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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.—AUGUST, 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 March, 1912.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Per 100 sq. miles.	Males.	Females.	Total.
States—								
N.S. W. ...	309,460	857,698	789,086	1,646,784	532	879,090	808,078	1,687,768
Victoria ...	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	1,497	698,788	682,725	1,376,518
Queensland	370,500	329,506	276,807	605,813	90	339,344	285,818	625,162
Sth. Aust.	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	108	212,798	205,994	418,787
West Aust.	975,930	161,565	120,549	282,114	99	170,820	127,138	297,458
Tasmania	26,215	97,591	93,020	190,611	729	97,736	93,627	191,363
Territories—								
North. Ter.	528,020	2,784	576	3,360	0.6	2,741	575	3,316
Fed. Capital Territory	912	992	722	1,714	190	1,688	897	1,985
Commonwealth	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	150	2,396,900	2,205,452	4,602,352

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

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Q'land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Cap. Ter.	Commonwealth.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,857	...	3,765,339
1901	1,375,455	1,209,900	506,721	359,330	198,601	175,233	4,673	...	3,824,913
1902	1,401,948	1,208,331	512,240	367,007	211,973	179,450	4,474	...	3,875,318
1903	1,425,183	1,204,742	517,728	367,033	224,748	182,924	4,234	...	3,916,592
1904	1,455,458	1,205,608	524,935	369,368	239,408	185,167	4,206	...	3,974,150
1905	1,487,884	1,210,421	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	...	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	185,472	3,904	...	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,806	373,663	264,540	189,596	3,737	...	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,090	385,831	259,671	191,738	3,572	...	4,232,278
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	...	4,323,960
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,882	193,808	3,301	...	4,425,083
1911	1,672,783	1,362,794	622,120	418,172	294,181	193,479	3,248	1,921	4,568,707

(a) Part of New South Wales prior to 1911.

No. 3.—ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1901.	1906.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Three months of	
						1912.	1911.

NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

States—							
New South Wales...	21,854	26,403	27,972	29,386	30,391	8,029	7,565
Victoria ...	15,104	15,381	17,106	16,705	17,810	4,338	4,588
Queensland ...	8,296	9,150	10,022	10,425	10,440	2,551	2,671
South Australia ...	5,046	5,873	6,241	6,484	7,019	1,792	1,587
Western Australia...	3,199	4,876	4,898	4,845	5,168	1,304	1,179
Tasmania ...	3,116	3,486	3,658	3,466	3,510	878	868
Territories—							
Northern Territory	a	a	a	a	— 34	—13	—11
Fed. Cap. Territory	b	b	b	b	20	...	6
Total ...	56,615	65,119	69,899	71,211	74,324	18,779	18,452

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

States—							
New South Wales...	— 6,704	— 4,052	2,004	670	— 1,463	6,956	— 3,250
Victoria ...	— 1,417	2,311	9,465	7,081	48,376	9,481	9,398
Queensland ...	4,578	2,144	10,724	10,746	12,673	482	3,977
South Australia ...	— 3,150	6,130	756	7,285	4,285	— 1,177	62
Western Australia...	10,436	255	1,106	6,812	12,181	1,973	4,013
Tasmania ...	783	— 1,351	— 2,272	— 2,782	— 3,834	— 2,994	— 8,398
Territories—							
Northern Territory	a	a	a	a	— 19	81	20
Fed. Cap. Territory	b	b	b	b	1,901	64	64
Total ...	2,959	5,437	21,783	29,912	69,300	14,866	10,926

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

States—							
New South Wales...	15,150	22,351	29,976	29,956	28,928	14,985	4,315
Victoria ...	13,687	17,642	26,573	24,386	61,386	13,719	13,926
Queensland ...	12,874	11,294	20,746	21,171	23,113	3,083	6,648
South Australia ...	1,896	12,003	6,997	13,769	11,304	615	1,649
Western Australia...	13,684	5,131	6,004	11,157	17,349	3,277	5,192
Tasmania ...	2,333	2,135	1,386	684	— 324	— 2,116	— 2,580
Territories—							
Northern Territory	a	a	a	a	— 53	68	9
Fed. Cap. Territory	b	b	b	b	1,921	64	69
Total ...	59,574	70,556	91,682	101,123	143,624	33,645	29,278

(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 MARCH, 1912.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
States—							
New South Wales ...	6,185	5,942	12,127	2,439	1,659	4,098	4,046
Victoria ...	4,251	3,985	8,236	2,204	1,794	3,998	3,675
Queensland ...	2,296	2,066	4,362	1,151	660	1,811	1,233
South Australia ...	1,458	1,422	2,880	610	478	1,088	920
Western Australia ...	1,081	985	2,067	488	275	763	607
Tasmania ...	684	678	1,362	276	208	484	368
Territories—							
Northern Territory	4	3	7	19	1	20	8
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	4	4	2	2	4	1
Commonwealth	15,959	15,086	31,045	7,189	5,077	12,266	9,848

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Three months of	
						1912.	1911.

BIRTHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—							
New South Wales ...	37,875	42,458	43,782	45,444	47,687	12,127	11,561
Victoria ...	31,008	31,097	31,544	31,437	33,026	8,236	8,106
Queensland ...	14,303	14,830	15,552	16,169	16,984	4,362	4,151
South Australia ...	9,079	9,756	10,064	10,540	11,067	2,880	2,536
Western Australia ...	5,718	7,755	7,602	7,585	8,091	2,067	1,883
Tasmania ...	4,930	5,615	5,500	5,586	5,437	1,362	1,349
Territories—							
Northern Territory	32	34	27	40	31	7	8
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	30	4	7
Commonwealth	102,945	111,545	114,071	116,801	122,193	31,045	29,600

BIRTH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						*	*
New South Wales ...	27.78	26.99	27.40	27.88	28.75	28.85	28.13
Victoria ...	25.77	25.07	25.01	24.51	24.84	24.05	24.81
Queensland ...	28.62	26.70	27.29	27.38	27.65	27.98	27.65
South Australia ...	25.41	25.81	25.91	26.50	26.89	27.53	24.92
Western Australia ...	30.39	30.08	28.87	27.99	28.21	27.94	27.14
Tasmania ...	28.58	29.95	28.91	29.25	28.57	28.31	28.07
Territories—							
Northern Territory	6.71	9.30	7.63	11.75	9.34	8.53	10.10
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	16.85	8.19	16.01
Commonwealth	27.16	26.59	26.69	26.73	27.21	27.07	26.71

* Equivalent annual rate.

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Three Months of	
						1911.	1911.

DEATHS.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—							
New South Wales	16,021	10,056	15,810	16,168	17,146	4,098	3,996
Victoria ...	15,904	15,766	14,436	14,732	15,216	3,998	3,518
Queensland ...	6,007	5,080	5,590	5,744	6,544	1,811	1,480
South Australia ...	3,974	3,834	3,782	4,014	4,098	1,088	948
Western Australia ...	2,519	2,879	2,704	2,740	2,923	769	704
Tasmania ...	1,814	2,129	1,842	2,120	1,927	484	481
Territories—							
Northern Territory	91	88	68	82	65	20	19
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	10	4	2
Commonwealth	46,830	46,426	44,172	45,590	47,869	12,266	11,148

DEATH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—							
New South Wales ...	11.75	10.20	9.89	9.89	10.37	9.76	9.79
Victoria ...	18.22	12.71	11.45	11.49	11.45	11.68	10.76
Queensland ...	11.98	10.26	9.70	9.71	10.65	11.62	9.86
South Australia ...	11.12	10.14	9.74	10.09	9.82	10.40	9.32
Western Australia ...	13.39	11.17	10.27	10.11	10.19	10.32	10.53
Tasmania ...	10.51	11.36	9.68	11.10	10.13	10.06	10.01
Territories—							
Northern Territory	19.10	22.71	19.20	24.10	19.58	24.38	23.99
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	5.62	8.19	10.72
Commonwealth	12.22	11.07	10.33	10.43	10.66	10.70	10.06

MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—							
New South Wales ...	10,588	12,641	18,025	14,307	15,278	4,046	3,743
Victoria ...	8,406	9,385	9,481	10,239	11,088	2,675	2,561
Queensland ...	3,841	4,009	4,543	4,768	5,167	1,233	1,253
South Australia ...	2,304	3,112	3,275	3,661	4,036	920	926
Western Australia ...	1,821	2,012	1,997	2,107	2,421	607	511
Tasmania ...	1,398	1,432	1,494	1,493	1,477	358	318
Territories—							
Northern Territory	5	10	10	17	10	8	4
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	5	1	2
Commonwealth	27,753	32,551	33,775	36,592	39,482	9,848	9,318

* Equivalent annual rate.

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BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.	Three Months of	
						1912.	1911.

MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

						*	*
States—							
New South Wales ...	7.73	8.03	8.15	8.76	9.24	9.63	9.11
Victoria ...	6.99	7.53	7.48	7.98	8.84	7.81	7.84
Queensland ...	6.66	7.24	7.97	6.06	8.41	7.91	8.35
South Australia ...	6.45	8.23	8.43	9.20	9.81	8.79	9.10
Western Australia ...	9.68	7.80	7.59	7.77	8.44	8.21	7.96
Tasmania ...	7.76	7.64	7.85	7.82	7.78	7.44	6.62
Territories—							
Northern Territory	1.05	2.74	2.83	5.00	8.01	9.75	5.05
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	2.81	2.05	4.87
Commonwealth	7.32	7.76	7.90	8.37	8.79	8.79	8.41

* Equivalent annual rate.

No. 5.—RECORDED MIGRATION—COMMONWEALTH, 1906-1912

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.*		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1906	36,312	17,852	54,164	34,088	17,211	51,299
1907	45,755	22,883	68,638	37,370	18,754	56,124
1908	48,677	23,531	72,208	39,611	19,447	59,058
1909	57,487	26,122	83,609	36,845	17,831	54,676
1910	65,745	29,947	95,692	39,685	18,260	57,945
1911	96,964	44,945	141,909	43,894	20,312	64,206
1912 (eight months)	72,177	34,200	107,376	35,169	15,616	50,785

* It is considered that the recorded departures are understated. See note "C" Table 3.

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No. 8.—ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the Month of August, 1911 and 1912, and during the eight months of the same years.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	August.		Eight months of		August.		Eight months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
British	10,249	10,729	98,889	76,086	4,118	5,724	41,470	35,910
Austrian	89	48	591	905	24	16	241	262
Danish	18	31	212	252	20	8	84	101
Dutch	63	21	297	199	4	4	55	70
French	125	80	886	785	65	97	606	758
German	262	182	2,324	1,482	122	83	1,402	1,148
Greek	78	38	474	302	6	7	136	132
Italian	120	48	1,362	1,020	54	67	654	555
Russian	77	106	613	583	22	14	208	141
Scandinavian	102	120	885	1,005	94	67	678	678
Spanish	11	5	83	96	4	3	29	21
Swiss	21	7	128	90	3	...	44	26
Turkish	2	2	12	9	...	...	...	...
United States	57	77	803	555	22	15	445	288
Other White	54	29	437	292	22	16	347	101
Total, White Nationalities	11,273	11,618	102,936	83,730	4,580	4,101	46,403	40,200
Afghans	...	10	21	16	6	7	31	52
Chinese	330	195	2,479	1,822	425	265	2,726	1,962
Japanese	54	47	427	296	47	19	368	267
Malays	74	23	706	764	38	46	525	532
Natives of India and Ceylon... ..	15	21	265	164	16	11	406	205
Syrians	...	12	48	91	3	7	13	68
Other Asiatics	3	...	97	44	3	14	47	72
Negroes, Americans	4	2	17	7	...	...	1	44
Papuans	7	1	145	123	1	30	49	300
Polynesians, Melanesians	32	5	177	118	37	14	153	70
Other Coloured	2	6	72	77	6	5	60	75
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races	521	322	4,450	3,524	582	417	4,982	3,612
TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES	11,794	11,940	107,386	87,254	5,162	4,518	50,785	43,812

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

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

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	August.		Eight Months of		August.		Eight Months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
United Kingdom ...	6,298	6,700	56,076	40,718	1,135	827	15,678	13,510
Canada ...	368	249	2,076	1,797	168	459	2,009	1,891
Cape Colony ...	210	159	1,544	1,227	50	27	645	491
Fiji ...	183	237	1,356	1,314	327	261	1,917	1,708
Hong Kong ...	347	88	1,614	972	311	120	2,202	984
India and Ceylon ...	89	130	1,826	1,592	122	155	1,137	897
Natal ...	3	6	199	155	83	121	880	1,097
New Zealand ...	2,361	2,469	24,326	24,084	1,459	1,462	14,073	13,209
Norfolk Island ...	8	8	97	92	17	5	80	68
Papua ...	108	99	738	713	85	131	722	902
Straits Settlements ...	112	101	880	868	100	43	1,077	771
Other Brit. Possessions	38	29	373	246	112	15	529	319
Total British Countries	10,125	10,275	91,106	73,728	3,964	3,626	40,940	35,797
China ...	15	124	975	1,010	42	124	354	784
France ...	72	176	1,745	1,460	127	121	1,446	1,549
Germany ...	158	139	1,224	921	64	30	907	601
Italy ...	309	114	1,920	1,715	86	82	1,415	1,287
Japan ...	56	79	478	463	59	29	543	412
New Caledonia ...	91	57	773	730	10	78	426	609
South Sea Islands ...	112	120	958	729	70	236	653	553
United States ...	125	89	1,192	520	320	63	1,982	504
Other For'gn Countries	731	667	7,014	5,978	420	135	2,110	1,746
Total For'gn Countries	1,669	1,565	16,281	13,526	1,198	892	9,836	8,045
ALL COUNTRIES	11,794	11,840	107,386	87,254	5,162	4,518	50,776	43,842

No. 8.—NOMINATED OR ASSISTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING 1912.

State.	Nominated.			Assisted.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N. S. Wales (a) ...	3,000	2,945	5,945	2,258	721	2,979	8,924
Victoria (a) ...	1,098	1,225	2,323	2,057	1,050	4,307	6,630
Queensland (b) ...	1,839	1,651	3,490	218	341	559	4,049
S. Australia (a) ...	766	702	1,468	5	142	147	1,615
W. Australia (c) ...	1,285	1,352	2,637	1,782	798	2,580	5,217
Tasmania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

(a) To 31st August. (b) To 30th June. (c) In addition 688 unassisted immigrants were dealt with by the Immigration Bureau. (d) Exclusive of 78 Russians (full-paying passengers) from Manchuria. (e) To 31st July.

**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.				
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1901	22,130,183	42,434,011*	47,741,776	1,004,306	48,746,082	34 6 1	11 3 11	12 11 10	0 10 4	13 2 3	13 2 3	
1902	81,501,037	46,676,930*	41,268,781	3,046,306	44,315,087	31 19 7	10 11 4	10 14 6	0 13 9	11 8 3	11 8 3	
1903	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,638,883	2,501,229	48,140,112	22 2 1	9 14 8	11 14 7	0 13 8	12 7 10	12 7 10	
1904	94,506,757	37,030,842	55,100,187	3,395,748	57,495,935	23 19 4	9 7 9	13 19 6	0 12 1	14 11 7	14 11 7	
1905	95,187,760	36,346,731	54,137,758	3,713,277	57,851,035	23 15 10	9 11 0	13 10 7	0 13 6	14 4 1	14 4 1	
1906	114,483,675	44,744,313	65,209,874	3,437,980	68,647,854	26 3 10	11 0 4	16 6 7	0 16 11	17 3 6	17 3 6	
1907	134,633,290	61,805,233	69,818,500	3,037,747	72,856,247	30 4 5	12 11 3	16 18 7	0 14 7	17 15 9	17 15 9	
1908	114,130,331	49,709,273	62,118,903	3,192,155	65,311,058	27 4 1	11 17 5	14 16 2	0 10 6	15 6 8	15 6 8	
1909	116,490,732	51,171,006	62,843,711	2,475,125	65,318,836	27 5 0	11 19 5	14 14 0	0 11 7	15 5 7	15 5 7	
1910	134,505,501	60,014,351	71,836,195	2,054,955	73,891,150	30 15 6	13 14 8	16 8 9	0 12 1	17 0 10	17 0 10	
1911	146,440,746	66,067,488	76,206,210	3,277,048	79,483,258	32 12 4	14 18 3	16 19 6	0 14 7	17 14 1	17 14 1	

* Owing to the failure to record as Overseas 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, £1,516,324; 1903, £1,024,211.

† Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian Ports on board overseas ships. The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £275,066; 1907, £208,807; 1908, £1,106,106; 1909, £1,071,677; 1910, £1,000,133, and in 1911, £1,338,446.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	41,100,147	104,864	42,431,011	34,425,963	15,270,319	49,696,172	-7,073,104	14,335,355	7,362,161
1902	30,516,771	1,491,179	40,675,050	38,547,504	13,367,413	51,914,917	-10,688,177	13,006,314	3,320,137
1903	36,551,542	1,272,929	37,811,471	29,126,154	19,133,059	48,259,113	-7,165,389	17,064,025	10,438,641
1904	35,816,904	1,313,818	37,030,842	30,718,846	17,767,069	47,485,915	-3,000,822	16,543,221	20,465,073
1905	36,790,436	1,550,235	38,346,131	45,045,321	11,705,514	56,750,835	-3,340,085	10,245,219	16,401,324
1906	42,413,935	2,330,917	44,744,912	62,027,630	17,703,513	79,731,143	0,813,835	15,379,016	16,192,851
1907	49,071,833	1,634,200	51,800,033	61,636,787	11,187,460	72,824,247	11,861,954	9,353,260	21,215,214
1908	48,626,021	1,109,352	49,735,373	30,121,838	14,190,320	44,312,158	1,511,917	12,938,668	14,450,585
1909	50,115,521	1,066,375	51,171,896	36,638,552	7,680,264	44,318,816	6,521,031	7,623,009	14,140,040
1910	68,692,301	1,531,000	70,014,351	60,765,573	4,733,277	65,498,850	11,173,492	3,303,317	14,476,809
1911	64,107,007	1,069,581	65,067,488	67,435,172	12,047,086	79,482,258	2,487,255	10,077,505	12,564,760

Imports and Exports.

**No. 13.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED
DURING THE MONTH OF AUGUST, 1912 AND 1911, TOGETHER WITH
THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE SAME ARTICLES FOR THE EIGHT
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 ...	Aug. 1912	42,208	61	429	490
	" 1911	31,556	95	678	773
	8 mths. 1912	409,972	1,022	1,067	5,089
	" 1911	316,168	1,067	1,415	5,492
Animals Living— Horses ...	Aug. 1912	18,180	16,418	1,550	17,968
	" 1911	35,319	26,928	1,696	28,619
	8 mths. 1912	151,008	98,816	4,815	103,681
	" 1911	256,790	106,050	4,886	110,886
Cattle ...	Aug. 1912	44	3,276	...	3,276
	" 1911	980	3,348	...	3,348
	8 mths. 1912	1,263	87,001	...	37,001
	" 1911	5,722	23,680	...	23,680
Sheep ...	Aug. 1912	2,160	19,237	...	19,237
	" 1911	1,860	2,862	...	2,862
	8 mths. 1912	9,446	45,362	90	45,452
	" 1911	23,519	19,208	...	19,298
Apparel & all Descriptions of Soft Goods	Aug. 1912	1,879,581	4,888	15,561	20,449
	" 1911	1,783,237	4,074	13,684	17,756
	8 mths. 1912	11,765,426	30,576	92,718	123,294
	" 1911	10,874,995	29,286	89,989	119,275
Biscuits ...	Aug. 1912	683	8,581	25	8,609
	" 1911	1,307	6,775	...	6,775
	8 mths. 1912	5,214	54,002	75	54,077
	" 1911	5,122	49,999	54	50,053
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	Aug. 1912	394	6,898	...	6,898
	" 1911	198	5,687	...	5,687
	8 mths. 1912	1,488	31,089	...	31,089
	" 1911	1,288	26,068	63	26,731
Boots and Shoes ...	Aug. 1912	36,855	1,418	262	1,680
	" 1911	39,736	1,353	660	2,013
	8 mths. 1912	340,285	9,786	2,312	12,098
	" 1911	256,989	9,740	2,445	12,185
Butter ...	Aug. 1912	36	52,612	285	52,900
	" 1911	88	62,786	...	62,786
	8 mths. 1912	1,628	1,776,953	322	1,777,275
	" 1911	622	2,522,818	...	2,522,818
Cement (Portland)	Aug. 1912	36,495	67	117	184
	" 1911	10,223	131	424	555
	8 mths. 1912	144,252	1,090	1,880	2,970
	" 1911	95,471	1,634	2,414	4,048
Cheese ...	Aug. 1912	1,267	445	35	480
	" 1911	1,182	998	87	1,085
	8 mths. 1912	11,075	3,483	925	3,708
	" 1911	9,243	21,939	362	23,301

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal	Aug. 1912	82	186,300	...	186,300
	" 1911	4,491	96,320	...	96,320
	8 mths. 1912	12,286	684,216	...	684,216
	" 1911	4,491	571,943	...	571,943
Cocoa and Chocolate—all forms	Aug. 1912	31,800	4	779	783
	" 1911	43,290	24	534	558
	8 mths. 1912	247,000	94	2,172	2,266
	" 1911	296,259	83	1,765	1,888
Coffee and Chicory—all forms	Aug. 1912	7,427	41	626	667
	" 1911	6,887	127	397	464
	8 mths. 1912	93,166	389	2,891	3,290
	" 1911	71,419	376	2,618	2,994
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	Aug. 1912	190	286,463	...	286,463
	" 1911	...	173,819	...	173,819
	8 mths. 1912	507	1,719,645	...	1,719,645
	" 1911	569	1,512,971	...	1,512,971
Cordage and Twines ...	Aug. 1912	53,086	788	1,973	2,711
	" 1911	65,374	577	1,630	2,207
	8 mths. 1912	468,887	5,894	13,609	19,403
	" 1911	489,461	5,099	14,898	19,997
Drugs and Chemicals ...	Aug. 1912	73,300	6,549	3,439	9,988
	" 1911	92,891	6,947	3,187	9,134
	8 mths. 1912	791,604	49,462	25,479	74,941
	" 1911	744,776	42,237	22,744	64,981
Earthenware, China, etc.	Aug. 1912	30,499	270	207	477
	" 1911	38,136	280	203	493
	8 mths. 1912	276,097	2,266	2,450	4,716
	" 1911	283,825	2,787	2,023	4,810
Fish (all kinds)...	Aug. 1912	17,708	3,786	1,149	4,885
	" 1911	25,044	2,996	1,711	4,707
	8 mths. 1912	464,333	17,889	8,555	26,444
	" 1911	392,012	12,153	9,554	21,707
Fruits, Dried— Currants	Aug. 1912	2	2	12	14
	" 1911	8	...	7	7
	8 mths. 1912	786	160	69	229
	" 1911	2,280	6	68	74
Raisins	Aug. 1912	1	4,016	8	4,024
	" 1911	28	57	5	62
	8 mths. 1912	908	17,865	37	17,902
	" 1911	666	834	596	1,430
Other	Aug. 1912	1,016	97	49	146
	" 1911	2,023	413	168	581
	8 mths. 1912	20,986	15,031	476	15,507
	" 1911	16,468	15,843	2,306	18,149
Fruits, Fresh— Apples	Aug. 1912	16	1,333	...	1,333
	" 1911	...	3,404	...	3,404
	8 mths. 1912	209	383,398	30	383,428
	" 1911	366	333,211	36	333,247
All other	Aug. 1912	8,502	7,481	...	7,481
	" 1911	14,780	6,549	...	6,549
	8 mths. 1912	93,063	36,051	160	96,211
	" 1911	107,888	52,097	298	52,395
Furniture	Aug. 1912	22,579	768	239	997
	" 1911	24,168	1,338	195	1,533
	8 mths. 1912	197,675	6,492	4,137	10,629
	" 1911	161,210	9,137	1,869	11,006

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Glass and Glassware ...	Aug. 1912	40,368	586	945	1,531
	" 1911	44,361	195	438	693
	8 mths. 1912	380,582	3,504	6,045	10,299
Gold, uncoined ...	" 1911	334,480	3,435	5,024	9,050
	Aug. 1912	104,774	138,445	---	138,445
	" 1911	134,044	180,411	---	180,411
	8 mths. 1912	822,310	1,209,304	---	1,208,904
	" 1911	1,020,538	1,532,274	---	1,532,274
Grain & Pulse, Unprepared— Barley ...	Aug. 1912	6,307	4	---	4
	" 1911	6,984	121	---	121
	8 mths. 1912	78,593	187	3	190
Maize ...	" 1911	18,731	1,219	---	1,219
	Aug. 1912	22,197	260	1,221	1,481
	" 1911	22	607	---	607
	8 mths. 1912	88,478	676	2,542	3,218
	" 1911	1,724	1,572	---	1,572
Oats ...	Aug. 1912	30,500	850	176	1,026
	" 1911	9	4,896	---	4,896
	8 mths. 1912	337,017	4,726	1,976	6,702
Wheat ...	" 1911	476	28,124	37	28,161
	Aug. 1912	---	455,259	---	455,259
	" 1911	---	587,850	---	587,850
	8 mths. 1912	33	5,441,549	---	5,441,549
	" 1911	59	7,324,485	---	7,324,485
Other (including Beans and Peas)	Aug. 1912	2,747	865	11	870
	" 1911	1,496	1,823	78	1,901
	8 mths. 1912	25,006	4,165	260	4,425
	" 1911	14,606	24,875	454	25,329
Grain & Pulse, Prepared— Bran, Pollard, & Sharps	Aug. 1912	101	4,054	15	4,669
	" 1911	---	3,505	---	3,505
	8 mths. 1912	4,861	20,761	41	29,802
Flour (Wheaten) ...	" 1911	29	57,974	---	57,974
	Aug. 1912	43	155,698	---	155,698
	" 1911	427	132,358	---	132,358
	8 mths. 1912	1,808	984,734	---	984,734
	" 1911	2,008	895,795	---	895,795
Oatmeal, etc. ...	Aug. 1912	1,531	104	18	122
	" 1911	1,596	161	21	182
	8 mths. 1912	7,140	528	94	692
	" 1911	4,738	1,081	113	1,104
Rice ...	Aug. 1912	10,213	---	5,271	5,271
	" 1911	3,594	---	5,502	5,502
	8 mths. 1912	337,271	---	51,272	51,272
	" 1911	236,415	---	47,550	47,550
Other ...	Aug. 1912	2,728	1,397	57	1,454
	" 1911	3,120	1,508	19	1,527
	8 mths. 1912	40,459	5,765	1,733	7,499
	" 1911	30,797	8,182	233	8,415
Hats and Caps ...	Aug. 1912	52,405	388	530	918
	" 1911	45,275	181	514	645
	8 mths. 1912	293,728	2,267	2,824	5,091
Hay and Chaff ...	" 1911	220,502	1,222	2,466	3,688
	Aug. 1912	257	4,104	---	4,104
	" 1911	22	3,400	---	3,406
	8 mths. 1912	3,314	15,154	---	15,154
	" 1911	172	13,545	---	13,545

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Hops	Aug. 1912	5,964	15	22	37
	" 1911	2,366	...	804	304
	8 mths. 1912	52,783	2,072	316	2,388
	" 1911	36,880	215	1,436	1,651
Implements & Machinery— Agricultural, Horticultural, & Viticultural	Aug. 1912	35,850	5,002	2,010	7,012
	" 1911	76,005	69,583	1,716	71,299
	8 mths. 1912	386,071	112,672	10,154	122,826
	" 1911	465,697	97,435	7,470	104,905
Indiarubber goods ...	Aug. 1912	98,798	4,879	1,811	6,690
	" 1911	89,369	6,869	2,035	8,904
	8 mths. 1912	606,273	46,294	12,691	58,985
	" 1911	637,636	55,732	20,597	76,329
Iron and Steel— Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	Aug. 1912	136,215	789	1,925	2,714
	" 1911	144,465	901	1,753	2,054
	8 mths. 1912	1,197,119	3,684	11,375	15,059
	" 1911	1,104,806	2,778	12,140	14,918
Galvanized—Plate and Sheet	Aug. 1912	140,141	...	1,358	1,358
	" 1911	189,841	7	3,633	3,660
	8 mths. 1912	1,378,848	71	17,453	17,524
	" 1911	1,228,774	55	19,177	19,232
Pig and Scrap ...	Aug. 1912	12,470	553	56	609
	" 1911	34,990	199	...	199
	8 mths. 1912	223,870	1,322	2,520	3,842
	" 1911	154,401	1,399	3,771	5,170
Jams and Jellies ...	Aug. 1912	494	2,393	14	2,407
	" 1911	549	1,832	52	1,884
	8 mths. 1912	7,097	15,424	67	16,491
	" 1911	4,866	12,589	173	12,762
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny, and Ore and Woolpack)	Aug. 1912	111,197	684	1,277	1,961
	" 1911	102,168	726	1,538	2,264
	8 mths. 1912	608,316	5,778	19,156	24,934
	" 1911	592,637	1,664	9,540	11,204
Lead—Pig, and Lead con- tained in Matte	Aug. 1912	...	140,729	...	140,729
	" 1911	1,085	115,560	...	115,560
	8 mths. 1912	192	983,967	5	983,962
	" 1911	2,211	687,287	44	697,951
Leather	Aug. 1912	34,079	56,189	2,026	58,765
	" 1911	31,103	44,378	1,067	45,445
	8 mths. 1912	347,787	363,713	17,027	380,740
	" 1911	232,754	289,245	15,029	304,274
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricul- tural, for which see "Im- plements")	Aug. 1912	282,705	4,728	11,918	16,646
	" 1911	301,291	3,545	9,718	13,263
	8 mths. 1912	3,106,434	29,131	58,407	87,538
	" 1911	2,384,614	43,688	55,642	99,380
Manures	Aug. 1912	81,327	18,835	1	18,836
	" 1911	59,514	21,279	...	21,279
	8 mths. 1912	430,744	111,291	2,549	113,840
	" 1911	375,838	104,869	1,229	106,098
Matches and Vestas ...	Aug. 1912	5,829	...	427	427
	" 1911	21,001	...	304	304
	8 mths. 1912	136,293	10	2,463	2,473
	" 1911	121,583	23	2,217	2,240

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—		£	£	£	£
Beef ...	Aug. 1912	...	208,865	...	208,865
	" 1911	2	108,330	...	108,330
	8 mths. 1912	87	1,057,117	...	1,057,117
	" 1911	200	827,904	...	827,904
Mutton and Lamb ...	Aug. 1912	...	8,331	...	8,331
	" 1911	...	108,458	...	108,458
	8 mths. 1912	68	727,592	...	727,592
	" 1911	10	698,282	...	698,282
Poultry ...	Aug. 1912	1	445	...	445
	" 1911	40	391	...	391
	8 mths. 1912	38	4,910	...	4,910
	" 1911	284	3,118	...	3,118
Rabbits and Hares ...	Aug. 1912	...	52,212	...	52,212
	" 1911	...	86,337	...	86,337
	8 mths. 1912	...	240,842	...	240,842
	" 1911	...	316,917	...	316,917
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	Aug. 1912	1,913	74,001	128	74,129
	" 1911	860	92,396	127	92,523
	8 mths. 1912	16,901	413,760	597	414,357
	" 1911	14,142	514,418	1,078	515,491
Metals, Manufactures of—					
Dutiable ...	Aug. 1912	160,968	Included in "Free"		
	" 1911	184,501			
	8 mths. 1912	1,535,889			
	" 1911	1,262,819			
Free ...	Aug. 1912	178,366	6,041	8,346	14,387
	" 1911	196,093	5,445	7,970	13,415
	8 mths. 1912	1,608,500	38,842	51,458	90,300
	" 1911	1,557,909	30,765	53,786	84,501
Milk—					
Concentrated & Preserved	Aug. 1912	1,471	1,447	400	1,847
	" 1911	10,731	868	550	1,418
	8 mths. 1912	12,432	7,984	2,729	10,663
	" 1911	53,430	8,187	3,690	11,877
Oil—Kerosene ...	Aug. 1912	116,738	...	1,267	1,267
	" 1911	36,160	...	1,859	1,859
	8 mths. 1912	444,063	...	9,882	9,882
	" 1911	294,170	...	9,593	9,593
Onions ...	Aug. 1912	8,347	497	328	825
	" 1911	73	1,862	...	1,862
	8 mths. 1912	15,075	28,348	508	28,856
	" 1911	533	23,518	...	23,518
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	Aug. 1912	2,052	85,891	17	85,908
	" 1911	5,757	64,034	49	64,088
	8 mths. 1912	17,379	635,954	126	636,080
	" 1911	31,886	566,895	135	567,030
Paints, Colours & Varnishes	Aug. 1912	46,212	217	822	1,039
	" 1911	42,443	346	647	993
	8 mths. 1912	427,156	4,344	5,470	9,814
	" 1911	329,740	5,094	5,086	10,180
Paper—					
Printing ...	Aug. 1912	48,887	...	191	191
	" 1911	80,196	...	191	191
	8 mths. 1912	567,501	...	2,311	2,311
	" 1911	492,304	...	5,194	5,194

