MIGRATION—COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1912

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess Arrivals.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1905 ...	36,312	17,852	54,164	34,088	17,211	51,299	2,865
1907 ...	45,755	22,883	68,638	37,370	18,754	56,124	12,514
1908 ...	48,677	23,531	72,208	39,611	19,447	59,058	13,150
1909 ...	57,487	26,122	83,609	35,845	17,831	53,676	29,933
1910 ...	65,745	29,047	95,692	39,885	18,260	58,145	37,547
1911 ...	96,961	44,945	141,906	43,894	20,312	64,206	77,703
1912 (four months) ...	86,624	17,383	54,007	18,975	9,700	28,675	25,332

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

No. 6.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of April, 1911 and 1912, and during the four months of the same years.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	April.		Four months of		April.		Four months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
British ...	12,892	9,187	47,355	36,550	5,844	5,637	23,841	20,521
Austrian ...	78	130	862	544	24	22	127	154
Danish ...	14	36	112	147	4	22	38	64
Dutch ...	23	34	111	108	4	7	42	45
French ...	126	106	369	418	114	120	412	423
German ...	261	157	1,073	674	220	170	782	751
Greek ...	61	33	128	155	48	28	81	82
Italian ...	201	188	769	593	94	87	338	284
Russian ...	80	78	848	259	42	19	121	85
Scandinavian ...	98	151	477	586	75	95	359	381
Spanish ...	19	20	46	46	...	4	14	9
Swiss ...	12	7	69	53	1	4	81	22
Turkish ...	...	...	9	2	...	...	...	...
United States ...	91	41	368	285	67	48	227	191
Other White ...	86	62	186	18	79	46	158	63
Total, White Nationalities	14,037	10,220	51,780	40,000	6,611	6,307	26,571	23,075
Afghans ...	4	...	4	4	...	35	15	44
Chinese ...	322	161	892	515	228	154	1,115	820
Japanese ...	36	50	254	175	39	19	243	178
Malaya ...	91	127	571	445	24	72	380	330
Natives of India and Ceylon...	20	51	160	95	21	15	160	108
Syrians ...	2	10	32	61	1	16	10	32
Other Asiatics ...	18	5	74	27	11	4	22	58
Negroes, American ...	2	...	11	3	...	...	...	2
Papuans ...	28	...	75	122	6	37	30	180
Polynesians, Morians ...	47	4	103	48	32	2	84	38
Other Coloured ...	13	8	51	49	5	...	45	13
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races	583	116	2,227	1,544	367	354	2,104	1,803
TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES	14,620	10,336	54,007	42,043	6,978	6,661	28,675	24,878

MIGRATION. COMMONWEALTH.

No 7.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to the Countries whence the Persons arrived or to which they departed during the Month of April, 1911 and 1912, and during the four months of the same years.

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	April.		Four Months of		April.		Four Months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
United Kingdom ...	7,076	4,481	26,818	18,022	2,805	2,870	9,596	8,706
Canada ...	196	70	1,045	758	223	132	850	757
Cape Colony ...	199	172	725	626	94	51	355	311
Fiji ...	184	90	710	510	248	214	880	717
Hong Kong ...	168	47	644	370	245	53	1,059	472
India and Ceylon ...	318	282	1,250	906	102	137	596	440
Natal ...	16	84	110	106	101	140	431	552
New Zealand ...	3,555	3,575	13,552	12,905	1,617	1,575	8,106	7,152
Norfolk Island ...	2	11	38	49	14	14	38	38
Papua ...	192	91	371	388	50	107	373	407
Straits Settlements ...	95	157	458	455	100	101	574	497
Other Brit. Possessions	37	26	192	82	69	60	281	208
Total British Countries	12,543	8,995	45,867	35,237	5,758	5,454	23,139	20,312
China ...	187	128	309	242	13	88	178	410
France ...	203	208	1,105	759	282	276	1,083	1,007
Germany ...	198	102	605	377	182	140	585	439
Italy ...	259	245	977	1,000	177	218	884	828
Japan ...	65	44	275	145	97	56	345	295
New Caledonia ...	127	114	405	377	27	77	300	360
South Sea Islands ...	157	64	585	326	92	42	324	165
United States ...	128	30	593	248	139	54	1,049	247
Other For'gn Countries	818	706	3,236	3,382	211	256	793	820
Total For'gn Countries	2,077	1,641	8,150	6,806	1,220	1,207	5,596	4,566
" ALL COUNTRIES	14,620	10,636	54,007	42,043	6,978	6,661	28,675	24,878

No. 8.—NOMINATED OR ASSISTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING THE QUARTER ENDED 31st MARCH, 1912.

State.	Nominated.			Assisted.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N. S. Wales ...	833	901	1,734	780	205	985	2,719
Victoria ...	*	*	481	*	*	857	1,288
Queensland*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
South Australia	158	162	320	2	62	64	384
Western Australia	102	304	706	350	275	1,234	1,940
Tasmania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Not available.

Section II.—Shipping and Commerce.

No. 9.—SHIPPING.—NET TONNAGE ENTERED AND CLEARED.

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1906	2,767,280	1,238,865	4,006,145	3,855,198	106,320	3,960,513
1907	2,828,786	1,648,280	4,472,066	4,164,788	196,017	4,350,800
1908	3,046,051	1,249,628	4,295,679	4,061,927	223,545	4,285,472
1909	3,219,408	1,141,696	4,361,194	3,953,518	301,979	4,155,567
1910	3,604,554	1,003,266	4,607,820	4,585,642	189,684	4,725,326
1911	3,895,248	1,094,000	4,989,248	4,935,052	116,597	5,051,649
1912 (4 months)	1,369,746	270,261	1,640,007	1,700,007	36,224	1,736,231
1911 " "	1,211,749	406,849	1,618,598	1,614,057	56,048	1,700,105

No. 10.—COMMERCE.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA IMPORTS.

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	17,560,207	20,860,391	19,828,486	20,887,560	23,238,466	27,342,452
Victoria	12,686,880	17,101,022	16,433,257	16,531,881	20,002,606	21,850,963
Queensland	3,515,667	4,617,439	4,516,043	4,591,888	5,427,855	6,212,240
South Australia ...	3,927,206	4,815,459	4,371,990	5,096,121	5,976,169	6,245,880
Western Australia	3,895,151	3,587,548	3,212,021	3,322,390	4,538,118	4,485,363
Tasmania	811,361	827,174	837,476	741,956	881,137	816,806
Northern Territory	37,589					14,284
Commonwealth	42,434,011	51,809,033	49,799,273	51,171,896	60,014,351	66,967,488

No. 11.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS.

New South Wales	18,210,627	32,894,073	26,880,709	26,044,789	32,035,451	32,161,401
Victoria	13,075,259	17,112,298	15,165,031	17,842,876	18,188,236	18,915,716
Queensland	4,333,846	5,769,388	5,538,534	5,861,294	8,171,593	8,389,284
South Australia ...	4,432,778	7,070,547	7,667,297	8,468,715	10,243,197	10,174,966
Western Australia	7,941,001	8,378,410	8,522,837	6,680,539	5,339,263	9,171,198
Tasmania	1,673,470	499,501	536,650	420,623	513,410	625,081
Northern Territory	29,191					44,662
Commonwealth	49,696,172	72,824,247	64,311,058	65,318,836	74,491,150	79,482,258

* Included in South Australia.

1 Goods destined for overseas countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transshipment to the overseas country. For 1907 and the subsequent years such goods are, in this table, shown against the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth. The exports from New South Wales and Victoria—the States in which transshipments are chiefly made—are thus inflated by the inclusion of goods consigned from other States. Owing to the discontinuance of the records of interstate trade from the 13th September, 1910, adjustment on account of transshipments can no longer be made. On the basis of the transshipments recorded during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, the New South Wales figures include exports of other States amounting to £3,036,372 net, per annum, and Victoria £1,023,714, which were originally despatched, as follows:—From Queensland, £1,376,484; South Australia, £1,018,592; Western Australia, £388,444; and Tasmania, £1,836,428. The great difference between the value of exports from Tasmania during the year 1901 and subsequent years is due to the fact that in the former year goods despatched from Tasmania for transshipment in other States were recorded as overseas exports from Tasmania, whereas in the later years they are included, for the most part, as exports from New South Wales and Victoria.

**NO. 12.—TOTAL VALUE AND VALUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE
EXTERNAL TRADE OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.**

Year	Value.					Value per Head.									
	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.					
£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1901	92,130,183	42,434,011*	47,741,776	1,554,306	49,096,172	24 6 1	11 3 11	12 11 10	0 10 4	13 9 2					
1902	84,501,037	40,575,950*	41,269,781	2,846,306	43,915,087	21 10 7	10 11 4	10 14 6	0 13 0	11 8 3					
1903	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,658,649	2,501,229	48,350,112	22 2 1	9 11 3	11 14 7	0 15 3	12 7 10					
1904	94,906,757	37,020,842	55,100,167	2,395,748	57,495,915	23 18 4	9 7 0	13 10 6	0 12 1	14 11 7					
1905	85,187,796	34,346,731	54,147,758	2,713,377	56,861,035	23 15 10	9 11 9	13 10 7	0 13 6	14 4 1					
1906	114,494,075	41,744,912	66,280,874	3,437,395	69,737,763	29 3 10	11 0 4	16 6 7	0 16 11	17 3 6					
1907	124,533,240	51,400,033	69,816,500	3,007,747	72,824,247	30 4 5	12 11 3	16 18 7	0 14 7	17 13 2					
1908	114,110,331	49,700,273	62,118,903	2,192,155	64,311,058	27 4 1	11 17 6	14 16 2	0 10 5	15 6 8					
1909	116,400,732	51,171,806	63,843,711	2,475,135	65,318,846	27 5 0	11 19 6	14 14 0	0 11 7	15 5 7					
1910	134,305,301	60,014,351	71,886,195	2,554,955	74,491,150†	30 15 6	13 14 8	16 8 0	0 12 1	17 0 10					
1911	146,440,746	66,967,488	76,206,310	3,277,048	79,483,298	34 12 10	14 18 6	16 10 9	0 14 7	17 14 4					

* Owing to the failure to record as Oversea Imports, goods received in one State of the Commonwealth for transshipment to another State thereof, it has been estimated that the value of imports given in this table is understated by the following amounts:—1901, £2,121,500; 1902, £1,546,924; 1903, £1,054,811.

† The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £275,066; 1907, £208,807; 1908, £1,106,116; 1909, £1,071,677; 1910, £1,091,133.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Mer- chandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	41,490,147	934,864	42,424,011	34,435,963	15,270,919	49,696,172	7,073,104	11,335,355	7,262,161
1902	36,216,771	1,459,179	40,575,950	28,547,504	15,367,493	43,915,087	10,660,177	13,906,314	3,230,137
1903	36,531,542	1,280,929	37,811,471	20,136,154	19,123,934	48,250,112	7,625,384	17,864,029	10,438,641
1904	35,916,904	1,331,848	37,020,842	30,718,846	17,767,060	57,485,915	3,001,892	16,533,221	20,465,073
1905	36,706,436	1,550,285	34,346,731	45,045,921	11,795,514	56,841,035	8,246,000	10,245,219	18,494,304
1906	42,413,046	2,330,917	44,744,912	50,027,930	17,708,733	67,737,763	6,613,833	15,379,016	24,992,851
1907	40,974,933	1,871,300	51,859,033	61,836,797	11,167,460	72,824,247	11,661,354	9,353,285	21,015,314
1908	46,809,921	1,190,352	49,700,273	50,120,839	14,190,230	64,311,058	1,511,917	12,990,869	14,511,745
1909	50,115,321	1,055,975	51,171,806	50,639,592	4,780,384	65,318,846	6,523,031	7,633,900	14,146,940
1910	59,092,301	1,231,050	60,014,351	60,655,873	4,635,277	74,491,150	11,173,499	3,303,317	14,476,790
1911	64,907,907	1,069,581	66,967,488	67,435,172	12,047,096	79,483,298	2,437,955	10,077,505	12,514,770

Imports and Exports.

No. 13.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED DURING THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1912 AND 1911. TOGETHER WITH THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE SAME ARTICLES FOR THE FOUR MONTHS OF THE YEARS 1912 AND 1911.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
(Subject to Revision).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer ...	April 1912	58,821	124	878	997
	" 1911	41,431	105	588	688
	4 mths. 1912	215,242	539	2,119	2,658
	" 1911	171,834	529	2,277	2,806
Animals Living— Horses ...	April 1912	35,197	19,688	815	20,503
	" 1911	52,084	11,859	200	12,059
	4 mths. 1912	99,921	37,009	2,000	59,099
	" 1911	124,801	60,748	240	60,988
Cattle ...	April 1912	890	4,029	...	4,029
	" 1911	284	2,898	...	2,898
	4 mths. 1912	713	16,621	...	16,621
	" 1911	3,093	9,227	...	9,227
Sheep ...	April 1912	1,088	632	...	632
	" 1911	755	1,389	...	1,389
	4 mths. 1912	2,876	15,799	...	15,799
	" 1911	8,191	6,248	...	6,248
Apparel & all Descriptions of Soft Goods	April 1912	1,216,654	8,974	12,734	16,708
	" 1911	961,903	2,289	12,927	15,216
	4 mths. 1912	6,324,465	13,333	45,050	58,383
	" 1911	5,480,847	13,330	42,664	56,003
Biscuits ...	April 1912	585	5,254	8	5,262
	" 1911	544	5,807	1	5,808
	4 mths. 1912	2,224	22,520	19	22,539
	" 1911	1,942	28,274	29	28,303
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	April 1912	90	2,876	...	2,875
	" 1911	36	2,007	...	2,007
	4 mths. 1912	425	10,799	...	10,799
	" 1911	414	9,989	...	9,989
Boots and Shoes	April 1912	50,626	897	154	1,061
	" 1911	32,223	741	267	1,008
	4 mths. 1912	193,242	5,597	934	6,531
	" 1911	137,473	3,760	993	4,753
Butter ...	April 1912	47	200,760	...	200,760
	" 1911	95	398,418	...	398,418
	4 mths. 1912	290	1,543,727	...	1,543,727
	" 1911	351	2,083,857	...	2,083,857
Cement (Portland)	April 1912	9,806	559	613	1,152
	" 1911	11,664	2	446	448
	4 mths. 1912	53,284	1,017	1,043	2,060
	" 1911	47,303	892	972	1,854
Cheese ..	April 1912	1,030	468	30	518
	" 1911	968	595	27	622
	4 mths. 1912	4,192	1,638	88	1,726
	" 1911	4,156	14,788	125	14,863

