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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.—FEBRUARY, 1912.

Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

No. 1.—AREA AND POPULATION.

		Population (Exclusive of Full-blooded Australian Aborigines).						
States and Territories.	Area, Square Miles.	Census—3rd April, 1911.				Estimated 31st December, 1911.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Per 100 sq. miles.	Males.	Females.	Total.
States—								
N.S.W. ...	309,472	867,698	789,086	1,646,784	532			
Victoria ...	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	1,497			
Queensland	670,500	329,506	276,307	605,813	90			
Sth. Aust.	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	108			
West Aust.	975,920	161,566	120,549	282,114	29			
Tasmania	26,215	97,591	93,620	191,211	729			
Territories—								
North. Ter.	523,620	2,734	576	3,310	.6			
Fed. Capital Territory	900	992	722	1,714	190			
C'wealth								
	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	150	2,377,920	2,100,787	4,568,707

(a) Allocation of population to individual States is deferred pending results of investigation now in hand, concerning interstate migration.

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	b	3,765,339
1901	1,375,455	1,209,900	506,721	359,330	193,601	175,233	4,073	b	3,824,313
1902	1,401,943	1,208,231	512,240	357,007	211,973	179,450	4,474	b	3,875,318
1903	1,425,183	1,204,742	517,728	357,083	224,748	182,924	4,254	b	3,916,592
1904	1,455,458	1,205,608	524,935	359,368	239,408	185,187	4,206	b	3,974,150
1905	1,487,884	1,210,431	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	b	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	186,472	3,904	b	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,805	373,663	254,540	189,598	3,737	b	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,099	385,881	259,671	191,733	3,572	b	4,232,278
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	b	4,323,060
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,832	198,803	3,901	b	4,425,083
3 Ap. 1911	1,646,734	1,315,551	605,813	408,558	282,114	191,211	3,310	1,714	4,455,005

(b) Included with New South Wales.

No. 3.—ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1900.	1910.	1911.
NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATH).						
States—						
New South Wales ...	21,854	25,790	26,408	27,972	29,286	30,391
Victoria ...	15,104	16,826	15,331	17,108	16,705	17,810
Queensland ...	8,296	8,942	9,150	10,022	10,425	10,440
South Australia ...	5,046	5,410	5,879	6,241	6,484	7,019
Western Australia ...	3,199	4,781	4,876	4,898	4,845	5,168
Tasmania ...	3,116	3,293	3,480	3,658	3,466	3,510
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	— 31
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	20
Total ...	56,615	65,042	65,119	69,839	71,211	74,824

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

States—						
New South Wales ...	— 6,704	14,163	— 4,052	2,004	670	
Victoria ...	— 1,417	— 3,851	2,311	9,465	7,681	
Queensland ...	— 1,578	— 2,110	2,144	10,724	10,746	
South Australia ...	— 3,150	1,573	5,130	756	7,285	
Western Australia ...	10,436	— 5,414	255	1,105	6,312	
Tasmania ...	— 783	833	— 1,361	— 2,372	— 2,782	
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	
Total ...	— 2,959	5,195	5,437	21,783	29,012	^d 60,307

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

States—						
New South Wales ...	15,150	39,954	22,351	29,976	29,956	
Victoria ...	13,687	12,975	17,642	26,573	24,386	
Queensland ...	12,874	6,832	11,294	20,746	21,171	
South Australia ...	1,896	6,983	12,003	6,907	13,769	
Western Australia ...	13,634	— 633	5,131	6,004	11,167	
Tasmania ...	2,333	4,126	2,135	1,386	684	
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	a	a	a	a	a	
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	b	b	b	b	b	
Total ...	59,574	70,237	70,556	91,682	101,123	^d 143,611

(a) Included with South Australia.

(b) Included with New South Wales.

(c) The figures in this table are adjusted for estimated unrecorded departures.

(d) See note to table 1.