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Paper—All other	Aug. 1912	68,777	106	588	694
	" 1911	76,661	1,212	556	1,768
	8 mths. 1912	579,715	1,212	3,025	4,237
	" 1911	606,041	2,590	5,797	8,387
Pearlshell	Aug. 1912	...	77,961	...	77,961
	" 1911	...	31,878	975	32,853
	8 mths. 1912	12	206,220	2,176	208,396
	" 1911	...	123,626	1,249	124,875
Pickles and Sauces	Aug. 1912	9,868	192	67	199
	" 1911	11,703	76	76	152
	8 mths. 1912	108,826	900	607	1,507
	" 1911	91,584	616	552	1,168
Potatoes	Aug. 1912	29,566	680	712	1,251
	" 1911	88	1,184	...	1,184
	8 mths. 1912	51,991	9,598	1,451	11,049
	" 1911	913	9,429	...	9,429
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.	Aug. 1912	55,456	88	68	156
	" 1911	47,038	46	2,282	2,327
	8 mths. 1912	916,071	182	2,348	2,530
	" 1911	695,852	226	7,215	7,441
Silver—Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	Aug. 1912	54	89,402	...	89,402
	" 1911	50	65,726	...	65,726
	8 mths. 1912	3,629	540,863	7,620	548,493
	" 1911	2,467	456,473	24	456,497
Skins— Hides	Aug. 1912	6,745	130,129	...	130,129
	" 1911	12,923	80,246	13	80,259
	8 mths. 1912	92,865	528,404	...	528,404
	" 1911	109,217	379,072	13	379,085
Rabbit and Hare	Aug. 1912	32	95,765	...	95,765
	" 1911	248	94,036	...	94,036
	8 mths. 1912	378	382,792	...	382,792
	" 1911	1,066	300,957	...	300,957
Sheep	Aug. 1912	494	208,581	...	208,581
	" 1911	610	146,269	...	146,269
	8 mths. 1912	11,482	1,034,738	2	1,034,735
	" 1911	10,031	840,068	...	840,068
Other	Aug. 1912	7,572	95,882	...	95,882
	" 1911	2,919	71,127	194	71,321
	8 mths. 1912	38,931	341,167	239	341,406
	" 1911	12,770	218,918	256	219,174
Soap	Aug. 1912	9,621	8,103	309	8,412
	" 1911	10,879	6,714	421	7,135
	8 mths. 1912	85,679	64,934	2,504	57,438
	" 1911	66,078	46,792	2,597	49,389
Specie— Gold	Aug. 1912	...	1,007,510	104,774	1,112,284
	" 1911	808	786,340	134,944	921,284
	8 mths. 1912	28,048	7,490,641	882,275	8,372,916
	" 1911	19,234	2,857,826	1,020,388	3,877,664
Silver	Aug. 1912	131,674	...	9,100	9,100
	" 1911	158,600	...	194	194
	8 mths. 1912	244,896	...	25,705	25,705
	" 1911	303,955	...	5,842	5,842
Bronze	Aug. 1912	10	...	...	...
	" 1911	1,100	...	...	...
	8 mths. 1912	20,585	...	...	...
	" 1911	11,802	...	9	9

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Spirits—					
Brandy	Aug. 1912	4,648	83	98	176
	" 1911	17,211	108	97	200
	8 mths. 1912	56,308	778	1,340	2,018
	" 1911	122,981	618	712	1,325
Gin (including Schnapps)	Aug. 1912	17,184	...	200	290
	" 1911	17,402	...	207	207
	8 mths. 1912	118,527	...	1,228	1,228
	" 1911	105,879	...	1,308	1,308
Whisky	Aug. 1912	64,901	...	1,894	1,894
	" 1911	59,117	...	1,250	1,250
	8 mths. 1912	464,187	...	11,814	11,814
	" 1911	407,475	10	10,691	10,690
Rum	Aug. 1912	1,896	3	25	28
	" 1911	2,545	...	31	31
	8 mths. 1912	30,218	14	249	263
	" 1911	21,818	0	249	255
Other	Aug. 1912	12,324	1,524	741	2,265
	" 1911	15,558	1,858	497	2,355
	8 mths. 1912	107,222	9,389	4,616	14,005
	" 1911	93,064	10,025	7,987	17,962
Sugar	Aug. 1912	185,028	23	2,375	2,398
	" 1911	38,428	184	16,515	16,699
	8 mths. 1912	727,779	915	24,740	25,655
	" 1911	250,548	756	92,180	92,936
Tallow (export only)	Aug. 1912	...	116,090	...	116,090
	" 1911	...	165,628	13	165,636
	8 mths. 1912	...	1,041,514	499	1,042,013
	" 1911	...	1,208,652	601	1,209,318
Tea	Aug. 1912	84,986	...	4,579	4,579
	" 1911	156,719	...	7,687	7,687
	8 mths. 1912	849,797	...	45,447	45,447
	" 1911	765,682	...	53,880	53,880
Timber	Aug. 1912	238,556	138,139	1,472	134,011
	" 1911	241,251	126,198	3,487	129,685
	8 mths. 1912	1,814,852	579,488	14,680	594,068
	" 1911	1,891,666	654,255	16,178	670,428
Tin Ingots	Aug. 1912	...	87,429	...	87,429
	" 1911	...	65,707	...	65,707
	8 mths. 1912	657	480,557	...	480,557
	" 1911	767	515,090	...	515,090
Tinned Plates	Aug. 1912	24,207	...	...	...
	" 1911	67,932	...	...	...
	8 mths. 1912	368,766	390	306	696
	" 1911	341,902	...	1,456	1,456
Tobacco—					
Manufactured	Aug. 1912	19,640	6,651	2,979	9,630
	" 1911	19,392	5,729	6,745	12,474
	8 mths. 1912	129,037	49,167	28,682	77,849
	" 1911	111,000	39,382	28,942	68,824
Unmanufactured	Aug. 1912	11,530	...	448	448
	" 1911	51,709	...	286	286
	8 mths. 1912	860,372	...	1,443	1,443
	" 1911	399,606	...	2,210	2,210
Cigars	Aug. 1912	15,175	...	255	255
	" 1911	14,831	...	357	357
	8 mths. 1912	104,076	45	2,250	2,295
	" 1911	104,774	97	2,755	2,852

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Tobacco—					
Cigarettes ...	Aug. 1912	8,849	171	147	318
	" 1911	2,977	105	87	142
	8 mths. 1912	34,944	1,261	961	2,222
	" 1911	31,688	1,070	594	1,664
Tools of Trade ...	Aug. 1912	42,925	124	1,106	1,230
	" 1911	57,464	315	1,890	1,645
	8 mths. 1912	472,015	1,235	8,762	9,987
	" 1911	448,875	1,384	9,960	11,344
Wine, Fermented—					
Sparkling ...	Aug. 1912	8,084	33	152	195
	" 1911	17,689	7	499	446
	8 mths. 1912	81,551	351	2,514	2,865
	" 1911	110,160	1,009	2,198	3,207
Other ...	Aug. 1912	1,211	8,806	250	9,066
	" 1911	8,018	12,187	319	12,506
	8 mths. 1912	20,219	70,668	1,825	72,493
	" 1911	19,720	92,346	1,253	93,599
Wool—					
Grensy ...	Aug. 1912	17	274,738	...	274,738
	" 1911	482	536,808	...	536,808
	8 mths. 1912	5,335	7,897,565	...	7,837,565
	" 1911	5,894	7,583,464	...	7,583,464
Scoured and Washed ...	Aug. 1912	270	299,319	...	299,319
	" 1911	3	487,340	...	487,340
	8 mths. 1912	300	2,474,904	...	2,474,904
	" 1911	2,414	2,909,720	...	2,909,720
All other Articles ...	Aug. 1912	1,349,562	473,463	71,581	545,044
	" 1911	1,412,181	417,019	41,175	458,194
	8 mths. 1912	11,457,431	2,578,332	474,310	3,052,642
	" 1911	9,555,760	2,585,507	425,192	3,010,699
GRAND TOTALS ...	Aug. 1912	6,446,702	5,046,738	273,451	5,320,189
	" 1911	6,589,998	5,160,478	285,448	5,445,926
	8 mths. 1912	50,684,076	43,322,704	2,014,180	45,336,884
	" 1911	44,247,426	40,408,084	2,149,065	42,552,149

**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 Kinds.
			Greasy.	Scoured.		

QUANTITY.

	lbs.	Tons.*	Bushels.†	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	
1901	84,586,277	90,814	20,260,068	385,101,184	66,868,855	54,175,098	...
1902	7,777,971	33,021	8,090,282	286,579,469	49,374,477	44,105,000	...
1903	30,901,010	6,007	1,172,888	268,419,710	61,148,820	35,769,124	...
1904	64,788,642	108,144	88,071,658	339,219,779	55,911,046	47,868,592	...
1905	55,904,151	154,219	24,648,182	390,420,424	56,775,428	80,858,844	...
1906	75,785,530	166,876	30,262,885	415,858,590	64,889,295	90,692,585	...
1907	66,076,015	168,437	28,784,180	512,750,805	72,318,065	109,227,757	...
1908	51,193,811	116,808	15,027,888	471,892,275	70,915,494	91,607,014	...
1909	55,644,925	129,960	81,549,498	520,020,218	70,082,419	116,915,639	...
1910	87,894,943	189,946	44,761,895	587,090,469	78,178,300	190,229,330	...
1911	101,722,186	175,891	55,147,840	578,823,623	70,770,640	120,560,295	...

* 2000 lbs. † 60 lbs.

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,447,882	589,604	2,774,643	11,673,176	3,561,528	726,186	1,251,075
1902	879,244	266,075	1,402,883	9,595,482	3,147,531	543,422	1,948,189
1903	1,218,177	61,199	181,365	9,600,599	4,396,634	489,934	1,703,037
1904	2,400,664	792,722	5,240,590	18,189,941	3,975,898	657,861	1,885,066
1905	2,391,595	1,160,818	4,174,128	15,574,516	4,247,700	1,111,069	2,144,682
1906	3,238,304	1,216,806	4,918,708	17,547,037	5,098,732	1,095,120	2,752,607
1907	2,890,261	1,296,252	4,801,722	22,928,011	5,963,819	1,377,502	2,782,805
1908	2,386,548	1,094,391	3,080,591	18,027,980	4,886,730	1,219,107	2,195,063
1909	2,399,693	1,229,481	6,628,683	20,603,450	4,879,070	1,231,035	3,160,008
1910	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,098	5,838,080	2,161,515	3,949,614
1911	4,637,362	1,991,529	9,641,608	21,894,798	4,676,305	1,633,622	3,227,296

NO. 15.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE
of Australian Origin exported from each State to Various Countries during
the Eight Months ended 31st August, 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. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ...	11,375,798	11,706,759	3,906,898	211,060	...	...	30,199,513	54,920,961
Canada ...	15,792	...	...	...	...	...	15,792	919,639
Ceylon ...	32,536	75,188	5,800	...	...	...	113,520	106,009
China ...	153,776	202,777	17,174	...	...	...	373,727	291,933
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	242,300	717,330	39,548	4,709	...	...	1,003,786	1,007,085
Other Islands ...	18,250	44,489	960	...	...	...	53,699	49,369
Egypt ...	3,840	51,713	67,190	...	...	...	122,743	176,419
Hong Kong ...	107,394	99,215	96,318	...	...	...	304,797	268,984
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	26,768	45,369	...	...	...	...	72,137	54,497
Hawaiian Islands ...	1,736	...	...	...	...	...	1,736	31,854
New Caledonia ...	36,167	3,833	...	...	...	...	40,000	37,300
Other Islands ...	47,532	5,282	900	...	...	...	53,714	48,794
Japan ...	30,308	11,858	15,650	...	...	...	57,836	130,570
Papua ...	14,616	1,363	9,399	...	...	...	25,378	20,487
Philippine Islands ...	232,190	14,039	322,915	...	...	...	616,074	229,512
South African Union ...	307,396	293,245	477,538	...	...	...	1,078,061	2,467,966
Straits Settlements ...	121,606	136,354	115,289	...	...	...	373,331	536,830
Other Countries ...	91,638	79,061	2,546	...	...	...	154,147	379,976
Total eight months, 1912	19,639,044	13,400,790	8,128,708	216,696	...	...	34,588,300	...
1911	21,356,690	23,687,048	13,107,348	935,439	11,976	...	...	60,108,461

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	518,694	561,075	341,799	10,645	...	...	1,398,414	2,352,119
Canada ...	861	...	...	...	...	...	861	9,526
Ceylon ...	1,867	4,542	307	...	...	...	6,716	4,966
China ...	8,816	12,374	940	...	...	...	22,130	11,109
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	14,038	40,836	2,491	290	...	...	57,664	60,036
Other Islands ...	1,049	3,076	60	...	...	...	3,790	2,808
Egypt ...	108	2,644	3,009	...	...	...	5,737	7,580
Hong Kong ...	9,475	1,048	5,551	...	...	...	16,074	13,096
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	1,527	2,722	...	...	...	...	4,249	3,648
Hawaiian Islands ...	105	...	...	...	...	...	105	1,646
New Caledonia ...	2,073	224	...	...	...	...	2,297	1,773
Other Islands ...	2,741	337	65	...	...	...	3,143	2,938
Japan ...	1,737	775	911	...	...	...	3,423	6,067
Papua ...	633	86	618	...	...	...	1,337	1,561
Philippine Islands ...	12,570	338	19,825	...	...	...	33,697	12,775
South African Union ...	16,207	16,690	29,670	...	...	...	56,097	110,218
Straits Settlements ...	8,281	8,107	6,880	...	...	...	21,268	19,307
Other Countries ...	5,443	2,944	174	...	...	...	9,561	12,708
Total eight months, 1912	701,510	659,343	405,356	10,944	...	...	1,779,363	...
1911	940,732	906,663	537,915	47,167	446	...	...	2,592,813

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	Cental. 0,472	Cental. 378,940	...	Cental. 131,752	Cental. 57,647	...	Cental. 578,988	Cental. 480,922
Africa—Portuguese East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ceylon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cochin China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dutch East Indies—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Celebes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Java	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sumatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Egypt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hong Kong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Islands of the Pacific—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Caledonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Hebrides	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Papua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Philippine Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South African Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strait Settlements	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total eight months 1912	492,512	1,000,898	430	547,880	157,120	...	2,307,098	...
.. .. 1911	485,547	1,160,172	1,360	560,300	79,900	...	...	2,315,104

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 4,027	£ 183,042	£ ..	£ 55,362	£ 22,223	£ ..	£ 245,264	£ 157,030
Africa—Portuguese East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ceylon	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cochin China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dutch East Indies—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Celebes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Java	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sumatra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Egypt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hong Kong	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
India	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Islands in the Pacific—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fiji	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Caledonia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Hebrides	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Papua	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Philippine Islands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
South African Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Strait Settlements	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Countries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total eight months 1912	221,600	488,115	370	255,885	61,881	...	984,734	...
.. .. 1911	207,225	443,034	532	221,101	20,079	...	...	823,705

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	Cental. 3,780,533	Cental. 2,418,490	Cental. 5,440,422	Cental. 186,638	Cental. 11,840,092	Cental. 16,902,892		
Belgium	314,512	180,108	266,257	...	740,877	837,022		
Canary Islands	184,072	1,071,804	68,326	...	1,854,352	2,087,190		
Egypt	...	...	936,793	...	266,703	8,431		
France	26,453	3,811	...	...	32,264	3,926,106		
Germany	270,736	15,290	20,351	...	307,027	81,436		
Italy	93,178	193,587	15,936	...	170,601	...		
Japan	223	...	23,308	...	25,530	30,736		
Madagascar	...	...	45,010	...	45,510	375,045		
Russia	67,523	213,875	392,745	...	654,141	708,458		
South African Union	138,518	...	598,001	...	138,518	947,080		
Other Countries	700	74,082	16,543	1,259	675,892	* 168,961		
Total eight months, 1912	4,767,533	4,602,721	8 7,135,040	188,807	18,805,108	25,847,114		
" " 1911	5,724,317	6,377,862	9 8,006,161	1,338,706	...	...		