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal	April 1912	...	86,797	...	86,797
	" 1911	...	77,777	...	77,777
	4 mths. 1912	6,347	280,009	...	280,009
	" 1911	...	258,862	...	258,862
Cocoa and Chocolate—all forms	April 1912	48,773	...	107	107
	" 1911	27,525	...	97	97
	4 mths. 1912	115,098	46	612	658
	" 1911	90,208	9	515	524
Coffee and Chicory—all forms	April 1912	28,612	21	294	315
	" 1911	8,769	15	270	285
	4 mths. 1912	39,408	246	980	1,226
	" 1911	30,244	139	1,204	1,343
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	April 1912	148	288,215	...	288,215
	" 1911	...	215,282	...	215,282
	4 mths. 1912	148	754,880	...	754,880
	" 1911	67	788,438	...	788,438
Cordage and Twines ...	April 1912	63,857	596	1,867	2,463
	" 1911	50,452	722	1,142	1,864
	4 mths. 1912	256,511	2,781	7,888	10,569
	" 1911	228,891	2,280	7,117	9,847
Drugs and Chemicals ...	April 1912	93,469	6,575	1,270	10,845
	" 1911	97,755	4,518	3,646	8,164
	4 mths. 1912	424,996	20,174	12,600	32,774
	" 1911	374,053	17,957	11,768	29,710
Earthenware, China, etc.	April 1912	37,056	135	161	296
	" 1911	42,631	935	384	719
	4 mths. 1912	154,022	846	849	1,695
	" 1911	145,853	1,250	1,085	2,335
Fish (all kinds)...	April 1912	48,089	2,319	1,125	3,444
	" 1911	22,012	1,856	717	2,073
	4 mths. 1912	344,566	8,619	3,985	12,504
	" 1911	238,809	3,792	3,888	7,680
Fruits, Dried— Currants	April 1912	18	...	14	14
	" 1911	250	...	7	7
	4 mths. 1912	598	51	40	91
	" 1911	1,580	...	89	89
Raisins	April 1912	229	3,059	10	3,069
	" 1911	163	61	70	131
	4 mths. 1912	704	4,167	21	4,188
	" 1911	496	73	84	167
Other	April 1912	4,966	1,647	78	1,720
	" 1911	1,831	2,009	391	2,400
	4 mths. 1912	19,308	10,660	317	10,967
	" 1911	9,195	9,343	1,957	11,800
Fruits, Fresh— Apples	April 1912	...	127,610	...	127,610
	" 1911	...	128,813	...	128,813
	4 mths. 1912	189	324,620	30	324,650
	" 1911	366	264,051	35	264,086
All other	April 1912	11,291	5,179	48	5,227
	" 1911	11,886	12,301	30	12,331
	4 mths. 1912	63,154	17,838	136	17,974
	" 1911	39,540	32,409	252	32,661
Furniture	April 1912	22,954	622	87	709
	" 1911	17,932	1,913	179	2,092
	4 mths. 1912	101,086	2,966	1,653	4,619
	" 1911	71,287	5,064	896	5,960

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Glass and Glassware ...	April 1912	49,021	418	662	1,076
	" 1911	41,419	234	868	1,102
	4 mths. 1912	194,792	1,609	2,479	3,988
Gold, uncoined ...	" 1911	164,861	1,321	3,387	4,678
	April 1912	120,560	167,677	...	107,677
	" 1911	36,055	224,713	...	224,713
Grain & Pulse, Unprepared—	4 mths. 1912	420,792	617,862	...	617,862
	" 1911	463,922	709,468	...	709,468
	" 1911	463,922	709,468	...	709,468
Barley ...	April 1912	10,810	33	...	33
	" 1911	679	735	...	735
	4 mths. 1912	29,890	87	...	87
Maize ...	" 1911	3,768	974	...	974
	April 1912	5,887	15	...	15
	" 1911	146	29	...	29
Oats ...	4 mths. 1912	7,541	307	...	307
	" 1911	1,238	386	...	386
	April 1912	38,121	205	646	851
Wheat ...	" 1911	36	2,709	...	2,709
	4 mths. 1912	66,227	1,622	661	2,288
	" 1911	357	12,918	97	12,955
Other (including Beans and Peas)	April 1912	...	845,558	...	845,558
	" 1911	1	1,209,610	...	1,209,610
	4 mths. 1912	...	4,148,516	...	4,148,516
Other (including Beans and Peas)	" 1911	36	5,090,965	...	5,090,965
	April 1912	2,877	1,241	29	1,270
	" 1911	2,859	5,706	93	5,799
Grain & Pulse, Prepared—	4 mths. 1912	10,266	2,591	194	2,785
	" 1911	6,147	14,863	249	15,112
	" 1911	6,147	14,863	249	15,112
Bran, Pollard, & Sharps	April 1912	40	3,838	...	3,838
	" 1911	2	2,604	...	2,604
	4 mths. 1912	40	13,294	...	13,294
Flour (Wheaten)	" 1911	5	41,861	...	41,861
	April 1912	410	120,074	...	120,074
	" 1911	48	109,559	...	109,559
Oatmeal, etc....	4 mths. 1912	1,166	381,815	...	381,815
	" 1911	879	403,011	...	403,011
	April 1912	461	65	24	89
Rice...	" 1911	574	55	24	79
	4 mths. 1912	2,143	233	46	279
	" 1911	1,654	378	64	442
Other	April 1912	68,818	...	7,600	7,600
	" 1911	45,545	...	6,212	6,212
	4 mths. 1912	158,619	...	23,675	23,675
Hats and Caps ...	" 1911	107,164	...	22,754	22,754
	April 1912	4,181	368	556	924
	" 1911	3,456	768	15	783
Hay and Chaff ...	4 mths. 1912	19,499	1,760	1,130	2,880
	" 1911	17,189	2,911	56	2,967
	April 1912	30,019	488	197	685
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1911	17,894	118	176	289
	4 mths. 1912	136,461	1,187	1,190	2,377
	" 1911	90,967	610	990	1,600
Hay and Chaff ...	April 1912	22	2,997	...	2,997
	" 1911	11	1,072	...	1,072
	4 mths. 1912	71	6,737	...	6,737
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1911	41	8,952	...	8,952

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Hops ...	April 1912	3,405	1,592	27	1,619
	" 1911	2,831	...	25	25
	4 mths. 1912	25,319	1,605	164	1,769
	" 1911	27,056	12	181	193
Implements & Machinery— Agricultural, Horticultural, & Viticultural	April 1912	38,762	9,719	682	10,401
	" 1911	39,829	1,219	624	1,843
	4 mths. 1912	227,447	67,893	4,968	72,861
	" 1911	229,174	30,140	2,766	22,905
Indiarubber goods	April 1912	82,809	5,443	1,517	6,960
	" 1911	64,770	6,221	1,194	7,415
	4 mths. 1912	337,476	30,009	5,755	25,854
	" 1911	275,474	30,316	10,068	40,384
Iron and Steel— Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	April 1912	141,467	460	1,140	1,600
	" 1911	135,202	272	1,164	1,486
	4 mths. 1912	623,597	1,751	5,545	7,296
	" 1911	526,560	1,225	6,234	7,449
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet	April 1912	217,139	...	1,840	1,840
	" 1911	162,462	...	1,706	1,706
	4 mths. 1912	818,909	23	9,650	9,573
	" 1911	613,828	44	9,488	9,532
Pig and Scrap	April 1912	19,066	...	236	236
	" 1911	19,701	180	695	875
	4 mths. 1912	111,595	538	1,797	2,385
	" 1911	69,390	480	3,354	3,834
Jams and Jellies	April 1912	696	1,387	...	1,387
	" 1911	687	1,136	5	1,141
	4 mths. 1912	4,342	7,418	39	7,457
	" 1911	2,494	6,223	68	6,291
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny, and Ore and Woolpack)	April 1912	55,157	360	2,098	2,458
	" 1911	39,181	92	837	929
	4 mths. 1912	222,724	2,310	8,529	10,839
	" 1911	204,946	214	3,793	4,007
Lead—Pig, and Lead con- tained in Matte	April 1912	...	97,590	5	97,595
	" 1911	4	82,282	...	82,282
	4 mths. 1912	192	414,331	5	414,336
	" 1911	208	292,978	2	292,980
Leather	April 1912	31,273	32,733	1,583	34,316
	" 1911	21,374	37,290	1,747	39,037
	4 mths. 1912	174,647	153,936	8,438	162,369
	" 1911	98,909	123,894	6,760	130,654
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricul- tural, for which see "Im- plements")	April 1912	331,825	2,331	5,434	7,815
	" 1911	287,225	3,035	5,588	8,618
	4 mths. 1912	1,703,873	10,641	24,327	34,968
	" 1911	1,147,554	28,126	23,500	51,626
Manures	April 1912	30,139	16,172	6	16,178
	" 1911	42,961	12,134	7	12,141
	4 mths. 1912	217,885	50,879	70	50,949
	" 1911	257,603	41,963	907	42,870
Matches and Vestas	April 1912	21,568	...	510	510
	" 1911	13,994	...	269	269
	4 mths. 1912	81,859	2	995	997
	" 1911	56,470	...	1,060	1,060

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—					
Beef ...	April 1912	£ 79	£ 75,627	£ ...	£ 75,627
	" 1911	49	95,925	...	95,925
	4 mths. 1912	89	186,025	...	186,025
	" 1911	145	290,890	...	290,890
Mutton and Lamb	April 1912	...	66,244	...	66,244
	" 1911	...	85,728	...	85,728
	4 mths. 1912	68	448,831	...	448,831
	" 1911	10	366,606	...	366,606
Poultry	April 1912	5	847	...	847
	" 1911	36	192	...	192
	4 mths. 1912	28	2,422	...	2,422
	" 1911	142	1,567	...	1,567
Rabbits and Hares	April 1912	...	3,674	...	3,674
	" 1911	...	4,164	...	4,164
	4 mths. 1912	...	56,655	...	56,655
	" 1911	...	74,056	...	74,056
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	April 1912	2,645	27,549	62	27,611
	" 1911	1,566	52,846	55	52,601
	4 mths. 1912	9,128	151,807	268	152,075
	" 1911	8,186	176,172	618	176,785
Metals, Manufactures of—					
Dutiable	April 1912	182,699	Included in "Free."		
	" 1911	153,612			
	4 mths. 1912	793,118			
	" 1911	507,526			
Free ...	April 1912	216,458	4,768	5,736	10,504
	" 1911	192,915	4,715	8,072	12,787
	4 mths. 1912	982,458	17,824	24,061	41,885
	" 1911	747,405	18,924	26,754	45,278
Milk—					
Concentrated & Preserved	April 1912	1,512	805	818	1,123
	" 1911	3,886	799	368	1,167
	4 mths. 1912	5,058	4,286	1,525	5,811
	" 1911	14,189	3,987	1,704	5,691
Oil—Kerosene	April 1912	40,810	...	974	974
	" 1911	16,587	...	1,269	1,269
	4 mths. 1912	244,135	...	4,851	4,851
	" 1911	109,892	...	4,068	4,068
Onions	April 1912	822	10,411	...	10,411
	" 1911	54	3,910	...	3,910
	4 mths. 1912	1,079	25,522	...	25,522
	" 1911	251	18,471	...	18,471
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	April 1912	2,151	60,018	42	60,055
	" 1911	744	59,909	25	59,934
	4 mths. 1912	3,645	325,593	98	325,691
	" 1911	14,186	262,127	81	262,208
Paints, Colours & Varnishes	April 1912	48,082	705	738	1,443
	" 1911	40,872	978	486	1,459
	4 mths. 1912	215,311	1,980	2,681	4,561
	" 1911	161,278	1,870	2,473	4,843
Paper—					
Printing	April 1912	69,176	...	282	282
	" 1911	56,432	...	869	869
	4 mths. 1912	292,321	...	1,467	1,467
	" 1911	222,536	...	2,441	2,441

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Paper—All other	April 1912	69,717	92	334	866
	" 1911	68,600	114	1,689	1,803
	4 mths. 1912	297,166	670	1,376	2,046
	" 1911	271,982	705	3,743	4,448
Pearlshell	April 1912	...	6,713	...	6,713
	" 1911	...	8,121	...	8,121
	4 mths. 1912	9	37,161	255	37,416
	" 1911	...	30,583	212	30,795
Pickles and Sauces	April 1912	11,874	148	117	265
	" 1911	11,538	112	40	152
	4 mths. 1912	55,591	442	297	739
	" 1911	46,785	280	268	548
Potatoes	April 1912	1,222	1,663	...	1,663
	" 1911	76	1,422	...	1,422
	4 mths. 1912	1,887	5,511	...	5,511
	" 1911	889	4,312	...	4,312
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.	April 1912	88,077	36	577	613
	" 1911	59,610	...	388	388
	4 mths. 1912	568,607	51	1,605	1,656
	" 1911	414,160	...	3,759	3,759
Silver—Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	April 1912	134	54,708	3,700	58,496
	" 1911	52	62,201	...	62,201
	4 mths. 1912	1,839	228,701	7,620	236,321
	" 1911	788	207,320	24	207,344
Skins— Hides	April 1912	11,152	48,959	...	48,959
	" 1911	11,225	37,392	...	37,392
	4 mths. 1912	43,662	176,586	...	176,586
	" 1911	53,608	147,078	...	147,078
Rabbit and Hare	April 1912	72	20,674	...	20,674
	" 1911	67	19,938	...	19,938
	4 mths. 1912	190	63,148	...	63,148
	" 1911	382	59,997	...	59,997
Sheep	April 1912	1,360	100,630	...	100,630
	" 1911	1,080	74,745	...	74,745
	4 mths. 1912	6,928	401,444	...	401,444
	" 1911	5,429	395,284	...	395,284
Other	April 1912	7,046	23,023	16	23,039
	" 1911	504	16,892	...	16,892
	4 mths. 1912	21,613	107,346	124	107,470
	" 1911	5,908	87,559	18	87,577
Soap	April 1912	13,408	5,261	419	5,680
	" 1911	6,884	6,235	360	6,595
	4 mths. 1912	42,206	25,082	1,305	26,987
	" 1911	26,996	22,085	1,178	23,213
Specie— Gold	April 1912	19	564,254	135,560	699,814
	" 1911	1,001	281,280	36,055	267,315
	4 mths. 1912	1,088	2,470,776	446,792	2,917,568
	" 1911	18,422	1,227,025	463,922	1,690,947
Silver	April 1912	...	...	1,060	1,060
	" 1911	11,800	...	481	481
	4 mths. 1912	70,071	...	12,048	12,048
	" 1911	100,355	...	3,520	3,520
Bronze	April 1912	...	...	...	...
	" 1911	...	...	...	...
	4 mths. 1912	3	...	...	...
	" 1911	702	...	6	6