No. 4.—BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.—QUARTER ENDED 31st
DECEMBER, 1911.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
States—							
New South Wales ...	6,190	5,756	11,946	2,520	1,709	4,229	3,990
Victoria ...	4,179	3,909	8,088	2,079	1,713	3,792	2,842
Queensland ...	2,145	2,066	4,211	1,084	687	1,721	1,226
South Australia ...	1,342	1,355	2,697	532	497	1,029	1,067
Western Australia ...	971	979	1,950	479	248	727	675
Tasmania ...	666	794	1,400	235	201	436	394
Territories—							
Northern Territory	1	6	7	10	...	10	1
Fed. Cap. Territory	10	4	14	2	...	2	2
Commonwealth	15,504	14,809	30,313	6,891	5,056	11,946	10,197

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

States—						
New South Wales ...	37,875	42,201	42,458	48,782	45,444	47,537
Victoria ...	31,008	31,365	31,097	31,544	31,437	33,026
Queensland ...	14,803	14,540	14,830	15,552	16,169	16,984
South Australia ...	9,079	9,209	9,756	10,064	10,540	11,067
Western Australia ...	5,718	7,712	7,755	7,602	7,585	8,091
Tasmania ...	4,930	5,291	5,615	5,500	5,586	5,487
Territories—						
Northern Territory	32	29	34	27	40	31
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	...	30
Commonwealth	102,945	110,347	111,545	114,071	116,801	122,193

BIRTH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						
New South Wales ...	27.78	27.34	26.99	27.40	27.53	28.78
Victoria ...	25.77	25.69	25.07	25.01	24.51	24.89
Queensland ...	28.52	26.79	26.79	27.29	27.33	27.52
South Australia ...	25.41	25.04	25.81	25.91	26.50	26.95
Western Australia ...	30.39	30.18	30.08	28.87	27.99	28.11
Tasmania ...	28.58	28.63	29.95	28.91	29.25	28.81
Territories—						
Northern Territory	0.71	7.59	9.30	7.63	11.75	9.28
Fed. Cap. Territory	...	...	...	...	...	17.51
Commonwealth	27.16	26.76	26.59	26.69	26.73	27.23

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

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

States—						
New South Wales ...	16,021	16,411	16,055	15,810	16,158	17,146
Victoria ...	15,904	14,539	15,766	14,436	14,792	15,216
Queensland ...	6,007	5,598	5,680	5,530	5,744	6,544
South Australia ...	3,974	3,736	3,834	3,782	4,014	4,098
Western Australia ...	2,519	2,931	2,879	2,704	2,740	2,923
Tasmania	1,814	1,998	2,129	1,842	2,120	1,927
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	91	92	83	68	82	65
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	10
Commonwealth ...	46,390	45,305	46,426	44,172	45,590	47,869

DEATH RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

States—						
New South Wales ...	11.75	10.63	10.20	9.89	9.89	10.88
Victoria ...	13.22	11.86	12.71	11.45	11.49	11.47
Queensland ...	11.98	10.31	10.26	9.70	9.71	10.60
South Australia ...	11.12	10.16	10.14	9.74	10.00	9.84
Western Australia ...	13.39	11.47	11.17	10.27	10.11	10.16
Tasmania ...	10.51	10.81	11.36	9.68	11.10	10.21
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	19.10	24.07	22.71	19.20	24.10	19.46
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	5.84
Commonwealth ...	12.22	10.99	11.07	10.33	10.43	10.67

MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1901-1911.

States—						
New South Wales ...	10,538	12,187	12,641	13,025	14,307	15,278
Victoria ...	8,406	9,575	9,335	9,481	10,239	11,088
Queensland ...	3,541	4,105	4,009	4,543	4,768	5,093
South Australia ...	2,304	3,070	3,112	3,275	3,661	4,036
Western Australia ...	1,821	2,114	2,012	1,997	2,107	2,421
Tasmania ...	1,338	1,410	1,432	1,494	1,493	1,477
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	5	9	10	10	17	10
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Commonwealth ...	27,753	32,470	32,551	33,775	36,592	39,408

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES (Continued).