* Includes Chile, 286,544 centals.

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 1,266,431	£ 812,360	£ 1,743,544	£ 62,039	£ 3,824,273	£ 4,875,692		
Belgium	101,523	54,132	86,012	...	242,566	182,831		
Canary Islands	72,372	523,950	18,246	...	504,577	608,012		
Egypt	...	...	85,970	...	85,970	1,022		
France	9,716	1,197	4,784	...	10,013	947,890		
Germany	91,493	7,167	5,483	...	106,634	17,743		
Italy	7,855	16,853	7,700	...	50,973	17,211		
Japan	75	...	15,647	...	7,814	104,633		
Madagascar	...	...	130,613	...	216,301	207,141		
Peru	22,508	73,180	...	...	42,324	...		
Russia	42,324	...	201,144	709	280,419	961,482		
South African Union	8,648	18,286	6,794	...	15,108	* 106,969		
Other Countries	8,648	672	4 8,367,876	64,808	5,441,540	...		
Total eight months, 1912	1,543,344	1,632,517	4 2,606,329	360,808	5,441,540	7,324,485		
" " 1911	1,679,320	2,750,081	3 2,606,329	360,808	...	...		

* Includes Chile, 280,737.

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	lb. 22,488,917	34,071,003	10,904,818	5,266,911	3,827,886	97,064,823	17,369,770	
Austria-Hungary	1,867,563	...	59,809	...	...	1,917,972	...	
Belgium	14,897,454	4,100,756	4,825,778	82,638	148,068	23,806,188	29,041,733	
Canada	...	34,636	...	...	...	34,636	...	
France	24,898,011	14,462,115	7,045,408	217,714	...	48,034,189	50,044,863	
Germany	20,705,167	9,481,123	7,555,151	193,230	...	40,361,851	32,007,927	
Hong Kong	1,100	...	...	...	...	1,100	...	
India	...	332,294	...	...	...	332,294	400,811	
Italy	65,810	150,623	216,920	...	...	493,053	1,592,043	
Japan	4,016,416	...	305,036	...	...	4,381,749	2,087,296	
Netherlands	...	33,406	...	...	...	115,340	154,637	
New Zealand	34,701	90,033	...	...	...	100,704	47,788	
Norway	...	1,390	...	...	...	1,880	...	
Russia	65,671	...	6,302	...	...	101,873	5,028	
Spain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
United States	1,400,013	2,305,597	406,944	...	230,817	4,436,301	2,718,626	
Total eight months, 1912	61,616,823	55,106,174	32,226,504	7,762,525	10,846,873	5,483,922	210,062,569	
" " 1911	57,919,675	43,608,587	36,197,171	8,065,199	6,764,228	6,773,064	196,345,954	

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	707,902	1,443,145	445,252	186,030	367,092	154,069	3,306,803	3,478,704
Austria-Hungary	71,060	...	2,438	...	...	...	77,393	...
Belgium	406,800	141,825	181,772	9,396	2,710	8,374	831,896	801,892
Canada	...	1,740	...	...	...	...	1,740	...
France	825,412	465,877	292,830	7,543	...	23,670	1,606,232	1,770,614
Germany	863,920	205,408	208,070	5,860	...	14,701	1,476,056	1,231,066
Hong Kong	23	...	...	...	...	...	23	...
India	...	12,703	...	...	...	...	19,708	16,536
Italy	9,477	4,566	7,100	...	...	...	14,633	58,336
Japan	177,834	2,544	13,130	...	...	...	193,408	86,163
Netherlands	...	...	...	...	...	4,780	5,662	4,820
New Zealand	1,251	2,306	...	...	...	...	3,457	2,036
Norway	...	67	...	...	...	...	67	...
Russia	4,842	...	254	...	...	...	4,900	...
Spain	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100
United States	70,450	113,836	10,807	...	...	10,637	214,710	135,138
Total eight months, 1912	3,310,880	2,485,340	1,250,722	303,739	370,708	216,143	7,837,566	...
" " " " " " " " " "	1911	3,651,762	1,716,824	1,430,825	308,370	246,137	285,896	7,563,464

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	7,740,513	4,116,562	4,036,329	1,460,041	98,332	8,100	17,380,357	32,690,080
Austria-Hungary	14,339	...	3,600	...	...	...	17,039	062
Belgium	3,587,170	214,311	1,052,417	11,470	746	...	3,858,923	5,411,348
China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,480
France	5,703,034	1,188,200	1,102,477	6,806	...	...	7,901,216	8,492,140
Germany	13,815,261	705,474	1,849,771	1,132	...	...	8,979,038	7,197,066
India	20,597	95,446	...	...	...	...	47,037	37,138
Italy	137,917	11,031	83,120	...	...	...	239,068	307,192
Japan	1,003,128	...	...	...	...	...	1,809,128	746,456
Netherlands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,700
New Zealand	8,565	33,201	...	...	...	...	41,766	2,034
Russia	95,744	...	5,072	...	...	...	100,816	...
South African Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	120
United States	...	49,840	...	...	...	...	49,849	...
Total eight months, 1912	32,085,977	6,345,757	8,062,686	1,000,446	10,068	8,100	38,502,037	...
" " " " " " " " " "	1911	24,036,443	6,170,627	12,807,763	1,692,710	45,677	3,577	45,276,486

* Includes 74,850 lbs. "Tops." * Includes 25,286 lbs. "Tops." * Includes 6505 lbs. "Tops."
 † Tops. † Includes 27,927 lbs. "Tops." † Includes 1,897,680 lbs. "Tops."

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Eight months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£443,770	237,705	304,888	107,449	2,261	342	1,101,415	1,450,225
Austria-Hungary	1,048	...	237	...	...	...	1,396	37
Belgium	144,256	10,421	73,010	70	17	...	227,774	331,386
China	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	560
France	528,078	59,270	62,582	241	...	...	450,171	517,399
Germany	1,366,450	37,685	147,123	71	...	...	481,342	501,941
India	22,375	1,340	...	...	...	...	3,626	1,592
Italy	11,019	962	5,621	...	...	...	17,652	24,615
Japan	1,006,379	...	...	...	...	...	306,379	85,664
Netherlands	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18
New Zealand	520	1,821	...	...	...	...	2,341	210
Russia	9,359	...	435	...	...	...	6,694	...
South African Union	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
United States	...	2,374	...	...	...	...	2,374	...
Total eight months, 1912	1,419,066	351,688	528,796	107,634	2,375	342	1,474,904	...
" " " " " " " " " "	1911	1,353,974	370,364	886,480	14,830	5,294	160	2,900,730

* Includes 481,28 "Tops." * Includes 62508 "Tops." † Includes 2610 "Tops." † "Tops."
 † Includes 23168 "Tops." † Includes 237,370 "Tops."

No. 18.—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 August, 1912 and 1911, and during the first Eight Months of the same years.

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

Division.	August.		Eight months of		Two months of Financial Year.	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912-13.	1911-12.
CUSTOMS.						
1. Alcs, Spirits, and Beverages	£ 248,800	£ 240,970	£ 1,868,899	£ 1,778,235	£ 518,437	£ 492,247
2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof	132,526	111,711	954,335	851,121	257,440	226,640
3. Sugar	62,301	22,080	820,787	137,811	119,608	53,578
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries	79,990	77,409	711,170	563,938	178,190	153,521
5. Textiles, etc., and Attire	279,804	251,064	1,856,171	1,619,394	499,899	501,428
6. Metals and Machinery	109,125	130,482	1,111,892	908,848	250,299	229,153
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	24,702	25,001	206,200	167,566	53,162	49,788
8. Earthenware, etc.	39,433	31,418	266,208	228,293	75,098	60,080
9. Drugs and Chemicals	7,905	9,807	70,979	65,151	17,187	18,865
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane	43,573	38,190	344,730	320,523	90,835	73,228
11. Jewellery & Fancy Goods	33,510	32,087	192,384	170,095	61,261	58,151
12. Leather and Rubber	34,342	29,469	298,503	215,563	68,190	53,688
13. Paper and Stationery	18,254	20,022	147,028	141,307	36,845	40,662
14. Vehicles	26,639	15,992	225,561	121,715	50,127	30,605
15. Musical Instruments	17,581	12,918	132,638	79,968	33,727	26,269
16. Miscellaneous	27,425	27,381	200,399	174,354	52,843	52,503
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	1,067	1,276	30,403	27,006	8,027	6,141
Total Customs	1,186,986	1,067,659	8,938,218	7,570,888	2,371,833	2,127,243
EXCISE.						
Beer	47,287	45,708	438,235	387,659	86,638	81,683
Spirits	37,102	38,748	277,897	215,194	81,291	71,333
Starch	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar	29,827	67,253	419,394	530,017	70,142	122,618
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff	85,871	80,574	553,288	492,303	159,629	148,318
Licences, etc.	...	10	3,560	3,924	183	471
Total Excise	200,087	227,349	1,692,369	1,659,101	397,883	424,423
Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections	1,387,073	1,295,008	10,630,587	9,229,989	2,769,716	2,551,666
Drawbacks and Repayments	31,601	30,734	242,076	196,959	54,429	40,202
TOTAL NET REVENUE	1,355,472	1,264,274	10,388,511	9,033,030	2,715,287	2,511,464

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	461,430	294,849	1,688,402	132,840	8,414,054
1907-8	5,883,911	642,815	299,579	1,812,579	144,768	9,363,902
1908-9	5,262,478	676,156	323,875	2,452,082	140,883	9,891,243
1909-10	6,586,286	698,448	364,685	2,228,029	142,261	10,972,299
1910-11	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,405	155,542	11,898,898
1911-12	7,427,892	616,857	340,074	2,518,270	144,288	12,100,642

TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1901-2	38,561,619	9,780,854	7,034,786	2,024,608	1,867,802
1907-8	44,655,073	9,186,227	8,187,745	1,748,858	1,042,418
1908-9	62,590,996	16,248,867	8,655,279	3,137,374	1,878,075
1909-10	90,413,597	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,153,196	1,204,575
1910-11	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,391	2,000,758
1911-12	71,866,317	9,561,771	8,905,391	2,867,992	1,682,250

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	24.03	26.72	1.28	15.91
1909-10	13.73	21.10	29.54	1.42	14.95
1910-11	12.90	22.80	31.44	1.41	19.36
1911-12	9.68	15.50	26.19	1.14	16.65

* 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	94,710	44,084	...	5,115,965
1907-8	1,390,171	1,847,121	82,461	1,758,755	279,609	30,794	...	5,883,911
1908-9	1,394,056	1,779,905	80,898	1,698,501	285,011	29,102	...	5,262,478
1909-10	1,990,180	2,097,162	117,160	1,405,738	448,918	37,078	...	6,586,286
1910-11	2,128,826	2,398,089	100,718	2,104,717	581,802	52,242	2	7,372,456
1911-12	2,380,710	2,164,066	42,902	2,130,782	612,104	37,908	...	7,427,892

* Including 742 acres Federal Capital Territory.

PRODUCTION.

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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	12,127,882	1,692,222	8,012,762	956,886	968,662	...	88,561,619
1907-8	9,165,884	12,100,780	693,527	19,135,557	2,925,690	644,285	...	44,656,673
1908-9	15,489,276	23,845,640	1,202,799	19,397,672	2,460,823	700,777	...	62,590,996
1909-10	28,532,029	28,780,100	1,571,589	25,133,851	5,602,368	793,660	...	90,413,597
1910-11	27,913,547	34,813,010	1,022,873	24,344,740	5,897,540	1,120,744	20	95,111,083
1911-12	25,318,092	20,891,877	285,109	20,352,720	4,358,004	659,615	...	71,866,317

* Including 7001 bushels Federal Capital Territory.

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	8.63	24.08	...	11.89
1909-10	14.84	13.72	13.41	13.26	12.48	21.41	...	13.73
1910-11	13.11	14.52	9.59	11.57	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.00
1911-12	10.63	9.65	6.64	9.29	7.12	17.75	...	9.08

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	41,857,000	10,673,265	10,030,971	5,012,316	3,625,855	1,792,481	48,394	73,040,211
1907	44,461,839	14,146,734	16,738,047	9,920,037	3,694,974	1,744,800	44,232	87,630,963
1908	43,370,797	12,545,743	18,348,851	8,996,451	4,097,324	1,728,033	54,048	87,043,286
1909	46,311,776	12,167,385	10,569,793	4,424,838	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,303	91,076,381
1910	45,810,000	12,802,065	20,331,838	3,827,477	5,159,516	1,796,310	57,240	94,047,015
1911	44,622,117	13,857,394	20,740,081	6,171,307	5,411,542	1,825,017	50,083	92,948,351

CATTLE.

1901	2,047,454	1,623,392	3,772,707	225,296	399,547	198,601	255,521	8,491,488
1907	2,511,163	1,844,897	3,892,232	334,671	717,377	215,523	374,893	10,128,496
1908	2,652,524	2,274,162	4,321,800	340,376	741,798	205,227	407,502	10,547,690
1909	3,027,727	1,540,040	4,711,762	344,034	793,217	219,045	414,046	11,040,391
1910	3,140,307	1,547,930	5,131,069	384,692	825,040	220,264	513,383	11,244,714
1911	3,184,030	1,847,127	5,073,201	300,566	843,636	217,400	450,780	11,818,757

HORSES.

1901	46,716	267,377	462,119	165,333	73,710	32,390	12,896	1,620,420
1907	578,326	424,648	488,466	208,630	113,330	40,392	17,693	1,871,714
1908	591,045	424,903	519,960	213,346	116,796	30,823	21,751	1,927,781
1909	604,794	422,880	555,613	230,406	125,315	40,492	23,470	2,022,917
1910	630,636	472,090	593,813	249,526	134,114	41,398	24,509	2,185,866
1911	698,514	507,813	618,954	229,710	140,377	41,893	21,407	2,278,637

PIGS.

1901	965,730	331,220	121,641	89,886	61,092	58,716	980	1,511,369
1907	218,145	211,002	133,246	90,741	53,395	45,794	3,864	754,101
1908	215,822	176,358	124,749	78,154	46,652	47,043	2,711	806,660
1909	237,840	217,021	124,903	80,410	47,062	55,705	1,387	765,137
1910	341,632	333,381	158,212	96,386	57,629	63,715	1,000	1,025,820
1911	271,033	346,000	175,032	90,130	55,635	67,392	1,500	1,113,781

* Including Federal Capital Territory, 224,764 sheep, 8412 cattle, 1739 horses and 303 pigs.

NOTE.—The figures in the above table relating to Northern Territory for 1911 are subject amendment and are probably under-stated.

PRODUCTION.