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Spirits—					
Brandy	April 1912	5,225	51	143	194
	" 1911	12,859	24	93	117
	4 mths. 1912	27,176	393	495	888
	" 1911	48,657	104	320	424
Gin (including Schnapps)	April 1912	13,799	...	155	155
	" 1911	12,291	...	116	116
	4 mths. 1912	55,535	...	455	455
	" 1911	49,718	...	491	491
Whisky	April 1912	59,135	...	1,828	1,828
	" 1911	45,369	...	1,046	1,046
	4 mths. 1912	213,329	...	5,038	5,038
	" 1911	185,274	19	5,379	5,398
Rum	April 1912	3,183	2	27	29
	" 1911	4,420	...	30	30
	4 mths. 1912	11,048	2	112	114
	" 1911	10,851	6	85	91
Other	April 1912	13,980	792	508	1,300
	" 1911	8,925	987	546	1,533
	4 mths. 1912	52,720	4,678	2,347	6,925
	" 1911	38,650	4,296	6,087	10,888
Sugar	April 1912	17,512	13	3,092	3,105
	" 1911	61,336	28	14,606	14,634
	4 mths. 1912	203,760	838	12,130	12,968
	" 1911	179,442	395	51,874	52,269
Tallow (export only)	April 1912	...	98,495	...	98,495
	" 1911	...	122,225	261	122,486
	4 mths. 1912	...	444,881	62	444,943
	" 1911	...	553,596	465	554,061
Tea	April 1912	92,967	...	4,351	4,351
	" 1911	54,221	...	9,432	9,432
	4 mths. 1912	432,181	...	22,276	22,276
	" 1911	329,747	...	52,013	52,013
Timber	April 1912	231,244	78,070	1,755	79,825
	" 1911	204,650	92,731	1,320	94,051
	4 mths. 1912	890,927	267,338	5,763	273,101
	" 1911	989,525	292,094	7,355	299,449
Tin Ingots	April 1912	...	39,598	...	39,598
	" 1911	...	54,504	...	54,504
	4 mths. 1912	...	204,944	...	204,944
	" 1911	767	282,029	...	282,029
Tinned Plates ...	April 1912	79,725	...	8	8
	" 1911	44,249	...	232	232
	4 mths. 1912	232,705	390	305	696
	" 1911	162,495	...	789	789
Tobacco—					
Manufactured ...	April 1912	12,888	6,525	3,216	9,741
	" 1911	8,183	6,963	3,833	10,796
	4 mths. 1912	51,525	26,911	13,637	40,548
	" 1911	50,616	17,467	12,631	30,098
Unmanufactured ...	April 1912	55,566	...	318	318
	" 1911	44,439	...	476	476
	4 mths. 1912	218,741	...	838	838
	" 1911	147,813	...	1,623	1,623
Cigars	April 1912	14,395	...	524	524
	" 1911	9,085	...	279	279
	4 mths. 1912	48,103	45	1,107	1,152
	" 1911	42,746	...	1,865	1,865

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Tobacco—		£	£	£	£
Cigarettes ...	April 1912	5,019	260	112	372
	" 1911	3,890	61	32	98
	4 mths. 1912	17,516	649	466	1,115
	" 1911	13,784	389	290	679
Tools of Trade ...	April 1912	57,122	215	1,181	1,346
	" 1911	52,719	107	1,469	1,596
	4 mths. 1912	250,729	619	4,082	4,651
	" 1911	202,077	756	4,489	5,195
Wine, Fermented—					
Sparkling ...	April 1912	9,628	27	30 8	335
	" 1911	11,475	90	7 4	164
	4 mths. 1912	40,855	95	1,279	1,368
	" 1911	46,194	674	810	1,484
Other ...	April 1912	3,181	4,402	289	4,691
	" 1911	2,276	8,299	107	8,406
	4 mths. 1912	10,090	35,525	1,082	36,557
	" 1911	9,625	38,326	541	38,867
Wool—					
Greasy ...	April 1912	142	353,048	...	353,048
	" 1911	54	424,991	...	424,991
	4 mths. 1912	5,053	6,058,960	...	6,058,960
	" 1911	3,890	5,657,747	...	5,657,747
Scoured and Washed ...	April 1912	30	296,413	...	296,413
	" 1911	593	309,360	...	309,360
	4 mths. 1912	30	1,199,557	...	1,199,557
	" 1911	1,071	1,414,734	...	1,414,734
All other Articles	April 1912	1,418,398	384,320	80,318	414,633
	" 1911	1,101,857	248,420	40,427	289,847
	4 mths. 1912	5,748,652	1,097,060	237,749	1,334,809
	" 1911	4,446,639	1,086,403	166,308	1,262,711
GRAND TOTALS ...	April 1912	5,878,307	4,801,904	296,188	4,598,042
	" 1911	4,688,964	4,558,998	167,184	4,721,182
	4 mths. 1912	26,132,103	23,090,476	994,897	24,085,373
	" 1911	21,354,631	23,019,153	979,431	23,998,584

**No. 14.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE
OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1911.**

Butter.	Flour.	Wheat.	Wool.		Mutton and Lamb.	Hides and skins of all kind.
			Greasy.	Scoured.		

QUANTITY.

	lbs.	Tons.*	Bushels.†	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	
1901	34,536,277	96,814	20,200,058	385,191,184	66,368,855	54,175,093	...
1902	7,777,971	33,021	8,999,282	286,579,469	49,374,477	44,105,600	...
1903	30,901,910	6,097	1,172,888	263,419,710	61,143,320	36,755,124	...
1904	64,788,542	108,144	33,071,663	399,219,779	55,911,046	47,868,532	...
1905	55,904,151	154,219	24,618,182	380,420,424	56,775,423	86,858,344	...
1906	75,765,596	166,875	30,262,335	415,353,590	64,889,295	90,692,385	...
1907	66,076,915	163,437	28,784,130	512,756,895	72,318,065	109,227,757	...
1908	51,193,311	116,808	15,027,388	471,832,275	70,915,494	91,607,614	...
1909	55,644,925	129,569	31,549,498	529,020,213	76,082,419	116,915,639	...
1910	87,894,943	189,946	44,761,895	587,030,469	78,178,800	190,229,330	...
1911	101,790,176	177,309	54,970,289	579,197,764	71,780,640	129,569,295	...

* 2000 lbs. † 60 lbs.

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,447,882	589,604	2,774,643	11,073,176	3,561,528	726,186	1,251,075
1902	379,244	266,675	1,402,888	9,595,482	3,147,581	548,422	1,948,139
1903	1,213,177	61,199	181,355	9,600,599	4,896,634	489,984	1,703,037
1904	2,460,664	792,792	5,240,590	13,139,941	3,077,893	657,861	1,835,060
1905	2,831,595	1,160,813	4,174,128	15,574,516	4,247,700	1,111,969	2,144,682
1906	3,238,304	1,216,806	4,913,798	17,547,037	5,098,732	1,095,120	2,752,607
1907	2,890,261	1,296,252	4,801,722	22,028,011	5,963,819	1,377,502	2,782,805
1908	2,886,548	1,084,391	3,089,691	18,027,990	4,885,730	1,219,107	2,195,053
1909	2,399,693	1,229,481	6,628,683	20,603,450	4,879,660	1,281,085	3,160,008
1910	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,078	5,338,089	2,151,513	3,949,614
1911	4,637,472	1,892,285	9,623,142	21,412,143	4,676,395	1,693,622	3,226,896

No. 15.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE
of Australian Origin exported from each State to Various Countries during
the Four Months ended 30th April, 1912 and 1911.

NOTE.—In this table exports are referred to the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth.

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	1b. 10,677,988	1b. 11,761,927	1b. 5,689,096	1b. 207,958	1b. 1b.	1b.	28,236,839	47,182,306
Canada	10,472	10,472	10,472	10,472	10,472	10,472	10,472	218,359
Ceylon	10,060	53,688	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	53,768	47,180
China	69,272	104,950	7,550	10,060	10,060	10,060	181,772	140,607
Dutch East Indies—								
Java	71,284	296,831	22,400	1,960	10,060	10,060	302,479	425,390
Other Islands	9,178	22,841	650	10,060	10,060	10,060	32,680	25,917
Egypt	2,520	51,688	30,120	10,060	10,060	10,060	93,328	146,920
Hong Kong	111,795	10,574	45,896	10,060	10,060	10,060	168,402	143,656
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji	13,898	24,320	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	38,217	94,051
Hawarian Islands	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060
New Caledonia	10,060	1,900	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	21,717	18,672
Other Islands	20,540	1,332	600	10,060	10,060	10,060	22,478	20,368
Japan	14,098	5,178	10,810	10,060	10,060	10,060	31,053	98,717
Papua	5,488	440	5,093	10,060	10,060	10,060	9,921	10,370
Philippine Islands	154,302	8,767	188,794	10,060	10,060	10,060	346,943	194,199
South African Union	130,744	140,908	128,770	10,060	10,060	10,060	408,220	1,111,994
Straits Settlements	76,839	80,288	31,276	10,060	10,060	10,060	197,193	190,376
Other Countries	54,514	24,540	688	10,060	10,060	10,060	86,742	32,088
Total four months, 1912	11,481,234	12,609,646	8,065,245	300,888	11,809	11,809	30,346,008	49,964,456
1911	10,193,069	18,069,958	10,065,120	825,441	11,809	11,809	30,346,008	49,964,456

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 579,490	£ 660,887	£ 278,410	£ 10,396	£ 10,396	£ 10,396	1,428,153	1,956,981
Canada	562	562	562	562	562	562	562	9,468
Ceylon	547	3,150	547	547	547	547	3,708	2,154
China	3,780	5,327	400	547	547	547	10,316	6,672
Dutch East Indies—								
Java	3,968	17,007	1,377	130	10,060	10,060	22,476	31,300
Other Islands	510	1,806	44	10,060	10,060	10,060	1,963	1,315
Egypt	130	2,543	1,673	10,060	10,060	10,060	4,246	6,415
Hong Kong	6,292	576	2,711	10,060	10,060	10,060	9,539	6,621
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji	752	1,334	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	2,086	2,040
Hawarian Islands	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060
New Caledonia	1,083	109	10,060	10,060	10,060	10,060	1,185	849
Other Islands	1,145	87	42	10,060	10,060	10,060	1,274	935
Japan	783	377	621	10,060	10,060	10,060	1,781	4,493
Papua	293	27	252	10,060	10,060	10,060	571	496
Philippine Islands	8,372	538	9,456	10,060	10,060	10,060	18,367	5,800
South African Union	6,225	8,224	6,381	10,060	10,060	10,060	21,110	48,728
Straits Settlements	4,312	5,061	1,696	10,060	10,060	10,060	11,091	9,026
Other Countries	8,765	1,266	67	10,060	10,060	10,060	5,106	1,468
Total four months, 1912	622,286	607,014	303,001	10,596	439	439	1,543,727	2,953,657
1911	797,653	797,438	448,265	41,862	439	439	1,543,727	2,953,657

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	1,400	161,622	...	41,092	15,019	...	290,063	184,913
Africa—Portuguese East	...	200	...	21,864	...	...	21,864	27,280
Ceylon	392	6,770	...	16,879	1,858	...	25,070	18,718
China	8,514	5,615	...	...	...	...	14,129	11,340
Cochin China	3,000	...	...	...	...	...	3,000	6,523
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes	7,434	6,143	40	745	...	...	14,323	7,394
Java	32,794	30,500	...	51,141	1,000	...	106,444	167,060
Sumatra	4,841	3,597	...	6,656	...	...	15,094	18,226
Other Islands	5,470	8,334	56	...	...	...	13,860	7,870
Hong Kong	19,753	4,018	...	...	...	...	23,771	6,784
India	148	6,613	...	...	...	...	6,761	10,107
Islands in the Pacific—								
Fiji	0,650	3,383	...	...	...	...	13,033	9,611
New Caledonia	22,992	4,300	...	...	...	...	27,292	27,625
New Hebrides	1,401	...	...	...	...	...	1,801	670
Other Islands	13,838	7	2	...	...	...	13,847	10,411
New Zealand	5,821	7,185	...	...	...	...	12,006	19,290
Papua	9,356	...	187	...	...	...	2,543	2,323
Philippine Islands	58,091	41,061	...	...	...	...	100,962	75,791
South African Union	...	63,156	...	67,083	...	...	130,235	233,174
Straits Settlements	36,393	37,179	...	14,753	12,835	...	60,980	137,775
Other Countries	4,183	32,427	40	10,949	24,484	...	72,083	26,284
Total four months 1912	228,860	412,269	325	231,392	54,926	...	908,592	...
" 1911	220,120	548,904	1,178	329,525	27,479	...	...	1,029,806