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1000 OF MEAN POPULATION.						
States—						
New South Wales ...	7.73	7.89	8.03	8.16	8.76	9.25
Victoria ...	6.99	7.81	7.53	7.48	7.98	8.36
Queensland ...	6.66	7.56	7.24	7.97	8.06	8.25
South Australia ...	6.45	8.35	8.23	8.43	9.20	9.84
Western Australia ...	9.68	8.27	7.80	7.59	7.77	8.41
Tasmania ...	7.76	7.63	7.64	7.85	7.82	7.83
Territories—						
Northern Territory ...	1.05	2.85	2.74	2.83	5.00	2.99
Fed. Cap. Territory ...	...	...	...	...	...	2.92
Commonwealth ...	7.32	7.87	7.76	7.90	8.37	8.78

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

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess Arrivals.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1906 ...	36,312	17,852	54,164	34,088	17,211	51,299	2,865
1907 ...	45,755	22,883	68,638	37,370	18,754	56,124	12,514
1908 ...	48,677	28,531	77,208	39,611	19,447	59,058	18,150
1909 ...	57,487	26,122	83,609	36,845	17,881	54,726	28,883
1910 ...	65,745	29,947	95,692	39,885	18,260	58,145	37,547
1911 ...	96,964	44,945	141,909	43,894	20,912	64,806	77,103
1912 (two months) ...	18,385	8,218	26,603	8,984	8,907	17,891	8,712

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

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

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	February.		Two months of—		February		Two months of—	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
British ...	11,517	9,830	23,187	17,445	4,752	4,489	10,656	8,588
Austrian ...	60	144	160	223	35	43	51	112
Danish ...	26	57	56	84	20	11	29	26
Dutch ...	81	33	60	51	11	11	24	25
French ...	80	101	174	209	83	106	174	231
German ...	259	178	521	354	194	161	346	266
Greek ...	17	54	41	77	14	15	29	52
Italian ...	200	179	350	266	40	68	119	105
Russian ...	88	66	185	123	31	30	60	50
Scandinavian ...	112	155	313	273	92	75	219	167
Spanish ...	4	1	14	17	11	...	12	5
Swiss ...	29	14	44	22	18	9	26	10
Turkish ...	...	1	2	2	...	...	...	...
United States ...	151	65	225	164	34	25	50	63
Other White ...	44	25	74	43	31	8	41	10
Total, White Nationalities	12,618	10,903	25,406	19,353	5,370	5,051	11,836	9,710
Afghans ...	...	...	...	...	8	6	8	9
Chinese ...	242	80	383	162	193	205	536	388
Japanese ...	61	34	178	89	71	59	147	117
Malays ...	129	59	363	191	106	16	227	139
Natives of India and Ceylon...	66	11	84	27	32	32	63	69
Syrians ...	10	25	11	47	...	1	6	15
Other Asiatics ...	44	2	49	8	...	3	...	51
Negroes, American ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...
Papuans ...	29	36	37	112	17	17	28	127
Polynesians, Melane- sians ...	25	13	32	14	24	6	45	30
Other Coloured ...	1	3	4	8	14	2	34	12
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races	607	263	1,142	660	465	347	1,095	957
TOTAL, ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES	13,225	11,166	26,548	20,013	5,835	5,398	12,931	10,667

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

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

Country.	Arrivals.				Departures.			
	February.		Two Months of		February.		Two Months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
United Kingdom ...	6,851	4,936	13,706	8,627	1,593	1,596	3,030	2,644
Canada ...	227	266	664	474	152	206	416	402
Cape Colony ...	154	169	328	319	77	61	176	160
Fiji ...	179	119	415	320	197	239	413	308
Hong Kong ...	157	45	283	176	303	142	645	240
India and Ceylon ...	970	298	631	492	142	83	360	244
Natal ...	57	40	75	46	111	163	215	278
New Zealand ...	2,996	3,120	5,858	5,508	1,870	1,793	4,689	3,890
Norfolk Island ...	15	11	33	27	17	14	17	14
Papua ...	96	81	139	237	108	77	206	241
Straits Settlements ...	200	138	279	237	94	118	225	306
Other Brit. Possessions	32	19	58	31	7	60	127	118
Total British Countries	11,234	9,185	22,379	16,484	4,671	4,511	10,439	8,706
China ...	106	29	108	75	21	60	57	167
France ...	300	122	628	333	223	242	451	451
Germany ...	139	91	291	190	86	67	183	97
Italy ...	261	313	454	791	190	164	345	294
Japan ...	84	33	170	70	105	94	188	138
New Caledonia ...	95	80	225	173	60	20	163	146
South Sea Islands ...	83	103	241	190	119	31	162	48
United States ...	173	81	325	156	153	42	582	127
Other For'gn Countries	751	1,099	1,727	1,867	193	160	411	403
Total For'gn Countries	1,991	1,981	4,169	3,529	1,164	387	2,492	1,371
ALL COUNTRIES	13,225	11,166	26,548	20,013	5,835	4,898	12,931	10,067

No. 8.—NOMINATED OR ASSISTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING 1911.