**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	313,812,294	86,796,931	72,405,110	44,201,864	15,304,648	10,270,190	377,722	543,131,661
1907	375,321,148	120,015,597	104,171,064	57,830,794	22,013,541	10,878,478	*	600,180,019
1908	314,550,707	93,560,166	115,283,800	53,040,731	22,180,024	11,890,716	*	642,184,382
1909	370,888,336	112,102,416	127,531,834	56,419,539	30,048,390	12,581,938	*	718,037,131
1910	...	...	...	...	...	...	*	702,991,466
1911	...	...	...	...	...	...	*	767,784,835

* 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.
BUTTER.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.		lb.
1901	30,006,878	46,957,572	9,741,882	1,974,523	336,440	723,771	...	101,671,066
1907	60,041,422	61,746,354	22,780,138	8,310,340	436,520	847,960	...	156,380,670
1908	61,390,976	48,461,208	23,898,957	8,130,560	365,520	3,140,573	...	145,317,357
1909	63,861,606	51,166,545	24,662,711	8,482,168	414,453	2,751,757	...	164,273,292
1910	70,621,830	70,003,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	641,491	3,365,082	...	193,211,500
1911	781,407,000	96,530,474	27,868,335	9,634,665	436,047	4,017,455	...	212,876,177
CHEESE.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.		lb.
1901	3,838,835	3,974,668	2,436,912	1,053,100	3,578	598,531	...	11,575,692
1907	4,486,857	4,297,900	2,694,268	1,365,700	560	327,650	...	13,383,563
1908	4,761,900	4,285,611	3,120,510	1,556,804	960	710,400	...	14,760,768
1909	4,775,398	5,025,831	3,662,497	1,578,378	1,570	731,280	...	16,774,837
1910	5,191,089	4,430,900	4,146,961	1,706,281	3,706	838,781	...	16,337,011
1911	5,200,000	1,578,843	8,718,257	1,517,561	900	800,120	...	15,066,601
BACON AND HAM.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.		lb.
1901	11,080,891	15,011,616	7,064,714	...	333,300	530,016	...	34,000,629
1907	10,136,726	17,515,780	10,015,008	2,311,004	289,419	279,504	...	40,719,181
1908	9,684,220	11,411,401	11,324,323	3,392,163	152,900	1,343,836	...	40,108,987
1909	9,031,177	13,620,195	9,226,317	3,338,659	130,625	1,286,115	...	37,774,067
1910	12,620,067	16,136,837	10,790,963	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,789	...	45,140,734
1911	15,981,000	19,561,772	11,667,654	4,914,407	17,136	1,800,766	...	59,168,785

* Including Federal Capital Territory, latter 27,630 lbs., Bacon and Ham 22,670 lbs.

**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.
GOLD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	737,161	1,102,753	2,541,764	34,711	7,235,653	235,178	56,481	14,006,739
1907	1,050,730	2,564,617	1,078,938	30,540	7,210,740	277,607	21,928	15,615,100
1908	954,856	2,810,808	1,075,554	12,300	6,000,882	251,192	23,043	13,096,853
1909	869,546	2,778,956	1,535,178	30,206	6,776,274	190,601	24,148	12,604,509
1910	862,211	2,122,745	1,674,365	29,000	6,216,848	157,370	21,711	11,653,840
1911	789,354	2,110,856	1,640,323	16,000	5,823,075	152,108	30,010	10,551,624
SILVER AND LEAD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,354,064	6,150	60,234	3,106	7,718	325,335	660	2,367,687
1907	4,200,128	4,365	167,870	11,740	26,674	372,560	2,003	5,085,460
1908	2,860,941	2,806	206,716	5,000	25,481	323,107	30	3,911,412
1909	1,809,688	2,310	167,836	671	19,077	296,840	...	3,328,164
1910	2,110,002	2,090	123,086	907	20,210	247,776	...	3,503,909
1911	2,632,548	2,145	70,765	140	33,325	250,301	...	3,081,584

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	412,292	...	194,227	468,069	75,246	1,026,748	6,115	2,308,600
1907	797,774	2,356	1,028,179	660,000	908,376	860,606	15,081	3,530,382
1908	509,812	3,029	863,535	338,000	57,001	930,651	7,908	2,412,085
1909	494,737	4	853,196	338,687	104,611	608,038	3,742	2,338,389
1910	486,257	450	932,480	36,120	95,928	548,072	1,109	2,386,412
1911	500,102	2,088	1,151,351	332,600	78,118	408,643	1,470	2,564,278

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1901	76,544	4,181	93,728	...	40,600	212,542	5,680	432,576
1907	293,305	10,531	406,768	...	166,120	501,681	41,365	1,502,797
1908	225,447	6,070	341,566	...	83,665	421,580	35,876	1,004,194
1909	211,020	7,067	244,827	...	65,020	418,165	32,741	970,888
1910	228,156	8,706	243,271	...	45,120	300,283	31,118	860,796
1911	307,080	3,417	307,847	...	56,291	513,800	22,000	1,376,973

COAL.

1901	2,178,920	147,228	180,877	...	68,501	18,175	...	2,322,770
1907	2,022,410	70,706	222,135	...	55,158	24,550	...	2,322,974
1908	3,353,008	61,778	241,922	...	75,604	1,427	...	3,702,014
1909	2,618,506	70,045	270,750	...	90,965	26,474	...	3,083,106
1910	3,000,657	180,254	322,822	...	113,600	46,938	...	3,581,481
1911	3,167,165	301,142	323,908	...	111,254	26,214	...	3,820,107

ALL MINERALS.

1901	5,609,362	3,262,212	3,114,574	638,408	7,444,772	1,883,776	...	21,043,104
1907	10,292,119	3,196,812	4,131,603	814,220	7,631,066	2,250,658	91,868	28,301,346
1908	8,381,516	2,963,047	3,840,248	457,000	7,245,003	1,622,517	70,042	24,580,181
1909	7,406,340	2,600,621	3,635,168	413,300	7,050,052	1,545,222	61,736	22,045,162
1910	8,410,919	2,668,701	3,708,517	411,802	6,922,265	1,152,183	60,706	22,915,191
1911	9,465,301	2,464,865	3,638,738	444,643	6,105,853	1,569,497	50,573	25,487,256

* Included with South Australia.

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	248,850	18,923,977	21,686,108	52,542,012*	34,515,153*	87,067,165*
1908	12,853	257,494	19,884,367	25,927,763	59,399,226*	37,262,405*	96,661,631*
1909	13,197	266,105	21,105,456	26,877,342	65,193,210	42,216,193	107,409,733
1910	13,822	286,831	23,871,959	28,950,700	72,722,642	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	4,223	4,873	1,563	1,278	680	605	13,222
Hands employed	50,746	102,176	33,044	27,000	11,007	5,408	260,831
Wages paid	8,661,386	7,600,592	2,800,704	2,323,208	1,883,637	714,862	23,571,950
Value of lands & buildings	12,108,776	9,012,293	3,045,974	2,648,638	1,674,993	1,021,015	28,511,630
.. plant & machinery	11,388,620	7,601,085	4,031,519	2,225,718	1,801,002	1,021,156	28,030,700
.. materials used	31,416,579	21,311,255	10,476,810	8,896,255	1,860,670	1,362,775	73,722,642
.. fuel used	1,184,382	636,135	216,560	313,731	150,314	130,087	2,631,833
.. added	18,193,062	14,719,760	6,315,250	4,484,400	3,724,032	1,620,087	49,048,592
.. of output	40,615,643	36,668,861	15,792,100	11,184,205	4,531,611	2,083,762	121,770,671

**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 ...	£ 1,826,489	£ 1,488,232	£ 1,820,172	£ 1,847,283
Treating oils and fats ...	429,885	496,036	549,529	504,358
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ...	1,851,918	1,604,243	1,714,566	1,982,412
Working in wood ...	1,968,701	2,739,002	3,256,980	3,711,482
Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	8,119,669	7,999,872	9,125,941	10,642,583
Connected with food and drink, etc. ...	8,298,580	8,183,601	9,473,702	10,880,641
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ...	4,571,378	5,088,860	5,762,227	6,583,300
Books, paper, printing and engraving ...	2,968,387	3,224,090	3,621,457	3,868,693
Musical instruments, etc. ...	72,842	77,975	79,948	89,147
Arms and explosives ...	43,678	59,256	50,318	63,807
Vehicles & fittings, saddlery, harness, etc. ...	1,041,283	1,240,730	1,344,976	1,595,768
Ship and boat building and repairing ...	329,907	341,758	325,792	347,064
Furniture, bedding and upholstery ...	738,824	832,352	944,785	1,105,002
Drugs, chemicals and by-products ...	618,718	736,664	823,866	970,663
Surgical and other scientific instruments ...	26,017	29,906	29,770	34,415
Jewellery, timepieces and plated ware ...	233,018	265,795	281,422	310,943
Heat, light and power ...	1,997,279	2,464,355	2,646,611	2,945,605
Leatherware, n.e.i. ...	89,065	96,065	100,558	134,984
Minor wares, n.e.i. ...	260,129	293,613	302,883	360,764
	34,515,158*	37,262,405*	42,216,493	48,048,092

* 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 Rearing.	Forestry & Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing, &c.	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	47,259	15,045	4,286	24,580	30,637	164,957
1909 ...	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,039	40,018	174,508
1910 ...	39,752	56,993	17,387	4,789	23,215	45,598	187,784

(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.	1906-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3. Treasurer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs	7,603,070	8,008,521	9,505,855	10,507,090	12,071,514	12,906,000
Excise	1,224,340	2,217,548	2,067,310	3,473,384	2,633,665	2,302,000
Land Tax	...	...	...	1,370,345	1,866,451	1,300,000
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	2,372,861	3,409,425	3,731,741	3,906,015	3,916,599	4,292,000
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	...	31,478	21,435	28,560	34,740	26,000
Defence	10,637	5,024	21,847	37,520	74,301	45,000
Northern Territory	...	...	...	169,084	91,000	39,000
Coinage	...	...	66,846	198,803	158,460	150,000
Other Receipts	19,148	70,700	102,835	104,426	266,500	156,000
Total Revenue	11,236,065	14,550,703	15,540,669	18,806,237	20,546,361	20,422,000

* 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.	1906-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	1911-2.	1912-3. Treasurer's Estimate
	£	£	£	£	£	£
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—	20,185	23,154	24,508	21,375	23,824	25,873
PARLIAMENT	192,796	164,635	219,650	211,769	169,018	228,701
DEPARTMENT OF THE PRIME MINISTER—						
Prime Minister's Office	a	a	a	a	b 8,066	b 11,706
Auditor-General, Staff, etc. (c)	d	7,005	8,003	8,819	9,446	11,248
Public Service Commissioner, Staff, etc.	e	15,630	15,952	16,380	17,745	20,628
Miscellaneous	f	3,418	3,475	4,350	2,068	4,347
Total Dept. of Prime Minister	a	27,048	38,020	30,158	36,225	46,079
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY—						
Treasury	4,502	11,232	11,564	12,252	13,703	16,079
Land Tax Office	...	...	...	15,824	55,350	80,376
Invalid and Old Age Pensions Office	...	2,100	36,305	37,402	39,587	43,875
Old Age Pensions	...	...	1,497,380	1,974,489	2,155,461	2,414,000
Coinage	...	...	10,043	221	92,703	17,500
Other Expenditure	f 7,545	4,013	6,722	19,223	24,664	g 483,088
Total Dept. of Treasury	12,137	17,435	1,561,184	1,950,521	2,311,747	3,034,918
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT—						
High Court & Court of Conciliation	...	24,037	23,677	25,851	26,007	29,365
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	...	17,800	10,384	20,140	23,291	24,341
Other Expenditure	g 6,680	7,900	8,671	9,487	12,717	15,066
Total Attorney-General's Dept.	2,680	49,927	51,632	55,478	62,015	68,779
DEPARTMENT OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS						
Administrative	7,718	9,198	11,327	10,259	18,196	14,975
High Commissioner's Office...	...	8,650	8,756	20,285	17,782	21,155
Papua	20,000	22,100	28,548	30,616	30,380	53,000
Northern Territory	...	...	...	886,347	248,316	274,385
Port Augusta Railway	...	...	...	...	119,426	104,410
Mail Service to the Pacific	...	13,467	12,517	15,700	19,850	19,850
Advertising Resources of the C'wealth	...	8,644	8,110	16,640	20,719	20,000
Miscellaneous	5,158	17,166	10,731	27,728	32,846	25,003
Additions, New Works, etc.	...	635	7	...	33,078	62,120
Total Dept. of External Affairs	32,875	74,700	76,996	449,876	514,403	594,928

(a) Included in department of External Affairs. (b) Includes printing and distribution of Gazette and Statutes formerly included with Miscellaneous. (c) Further expenditure on account of audit (£11,131 in 1911-12) is charged against Customs, Defence, and Post departments. (d) Included in Treasury department. (e) Included in department of Home Affairs. (f) Includes Audit Department subsequently included in Prime Minister's department. (g) Includes £400,000 Maternity Allowance and £20,000 Interest and Sinking Fund on Commonwealth Inscribed Stock. (h) Includes advance to Commonwealth Bank, £5000.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND (Continued).

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1905-6.	1906-7.
DEPT. OF DEFENCE—						
General Administration ...	19,250	31,300	40,066	45,183	64,304	75,991
Universal Training—Adult ...	...	...	...	...	85,000	...
Royal Military College ...	...	...	...	11,505	28,186	38,313
Factories (Defence requisites) work- ing expenses ...	...	...	1,484	13,887	97,851	60,081
Naval Agreement ...	104,560	300,000	300,000	300,000	300,000	175,000
Naval Forces ...	46,346	60,221	63,168	86,140	248,781	650,879
Military Forces ...	696,317	825,600	833,532	946,536	1,172,871	1,608,880
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	...	...	162,132	121,500
Additions, New Works, etc.—						
Fleet Unit ...	...	...	60,000	1,195,000	1,109,171	1,906,820
Other ...	53,921	101,091	277,061	478,228	844,819	1,267,842
Miscellaneous ...	68,115	39,418	38,315	68,388	67,181	81,471
Total Dept. of Defence ...	861,218	1,000,592	1,535,405	3,005,026	4,080,030	5,439,394
DEPT. OF TRADE & CUSTOMS—						
General Expenditure including Quar- antine and Fisheries ...	962,353	320,000	345,365	330,422	305,105	439,080
Sugar Bounties ...	...	477,000	402,132	630,792	548,503	405,000
Iron Bounties ...	...	3,648	34,579	20,437	23,048	70,000
Shale Oil Bounties ...	...	...	1,473	3,368	8,500	...
Other Bounties ...	...	2,634	5,885	10,967	10,574	20,800
Interest on transferred properties	...	...	...	...	39,514	1,267,842
Additions, New Works, etc. ...	150	30,010	5,194	3,040	15,013	79,083
Total Dept. of Trade and Customs ...	962,503	823,430	791,065	1,035,201	1,030,215	1,048,080
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPT.—						
General Expenditure ...	2,346,686	3,000,868	3,231,108	3,550,785	3,064,144	4,300,355
Interest, &c., on transferred properties	...	...	...	...	368,045	284,500
Additions, New Works, etc. ...	37,140	541,800	565,557	783,446	1,442,475	1,192,975
Total Postmaster-General's Dept. ...	2,383,826	3,611,677	3,796,755	4,334,231	5,775,264	5,676,500
DEPT. OF HOME AFFAIRS—						
General Expenditure of Departments	8,200	58,482	66,806	50,130	76,176	124,283
Census (collection of, etc.) ...	...	...	...	64,558	36,150	17,000
Additions, New Works ...	...	30,380	2,726	47,318	138,047	122,379
Miscellaneous ...	17,748	30,254	10,310	7,823	3,842	5,130
Total Dept. of Home Affairs ...	26,006	119,126	78,461	206,620	264,224	270,297
Total Expenditure ...	3,753,218	5,987,870	6,155,666	11,321,354	14,297,572	16,804,701
Contribution to States ...	7,368,137	7,027,150	6,406,873	5,106,424	5,824,423	6,078,760
Total Disbursements ...	11,101,355	13,015,020	12,562,539	16,427,778	20,121,995	22,883,461

(a) Included in Military Forces. (b) Exclusive of £1,897,174 paid to Trust Fund on account of (Defence) (1918,587) and Old Age Pensions (1918,687). (c) Includes £406,707 paid in August, 1910. (d) Federal Capital and sundry departments. (e) Exclusive of £424,986 paid to Trust Fund on account of Old Age Pensions and Construction of Fleet. (f) Includes £35,000 appropriation for special payment to the State of Tasmania.

No. 27.—COMMONWEALTH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, AUGUST, 1912 and 1911.