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	736	67,604	...	18,092	5,500	...	92,077	72,572
Africa—Portuguese East	...	104	...	8,376	...	...	8,490	10,288
Ceylon	162	2,852	...	5,853	676	...	9,543	7,080
China	3,840	2,360	...	...	...	...	6,815	4,741
Cochin China	1,217	...	...	...	...	...	1,217	2,487
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes	3,398	2,554	18	291	...	...	6,241	3,001
Java	14,134	8,582	...	20,107	400	...	43,323	67,372
Sumatra	2,222	1,567	...	2,656	...	...	6,434	7,730
Other Islands	2,540	3,797	25	...	...	...	6,371	3,308
Hong Kong	6,658	1,520	...	...	...	...	10,240	2,788
India	70	2,955	...	...	...	...	3,025	3,053
Islands in the Pacific—								
Fiji	3,030	1,234	...	...	...	...	8,164	4,031
New Caledonia	0,504	1,230	...	...	...	...	10,743	11,352
New Hebrides	796	...	...	...	...	...	798	370
Other Islands	5,474	3	2	...	...	...	5,479	4,125
New Zealand	2,507	2,787	...	...	...	...	5,146	7,560
Papua	1,020	...	111	...	...	...	1,131	1,017
Philippine Islands	26,094	16,947	...	...	...	...	43,031	31,673
South African Union	...	25,228	...	24,070	...	...	50,109	91,387
Straits Settlements	11,248	15,108	...	5,716	4,005	...	37,157	55,031
Other Countries	1,800	13,480	18	4,272	10,278	...	20,962	10,345
Total four months 1912	96,347	170,166	174	90,292	21,944	...	361,515	...
" 1911	92,614	209,814	438	89,630	10,515	...	...	402,011

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	3,338,806	2,056,492	...	3,806,484	174,618	...	9,376,900	11,372,637
Belgium	276,360	132,960	...	123,912	...	...	533,241	327,844
Canary Islands	134,372	1,671,864	...	36,386	...	...	1,964,552	1,660,669
France	11,946	3,831	...	...	...	...	15,176	3,008,730
Germany	246,107	15,200	...	9,597	...	...	273,904	46,870
Italy	...	10,674	...	...	...	...	10,674	...
Japan	...	...	...	25,308	...	...	25,308	...
Peru	67,523	74,583	...	303,060	...	...	445,175	313,948
Russia	138,518	...	...	...	...	...	138,518	...
South African Union	700	69,371	...	124,357	...	...	194,531	439,668
Other Countries	1,824	195	4	174,427	...	...	176,450	1,362,634
Total four months, 1912	4,218,277	4,035,602	4	4,925,440	174,618	...	15,658,941	...
" " 1911	4,498,738	5,427,132	6	5,837,979	870,140	...	...	17,573,004

† Includes 145,938 Centals, value £44,080, to Madeira for orders.

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	1,028,830	674,617	...	1,185,341	57,962	...	2,970,740	3,309,758
Belgium	87,002	44,701	...	38,405	...	...	171,009	93,312
Canary Islands	62,372	223,050	...	18,946	...	...	304,577	494,607
France	3,545	1,107	...	...	...	...	4,742	872,238
Germany	84,437	7,167	...	2,000	...	...	94,623	14,246
Italy	...	3,475	...	...	...	...	3,475	...
Japan	75	...	...	7,769	...	...	7,844	...
Peru	22,526	24,343	...	94,055	...	...	140,906	93,339
Russia	42,324	...	...	...	...	...	42,324	...
South African Union	920	16,573	...	38,343	...	...	55,086	125,537
Other Countries	382	66	2	57,501	...	...	58,151	176,065
Total four months, 1912	1,245,805	1,286,188	2	1,442,589	57,962	...	4,143,516	...
" " 1911	1,303,840	1,900,186	2	1,633,078	254,850	...	...	5,060,965

† Includes 145,938 Centals, value £44,080, to Madeira for orders.

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom	16,060,843	31,479,633	3,000,442	3,713,280	3,289,623	3,796,480	65,333,280	65,216,814
Austria-Hungary	1,267,363	...	...	...	...	...	1,267,563	...
Belgium	12,524,436	3,827,725	1,533,173	47,322	113,734	182,434	18,238,846	16,176,685
Canada	...	34,536	...	...	...	...	34,536	...
France	10,076,806	13,465,158	1,606,754	206,046	...	720,941	36,165,649	33,960,398
Germany	19,692,397	9,121,157	2,514,892	174,277	...	407,071	31,909,794	24,914,549
Hong Kong	1,100	...	...	...	...	...	1,100	...
India	...	323,392	...	...	...	...	323,392	356,563
Italy	58,056	150,623	163,475	...	...	...	378,154	1,519,139
Japan	3,886,464	43,273	150,518	...	...	...	3,980,275	2,021,655
Netherlands	...	30,408	...	...	...	...	115,340	154,637
New Zealand	8,357	56,003	...	...	...	...	64,360	47,788
Russia	95,871	...	...	...	...	...	95,871	...
Spain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
United States	1,278,732	2,450,529	84,561	...	...	230,817	3,944,630	2,667,000
Total four months, 1912	55,940,417	60,772,477	3,368,815	4,140,877	3,397,257	5,422,706	163,236,549	...
" " 1911	61,823,065	307,590,101	8,119,888	7,649,607	5,396,702	5,738,632	...	148,048,475

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCT) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which exported.	New South Wales	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 566,221	£ 1,345,649	£ 117,106	£ 136,089	£ 266,911	£ 151,603	£ 2,612,671	£ 2,637,312
Austria-Hungary	74,160						74,980	
Belgium	438,638	134,790	34,271	851	4,000	8,374	637,064	591,783
Canada		1,740					1,740	
France	862,812	436,549	54,620	7,191		23,570	1,384,751	1,179,708
Germany	749,451	291,150	18,721	5,100		14,701	1,149,372	962,976
Hong Kong	23						23	
India		12,450					12,450	14,900
Italy	2,197	4,566	3,000				12,158	55,807
Japan	181,938	1,436	6,505				189,944	145,808
Netherlands		473				4,790	5,669	4,880
New Zealand	411	2,206					2,617	2,036
Russia	4,642						4,642	
Spain								100
United States	60,006	111,578	3,870			10,537	185,901	132,643
Total four months, 1912	2,719,026	2,339,777	340,222	149,270	298,001	213,664	6,063,960	5,657,747
" " 1911	2,051,816	1,581,606	301,246	296,418	202,239	234,062		

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE), EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	4,665,870	2,511,328	1,419,266	1,322,060	61,138	6,249	9,962,911	11,031,073
Austria-Hungary	2,880		3,000				6,490	909
Belgium	1,785,400	185,064	96,030	2,470	740		2,339,629	3,380,687
China	2,737,337	400,180	221,303	6,806			3,769,633	4,074,104
France	1,133,053	606,074	631,538				3,062,667	2,813,548
Germany	290,597	18,174					38,770	10,479
India	49,610	11,031	70,349				130,960	178,379
Japan	703,603						703,603	466,749
Netherlands								3,700
New Zealand	6,509						6,509	2,034
Russia	73,481						73,481	
South Africa Union								120
United States		40,849					40,849	
Total four months, 1912	11,788,021	4,274,700	2,722,201	1,332,236	61,884	6,249	20,170,206	22,978,049
" " 1911	11,460,280	4,416,413	3,641,130	1,300,297	56,106	3,877		

* Includes 25,296 lbs. "Tops."

* Includes 520 lbs. "Tops."

‡ "Tops."

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Four months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 261,986	£ 141,474	£ 100,528	£ 76,246	£ 906	£ 275	£ 571,614	£ 726,445
Austria-Hungary	177		277				414	37
Belgium	194,934	9,085	24,676	70	17		129,792	196,408
China								560
France	142,638	41,567	12,873	241			196,819	220,890
Germany	114,798	37,305	48,070				206,063	204,071
India	12,276	1,050					3,236	1,177
Italy	3,521	962	5,100				9,675	12,697
Japan	177,709						77,709	51,675
Netherlands								98
New Zealand	421						421	210
Russia	6,370						6,370	
South Africa Union								6
United States		2,374					2,374	
Total four months, 1912	691,812	234,017	192,074	76,537	923	275	1,199,507	1,414,734
" " 1911	805,310	266,915	263,130	81,331	2,870	169		

* Includes £239 "Tops."

‡ Includes £810 "Tops."

‡ "Tops."

No. 16.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

STATEMENT shewing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the Month of April, 1912 and 1911, during the first Four Months of the same year, and the Total for Ten Months of the Financial Years 1911-12 and 1910-11.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
(Subject to Revision.)

Division.	April.		Four months of		Ten months of Financial Year.	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1911-12.	1910-11.
CUSTOMS.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Alcs, Spirits, and Beverages	218,925	201,689	846,869	787,583	2,203,716	2,066,596
2. Tobacco, & Manufactures thereof	110,327	85,581	449,075	394,992	1,084,204	1,080,115
3. Sugar	29,910	7,415	140,547	48,510	220,428	140,170
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries	83,557	61,632	326,080	265,777	806,527	742,046
5. Textiles, etc., and Attire	189,485	138,173	1,066,678	868,980	2,122,686	1,845,550
6. Metals and Machinery	124,496	104,677	608,855	453,048	1,383,448	1,068,388
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	22,968	17,901	101,835	76,831	241,123	206,615
8. Earthenware, etc.	28,081	31,126	126,880	115,209	315,869	285,643
9. Drugs and Chemicals	8,743	7,167	37,345	31,384	90,629	80,638
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane	41,377	37,128	172,444	170,695	425,935	392,257
11. Jewellery & Fancy Goods	21,844	17,630	85,644	71,926	271,337	229,693
12. Leather and Rubber	37,902	20,081	163,086	107,279	333,052	262,736
13. Paper and Stationery	17,906	15,121	73,788	64,681	198,259	170,978
14. Vehicles	24,230	16,792	126,253	59,099	239,560	142,771
15. Musical Instruments	15,513	10,035	62,160	34,428	140,128	91,135
16. Miscellaneous	23,191	18,987	99,301	82,662	271,493	225,950
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	3,556	6,691	15,149	15,326	32,042	32,170
Total Customs	1,002,911	803,876	4,501,979	3,648,910	10,329,881	9,008,376
EXCISE.						
Beer	60,511	53,690	256,745	225,738	599,566	537,138
Spirits	33,829	29,072	117,791	101,797	297,999	259,342
Starch	...	...	...	...	...	509
Sugar	51,000	61,774	238,373	285,245	637,689	672,954
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff	60,883	54,777	253,762	215,843	671,039	592,172
Licences, etc.	327	521	2,912	3,210	9,033	9,498
Total Excise	206,550	199,834	869,583	831,833	2,215,326	2,071,613
Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections	1,209,461	1,003,710	5,371,562	4,480,743	12,545,207	11,079,989
Drawbacks and Repayments	22,946	16,746	104,801	86,138	238,893	220,550
TOTAL NET REVENUE	1,186,515	986,964	5,266,761	4,394,605	12,306,314	10,859,439

NOTE.—The difference between the total net Customs and Excise Revenue stated in this table and the figures in Table No. 27 is due to adjustments made in the Treasury.

Section III.—Production.

No. 17.—PRINCIPAL CROPS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total under Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2	5,115,965	461,480	294,849	1,688,402	132,840	8,414,054
1907-8	5,883,911	642,815	290,579	1,812,579	144,763	9,353,902
1908-9	5,262,473	676,156	323,875	2,452,682	140,883	9,891,243
1909-10	5,586,236	698,448	364,585	2,328,029	142,261	10,972,299
1910-11	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,405	155,542	11,893,838
1911-12	7,442,391					

TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1901-2	38,561,619	9,789,854	7,084,786	2,024,608	1,367,802
1907-8	44,655,673	9,185,227	8,187,745	1,748,858	1,942,418
1908-9	62,590,996	16,248,857	8,655,279	3,137,374	1,578,075
1909-10	90,413,597	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,153,196	1,294,576
1910-11	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,391	2,000,758
1911-12*	72,249,899				

* Estimate.

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.*
1901-2	7.54	21.22	23.86	1.20	15.73
1907-8	8.29	14.29	27.16	0.96	18.62
1908-9	11.89	24.08	26.72	1.28	15.91
1909-10	13.78	21.10	29.54	1.42	14.95
1910-11	12.90	22.80	31.44	1.41	19.96
1911-12	9.71				

* Per acre of productive cane.

AREA UNDER WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2	1,392,070	1,754,417	87,232	1,743,452	34,710	44,084	...	5,115,965
1907-8	1,390,171	1,847,121	82,461	1,753,755	279,609	30,794	...	5,383,911
1908-9	1,394,056	1,779,905	80,898	1,698,501	285,011	29,102	...	5,262,473
1909-10	1,990,180	2,007,162	117,160	1,895,798	448,918	37,078	...	6,586,236
1910-11	2,128,826	2,398,089	106,718	2,104,717	581,862	53,242	2	7,372,456
1911-12	2,267,845	2,164,066	47,538	2,300,000	621,037	41,906	...	7,442,391

TOTAL YIELD OF WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	14,838,705	12,127,382	1,692,222	8,012,762	955,886	968,662	...	38,561,619
1907-8	9,155,884	12,100,780	698,527	19,135,557	2,925,690	644,235	...	44,655,673
1908-9	15,483,276	23,345,649	1,202,799	19,897,672	2,460,823	700,777	...	62,590,996
1909-10	28,592,029	28,780,100	1,571,589	25,133,851	5,602,968	798,660	...	90,413,597
1910-11	27,913,547	34,813,019	1,022,378	24,944,740	5,897,540	1,120,744	20	95,111,988
1911-12*	24,616,100	20,891,877	381,224	21,000,000	4,534,170	826,528	...	72,949,899

* Estimate.

AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-12.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1901-2	10.64	6.91	19.40	4.60	10.10	21.86	...	7.54
1907-8	6.59	6.55	8.41	10.91	10.46	20.92	...	8.29
1908-9	11.11	13.12	14.87	11.45	8.68	24.08	...	11.89
1909-10	14.34	13.72	13.41	13.26	12.48	21.41	...	18.73
1910-11	13.11	14.52	9.58	11.57	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.90
1911-12	10.85	9.65	8.02	9.13	7.30	18.75	...	9.71

No. 18.—NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
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SHEEP.

1901	41,857,089	10,673,365	10,030,071	5,013,216	2,625,855	1,792,481	48,324	72,040,211
1907	41,461,839	14,146,734	16,738,047	6,920,637	3,694,974	1,744,800	44,363	87,550,263
1908	43,370,797	13,545,743	18,348,851	6,898,451	4,097,324	1,728,053	54,048	87,043,266
1909	46,362,578	13,097,963	19,739	6,432,038	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,318	91,678,281
1910	45,560,069	12,882,665	20,138	6,257,477	5,158,516	1,788,310	57,840	92,047,018
1911	...	13,897,304	20,887,988	...	...	...	...	...

CATTLE.

1901	2,047,454	1,523,392	3,772,707	225,256	398,547	168,961	255,521	8,491,498
1907	2,751,183	1,842,807	3,692,026	334,671	717,377	215,521	374,823	10,128,486
1908	2,955,034	1,574,162	4,321,600	340,376	741,788	205,827	407,992	10,547,679
1909	3,027,727	1,540,640	4,711,793	344,034	753,917	199,945	414,046	11,040,591
1910	3,140,307	1,547,568	5,181,000	384,962	825,040	201,854	513,385	11,744,714
1911	...	1,547,197	5,024,182	...	...	...	...	...

HORSES.

1901	486,716	387,277	462,119	165,303	73,710	32,399	12,806	1,620,420
1907	578,326	434,648	488,486	200,639	113,330	40,392	17,893	1,871,714
1908	591,045	434,903	519,999	213,385	118,796	39,884	21,751	1,927,731
1909	604,794	443,889	555,813	230,406	126,316	40,492	23,470	2,022,977
1910	650,836	472,040	603,813	249,326	134,114	41,399	24,300	2,165,866
1911	...	477,818	600,466	...	...	...	...	...

PIGS.

1901	265,730	334,205	121,541	88,596	61,092	58,716	989	631,300
1907	216,145	311,092	133,346	90,741	53,399	46,794	2,864	754,101
1908	215,822	379,338	124,743	78,454	46,652	47,943	2,711	895,686
1909	237,849	317,921	124,903	80,410	47,062	55,705	1,397	785,137
1910	321,632	333,381	158,912	96,866	57,028	63,715	886	1,025,850
1911	...	349,879	159,135	...	...	...	...	...

**No. 19.—WOOL (AS IN THE GREASE) PRODUCED—STATES AND
COMMONWEALTH, 1901-10.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	313,812,284	86,796,834	79,408,110	44,204,864	15,304,548	10,270,100	257,728	543,131,661
1907	375,224,448	120,017,767	104,173,964	57,280,794	22,013,541	10,878,478	*	680,130,019
1908	344,590,707	103,089,166	115,289,300	72,040,731	22,430,694	13,850,756	*	642,184,393
1909	370,346,356	112,102,445	127,531,834	56,415,539	30,048,360	12,550,525	*	718,037,132
1910							*	792,968,466

* Not available owing to the Department of Trade and Customs having discontinued the record of Interstate Trade.

**No. 20.—PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH.
1901-11.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	39,056,878	40,857,572	0,741,882	4,954,523	336,440	728,771	...	101,871,068
1907	60,041,420	63,746,334	22,789,158	8,519,340	436,520	847,880	...	156,390,670
1908	61,340,876	48,461,306	23,838,337	8,190,560	365,593	3,140,573	...	145,317,337
1909	62,965,008	55,166,555	24,592,711	8,482,108	414,453	2,751,757	...	154,379,528
1910	76,624,830	70,803,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	865,188	3,363,982	...	193,425,606
1911		86,500,474						

BUTTER.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	3,838,835	3,074,668	2,450,012	1,053,160	3,578	958,580	...	11,375,692
1907	4,586,857	4,397,900	2,894,598	1,365,700	580	327,898	...	19,385,568
1908	4,763,360	4,328,641	3,180,510	1,356,804	940	010,400	...	14,720,798
1909	4,776,368	5,025,834	3,602,407	1,578,378	1,570	731,350	...	15,774,887
1910	5,191,086	4,530,893	4,146,661	1,796,281	3,306	868,781	...	16,537,011
1911		4,649,843						

CHEESE.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	11,080,861	15,011,616	7,064,714	...	334,388	530,016	...	34,020,639
1907	10,358,538	17,545,730	10,015,008	2,311,004	209,419	279,504	...	40,710,181
1908	9,488,201	14,411,401	11,324,323	3,392,168	152,806	1,333,856	...	40,109,097
1909	9,831,377	15,620,485	0,228,517	3,348,030	130,623	1,526,111	...	37,774,967
1910	12,630,067	16,438,837	10,738,183	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,780	...	45,140,759
1911		10,546,772						

BACON AND HAMS.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	11,080,861	15,011,616	7,064,714	...	334,388	530,016	...	34,020,639
1907	10,358,538	17,545,730	10,015,008	2,311,004	209,419	279,504	...	40,710,181
1908	9,488,201	14,411,401	11,324,323	3,392,168	152,806	1,333,856	...	40,109,097
1909	9,831,377	15,620,485	0,228,517	3,348,030	130,623	1,526,111	...	37,774,967
1910	12,630,067	16,438,837	10,738,183	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,780	...	45,140,759
1911		10,546,772						

**No. 21.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—STATES AND
COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.**

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	737,164	3,102,753	2,541,764	34,741	7,555,633	265,176	58,481	14,006,739
1907	1,050,730	2,054,617	1,078,938	20,540	7,210,740	277,807	21,028	13,515,100
1908	164,854	2,840,898	1,975,554	12,300	6,900,862	242,482	33,043	13,004,863
1909	860,546	2,778,696	1,335,178	30,206	6,776,274	190,201	24,148	12,604,869
1910	962,211	3,422,745	1,874,865	28,000	6,246,848	157,370	21,711	11,563,840
1911	760,333	3,140,856	1,640,323	15,000	5,823,075	132,108	30,910	10,851,694

SILVER AND LEAD.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,054,094	6,550	60,234	3,196	7,718	165,335	690	2,307,087
1907	4,380,128	4,355	187,470	11,790	26,374	572,520	2,063	5,005,460
1908	2,340,041	2,835	206,716	0,000	23,983	322,007	30	2,911,412
1909	1,839,648	2,310	187,636	673	10,977	208,480	...	2,336,164
1910	1,861,470	2,000	92,885	647	20,210	247,676	...	2,224,687
1911		2,135			18,333			

PRODUCTION.

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Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
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COPPER.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	412,392	...	104,227	488,562	75,246	1,026,748	6,115	2,306,500
1907	727,774	3,356	1,034,179	600,000	308,376	809,666	15,031	3,533,342
1908	302,812	3,928	863,555	338,000	57,091	600,651	7,968	2,412,085
1909	424,737	44	853,100	334,567	104,644	608,031	3,742	2,332,998
1910	486,277	470	1,012,480	306,120	95,038	508,972	1,106	2,380,412

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1901	76,544	4,181	93,723	...	40,000	212,542	5,586	432,576
1907	291,305	10,831	406,766	...	166,129	501,041	41,386	1,509,787
1908	306,447	6,070	341,566	...	83,565	421,580	35,876	1,004,134
1909	211,089	7,067	344,927	...	65,066	418,165	32,741	970,468
1910	228,156	3,706	343,271	...	45,129	300,303	31,113	950,704

COAL.

1901	2,174,920	147,228	189,877	...	68,561	18,175	...	2,602,770
1907	2,922,419	70,706	222,135	...	55,158	23,556	...	3,302,974
1908	3,323,083	64,778	344,022	...	75,004	24,497	...	3,762,314
1909	2,618,506	76,945	270,736	...	90,965	28,464	...	3,083,686
1910	3,009,657	160,254	222,822	...	113,669	48,000	...	3,384,041

ALL MINERALS.

1907	10,392,110	3,086,812	4,131,603	814,220	7,634,066	2,250,658	91,968	29,001,346
1908	8,381,516	2,063,047	3,824,000	407,300	7,245,003	1,622,547	70,742	24,598,064
1909	7,406,940	2,300,822	3,855,198	413,300	7,059,052	1,545,222	64,736	23,045,162
1910	8,440,819	2,829,701	3,704,547	411,892	6,922,363	1,432,193	60,706	23,216,191

No. 22.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1907-10.

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Value of Plant and Machinery.	Value of Materials Used.	Value added by Manufacture.	Value of Output.
1907	12,555	248,859	18,328,977	24,686,108	52,542,012*	34,515,158*	87,057,165*
1908	12,858	257,494	19,884,867	25,927,763	59,399,226*	37,262,405*	96,661,631*
1909	13,197	266,405	21,105,456	26,877,242	65,193,240	42,216,493	107,400,733
1910	13,822	286,831	23,874,959	28,950,700	72,732,642	48,048,032	120,770,674

* Exclusive of Western Australia and Tasmania in 1907, and of Tasmania in 1908.

No. 23.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1910.

Heading.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
No. of establishments	4,823	4,873	1,563	1,278	690	605	17,832
Hands employed	99,746	102,176	33,944	27,010	14,107	9,848	284,831
Wages paid	8,601,346	7,600,932	2,830,704	2,323,308	1,683,557	744,882	23,784,699
Value of lands & buildings	19,108,776	9,012,263	3,045,974	2,644,668	1,674,953	1,021,015	29,511,639
.. plant & machinery	11,578,620	7,801,085	4,531,519	2,225,718	1,809,692	1,020,156	28,940,730
.. materials used	31,416,579	21,941,255	9,476,819	6,895,255	3,000,390	1,384,775	73,742,542
.. fuel used	1,184,242	639,135	316,900	313,731	150,311	130,482	2,634,801
.. added	18,169,064	14,719,508	6,315,390	4,480,440	2,723,652	1,620,087	48,048,132
.. of output	49,615,645	30,660,864	15,792,100	11,384,805	4,332,611	2,963,762	130,770,674

**No. 24.—MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—VALUE ADDED BY PROCESSES
OF MANUFACTURE—COMMONWEALTH, 1907-10.**

	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
	£	£	£	£
Treating raw materials, product of agricultural and pastoral, etc., pursuits ...	1,326,439	1,488,232	1,890,172	1,847,283
Treating oils and fats ...	429,385	496,036	549,529	564,366
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ...	1,351,913	1,604,243	1,714,566	1,982,412
Working in wood ...	1,968,704	2,789,002	3,256,980	3,711,482
Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	8,119,659	7,999,872	9,125,941	10,642,583
Connected with food and drink, etc. ...	8,298,589	8,183,601	9,472,702	10,880,641
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ...	4,571,378	5,088,860	5,762,227	6,588,300
Books, paper, printing and engraving ...	2,968,337	3,224,090	3,581,457	3,868,633
Musical instruments, etc. ...	72,842	77,975	70,348	89,147
Arms and explosives ...	43,673	59,256	63,313	63,897
Vehicles & fittings, saddlery, harness, etc. ...	1,041,283	1,240,780	1,344,976	1,595,768
Ship and boat building and repairing ...	329,307	341,768	325,792	347,064
Furniture, bedding and upholstery ...	738,824	832,552	944,785	1,105,002
Drugs, chemicals and by-products ...	648,718	736,694	822,866	970,663
Surgical and other scientific instruments ...	26,017	29,906	29,770	34,415
Jewellery, timepieces and platedware ...	233,018	265,795	281,422	310,943
Heat, light and power ...	1,997,279	2,464,355	2,646,611	2,945,695
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	89,065	96,065	109,558	134,934
Minor wares, n.e.i. ...	260,123	299,613	302,883	369,754
	34,515,153*	37,262,405*	42,216,493	48,048,032

* Exclusive of Western Australia and Tasmania in 1907, and Tasmania in 1908.

No. 25.—ESTIMATED VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION, 1906-10.

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry & Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing. (a)	Total.
	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.
1906 ...	25,349	45,389	13,611	4,879	26,622	(b)	(b)
1907 ...	30,500	50,660	15,584	4,826	28,301	(b)	(b)
1908 ...	37,150	47,359	15,045	4,286	24,580	36,637	164,957
1909 ...	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,089	40,018	174,503
1910 ...	39,752	56,993	17,387	4,789	23,215	45,598	187,734

(a) These amounts differ from those given in the preceding table owing to certain products which are there included having been included in Dairy Farming and Forestry in this Table.

(b) Full particulars not available.

Section IV.—Finance.

No. 26.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Source of Revenue.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-10.	1904-11.	1911-12. Treasurer's Estimate	July to March.	
						1910-11.	1911-12.
Customs	£ 7,660,970	£ 8,626,521	£ 9,505,855	£ 10,307,079	£ 11,164,000	£ 7,065,074	£ 9,062,970
Excise	1,224,340	2,217,546	2,087,310	2,473,364	2,636,000	1,871,023	2,007,593
Land Tax	...	...	...	1,570,387	1,490,000	616	26,807
Post, Telegraph, & Telephone	2,372,861	3,409,435	3,751,741	3,906,131	3,970,000	3,920,704	3,873,556
Patents, Trade Marks, &c.	...	21,478	21,435	26,593	26,000	19,155	18,117
Defence	10,657	5,034	21,947	37,534	40,000	5,690	52,419
Northern Territory	...	...	...	162,063	92,000	3,927	21,474
Coinage	...	...	60,646	196,833	210,000	157,792	143,100
Other Receipts	19,148	70,700	102,835	102,900	106,000	28,296	62,778
Total Revenue...	11,226,085	14,320,703	15,540,669	18,803,873	19,615,000	13,092,258	14,228,061

* Includes £151,513 credit balance Northern Territory Funds, at 31st December, 1910, paid by the State of South Australia.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-10.	1904-11.	1911-12. Treasurer's Estimate	July to March.	
						1910-11.	1911-12.
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DEPT.	£ 20,185	£ 23,154	£ 22,508	£ 20,884	£ 28,228	£ 14,158	£ 14,497
PARLIAMENT	192,796	164,312	219,461	311,558	185,341	158,561	158,421
DEPT. OF THE PRIME MINISTER	*	*	*	*	15,414	*	10,677
DEPT. OF THE TREASURY—							
Treasury	4,502	11,232	11,664	12,872	14,527	9,494	10,555
Land Tax Office	...	...	...	15,824	71,444	2,132	42,336
Invalid & Old Age Pensions Office	2,190	36,205	37,492	41,997	41,997	12,502	16,340
Old Age Pensions	...	1,497,330	1,574,596	1,574,596	1,190,000	1,421,431	1,405,109
Coinage	...	10,043	221	27,000	27,000	148	12,178
Other Expenditure	7,545	12,008	18,315	27,900	19,347	22,358	13,369
Total Dept. of Treasury	12,137	25,420	1,573,757	1,694,346	2,394,945	1,467,005	1,490,897
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPT.							
High Court and Court of Conciliation, etc.	...	24,037	23,677	25,851	28,812	16,607	18,827
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	...	17,900	19,284	20,140	23,794	10,807	15,299
Other Expenditure	2,680	7,990	8,671	9,478	12,536	6,362	6,717
Total Attorney-General's Dept.	2,680	49,927	51,632	55,469	63,142	36,866	49,778
DEPT. OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS							
Administrative	7,718	11,391	13,837	13,862	14,350	8,906	9,911
High Commissioner's Office	...	3,850	5,756	20,396	17,456	19,791	723,400
Papua	20,000	22,100	28,548	30,616	34,000	24,097	23,706
Northern Territory	...	...	...	326,347	262,921	14,271	156,607
Port Augusta Railway	...	...	...	...	145,610	...	...
Mail Service to the Pacific	...	13,467	12,517	18,700	19,860	13,738	14,866
Advertising Resources of the Commonwealth	...	8,644	8,110	15,640	20,000	...	31,297
Miscellaneous	5,158	17,860	11,101	28,677	18,824	26,448	...
Additions, New Works, etc.	...	635	7	...	30,960	...	21,323
Total Dept. of External Affairs	32,876	77,676	79,876	454,128	563,840	100,281	281,311

* Included in Department of External Affairs and Treasury.