	August.		Two Months of Financial Year.	
	1912.	1911.	1912-13.	1911-12.
REVENUE—	£	£	£	£
Customs ...	1,152,807	1,096,718	2,300,928	2,070,052
Excise ...	200,018	227,246	397,667	424,317
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone ...	328,189	321,838	646,281	599,894
Land Tax ...	Dr. 2,076	5,890	22,084	18,469
Defence ...	1,557	34,788	3,351	47,710
Patents, Trade Marks, etc. ...	1,826	1,957	3,508	3,657
Quarantine ...	1,896	557	2,751	1,099
Coinage ...	13,875	19,689	13,875	29,825
Northern Territory ...	7,254	2,021	10,027	5,195
Other Receipts ...	6,412	2,167	27,687	7,991
Total Revenue ...	1,710,707	1,652,951	3,428,109	3,208,149
EXPENDITURE—				
Ordinary Expenditure ...	629,333	456,851	1,192,537	1,035,815
Additions, New Works ...	105,861	60,467	193,997	136,890
Amount paid to State Treasurers ...	485,365	470,117	970,731	940,238
Total Expenditure ...	1,420,459	987,435	2,357,265	2,102,938

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

Denomination.	25th Dec., 1910.	27th Dec., 1911.	27th Mar., 1912.	25th June, 1912.	25th August, 1912.	25th Sept., 1912.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
£1 ...	1,175,566	3,511,163	3,368,592	3,031,058	2,921,640	2,985,436
£5 ...	952,040	3,268,446	3,235,360	3,098,575	3,112,310	3,181,880
£10 ...	676,020	1,724,210	1,714,440	1,635,630	1,635,550	1,630,640
£20 ...	177,500	397,740	382,780	407,380	401,620	427,980
£50 ...	294,050	890,700	918,900	839,700	810,300	807,350
£100 ...	115,800	369,100	493,400	473,600	464,800	464,200
Total ...	3,389,476	10,156,858	10,048,472	9,485,943	9,346,220	9,447,486
Gold reserve ...	1,140,344	4,949,422	4,841,536	4,279,007	3,799,284	3,900,550
Per cent. of reserve	33.05	48.73	48.18	45.10	40.65	41.28

No. 29.—OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 30/6/12.			Number per 10,000 of Population.		Average Fortnightly Pension as at 30/6/12.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment (approximate).	
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total Old-age and Invalid.	Old-age.	Invalid.	Old-age.	Invalid.	Amount.	Per head of Pop.
New South Wales	30,159	4,817	35,006	178	28	s. d.	s. d.	£	s. d.
Victoria	34,421	3,339	37,760	177	23	19 1	19 5	869,478	10 4
Queensland	10,659	1,113	11,772	165	17	18 11	19 7	288,090	9 2
South Australia	7,337	775	8,112	174	18	18 1	19 2	191,753	9 1
Western Australia	3,246	410	3,656	110	14	18 8	18 11	88,325	6 0
Tasmania	4,008	783	4,795	206	38	18 7	19 4	115,883	19 0
Total	79,724	11,247	90,971	173	94	18 11	19 5	2,243,944	9 9

† Population taken as at 31st March, 1912.

No. 30.—LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS FOR 1910.

	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Commonwealth.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Returns Assessed—							
Resident Owners ...	4,514	4,218	1,700	1,665	540	343	12,284
Absentee Owners ...	548	772	248	334	301	140	2,283
Total ...	5,062	4,990	1,947	1,999	741	482	*15,271
Unimproved Value—							
Resident Owners ...	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Absentee Owners ...	70,180	40,112	15,514	17,781	6,111	5,502	178,287
Total ...	2,073	1,427	452	650	313	236	5,180
Total ...	81,062	50,530	15,966	18,428	6,424	5,838	178,447
Deductions Allowed—							
Resident Owners ...	25,427	90,388	5,215	7,062	2,140	2,585	62,767
Absentee Owners ...	10	4	1	5	...	1	18
Total ...	25,437	90,392	5,216	7,064	2,140	2,586	62,805
Taxable Value—							
Resident Owners ...	53,782	28,724	10,209	10,687	3,971	3,067	110,500
Absentee Owners ...	2,063	1,423	451	645	313	235	5,142
Total ...	58,825	30,147	10,750	11,344	4,284	3,302	115,642
ASSESSED AMOUNT OF TAX.							
Urban—							
Resident Owners ...	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Absentee Owners ...	104,038	123,014	30,131	36,785	22,871	6,723	432,565
Total ...	12,418	6,704	2,208	2,250	1,500	280	25,567
Total ...	206,456	130,818	41,420	39,044	24,371	7,012	458,132
Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	405,004	200,119	75,848	87,296	18,310	24,160	100,647
Absentee Owners ...	11,780	12,501	1,670	8,447	1,400	1,400	37,100
Total ...	506,784	222,620	77,518	95,743	19,710	25,560	137,747
Urban and Rural—							
Resident Owners ...	680,042	342,133	114,979	123,991	41,181	30,883	1,342,212
Absentee Owners ...	24,198	19,205	3,874	11,706	2,915	1,779	62,707
Total ...	713,240	361,338	118,853	135,697	44,096	32,662	1,404,919
Area of State	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.	1000 ac.
Per cent. to Total	100,000	56,216	426,130	243,245	624,589	15,777	11,003,732
Acres.	10.4	3.1	22.6	12.7	32.4	0.8	101
Taxable Area	42,307,020	8,002,838	7,012,417	6,711,208	4,713,030	2,701,630	73,524,271
Per cent. to Total	58.4	12.5	9.6	9.3	6.5	3.7	100
Average Tax per acre of Taxable Area	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Average Tax per £ of Assessed	4.04	0.68	4.07	4.80	2.22	2.00	4.65
Unimproved Value	2.11	1.72	1.78	1.76	1.63	1.35	1.80
Average Tax per £ of Taxable Value	3.07	2.87	2.46	2.86	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 12,367.
 † Includes Northern Territory, 335,117,000 acres, or 17.6 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	1,601	3,798,275
New South Wales ...	7,134	6,931,090	1,151	3,496,073
Queensland ...	1,100	1,027,206	166	511,328
South Australia ...	2,030	1,798,545	744	1,135,069
Western Australia ...	656	391,555	107	121,022
Tasmania ...	298	355,676	105	203,839
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	693	102	880	387	151	121	382	184	46	97	75	65	3,445
1,001-2,000	92	31	463	73	600	124	95	86	254	43	59	18	56	26	1,069
2,001-3,000	86	17	303	45	407	46	59	19	155	24	33	13	53	8	1,553
3,001-4,000	57	14	204	33	254	40	61	0	123	20	35	10	28	5	1,030
4,001-5,000	64	8	247	16	216	22	36	6	83	11	23	5	15	3	764
5,001-6,000	35	10	177	14	156	12	35	8	66	1	17	5	10	1	554
6,001-7,000	37	5	147	10	112	12	32	1	41	9	13	3	16	1	432
7,001-8,000	41	8	119	30	93	7	15	1	34	1	20	1	12	1	388
8,001-9,000	32	5	111	10	88	7	22	1	34	1	20	1	12	1	337
9,001-10,000	20	3	81	1	78	5	15	1	25	1	14	1	13	5	270
10,001-15,000	100	5	312	14	246	11	45	3	62	6	33	5	38	1	861
15,001-20,000	77	3	190	10	106	8	23	5	23	2	27	3	16	3	496
20,001-30,000	81	1	202	12	120	6	39	1	17	1	19	1	11	1	534
30,001-40,000	51	1	112	10	62	4	21	1	17	1	9	1	11	1	303
40,001-50,000	38	2	54	2	45	4	6	2	10	3	6	1	1	1	177
50,001-60,000	26	1	45	1	21	2	4	1	6	2	4	1	1	1	119
60,001-70,000	26	1	30	1	15	1	4	1	4	2	3	1	1	1	88
70,001-80,000	13	3	24	2	15	1	3	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	86
80,001-90,000	7	2	12	1	7	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	20
90,001-100,000	6	1	6	1	6	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	19
100,001-110,000	5	1	5	1	4	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	16
110,001-120,000	4	1	5	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10
120,001-130,000	4	1	6	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
130,001-140,000	1	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
140,001-150,000	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	9
150,001-160,000	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
160,001-170,000	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	7
170,001-180,000	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
180,001-190,000	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11
190,001-200,000	7	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
200,001-210,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
210,001-220,000	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
220,001-230,000	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3
230,001-240,000	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
240,001-250,000	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
250,001-260,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
260,001-270,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
270,001-280,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
280,001-290,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
290,001-300,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
300,001-310,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
310,001-320,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
320,001-330,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
330,001-340,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
340,001-350,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
350,001-360,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
360,001-370,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
370,001-380,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
380,001-390,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
390,001-400,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
400,001-500,000	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
500,001-600,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
600,001-700,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9
700,001-800,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
800,001-900,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
900,001-1,000,000	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1,000,001 & over	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total	1,077	170	3,749	477	3,608	690	678	197	1,373	317	367	164	397	125	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 ...	1,339,531	1,068,353	594,097	481,008	336,306	303,300	4,017,560
Railways and Tramways ...	8,961,230	4,450,793	2,318,693	1,831,938	1,649,397	292,965	17,107,306
Land—Sales ...	944,164	297,088	222,566	325,884	122,855	61,576	1,876,173
Rentals ...	785,576	126,138	533,834	151,447	122,855	34,704	1,734,430
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	3,947,616	1,922,979	1,071,361	803,057	703,721	939,816	8,067,751
All other Sources ...	1,574,960	783,303	387,973	530,507	560,504	63,077	4,019,114
Total Revenue ...	14,540,073	8,507,602	5,119,954	4,082,801	3,607,470	1,009,592	36,056,412
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head ...	0 0 2	6 14 8	8 17 2	10 3 6	13 15 4	5 4 8	8 10 11

1910-11.

Taxation ...	1,027,510	1,344,573	697,196	545,086	326,346	284,965	4,115,485
Railways and Tramways ...	7,412,127	4,887,580	2,706,888	2,033,731	1,858,014	275,942	19,176,219
Land—Sales ...	1,028,531	219,730	217,000	340,731	933,961	60,804	2,121,005
Rentals ...	810,386	138,129	588,007	133,060	130,322	37,132	1,845,066
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	1,943,245	1,617,572	688,063	510,373	567,577	938,118	5,335,948
All other Sources ...	1,619,532	906,490	452,755	617,541	703,346	82,041	4,470,997
Total Revenue ...	13,839,130	9,304,503	5,930,008	4,181,479	3,860,430	970,062	37,261,553
	£ 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 8 11

1911-12 (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Taxation ...	1,068,000	1,430,150	688,000	563,454	337,000	319,768	5,306,352
Railways and Tramways ...	7,767,000	5,158,050	3,048,000	2,060,000	1,960,000	300,000	20,273,050
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	2,060,553	1,621,112	754,888	510,000	328,750	238,424	5,543,705
All other Sources ...	3,690,028	1,637,798	1,282,700	1,178,108	1,381,333	306,543	9,336,400
Total Revenue ...	15,425,581	9,748,000	5,773,588	4,311,542	4,037,083	1,065,103	40,393,407

* 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 ...	3,562,021	2,164,547	1,635,270	1,667,732	1,006,306	423,030	10,448,906
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	4,399,070	2,788,646	61,412,105	1,062,503	1,112,007	211,677	10,893,008
All other Expenditure ...	5,184,059	3,636,787	2,006,203	1,446,258	1,329,410	362,714	14,055,440
	(a)						
Total Expenditure ...	13,038,150	8,579,980	5,113,578	4,196,493	3,447,723	907,321	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	12 10 6	5 3 3	8 3 8

(a) Exclusive of £911,177 transferred to Public Works Fund, and £335,000 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.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,630,918	2,219,096	1,070,779	1,343,355	1,046,236	435,333	10,371,719
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	4,814,001	3,081,431	1,560,994	1,977,182	1,227,630	215,530	12,137,748
All other Expenditure ...	5,333,693	3,943,630	2,069,971	1,560,035	1,450,592	366,008	14,736,856
	(a)						
Total Expenditure ...	13,807,538	9,194,157	5,314,737	4,181,479	3,734,448	1,016,963	37,340,815
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
" " per head ...	8 8 0	7 1 3	8 17 5	10 3 11	13 9 9	5 4 11	8 8 4

(a) Exclusive of £636,133 transferred to Public Works Fund. (b) Railways only.

1911-12 (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,734,850	2,318,067	1,763,400	...	1,078,340	424,000	...
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	5,138,031	3,106,453	1,791,719	...	1,430,250	280,107	...
All other Expenditure ...	6,030,983	4,302,984	2,213,515	...	1,656,195	424,684	...
Total Expenditure ...	15,797,844	9,718,424	5,768,633	4,311,549	4,154,734	1,033,971	40,815,148

(a) Interest only.

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

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways ...	2,547,072	1,230,381	1,066,451	500,484	747,748	81,004	6,881,430
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	730,810	311,700	270	224,313	113,450	...	1,381,070
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	234,213	...	...	145,185	171,090	110,942	743,918
Roads and Bridges ...	...	183	...	...	52,936	...	...
Land Purchased for Settlement ...	350,000	166,900	...	438,010	...	3,444	1,748,354
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	65,364	...	36,513	15,914	54,910	30,944	202,005
All other purposes ...	Cr. 6,510	158,008	269,307	153,303	346,864	43,102	961,346
Total ...	3,921,756	2,657,271	1,065,301	1,567,310	1,484,367	300,216	11,026,123
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Loans Expenditure per head ...	3 7 9	3 0 10	3 6 7	3 16 5	5 7 3	1 11 0	2 13 11

AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1911.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Railways and Tramways ...	28,507	41,577	27,262	15,225	19,070	4,433	150,008
Telegraphs and Telephones ...	1,762	...	977	902	260	142	4,162
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage ...	14,470	10,378	362	6,108	3,435	...	34,762
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights ...	11,340	611	2,447	2,170	2,718	3,020	27,532
Roads and Bridges ...	1,732	176	924	1,463	351	...	2,300
Defence ...	1,476	140	363	292	...	128	...
Public Buildings, including State schools ...	4,454	1,912	1,502	1,130	519	950	10,100
All other purposes ...	1,609	4,073	7,200	4,566	2,732	1,511	22,481
Total ...	55,370	59,776	41,177	31,948	21,506	10,823	240,000

(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	107,361,216	50,071,275	39,116,514	26,149,816	12,760,430	8,511,006	203,518,276
1902	71,562,485	50,551,657	40,418,177	27,273,545	14,942,310	9,005,736	214,255,300
1903	77,609,987	51,147,000	41,631,247	27,844,370	15,627,318	9,281,183	223,671,705
1904	80,033,581	51,819,062	41,773,207	29,503,645	16,000,288	9,436,850	227,747,612
1905	82,381,508	51,764,767	41,764,467	29,773,005	16,642,773	9,471,571	230,738,671
1906	85,641,734	53,070,940	41,704,487	30,092,635	18,058,553	9,800,631	238,427,523
1907	88,007,402	53,315,187	41,704,487	30,526,718	17,223,638	9,065,083	240,149,747
1908	87,635,826	53,315,187	42,301,407	30,983,958	20,433,018	10,160,323	243,835,480
1909	100,307,110	54,167,197	44,276,067	30,436,183	21,161,753	10,134,014	261,773,583
1910	121,625,005	55,276,725	44,276,067	31,367,870	23,597,481	10,370,453	277,623,681
1911	105,723,926	57,393,761	44,613,197*	34,224,653	20,713,151	11,077,700	267,127,283
Increase during 10 yrs.	28,162,680	7,392,480	5,106,683	7,775,848	10,954,523	2,566,785	63,900,000

PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30th JUNE, 1911.