† Including £15,000 Deposit—acquisition of site for London Offices.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND (Continued).

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-10.	1910-11.	1911-12. Trea- surer's Estimate	July to March.	
						1911-12.	1911-12.
DEPT. OF DEFENCE—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Central Administration ...	13,350	31,300	40,996	45,182	70,821	32,884	43,230
Universal Training—Adult ...	...	...	...	...	86,000	...	50,000
Royal Military College ...	...	...	...	11,665	31,000	...	16,343
Factories (Defence regu- lating) working expenses ...	...	...	1,434	13,897	57,551	6,211	81,680
Naval Agreement ...	104,089	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000
Naval Forces ...	46,346	50,351	63,108	66,140	384,971	50,454	121,108
Military Forces ...	588,317	625,800	853,582	945,536	1,234,762	348,086	757,659
Interest, etc., on transferred properties ...	...	...	...	...	100,523	...	100,192
Additions, New Works, etc. Fleet Unit ...	...	...	60,000	1,135,000	1,515,000	860,000	900,000
Other ...	53,321	101,030	277,961	476,228	903,040	313,702	446,199
Miscellaneous ...	58,115	33,419	38,315	93,548	64,428	39,433	38,672
Total Dept. of Defence ...	861,218	1,000,502	1,535,405	3,006,036	4,775,136	2,085,080	2,123,086
DEPT. OF TRADE & CUSTOMS—							
General Expenditure Includ- ing Quarantine & Fisheries Sugar Bounties ...	262,353	320,000	345,365	350,425	305,100	248,085	281,225
Iron Bounties ...	...	477,000	402,132	630,709	621,500	631,917	646,211
Shale Oil Bounties ...	...	3,448	32,570	38,427	51,000	27,550	19,147
Other Bounties ...	...	...	...	1,473	8,200	...	1,202
Interest on transferred prop- erties ...	...	2,534	5,865	10,967	22,100	8,386	13,571
Additions, New Works, etc. ...	150	30,019	5,124	3,041	46,323	2,000	30,515
Total Dept. of Trade and Customs ...	262,503	823,490	791,065	1,085,269	1,192,624	917,895	912,807
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPT.							
General Expenditure ...	3,348,686	3,060,864	3,231,106	3,550,786	3,685,060	3,584,074	2,856,060
Interest, etc., on transferred properties ...	...	...	...	...	435,072	...	368,646
Additions, New Works, etc. ...	37,149	541,909	555,557	783,446	1,531,314	425,473	1,230,916
Total Postmaster-General's Dept. ...	4,383,815	3,611,677	3,786,755	4,343,992	5,903,166	3,000,546	4,455,624
DEPT. OF HOME AFFAIRS—							
General Expenditure of Departments ...	8,260	74,972	92,342	76,913	103,356	49,882	63,320
Census (collection of, etc.) ...	...	...	...	94,538	70,000	60,440	46,756
Additions, New Works ...	...	20,386	2,526	47,316	180,630	13,465	103,366
Miscellaneous ...	17,748	30,254	10,310	7,623	8,386	3,700	2,766
Total Dept. of Home Affairs ...	26,008	131,612	105,187	226,412	392,390	127,547	206,840
Total Expenditure ...	3,733,318	3,967,870	4,135,666	5,121,354	15,461,422	7,866,911	9,706,329
Contribution to States ...	7,368,137	7,027,159	8,496,673	5,106,434	5,776,250	5,141,794	4,230,622
Total Disbursements ...	11,101,355	10,995,029	12,632,339	10,227,778	21,237,672	13,008,705	13,936,951

* Includes £406,767 paid in August, 1910. † Federal Capital and sundry departments.

‡ Exclusive of £1,837,174 paid to Trust Fund on account of Defence (£918,587) and Old Age Pensions (£918,587).

**No. 27.—COMMONWEALTH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, APRIL, 1912
and 1911. AND TEN MONTHS ENDED 30th APRIL, 1912 and 1911.**

	April.		Total for Ten Months ended 30th April.	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
REVENUE—	£	£	£	£
Customs	978,598	769,082	10,071,562	8,709,656
Excise	206,471	192,754	2,214,081	2,063,776
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	380,486	305,716	3,254,142	3,226,510
Land Tax	13,898	9,597	40,806	10,216
Defence	5,951	1,316	58,371	6,976
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	1,665	2,029	19,782	21,184
Quarantine	1,003	412	7,828	5,698
Coinage	1,133	567	144,233	158,849
Northern Territory	2,455	1,522	23,928	5,448
Other Receipts	6,070	30,099	62,023	53,089
Deduct Advances	...	...	...	Dr. 15,500
Total Revenue	1,597,725	1,313,094	15,896,706	14,305,852
EXPENDITURE—				
Ordinary Expenditure	559,226	697,396	8,260,183	6,954,751
Additional, New Works	151,139	83,425	2,156,555	1,692,980
Amount paid to State Treasurers	470,341	...	4,701,168	5,141,795
Total Expenditure	1,180,706	780,821	15,117,856	13,789,526

**No. 28.—COMMONWEALTH NOTES ISSUED AS AT UNDERMENTIONED
DATES.**

Denomination.	30th Dec., 1910.	27th Sept., 1911.	27th Dec., 1911.	27th Mar., 1912.	24th April, 1912.	26th May, 1912.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
£1	1,175,566	3,314,384	3,511,163	3,368,692	3,209,600	3,073,426
£5	952,040	2,801,440	3,203,445	3,235,360	3,166,480	3,055,355
£10	675,020	1,686,960	1,724,210	1,714,440	1,689,850	1,637,040
£20	177,500	420,120	397,740	382,780	384,400	347,380
£50	294,050	857,750	890,700	913,900	910,150	916,450
£100	115,300	341,300	309,100	433,400	437,400	482,500
Total	3,889,476	9,421,954	10,156,358	10,048,472	9,797,870	9,512,151
Gold reserve	1,140,344	4,678,018	4,949,422	4,841,536	4,590,984	4,305,215
Per cent. of reserve	33.65	49.65	48.73	48.18	46.86	45.26

No. 29.—OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 30/6/11.					Number per 10,000 of Population.		Average Fort- nightly Pen- sion as at 30/6/11.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment as at 30/6/1911.	
	Old-age.		Invalid.		Total Old-age and Inva- lid.						
	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.	Inva- lid.	Old- age.	Inva- lid.	Old- age.	Inva- lid.	Amount.	Per head of Pop.
New South Wales	13,568	14,572	1,975	1,869	32,004	171	23.3	s. d.	s. d.	£	s. d.
Victoria	10,444	13,278	1,301	1,082	25,005	179	16.5	10 1	19 6	796,328	9 8
Queensland	5,057	4,837	242	210	10,336	189	8.0	19 0	19 8	337,322	8 4
South Australia ...	2,751	4,134	175	177	7,337	124	8.6	18 1	19 5	170,429	8 4
Western Australia	1,534	1,442	105	73	3,155	103	6.3	18 10	19 2	77,220	5 4
Tasmania	1,427	2,428	194	207	4,266	204	21.3	18 7	19 4	103,584	11 0
Total	34,811	40,661	3,833	3,618	82,953	168	16.6	19 0	19 6	2,054,364	9 2

No. 30.—LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS FOR 1910.

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Commonwealth.
Returns Assessed—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Resident Owners ...	4,514	4,218	1,706	1,865	540	342	12,088
Absentee Owners ...	548	772	286	334	201	140	2,283
Total ...	5,062	4,990	1,992	1,999	741	482	*15,371
Unimproved Value—	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Resident Owners ...	70,189	40,112	15,514	17,769	5,111	5,593	179,387
Absentee Owners ...	9,073	1,437	439	650	313	236	5,160
Total ...	81,262	50,589	15,953	18,419	5,424	5,829	179,447
Deductions Allowed—							
Resident Owners ...	25,427	30,338	5,215	7,082	2,140	2,535	92,787
Absentee Owners ...	10	4	1	2	...	1	18
Total ...	25,437	30,332	5,216	7,084	2,140	2,536	92,805
Taxable Value—							
Resident Owners ...	53,762	28,734	10,309	10,687	3,071	3,057	110,500
Absentee Owners ...	2,063	1,433	451	637	313	235	5,142
Total ...	55,825	30,147	10,760	11,344	4,384	3,292	115,642
ASSESSED AMOUNT OF TAX.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Urban—							
Resident Owners ...	194,038	133,014	39,131	36,785	92,874	6,733	432,565
Absentee Owners ...	12,418	6,794	2,398	2,359	1,500	289	25,567
Total ...	206,456	139,808	41,429	39,044	94,373	7,022	458,132
Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	405,004	209,110	75,848	87,308	18,310	24,160	909,547
Absentee Owners ...	11,780	12,501	1,676	8,847	895	1,400	37,190
Total ...	506,784	221,610	77,524	96,053	19,205	25,560	946,737
Urban and Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	689,042	342,123	114,979	123,991	41,184	30,893	1,342,212
Absentee Owners ...	24,108	19,295	3,074	11,106	2,405	1,779	62,757
Total ...	713,150	361,418	118,053	135,097	43,589	32,672	1,404,969
Area of State ...	100 ac.	100 ac.	100 ac.	100 ac.	100 ac.	100 ac.	100 ac.
Per cent. to Total ...	198,638	56,346	429,130	243,245	624,589	16,777	11,933,732
Taxable Area ...	10.4	8.1	32.6	12.7	34.8	0.8	100
Average Tax per acre of Taxable Area ...	42,307,020	8,082,438	7,012,417	6,741,208	4,713,139	2,701,569	72,528,371
Average Tax per £ of Assessed Unimproved Value ...	2 11	1 72	1 78	1 78	1 63	1 35	1 89
Average Tax per £ of Taxable Value ...	3 07	2 27	2 66	2 58	2 44	2 38	2 92

* A taxpayer owning land in more than one State is represented in this return in each State in which he held land. The actual number of taxpayers in the Commonwealth was 14,210.

† Includes Northern Territory, 385,117,000 acres, or 17.5 per cent. of the total area.

No. 31.—SALES AND PURCHASES OF LAND BY PAYERS OF COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX DURING THE PERIOD FROM 1st, OCT., 1910, to 30th JUNE, 1911.

State.	Sales.		Purchases	
	No.	Unimproved Value.	No.	Unimproved Value.
		£		£
Central Office* and Victoria ...	7,032	7,684,221	1,001	3,798,275
New South Wales ...	7,134	6,931,090	1,151	3,496,973
Queensland ...	1,109	1,027,206	166	511,828
South Australia ...	2,059	1,798,545	744	1,135,069
Western Australia ...	656	391,555	107	121,022
Tasmania ...	298	355,676	105	203,889
Total ...	18,288	£18,188,293	3,874	£9,266,506

* Central Office deals with estates that include properties in more than one State.

No. 32—STATEMENT SHEWING NUMBER OF RESIDENT AND ABSENTEE TAXPAYERS in each State who possess Land of an Unimproved Taxable Value between the limits shown.

NOTE.—Returns made to Central Office are those of Taxpayers who own Land in more than one State.

Unimproved Taxable Value.	Central.		N.S.W.		Victoria.		Q'land.		N. Aust.		W. Aust.		Tas.		Total.
	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	R	A	
£															
1-1,000	116	47	663	192	849	387	151	121	382	184	46	07	75	66	3,445
1,001-2,000	192	31	163	73	630	194	15	26	234	43	58	18	56	96	1,082
2,001-3,000	88	17	323	45	407	46	50	12	135	34	38	13	53	8	1,353
3,001-4,000	57	14	294	32	294	40	61	9	83	11	23	5	28	5	1,082
4,001-5,000	64	8	247	16	216	22	36	8	66	11	17	5	22	5	784
5,001-6,000	35	10	177	14	156	12	35	8	66	11	17	5	15	3	654
6,001-7,000	37	5	147	10	112	12	32	1	41	9	12	3	10	1	432
7,001-8,000	61	8	119	30	183	7	22	3	32	6	10	1	16	1	384
8,001-9,000	32	5	111	10	88	7	15	1	34	1	20	1	12	...	337
9,001-10,000	26	3	81	1	78	5	15	...	25	1	14	...	13	5	270
10,001-15,000	100	5	312	14	246	11	15	3	62	6	33	5	28	1	881
15,001-20,000	77	3	190	10	148	8	23	2	23	3	27	5	16	3	496
20,001-30,000	81	...	202	12	120	6	39	...	38	...	19	...	14	2	334
30,001-40,000	51	4	112	10	62	4	21	1	17	...	0	1	11	...	177
40,001-50,000	38	2	54	2	45	4	9	2	10	3	5	1	1	...	119
50,001-60,000	26	1	45	1	21	2	4	...	6	...	4	...	1	...	88
60,001-70,000	26	...	31	1	15	...	4	...	4	2	3	...	1	...	66
70,001-80,000	13	3	24	2	15	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	36
80,001-90,000	7	2	12	...	7	...	2	...	2	2	1	...	1	...	20
90,001-100,000	6	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	16
100,001-110,000	5	...	5	1	4	...	1	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	15
110,001-120,000	4	...	5	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	10
120,001-130,000	4	...	6	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
130,001-140,000	1	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	6
140,001-150,000	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
150,001-160,000	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
160,001-170,000	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	2
170,001-180,000	3	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
180,001-190,000	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
190,001-200,000	7	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
200,001-210,000	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
210,001-220,000	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6
220,001-230,000	5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
230,001-240,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
240,001-250,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
250,001-260,000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
260,001-270,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
270,001-280,000	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
280,001-290,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
290,001-300,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
300,001-310,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
310,001-320,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
320,001-330,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
330,001-340,000	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
340,001-350,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
350,001-360,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
360,001-370,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
370,001-380,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
380,001-390,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
390,001-400,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
400,001-500,000	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
500,001-600,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
600,001-700,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
700,001-800,000	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
800,001-900,000	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
1,000,001 and over	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total	1,077	170	3,748	477	3,608	600	678	107	1,373	317	367	164	387	195	13,387

NOTE.—"R" indicates Resident and "A" indicates Absentee.

State Finance.

No. 33.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS OF STATES.

REVENUE, 1909-10.

Sources of Revenue.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation	1,221,621	1,089,353	581,907	481,003	336,306	303,300	4,017,600
Railways and Tramways	5,664,236	4,450,792	2,318,623	1,831,903	1,649,397	292,700	17,197,946
Land—Sales	944,164	227,088	222,566	225,894	104,875	51,375	1,876,152
Rentals	785,576	126,188	533,834	151,447	122,686	88,700	1,758,410
Commonwealth Subsidy	3,347,616	1,028,278	1,071,261	803,637	703,723	230,816	8,037,711
All other Sources	1,574,900	783,303	267,973	539,507	630,594	83,077	4,019,414
Total Revenue	14,540,073	8,607,908	5,119,264	4,092,901	3,857,670	1,008,089	38,968,613
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head	9 0 2	6 14 8	8 17 2	10 3 6	13 15 4	5 4 6	8 10 11

1910-11.

Taxation	1,027,510	1,344,573	667,196	545,986	345,346	284,965	4,105,485
Railways and Tramways	7,419,137	4,867,560	2,706,988	3,087,781	1,858,014	276,942	19,178,212
Land—Sales	1,028,531	219,760	217,009	340,731	253,961	60,804	2,121,005
Rentals	810,386	139,190	588,007	133,060	130,352	37,132	1,846,066
Commonwealth Subsidy	1,942,245	1,617,572	681,063	510,373	569,577	228,118	5,535,948
All other Sources	1,618,331	906,890	459,755	617,541	709,340	82,041	4,470,327
Total Revenue	13,839,130	9,204,503	5,320,008	4,181,472	3,690,439	970,062	37,365,653
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head	8 8 5	7 1 5	8 17 8	10 3 11	13 18 2	5 0 1	8 9 11

1911-12 (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Taxation	1,068,000	1,430,150	699,000	563,434	337,000	319,768	5,306,352
Railways and Tramways	7,757,000	5,138,050	3,048,000	2,680,000	1,950,000	300,000	20,373,950
Land—Sales	2,050,533	1,621,112	754,998	510,000	368,750	224,492	5,543,706
All other Sources	3,650,028	1,537,799	1,282,700	1,178,108	1,381,333	306,943	9,238,900
Total Revenue	15,425,561	9,748,000	5,773,598	4,311,542	4,137,083	1,065,108	40,360,607

* Railways only.

EXPENDITURE, 1909-10.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt	3,582,021	2,154,547	1,635,270	1,667,732	1,006,306	422,030	10,448,806
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction)	4,252,070	2,788,646	5,142,106	1,092,503	1,112,007	211,677	10,890,408
All other Expenditure	5,184,050	3,636,787	2,066,203	1,446,258	1,327,419	302,714	14,035,460
	(a)						
Total Expenditure	12,998,150	8,579,980	5,113,578	4,196,493	3,447,732	937,321	35,373,264
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head	8 1 7	6 14 4	8 17 0	10 11 9	13 19 6	5 3 3	8 3 8

(a) Exclusive of £911,177 transferred to Public Works Fund, and £235,000 in aid of Closer Settlement Fund. (b) Railways only.

EXPENDITURE, 1910-11.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,050,918	2,210,096	1,660,772	1,348,355	1,046,236	485,335	10,564,712
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	4,814,991	3,031,431	51,560,994	1,277,189	1,237,620	215,690	19,137,748
All other Expenditure ...	5,332,629	3,043,630	2,002,971	1,560,135	1,450,592	368,008	14,746,855
	(a)						
Total Expenditure ...	13,207,338	9,194,157	5,314,737	4,181,472	3,734,448	1,018,963	37,349,315
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head ...	9 8 0	7 1 9	8 17 5	10 3 11	18 9 9	5 4 11	8 8 5

(a) Exclusive of £236,123 transferred to Public Works Fund. (b) Railways only.

1911-12 (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,738,950	2,318,967	1,763,400	...	1,078,349	1,409,180	...
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	5,126,091	3,196,453	1,791,718	...	1,490,220	230,107	...
All other Expenditure ...	5,630,968	4,302,964	2,213,515	...	1,656,135	434,684	...
Total Expenditure ...	15,707,944	9,718,424	5,768,633	4,311,542	4,164,734	1,063,971	40,815,146

(a) Interest only.

No. 34.—LOANS EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR 1910-11.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Vict. Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways ...	2,547,672	1,380,381	1,686,451	600,484	747,748	81,604	6,864,430
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	730,810	311,700	2,790	224,312	11,450	...	1,383,070
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	224,213	...	...	145,185	171,129	...	743,918
Roads and Bridges ...	...	183	...	...	52,296	140,942	...
Land Purchased for Settlement ...	550,000	956,900	...	438,010	...	3,444	1,748,354
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	65,564	...	36,673	15,914	52,910	30,044	302,006
All other purposes ...	Cr. 6,610	158,008	289,397	153,305	346,964	43,192	964,346
Total ...	3,921,738	2,657,371	1,905,301	1,567,210	1,484,367	300,216	11,926,123
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Loans Expenditure per head ...	2 7 9	2 0 10	3 6 7	3 16 5	5 7 8	1 11 0	2 13 11

AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1911.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Railways and Tramways ...	58,507	41,577	27,382	15,225	19,079	4,433	159,203
Telegraphs and Telephones ...	1,752	...	997	922	950	142	4,162
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	14,479	10,378	362	6,108	5,435	...	34,762
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	11,349	611	2,447	2,170	2,718	3,629	27,532
Roads and Bridges ...	1,792	176	924	1,465	251	...	...
Defence ...	1,458	149	363	292	...	129	2,300
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	4,454	1,912	1,502	1,130	512	950	10,463
All other purposes ...	1,460	4,973	7,300	4,566	2,732	1,541	22,481
Total ...	85,370	59,776	41,177	31,948	21,906	10,823	280,900

(a) Including Post Offices.

No. 35.—TOTAL PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE 1901 to 1911.

Year ended June 30.	N. S. W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	87,361,246	50,071,275	38,418,514	26,448,803	12,700,430	8,511,036	203,518,275
1902 ...	71,362,485	50,033,067	40,418,177	27,272,545	14,942,310	9,088,736	214,385,320
1903 ...	77,002,187	51,447,000	41,001,247	27,544,570	15,827,308	9,366,963	222,871,765
1904 ...	80,039,561	51,419,962	41,774,207	28,303,945	16,000,298	9,436,839	227,747,612
1905 ...	92,321,268	51,763,787	41,784,467	28,773,380	16,642,773	9,471,071	230,738,671
1906 ...	85,641,734	53,070,800	41,764,467	30,089,635	18,058,553	9,800,631	238,497,520
1907 ...	88,607,632	53,104,080	41,764,467	30,528,718	17,822,638	9,923,083	240,149,737
1908 ...	87,635,826	53,305,487	42,264,467	29,085,858	20,493,618	10,150,233	243,885,480
1909 ...	103,307,419	54,667,197	44,276,067	30,436,183	21,561,753	10,134,014	261,773,533
1910 ...	124,565,045	55,576,725	44,276,067	31,387,870	23,267,453	10,570,453	257,623,658
1911 ...	108,563,198	57,983,764	44,613,197	31,324,653	26,703,353	11,077,790	267,137,383
Increase during 10 yrs.	26,162,880	7,012,480	6,196,683	7,775,848	10,964,928	2,566,765	63,605,008

PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30TH JUNE, 1911.

Particulars.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Floats in London ...	65,555,605	37,417,128	37,409,347	20,540,389	20,114,953	8,230,250	190,067,671
Floats in Australia ...	22,968,321	20,566,836	7,203,850	13,884,365	3,380,000	2,847,540	78,059,012
Total Gross Debt ...	88,523,926	57,983,964	44,613,197	34,224,653	23,703,953	11,077,790	267,137,283
Sinking Funds ...	501,021	1,017,868	...	616,956	2,888,035	414,601	5,413,370
Total Net Debt ...	89,024,947	58,999,832	44,613,197	34,841,609	26,591,988	11,492,391	272,550,653
Total Net Debt per head	£ s. d. 57 9 6	£ s. d. 42 18 6	£ s. d. 72 5 8	£ s. d. 81 16 1	£ s. d. 72 5 5	£ s. d. 56 9 11	£ s. d. 58 8 3

No. 36.—RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE AGGREGATE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES OF THE COMMONWEALTH at 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1911.

30th June.	Amount of Debt bearing interest at								Amount not bearing interest.	Total Public Debt all States.
	6%	5%	4½%	4%	3½%	3%	2½%	2%		
1901 ...	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
1901 ...	804	1,224	5,079	93,670	...	65,727	275	36,733	6	203,518
1902 ...	549	799	5,077	91,610	...	70,698	300	45,214	8	214,255
1903 ...	471	368	5,075	93,786	1,500	71,972	279	49,418	7	222,871
1904 ...	434	343	69	98,649	1,825	76,671	256	49,492	9	227,748
1905 ...	384	243	67	108,945	1,825	74,795	289	49,181	10	230,739
1906 ...	346	243	64	102,578	2,045	84,049	200	48,891	12	238,428
1907 ...	309	243	61	94,972	2,514	93,522	175	48,292	62	240,150
1908 ...	298	243	58	87,392	3,132	104,601	150	47,948	13	243,835
1909 ...	270	243	56	80,403	5,218	117,970	125	47,473	15	251,774
1910 ...	209	243	53	76,983	10,897	121,988	75	47,162	14	257,624
1911 ...	191	193	49	71,438	21,588	126,678	75	46,910	10	267,127
Increase during 10 years	—613	—1,031	—5,080	—22,287	21,588	60,951	—200	10,177	4	63,609

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

**No. 37.—LOANS RAISED IN LONDON BY THE SEVERAL STATES DURING THE
THREE YEARS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1911.**

Date of Flotation.	Face Value of Loan.	Rate of Interest Payable	Fixed Price Per Cent.	Flotation Expenses.		Accrued Interest.		Net Proceeds (exclud- ing Accrued Interest.)	
				Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
8/1/1909*	£ 750,000	2½ dis.	...	1,818	.175	...	...	748,687	99.825
19/2/1909*	500,000	2½ ..	...	875	.175	...	...	499,129	99.825
28/2/1909	1,500,000	3½	97½	86,427	2.428	11,115	.741	1,414,958	94.881
27/5/1909	3,000,000	3½	98½	71,648	2.388	26,600	.887	2,856,752	95.225
17/2/1910	2,750,000	3½	97	66,193	2.407	21,405	.778	2,579,902	93.815
VICTORIA.									
11/5/1909	1,500,000	3½	98	36,205	2.414	12,032	.802	1,421,768	94.784
Various 1910-11	589,352	3½	Par	14,135	2.626	...	...	524,217	97.874
QUEENSLAND.									
March 1909	2,000,000	3½	97	48,055	2.403	25,206	1.260	1,866,739	93.387
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.									
1/7/1908	22,900	3½	99½	†	...	†	...	†	...
1/1/1909	2,000,000	3½	97½						
1/1/1909	2,200	3½	99½						
1/1/1909	5,400	3½	Par						
1/12/1909	500,000	3½	*						
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.									
24/5/1909	1,445,000	3½	96½	34,647	2.398	13,060	.966	1,345,918	93.186
2/6/1910	1,342,000	3½	96½	88,093	2.466	14,021	1.045	1,247,916	92.989
TASMANIA.									
18/7/1908	200,000	3½	98½	4,782	2.391	568	.284	191,650	95.825
12/10/1909	300,000	3½	98½	7,240	2.413	...	...	288,260	96.087
Total	18,355,852	...	...	854,618	3.241	124,907	.789	14,985,791	94.700

* Short dated Treasury Bills.

† Not available.

‡ These figures relate to flotations amounting to £15,825,352, particulars relating to South Australian loans not being available.