Particulars.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Floats in London	63,555,005	37,417,128	37,409,347	33,341,348	23,114,353	8,280,280	160,097,071
Floats in Australia	30,088,321	20,660,636	7,233,850	13,884,265	3,780,000	2,847,540	78,059,613
Total Gross Debt	93,643,326	57,983,764	44,643,197	47,225,613	26,894,353	11,127,820	267,127,283
Sinking Funds	301,321	1,017,866	...	616,066	2,888,035	41,801	5,442,379
Total Net Debt	93,944,647	56,965,898	44,643,197	47,841,679	29,782,388	10,663,180	261,694,004
Total Net Debt per head	£ s. d. 57 9 6	£ s. d. 42 18 8	£ s. d. 72 5 8	£ s. d. 81 18 1	£ s. d. 72 6 5	£ s. d. 56 9 11	£ s. d. 58 6 3

* Excluding $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent loan pending issue.

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%	4%	3%	2%	1%	0%	0%		
	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
1901	804	1,224	5,079	93,070	...	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	968	5,075	93,786	1,500	71,972	279	49,413	7	223,671
1904	434	948	69	98,049	1,825	76,671	256	49,492	9	227,748
1905	384	243	87	103,915	1,825	74,795	289	49,181	10	230,739
1906	346	243	64	102,578	2,046	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	47,478	15	251,774
1910	209	243	58	76,988	10,807	121,988	75	47,162	14	257,624
1911	191	193	49	71,433	21,588	126,678	75	46,910	10	267,127
Increase during 10 years.	-613	-1,031	-5,080	-22,237	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.	...	£ 1,313	1.75	...	...	£ 748,687	99.825
19/3/1909*	500,000	2½ ..	...	875	1.75	...	...	499,125	99.825
28/2/1909	1,500,000	3½	97½	36,427	2.428	11,115	7.41	1,414,958	94.331
27/5/1909	3,000,000	3½	98½	71,648	2.388	26,600	8.87	2,896,752	96.525
17/2/1910	2,750,000	3½	97	66,193	2.407	21,405	7.78	2,679,902	95.815
VICTORIA.									
11/5/1909	1,500,000	3½	98	36,205	2.414	12,032	8.02	1,421,763	94.784
Various 1910-11	538,352	3½	Par	14,135	2.626	...	...	524,217	97.374
QUEENSLAND.									
March 1909	2,000,000	3½	97	48,055	2.403	25,206	1.260	1,866,739	93.337
SOUTH AUSTRALIA.									
1/7/1908	22,000	3½	99½	...	...	...	...	...	...
1/1/1909	2,000,000	3½	97½	...	+	...	+	...	...
1/1/1909	2,200	3½	99½	...	...	...	...	...	...
1/1/1909	5,400	3½	Pa	...	...	...	...	...	...
1/12/1909	500,000	3½	*	...	...	...	...	...	...
WESTERN AUSTRALIA.									
24/5/1909	1,445,000	3½	96½	34,647	2.398	13,960	9.66	1,345,818	93.136
2/6/1910	1,342,000	3½	96½	33,063	2.466	14,021	1.045	1,247,916	92.989
TASMANIA.									
13/7/1908	200,000	3½	98½	4,782	2.391	568	2.81	191,650	95.825
12/10/1909	300,000	3½	98½	7,240	2.413	...	...	288,260	96.087
Total	18,855,852	...	...	354,613	2.241	121,907	7.89	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	49,407	41,022	70,484	73,298	67,400	40,568	53,726
1902	51,590	42,224	79,083	75,923	72,644	52,305	55,719
1903	54,955	42,720	79,740	77,005	70,960	51,311	57,271
1904	55,614	43,188	79,935	79,274	68,968	51,802	57,786
1905	55,390	42,966	78,882	79,147	67,197	51,660	57,698
1906	56,983	43,779	77,731	82,003	70,770	53,535	58,739
1907	55,187	43,316	76,739	82,321	75,236	54,164	58,253
1908	55,794	43,066	76,010	78,550	79,343	54,532	58,185
1909	56,559	43,405	77,381	77,776	83,304	53,655	58,030
1910	56,619	43,464	74,865	78,697	85,878	55,691	58,983
1911	57,780	43,693	72,232	82,735	82,955	58,698	59,624
Increase during 10 years.	8,373	2,671	-4,202	9,437	14,955	9,125	5,709

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	386,384	208,284	...	32,879	429,227	169,546	1,226,310
1902	655,796	389,782	...	35,480	486,737	206,257	1,774,052
1903	775,203	313,295	...	117,338	655,069	180,257	2,041,167
1904	894,621	320,957	...	114,476	864,752	200,385	2,396,191
1905	439,034	315,554	...	183,149	1,073,844	214,171	2,176,752
1906	566,484	938,011	...	261,349	1,320,603	286,297	3,312,744
1907	482,737	832,988	...	531,466	1,600,044	261,431	3,706,666
1908	223,001	620,490	...	1,050,812	1,904,433	304,633	4,112,369
1909	405,648	727,021	...	426,318	2,233,385	357,419	4,149,783
1910	331,308	851,085	...	650,100	2,569,707	374,906	4,777,006
1911	504,921	1,017,866	...	616,956	2,898,035	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 ...	2,429,988	1,894,503	1,378,243	987,070	437,874	317,959	7,455,032
1902 ...	2,540,625	1,897,877	1,421,080	1,024,880	502,729	334,551	7,721,092
1903 ...	2,746,766	1,916,140	1,421,080	1,042,290	528,609	338,230	7,993,115
1904 ...	2,841,968	1,885,949	1,529,969	1,069,325	547,160	341,627	8,215,398
1905 ...	2,987,150	1,883,500	1,529,382	1,081,025	570,241	348,258	8,349,566
1906 ...	3,062,857	1,921,187	1,529,382	1,130,361	619,752	359,515	8,618,054
1907 ...	3,042,432	1,901,902	1,546,883	1,138,160	660,450	364,472	8,654,299
1908 ...	3,007,176	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	1,114,944	756,599	370,067	8,999,870
1910 ...	3,260,129	1,980,100	1,634,786	1,147,359	803,301	386,234	9,201,909
1911 ...	3,363,584	2,054,363	1,646,586	1,251,744	810,101	407,311	9,539,699
Increase during 10 years.	938,601	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 ...	3.586	3.725	3.709	3.743	3.383	3.665	3.631
1904 ...	3.551	3.689	3.706	3.740	3.401	3.666	3.617
1905 ...	3.568	3.639	3.706	3.767	3.426	3.677	3.627
1906 ...	3.565	3.619	3.706	3.768	3.432	3.668	3.620
1907 ...	3.554	3.591	3.704	3.785	3.436	3.673	3.606
1908 ...	3.534	3.563	3.704	3.710	3.439	3.665	3.589
1909 ...	3.517	3.562	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	3.418	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, 1901-1912.

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	3,300,442	525,068	376,973	37,407,960	54,020,184	91,497,148	96,740,540
1907	3,663,181	801,878	444,460	46,781,324	66,916,735	113,697,090	117,507,498
1908	3,636,217	707,003	796,447	46,015,448	67,678,940	113,694,388	118,734,965
1909	3,510,620	730,463	555,806	46,812,553	70,047,623	117,769,355	122,545,548
1910	3,748,462	621,758	570,115	55,333,866	74,657,274	129,601,196	135,031,491
1911	3,718,458	624,663	741,189	62,226,907	81,330,015	143,446,910	148,565,810
30th June, 1912	536,164	1,012,062	873,046	65,408,841	84,337,756	149,806,597	162,318,580

ASSETS OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1912.

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 Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	18,581,221	1,199,994		6,145,742	666,676	1,215,701	93,710,166	121,547,813
1907	21,420,366	1,291,113		5,028,370	840,217	1,170,276	94,900,436	126,740,735
1908	23,378,253	1,354,367		4,938,919	880,777	1,131,618	101,647,044	133,537,865
1909	24,043,010	1,333,563		4,879,471	832,354	1,153,611	98,481,421	131,717,700
1910	26,136,722	1,322,860		4,916,001	973,161	1,348,669	101,371,817	138,758,260
1911	29,330,700	1,410,005	5,137,478	4,937,437	1,270,714	1,658,007	113,041,947	159,565,443
30 June, 1912	27,581,398	1,104,614	5,434,810	4,936,503	1,169,956	1,761,701	123,762,173	165,771,291

a Including gold and silver bullion in Tasmanian banks prior to 1908. b Including £2,454,775 Government and municipal securities. c Including £3,085,038 Government and municipal securities. d Including £7,530,800 Government and municipal securities. e Including £4,387,717 Government and municipal securities. f Including £4,311,964 Government and municipal securities.

No. 43.—SAVINGS BANKS.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
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NUMBER OF DEPOSITORS.

1900-1	282,643	369,026	81,025	126,032	39,318	42,609	904,553
1907-8	421,928	611,581	100,324	*174,289	172,178	55,690	1,335,920
1908-9	430,029	632,425	106,627	*187,482	177,748	58,145	1,398,466
1909-10	460,251	660,515	114,720	*201,275	186,166	60,646	1,483,573
1910-11	498,038	595,424	127,219	*216,480	199,017	63,314	1,600,112
1911-12	544,023	†	139,001	*232,971	196,569	67,105	†

AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.

1900-1	10,901,342	9,632,006	3,896,170	3,795,631	1,618,359	1,009,097	30,882,645
1907-8	17,530,157	14,128,676	4,921,881	5,820,344	2,845,463	1,560,951	46,147,472
1908-9	18,805,082	14,101,710	5,158,219	6,347,271	3,069,784	1,605,919	49,077,580
1909-10	20,150,574	15,117,888	5,622,986	6,791,320	3,481,764	1,652,966	53,117,498
1910-11	22,453,924	17,271,423	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,092,504	1,760,090	59,399,682
1911-12	25,361,338	†	7,342,811	8,218,396	4,400,391	1,934,089	†

* Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks.—1908, 2011; 1909, 4437; 1910, 6891; 1911, 8436; 1912, 9363.
1908, 2545; 1909, 4500; 1910, 6781; 1911, 9678.

† Not available.

STATE FINANCE.

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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	30 2 4	41 8 3	28 14 9	32 0 4
1907-8	41 10 11	26 6 0	49 1 2	38 7 11	39 19 6	28 1 4	34 10 10
1908-9	43 11 2	26 9 0	48 7 6	39 17 1	39 7 1	27 12 5	36 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
1911-12	46 12 4	*	52 15 10	35 8 1	45 8 6	28 16 6	*

AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
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
1911-12†	15 0 2	*	11 14 11	19 10 10	14 15 11	10 2 2	*

* Not available. † Based on population at 31st March, 1912.

Section V.—Railways.

No. 44.—PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

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

NOTE.—The mileage of Government railways is shown by figures not in brackets; that of private lines is shown in brackets.

	1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Commonwealth	...	...	...	...	...	(6,145) (—)
New South Wales	2,846 (80)	3,453 (91)	3,472 (271)	3,923 (365)	3,643 (300)	3,761 (266)
Victoria	3,237 (a)	3,396 (a)	3,222 (47)	3,410 (17)	3,401 (51)	3,523 (51)
Queensland	2,801 (165)	3,137 (103)	3,729 (336)	3,476 (327)	3,661 (544)	3,406 (522)
South Australia	1,891 (a)	1,977 (35)	2,025 (59)	2,034 (19)	2,058 (58)	1,935 (59)
Western Australia	1,355 (220)	1,764 (204)	1,943 (230)	2,004 (200)	2,145 (232)	2,178 (282)
Tasmania	458 (143)	463 (156)	461 (204)	463 (204)	460 (204)	470 (206)
Total	12,578 (a)	14,190 (a)	14,638 (1,555)	15,072 (1,320)	15,467 (1,365)	15,078 (1,584)
Private—						
For general traffic	(a)	(a)	916	943	986	1,000
private	(a)	(a)	630	637	1,010	835
Grand total	—	—	16,213	16,552	17,452	18,012

(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 Equipment.	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 9	50,972	4.61
Victoria	1,896,410	3,080,501	1,796,706	2 9	44,122	4.07
Queensland	2,730,430	1,563,119	1,167,311	2 6	25,890	4.51
South Australia	2,015,136	1,255,589	759,547	2 8	14,580	5.11
Western Australia	1,814,419	1,216,477	627,942	2 6	12,020	5.22
Tasmania	377,916	215,530	162,386	1 2	1,080	1.53
Total	17,847,843	11,054,383	6,793,460	2 8	152,865	4.44

— Denotes loss.

AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

	1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.
Commonwealth	...	...	...	...	...	145
New South Wales	2,818	3,428	3,469	3,600	3,625	3,713
Victoria	3,224	3,395	3,396	3,397	3,441	3,505
Queensland	2,801	3,137	3,239	3,144	3,533	3,795
South Australia	1,892	1,960	2,006	2,027	2,039	1,915
Western Australia	1,355	1,676	1,830	1,971	2,172	2,286
Tasmania	460	470	470	470	474	478
Total	12,544	14,066	14,410	14,869	15,211	15,837

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	12,978
Queensland ...	5,815	6,126	6,558	7,391	8,157	9,867
South Australia ...	4,428	4,365	5,041	4,956	5,451	5,946
Western Australia ...	4,126	4,181	3,904	4,102	4,398	4,963
Tasmania ...	896	981	1,029	1,029	1,060	1,041
Total ...	37,090	38,638	41,226	43,843	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 ...	3,398	4,013	3,873	4,178	4,444	4,896
Queensland ...	1,817	1,890	1,951	2,103	2,338	2,781
South Australia ...	1,250	1,589	1,755	1,652	1,858	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	13,986	14,903	14,750	16,012	17,848

WORKING EXPENSES.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	13
New South Wales ...	2,048	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	913	1,054	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	1,216
Tasmania ...	174	185	202	204	212	216
Total ...	7,149	7,968	8,398	8,826	9,890	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 ...	309	401	494	535	541	628
Tasmania ...	32	73	76	76	72	69
Total ...	3,889	5,968	5,906	5,924	6,143	6,798

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1901-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.	
NET EARNINGS PER CENT. TO CAPITAL COST.							
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	-0.13	
New South Wales	...	3.93	4.94	4.88	4.86	4.32	4.61
Victoria	...	3.14	4.00	3.43	3.91	3.77	4.07
Queensland	...	1.81	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	...	4.36	3.90	4.60	4.85	4.75	5.22
Tasmania	...	0.85	1.84	1.91	1.90	1.79	1.58
Total	...	3.15	4.35	4.23	4.18	4.18	4.44

Section VI.—Defence.

No. 45.—UNIVERSAL (MILITARY) TRAINING TO 31st AUGUST, 1912.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS.

JUNIOR CADETS.

Military District.	Total Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Unfit and Temporarily Unfit.	
		Number.	Per cent. of Examinees	Number.	Per cent. of Examinees
1st Queensland ...	5,265	5,114	97.0	151	3.0
2nd New South Wales ...	15,622	15,219	97.4	403	2.6
3rd Victoria ...	19,439	19,300	99.0	139	1.0
4th South Australia ...	9,042	2,905	95.5	187	4.5
5th Western Australia ...	1,987	1,918	96.5	69	3.5
6th Tasmania ...	1,184	1,161	98.0	23	2.0
Commonwealth ...	40,539 (a)	39,617	97.7	922	2.3

(a) The smaller number as compared with the June figures is due to the draft of the 1898 quota to the Senior Cadets.

SENIOR CADETS.

Military District.	Registrations in Training Areas.				
	Quota 1896.	Quota 1898.	Quota 1897.	Quota 1898.	Total.
1st Queensland ...	6,418	6,286	6,294	4,848	23,841
2nd New South Wales ...	13,662	13,820	13,873	10,499	51,854
3rd Victoria ...	11,800	12,082	11,894	9,895	45,171
4th South Australia ...	3,851	3,870	3,651	2,862	14,234
5th Western Australia ...	1,720	1,852	1,890	1,620	7,022
6th Tasmania ...	1,562	1,625	1,647	1,069	5,903
Commonwealth ...	39,013	39,555	39,189	30,288	148,025

Military District.	Number Medically Examined.	Medically Fit.		Exemptions Granted in Training Areas.	Number Remaining to be Examined or Exempt.	Total Number Liable for Training.	Total Number Actually in Training.
		Number.	Per cent. of Examinees.				
1st Queensland	13,672	12,366	90.5	11,199	276	12,366	12,084
2nd N. S. Wales	36,668	34,241	93.4	17,055	558	34,241	33,560
3rd Victoria	31,439	29,068	92.6	15,838	765	29,068	28,369
4th S. Australia	9,922	9,139	92.1	4,687	408	9,139	8,700
5th W. Australia	4,729	4,294	90.8	2,500	228	4,294	4,178
6th Tasmania	3,372	3,126	92.7	2,582	195	3,126	2,993
Commonwealth	99,402 (a)	92,234	92.4	53,361	2,430	92,234	89,884

(a) The small number as compared with the June figures is due to the draft of the 1894 quota to the Citizen Forces.