No. 38.—PUBLIC DEBT PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1911.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	49.467	41.632	76.484	73.298	67.400	49.568	58.726
1902 ...	51.539	42.224	79.088	75.923	72.644	52.905	55.719
1903 ...	54.955	42.720	79.740	77.605	70.960	51.311	57.271
1904 ...	55.614	43.133	79.935	79.274	68.963	51.802	57.785
1905 ...	55.390	42.966	78.882	79.147	67.197	51.060	57.608
1906 ...	56.983	43.779	77.731	82.003	70.770	53.535	58.739
1907 ...	55.487	43.315	76.799	82.321	75.236	54.164	58.258
1908 ...	55.794	43.686	76.010	78.550	73.348	54.532	58.185
1909 ...	56.559	43.405	77.381	77.776	83.304	53.555	58.930
1910 ...	56.619	43.464	74.865	78.697	86.878	55.691	58.988
1911 ...	57.780	43.698	72.282	82.735	82.355	58.693	59.524
Increase during 10 years.	8.318	2.071	—4.202	9.437	14.955	9.125	5.798

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

No. 39.—ACCRUED PUBLIC DEBT SINKING FUNDS OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1911.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	386,983	308,284	...	32,879	429,227	169,546	1,226,319
1902 ...	655,796	389,782	...	35,480	486,737	206,257	1,774,052
1903 ...	775,208	313,205	...	117,338	655,069	180,257	2,041,167
1904 ...	894,621	330,957	...	14,476	864,752	200,385	2,305,191
1905 ...	439,034	315,554	...	1,149	1,073,844	214,171	2,175,752
1906 ...	566,484	338,011	...	251,849	1,320,003	236,297	3,312,744
1907 ...	482,737	332,988	...	531,466	1,600,044	261,431	3,708,666
1908 ...	223,001	629,490	...	1,050,812	1,904,433	304,639	4,112,369
1909 ...	405,648	727,021	...	426,318	2,233,395	357,419	4,149,788
1910 ...	331,308	851,085	...	650,100	2,569,707	374,806	4,777,006
1911 ...	504,921	1,017,866	...	610,956	2,888,085	414,601	5,442,379
Increase during 10 years.	118,538	809,582	...	584,077	2,458,808	245,055	4,216,060

**No. 40.—ANNUAL AMOUNT OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS
OF THE SEVERAL STATES AS EXISTING ON THE 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1911.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	2,429,983	1,894,508	1,378,243	997,070	437,874	317,359	7,455,082
1902 ...	2,540,625	1,897,877	1,421,080	1,024,830	502,729	334,551	7,721,692
1903 ...	2,746,766	1,916,140	1,421,080	1,042,290	528,609	338,390	7,993,115
1904 ...	2,841,368	1,885,949	1,529,969	1,069,325	547,160	341,627	8,215,908
1905 ...	2,987,150	1,883,500	1,529,382	1,081,025	570,241	348,258	8,349,556
1906 ...	3,052,857	1,921,187	1,529,382	1,138,361	610,752	350,515	8,613,054
1907 ...	3,042,432	1,901,902	1,546,883	1,133,160	650,450	364,472	8,654,290
1908 ...	3,097,176	1,899,417	1,546,880	1,112,321	704,860	371,992	8,732,646
1909 ...	3,175,380	1,948,094	1,634,786	1,114,344	756,599	370,007	8,999,870
1901 ...	3,250,129	1,980,100	1,634,786	1,147,359	803,301	386,234	9,201,909
1911 ...	3,868,584	2,054,363	1,646,586	1,251,744	810,101	407,311	9,533,659
Increase during 10 years.	933,601	159,860	268,343	254,674	372,227	89,952	2,078,657

**No. 41.—AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS
OF THE SEVERAL STATES on 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1911.**

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1901 ...	3.608	3.749	3.735	3.770	3.445	3.729	3.682
1902 ...	3.549	3.726	3.709	3.754	3.364	3.678	3.639
1903 ...	3.536	3.725	3.709	3.743	3.383	3.665	3.631
1904 ...	3.551	3.639	3.706	3.740	3.401	3.666	3.617
1905 ...	3.568	3.639	3.706	3.757	3.426	3.677	3.627
1906 ...	3.565	3.619	3.706	3.758	3.432	3.668	3.620
1907 ...	3.554	3.581	3.704	3.735	3.436	3.673	3.605
1908 ...	3.534	3.563	3.704	3.710	3.439	3.665	3.589
1909 ...	3.517	3.564	3.692	3.663	3.447	3.651	3.575
1910 ...	3.513	3.563	3.692	3.655	3.450	3.654	3.572
1911 ...	3.522	3.543	3.691	3.657	2.418	3.677	3.569
Decrease during 10 years.	.086	.206	.044	.113	.027	.052	.113

No. 42.—BANKS OF ISSUE.

LIABILITIES OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1911

Quarter ended 30th June	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to Other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	3,869,469	525,968	876,973	37,457,900	54,089,188	91,547,148	96,789,540
1907	3,563,181	801,378	444,460	46,781,334	65,918,735	112,697,909	117,607,466
1908	3,536,227	707,003	796,447	46,015,448	67,679,340	113,694,398	118,734,965
1909	3,510,629	730,833	565,808	46,418,693	70,945,663	117,796,355	120,545,548
1910	3,746,482	811,758	570,115	55,233,362	74,637,374	130,801,136	133,031,491
1911	3,718,468	929,603	741,168	62,266,327	81,280,013	143,446,910	146,635,319
31st Dec. 1911	376,428	965,065	917,804	64,319,418	82,700,663	147,108,081	146,911,878

ASSETS OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1911.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Land and Other Property.	Notes and Bills of Other Banks.	Balances due from Other Banks.	All Other Debts due to the Banks.	Total Assets.
	(g)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	18,081,224	1,199,804		6,145,742	605,676	1,515,701	98,730,160	121,547,513
1907	23,430,386	1,291,533		5,028,379	840,217	1,170,376	94,900,435	125,740,735
1908	23,378,203	1,353,367		4,338,213	880,377	1,131,612	101,647,046	133,537,805
1909	24,943,910	1,353,383		4,839,471	939,354	1,153,612	96,481,919	131,717,700
1910	26,196,729	1,222,800		4,919,061	973,161	1,343,669	101,371,814	136,158,666
1911	32,330,705	1,140,065	5,137,478	4,987,437	1,379,714	1,508,007	113,041,947	150,565,443
31 Dec. 1911	38,846,749	1,177,478	5,793,870	4,940,341	921,277	1,646,683	121,234,007	164,900,923

a Including gold and silver bullion in Tasmanian banks prior to 1908. b Including £3,454,716 Government and municipal securities. c Including £3,066,058 Government and municipal securities. d Including £3,530,300 Government and municipal securities. e Including £4,187,717 Government and municipal securities. f Including £4,514,064 Government and municipal securities.

No. 43.—SAVINGS BANKS.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
NUMBER OF DEPOSITORS.							
1900-1	282,643	393,026	81,025	126,082	39,318	42,509	964,553
1907-8	421,928	511,681	100,324	*174,289	173,178	55,620	1,335,920
1908-9	436,029	532,425	106,627	*187,482	177,748	58,145	1,398,456
1909-10	460,251	560,515	114,720	*201,275	185,166	60,646	1,483,573
1910-11	498,658	595,424	127,219	*216,480	199,017	63,314	1,600,112
AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.							
1900-1	10,901,382	9,662,006	3,896,170	3,795,631	1,618,359	1,009,097	80,882,645
1907-8	17,580,157	13,428,676	4,921,881	5,820,344	2,885,463	1,560,951	46,147,472
1908-9	18,805,082	14,101,710	5,168,219	6,347,271	3,059,788	1,605,919	49,077,939
1909-10	20,150,574	15,417,888	5,622,986	6,791,320	3,481,764	1,652,966	53,117,498
1910-11	22,458,924	17,274,423	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,092,504	1,760,090	59,993,682

AVERAGE PER DEPOSITOR.

End of Year.	N.S.W.			Victoria.			Queensland.			S. Aust.			W. Aust.			Tasmania.			Total.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1900-1	38	11	5	24	11	8	48	1	9	80	2	4	41	3	3	28	14	9	82	0	4
1907-8	41	10	11	26	5	0	49	1	2	33	7	11	39	19	6	28	1	4	84	10	10
1908-9	43	11	2	26	9	9	48	7	6	33	17	1	39	7	1	27	12	5	35	4	1
1909-10	43	15	8	27	10	1	49	0	4	33	14	10	40	8	2	27	5	1	35	16	1
1910-11	45	0	7	29	0	3	50	2	6	34	7	0	41	6	7	27	16	0	37	2	4

AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

1900-1	8	0	3	8	0	6	7	15	2	10	10	0	8	11	3	5	16	9	8	3	0
1907-8	11	4	6	10	17	10	9	0	4	15	8	5	11	6	9	8	4	8	11	1	9
1908-9	11	17	5	11	5	6	9	5	2	16	6	0	11	15	8	8	7	6	11	11	11
1909-10	12	9	8	12	1	6	9	14	7	17	2	8	13	2	1	8	11	2	12	5	8
1910-11	13	13	2	13	5	6	10	12	11	18	2	7	14	15	8	9	1	9	13	8	5

Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks:—1908, 2011; 1909, 4607; 1910, 6881; 1911, 8436.

1908, 9645; 1909, 4500; 1910, 6781; 1911, 9678.

Section V.—Railways.

No. 44.—PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

RAILWAYS (GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE) OPEN FOR TRAFFIC, 1901-11.

NOTE.—Mileage of private lines shown (in brackets).

Government.	1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	(b) 145½ (—)
New South Wales ...	2,846 (80)	3,453 (81)	3,472 (271)	3,663 (268)	3,653 (266)	3,781 (266)
Victoria ...	3,337 (a)	3,306 (a)	3,306 (47)	3,410 (47)	3,491 (51)	3,523 (51)
Queensland ...	2,901 (146)	2,137 (103)	3,350 (336)	3,406 (337)	3,661 (344)	3,668 (342)
South Australia ...	1,861 (a)	1,977 (35)	2,025 (58)	2,064 (58)	2,068 (58)	1,985 (58)
Western Australia ...	1,365 (629)	1,764 (604)	1,943 (630)	2,044 (630)	2,145 (630)	2,376 (632)
Tasmania ...	458 (143)	463 (136)	463 (204)	463 (304)	469 (304)	470 (305)
Government Private—	13,578 (a)	14,190 (a)	14,658 (1,555)	15,072 (1,580)	15,467 (1,665)	16,078 (1,634)
For general traffic	(a)	(a)	916	943	936	1,009
“ private “	(a)	(a)	639	637	1,010	835
Total ...	—	—	16,213	15,592	17,482	18,012½

(a) Not available. (b) Pine Creek to Palmerston line (Northern Territory); the Port Augusta to Oodnadatta line, though the property of the Commonwealth Government, is still worked by the Government of South Australia, and is included in the lines of that State.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1911.

Government.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.		Cost of Construction and Equip'm't.	Net Earnings per cent. to Capital.
			Amount.	Per Train Mile.		
	£	£	£	s. d.	£1,000	£
Commonwealth ...	11,527	13,103	-1,576	-1 0	1.173	-0.13
New South Wales ...	6,042,205	3,691,061	2,351,144	2 0	50,972	4.61
Victoria ...	4,806,210	3,099,604	1,796,706	2 9	44,122	4.07
Queensland ...	2,780,480	1,563,119	1,167,311	2 6	25,899	4.51
South Australia ...	2,045,136	1,256,689	789,547	2 8	14,589	5.41
Western Australia ...	1,844,419	1,216,477	627,942	2 6	12,020	5.22
Tasmania ...	277,916	215,590	62,386	1 2	4,080	1.53
Total ...	17,847,848	11,054,388	6,793,460	2 8	152,855	4.44

— Denotes loss.

AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

	1901-0.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	145½
New South Wales ...	2,818	3,428	3,469	3,560	3,625	3,713
Victoria ...	3,228	3,305	3,396	3,397	3,441	3,505
Queensland ...	2,801	3,137	3,239	3,444	3,533	3,795
South Australia ...	1,882	1,960	2,006	2,027	2,039	1,915
Western Australia ...	1,355	1,676	1,830	1,971	2,102	2,286
Tasmania ...	460	470	470	470	474	478
Total ...	12,511	14,066	14,410	14,869	15,214	15,837½

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.
TRAIN MILES RUN—THOUSANDS.						
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	80
New South Wales ...	10,764	12,949	14,251	15,074	15,468	17,007
Victoria ...	11,066	10,086	10,888	11,291	11,706	12,973
Queensland ...	5,815	6,126	6,558	7,391	8,157	9,867
South Australia ...	4,428	4,365	5,041	4,966	5,451	5,946
Western Australia ...	4,126	4,181	3,964	4,102	4,398	4,963
Tasmania ...	896	931	1,029	1,029	1,060	1,041
Total ...	37,090	38,698	41,226	43,848	46,240	51,827

GROSS EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	12
New South Wales ...	3,574	4,709	4,944	5,028	5,486	6,042
Victoria ...	3,838	4,013	3,873	4,178	4,444	4,896
Queensland ...	1,317	1,890	1,961	2,103	2,338	2,781
South Australia ...	1,250	1,589	1,755	1,662	1,853	2,045
Western Australia ...	1,353	1,537	1,502	1,509	1,637	1,844
Tasmania ...	206	258	278	280	284	278
Total ...	11,038	13,936	14,308	14,750	16,042	17,848

WORKING EXPENSES.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	13
New South Wales ...	2,043	2,500	2,715	2,953	3,276	3,691
Victoria ...	2,075	2,353	2,436	2,515	2,818	3,099
Queensland ...	1,058	918	1,034	1,227	1,414	1,563
South Australia ...	754	881	983	953	1,082	1,256
Western Australia ...	1,045	1,136	1,008	974	1,097	1,316
Tasmania ...	174	165	202	204	212	216
Total ...	7,149	7,968	8,398	8,826	9,899	11,054

NET EARNINGS.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	—1
New South Wales ...	1,531	2,210	2,229	2,076	2,209	2,351
Victoria ...	1,262	1,659	1,438	1,663	1,626	1,797
Queensland ...	259	917	897	876	924	1,167
South Australia ...	496	708	772	698	771	789
Western Australia ...	969	401	494	535	541	628
Tasmania ...	32	73	76	76	72	62
Total ...	3,889	5,968	5,906	5,924	6,143	6,793

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

		1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.
NET EARNINGS PER CENT. TO CAPITAL COST.							
Commonwealth ...	...	£ ...	£ ...	£ ...	£ ...	£ ...	£ -0.18
New South Wales ...	...	3.93	4.94	4.88	4.86	4.52	4.61
Victoria ...	...	3.14	4.00	3.43	3.91	3.77	4.07
Queensland ...	...	1.31	4.20	3.97	3.74	3.80	4.51
South Australia ...	...	3.68	4.91	5.28	4.70	5.12	5.41
Western Australia ...	...	4.35	3.90	4.60	4.85	4.75	5.22
Tasmania ...	...	0.85	1.84	1.91	1.90	1.79	1.53
Total ...	...	3.15	4.36	4.29	4.13	4.18	4.44