MEDICAL EXAMINATIONS—continued.

REGISTRATIONS &c. FOR TRAINING IN CITIZEN FORCES, 1904 QUOTA (a).

Military District.	Total Registrations.	Number Medically Examined	Medically Fit.		Exemptions Granted in Training Areas.	Number Remaining to be Examined or Exempt	Number actually in Training.
			Number.	Per cent. of Examinees			
1st Queensland	5,560	2,584	2,073	80.0	3,528	164	2,066
2nd N. S. Wales	12,658	7,545	6,367	84.4	5,472	814	6,881
3rd Victoria ...	10,886	6,393	5,312	83.1	5,084	489	4,442
4th S. Australia	3,565	1,824	1,590	87.2	1,537	488	1,491
5th W. Australia	1,624	782	701	89.7	740	183	665
6th Tasmania ...	1,401	675	569	84.3	748	89	555
Commonwealth	35,688	19,903	16,612	84.0	16,609	2,177	15,560

(a) 1904 quota liable for training in the Citizen Forces on and from 1st July, 1912.

Section VII.—Miscellaneous.

No. 46. DISTRIBUTION OF INCOMES IN AUSTRALIA ESTIMATED AS FOR THE YEAR ENDING 30th JUNE, 1911.

Limiting Amounts of Income.	Estimate of Distribution of Incomes.	No. of persons in receipt of income (1) above limiting amount.	No. of Adults male and female in receipt of less income than amount shown in column (1).	Amount corresponding to each person, column (3), retaining only the limiting income: column (1) × column (3).	Excess above this supposed retained amount: Column (2) - column (5).	Amount which this excess would represent if distributed uniformly among all adults with less than the limiting income, viz., those shown in column (4).	
						Annual.	Weekly
	Total Amount of Income.*					(6) ÷ (4).	(6) ÷ 52 (thurs 4)
(1).	(2).	(3).	(4).	(5).	(6).	(7a).	(7b.)
	£	Persons.	Adults in receipt of less income than amount shown in column (1).	£	£	£ s. d.	s. d.
Under £200	Not known	...	...	...	...	...	...
Above £200	62,637,896	114,195	2,411,479	22,830,000	39,708,896	16 10 1	6 4
" £300	52,126,765	57,517	2,468,156	17,255,100	34,871,665	14 3 5	5 5
" £500	41,455,747	25,485	2,500,188	12,742,500	28,713,247	11 9 7	4 5
" £750	35,408,030	15,808	2,510,280	11,544,750	23,863,280	9 10 2	3 8
" £1000	30,664,673	9,257	2,516,416	9,257,000	21,407,673	8 10 2	3 2
" £1500	25,397,094	5,001	2,520,673	7,501,500	17,895,594	7 2 0	2 9
" £2000	22,053,874	3,536	2,522,138	7,072,000	14,981,874	5 18 10	2 8

* The distribution for South Australia is assumed to coincide with the aggregate for the other States.

No. 47. DIFFERENCE PER CAPITA AND PER ADULT IN IMPORTS, EXPORTS, AND PRODUCTION, YEARS 1901-2 AND 1909-10.

Subject of Estimate.	Value per capita of Population.		Difference of columns (1) and (2) per capita of Population.	Difference per capita of Adults.
	Early period 1901 or 1902. (1)	Late period 1909 (2)		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Imports (1902)	10 11 4	13 14 8	3 3 4	5 13 7
Exports (1902)	11 8 3	17 0 10	5 12 7	10 1 11
Production (1901) (estimated)	30 2 6	42 19 2	12 16 8	23 0 8

DISTRIBUTION OF INCOMES IN AUSTRALIA.

The above table, viz., No. 46, furnishes a rough estimate of the distribution of incomes in Australia according to their magnitude. The table is based upon the Income Tax returns of all the States. These returns show both amount of tax and distribution of incomes, excepting in the case of South Australia, which does not show the distribution.

The distribution in this case was assumed to agree with the aggregate for the other States. In the case of New South Wales, the latest figures for incomes less than £1000, which could be used for this purpose, were those of the 1907 returns, owing to the fact that in later years incomes up to £1000 derived from personal exertion were not subject to income tax. An allowance based on the increase in population between 1907 and 1910 has been made.

The significance of aggregation of incomes above certain limiting amounts can be measured—among other ways—by shewing what it would represent on the average to adults whose incomes do not reach the limiting amount. This is shown in Table No. 46, and its weekly equivalent is given.

A second measure of the significance of the aggregates above the limiting amounts can be had by comparing them with the differences *per capita* of population between good and bad years in respect, say, of imports, exports, and production. These differences are shown in the second table, No. 47, together with the corresponding value per adult, and give a kind of measure of the magnitude of the influence of favourable seasons on the well-being of the community, by showing what, on the supposition of uniform distribution among adults, the difference of imports, exports, or production implies. The latter table gives also some indication of what—in the present conditions of the application of science and human effort to the production of wealth—may be called the limitations imposed by Nature, for the difference of production between one of the best and one of the worst years in the last decade amounts to only £28 0s. 3d. per adult.

No. 48.—STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH, 1861-1911.

Heading.		Years.						
		1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1910.	1911. \$
Population	Males	690,379	1,028,918	1,347,020	1,736,617	2,004,830	2,206,304	2,377,080
	Females	438,776	771,970	1,050,077	1,504,369	1,830,077	2,179,775	2,180,787
	Total	1,129,155	1,800,888	2,397,097	3,240,986	3,834,907	4,386,079	4,557,867
Births	No.	48,008	69,025	80,004	110,187	109,945	116,801	122,103
	Rate	42.38	38.00	33.36	34.47	27.36	26.79	27.31
Deaths	No.	30,061	26,175	33,307	47,430	46,330	45,560	47,808
	Rate	26.74	14.24	14.34	14.84	12.22	10.42	10.68
Marriages	No.	10,000	11,623	17,244	23,862	27,733	36,502	36,482
	Rate	8.84	6.04	7.47	7.47	7.32	8.37	8.70
Agriculture—								
	Area, aces.	704,431	1,270,778	3,002,004	3,385,528	5,110,985	7,372,456	7,307,839
Wheat	Yld., bush.	10,230,540	11,917,741	21,143,862	25,675,355	30,561,619	35,111,083	37,886,317
	Av. "	14.53	9.51	7.14	7.70	7.54	12.00	0.68
	Area, aces.	129,738	225,492	194,816	246,120	461,430	676,688	616,857
Oats	Yld., bush.	3,000,963	1,261,030	4,703,897	5,736,256	6,780,264	15,428,456	9,861,771
	Av. "	23.92	15.85	24.62	23.27	21.22	22.30	15.50
	Area, aces.	37,000	18,164	75,864	68,068	74,511	109,429	116,496
Barley	Yld., bush.	367,870	726,158	1,353,390	1,178,560	1,510,040	2,226,368	2,036,586
	Av. "	18.75	15.08	17.81	17.31	20.40	20.53	17.36
	Area, aces.	61,178	142,078	165,777	264,428	264,840	414,014	340,074
Malts	Yld., bush.	1,700,892	4,576,635	5,726,266	9,361,022	7,647,783	13,044,081	8,005,291
	Av. "	20.18	32.21	34.54	35.56	21.86	31.44	26.10
	Area, aces.	222,028	303,274	708,398	942,166	1,684,402	2,258,405	2,518,370
Hay	Yld., tons	296,164	375,871	707,104	1,067,255	2,024,808	3,175,851	2,867,508
	Av. "	1.34	1.34	1.13	1.13	1.30	1.41	1.14
	Area, aces.	47,338	67,011	76,365	112,884	100,095	151,615	130,463
Potatoes*	Yld., tons	147,610	212,806	243,216	380,477	322,324	380,851	301,186
	Av. "	3.12	3.18	3.19	3.37	2.64	2.64	2.31
	Area, aces.	11,576	10,708	45,444	86,100	100,237	100,237	101,010
Sugar	Yld., tons	176,532	149,627	737,573	1,367,862	2,000,758	1,982,250	1,982,250
	Av. "	15.25	17.71	16.23	15.73	10.06	16.85	16.85
	Area, aces.	7,010	16,253	14,570	48,862	6,677	30,114	40,608
Vineyards	Area, aces.	65,000	2,104,000	1,486,000	3,333,000	3,800,000	5,866,000	7,775,147
Total value all agricultural production	\$	8,011,000	15,510,000	16,480,000	21,830,000	21,830,000	30,752,000	30,752,000
Pastoral, dairying, etc.								
	Sheep, No.	20,000,128	10,072,335	65,097,710	106,421,068	12,040,211	102,047,016	92,948,851
	Cattle, "	3,800,554	1,277,228	8,010,001	11,112,112	10,401,428	11,744,714	11,818,757
	Horses, "	431,005	701,530	1,088,020	1,564,737	1,680,180	2,165,886	2,276,537
	Pigs, "	319,147	286,017	703,188	845,888	931,330	1,025,650	1,110,721
Wool prod., lb. greasy		170,000,000	312,775,000	521,287,000	47,433,764	103,071,000	762,498,468	767,744,805
Butter prod., lb.		1	1	1	10,146,028	11,575,692	16,537,011	15,966,691
Cheese		1	1	1	31,020,020	45,140,732	52,108,726	52,108,726
Bacon and ham		1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total estimated value of pastoral and dairying production	\$	20,736,000	25,138,000	30,250,000	36,800,000	74,380,000	74,380,000	74,380,000
Mineral production—								
	Gold, "	1,040,000	7,280,104	5,194,300	5,281,861	14,005,732	11,553,880	10,551,624
	Silver and lead, "	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Copper, "	158,798	821,111	673,596	362,745	2,238,000	2,390,412	2,764,278
	Flint, "	11,007	18,597	1,145,000	360,730	122,070	160,708	1,200,073
	Zinc, "	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Coal, "	228,935	325,747	636,746	1,008,028	2,802,770	3,684,104	3,029,073
Total value all mineral production	\$	10,637,033	8,184,728	7,813,327	12,000,807	22,013,101	23,215,194	23,215,194
Forestry production—								
	Quantity of local timber sawn or hewn	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	sup. ft.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total value all Forestry production	\$	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Manufactories—								
	No. of factories	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Hands employed, No.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
	Wages paid, \$	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total value of output	\$	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Value added in process of manufacture	\$	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH—(continued)

Heading.		Years.						
		1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1910.	1911. †
Shipping—								
Oversen vessels / No.	2,466	3,748	3,384	3,779	4,048	4,048	4,174	
unt. & cleared / ton.	1,149,478	1,312,842	2,540,364	4,726,307	6,541,001	9,383,146	9,064,801	
Commerce—								
Imports / oversen £	17,651,416	17,017,000	20,067,000	27,711,000	42,434,000	60,014,351	66,067,488	
" / per head £	150/3	103/3	12 10/0	117/10	117/11	131/48	147/187	
Exports / oversen £	17,413,000	31,726,000	27,528,000	36,045,000	40,406,000	74,491,150	70,489,226	
" / per head £	151/11	149/10	140/0	117/5	113/2	177/101	171/47	
Total overseas trade £	35,064,000	38,743,000	56,595,000	73,756,000	92,130,000	134,505,501	146,556,714	
" / per head £	307/6	251/2	247/10	237/6	245/1	301/56	320/124	
Customs and excise duties — £	...	...	4,400,285	7,440,880	8,656,580	12,232,125	13,515,006	
" / per head, £	...	...	2/3	2/7	2/5	2/15	3/0 3/4	
Principal Overseas Exports—								
Wool / lbs. grossly	60,367,402	170,635,820	328,381,010	610,892,753	510,016,134	743,440,860	730,364,000	
" / bushels	5,005,700	14,397,620	13,171,010	10,640,086	15,237,454	26,777,383	30,071,183	
Wheat / tons	87,240	210,924	341,603	970,701	90,280,058	47,761,865	55,117,840	
" / £	24,041	193,732	1,181,765	1,339,044	2,774,434	9,033,061	9,641,086	
Flour / tons	7,602	19,088	40,549	33,363	196,814	130,146	175,891	
" / £	113,172	170,415	510,635	328,432	789,804	1,244,105	1,301,580	
Butter / lbs.	664,160	1,612,688	1,288,758	4,231,434	34,007,317	87,028,151	101,722,136	
" / £	21,662	45,813	30,383	308,868	1,431,108	3,052,808	4,637,369	
Skins and hides — £	21,202	100,123	316,476	873,685	1,301,028	3,000,538	3,327,926	
Tallow — £	146,301	114,978	644,146	371,060	677,745	1,900,867	1,726,660	
Meats — £	37,775	566,700	362,562	169,864	211,314	1,922,300	4,307,673	
Timber (timberless) — £	33,367	42,345	118,117	38,448	731,301	1,782,123	1,039,531	
Gold — £	13,657,056	7,164,633	6,445,265	5,703,352	14,313,711	4,746,120	12,945,766	
Silver and lead — £	1,237	37,891	57,054	1,032,278	2,604,253	2,635,636	3,240,011	
Copper — £	381,718	798,538	676,151	417,667	1,819,145	2,270,113	3,249,443	
Coal — £	63,081	134,353	361,191	645,592	1,061,957	1,011,003	900,622	
Railways—								
Capital of lines open, £	205	970	4,832	9,541	12,577	1,490	16,079	
Revenue — £	8,654,510	10,269,795	22,741,350	59,794,000	123,387,000	146,982,000	152,554,000	
Gross revenue — £	318,823	1,102,650	3,010,122	8,654,085	11,038,000	16,034,000	17,818,000	
Working expenses — £	234,040	608,392	2,141,735	5,630,192	7,149,000	9,900,000	11,054,000	
Percent. of work-expenses on ordinary —	73.41	36.17	34.77	65.06	61.76	61.70	61.34	
Postal—								
Letters and postcards dealt with / No.	12,814,000	24,392,000	67,640,000	157,497,000	230,853,000	302,851,000	457,129,000	
" / per head £	11.13	14.34	20.81	27.47	27.86	36.80	101.9	
Newspapers dealt with / No.	1,683,000	11,330,000	38,063,000	85,260,000	102,737,000	132,415,000	141,638,000	
" / per head £	8.32	7.95	16.66	26.61	27.10	30.30	31.6	
Banks of Issue—								
Note circulation / £	2,970,357	2,456,487	3,078,711	4,417,200	3,106,115	1,201,101	8,076,428	
Coin & bullion held / £	4,664,415	1,668,660	9,108,213	16,712,121	10,737,572	32,738,337	30,024,225	
Advances / £	19,361,120	26,035,573	57,732,264	127,741,583	80,737,490	105,000,155	116,761,133	
Deposits / £	13,817,435	21,856,550	53,849,195	92,465,338	98,045,330	136,145,240	147,175,061	
Savings Banks—								
Number of depositors	27,877	100,713	240,071	614,741	964,555	1,483,573	1,800,112	
Total deposits / £	1,720,729	3,193,295	7,894,484	15,536,592	39,862,815	53,117,116	50,393,692	
Aver. per depositor / £	77/77	31/12	32/8	25/5	28/4	37/16	37/8 1/2	
" / head of population / £	0/188	1/189	3/105	4/87	8/40	12/58	13/85	
State Schools—								
Number of schools	1,864	2,362	4,404	6,231	7,012	7,910	...	
Teachers / No.	2,471	1,641	9,028	12,561	14,500	17,706	...	
Enrolment / No.	106,010	216,710	432,120	641,152	628,478	745,027	...	
Aver. attendance / £	73,416	137,767	235,143	340,773	380,246	475,838	...	

* Partly estimated 1961, 1971, and 1981. † Owing to variation in classification and lack of information effective comparison is impossible. ‡ Information not available. § Information so far as at present available. || Small amount of bank note circulation is due to issue of Australian notes. ¶ Productive cane only.