State.	Nominated.			Assisted.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N. S. Wales ...	3,647	3,279	6,926	2,233	763	2,996	9,922
Victoria ...	1,312	1,506	2,818	2,590	1,861	3,954	6,772
Queensland ...	3,430	2,712	6,142	4,777	2,773	7,550*	13,692*
South Australia ...	...	...	...	815	350	665	665
Western Australia	1,541	1,733	3,274	4,189	2,069	6,258	9,532
Tasmania ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	9,930	9,230	19,160	14,104	7,349	21,453	40,613

* Including 817 unclassified immigrants, 612 males and 305 females. In addition to the number here stated the (Chinese, full paying passengers, arrived from Manchuria.

Section II.—Shipping and Commerce.

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

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1906	2,767,280	1,288,865	4,056,145	3,855,193	105,320	3,960,513
1907	2,828,786	1,618,280	4,447,066	4,154,789	196,017	4,350,806
1908	3,046,051	1,249,628	4,295,679	4,061,927	223,545	4,285,472
1909	3,219,498	1,141,696	4,361,194	3,953,578	201,970	4,155,548
1910	3,604,554	1,008,266	4,612,820	4,535,642	189,684	4,725,326
1911	3,895,248	1,094,000	4,989,248	4,935,052	116,597	5,051,649
1912 (2 months)	793,666	166,895	960,561	839,646	11,476	851,122
1911 " "	625,952	229,834	855,786	774,432	87,008	861,440

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

States and Territories.	1901.	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	17,560,207	20,860,891	19,828,486	20,887,560	33,238,466	27,343,428
Victoria ...	12,686,880	17,101,322	16,433,257	16,531,981	20,002,606	21,850,063
Queensland ...	3,515,667	4,617,439	4,516,043	4,591,888	5,227,855	6,212,413
South Australia ...	3,927,206	4,815,459	4,971,990	5,096,121	5,976,169	6,245,840
Western Australia ...	3,895,151	3,587,548	3,212,021	3,322,390	4,538,118	4,485,369
Tasmania ...	811,361	827,174	837,470	741,956	891,137	821,135
Northern Territory	37,539	*	*	*	*	14,239
Commonwealth	42,434,011	51,809,033	49,709,273	51,171,806	60,014,351	66,073,387

No. 11.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS †

New South Wales	18,210,627	32,894,073	26,880,709	26,044,789	32,035,451	32,162,173
Victoria ...	13,075,259	17,112,298	15,165,031	17,842,876	18,188,236	18,915,716
Queensland ...	4,393,846	5,769,888	5,538,584	5,861,294	8,171,593	8,389,284
South Australia ...	4,432,778	7,970,547	7,667,297	8,468,715	10,243,197	10,174,066
Western Australia ...	7,941,001	8,578,440	8,522,837	6,680,530	5,830,263	9,171,198
Tasmania ...	1,073,470	499,501	596,650	420,623	513,410	625,031
Northern Territory	29,191	*	*	*	*	44,662
Commonwealth	49,696,172	72,824,247	64,311,038	65,318,836	74,491,150	79,483,030

* Included in South Australia.

† Subject to correction.

† Goods destined for overseas countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transhipment to the overseas country. For 1907 and the subsequent years such goods are, in this table, shown against the State from which they were finally despatched to the Commonwealth. The exports from New South Wales and Victoria—the States in which transhipments are chiefly made—are thus inflated by the inclusion of goods consigned from other States. (Owing to the discontinuance of the records of interstate trade from the 13th September, 1910, adjustment on account of transhipments can no longer be made. On the basis of the transhipments recorded during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, the New South Wales figures include exports of other States amounting to £3,036,572 net, viz. annum, and Victoria £1,033,734, which were originally despatched as follows:—From Queensland, £1,376,484; South Australia, £1,018,500; Western Australia, £269,1; and Tasmania, £1,636,426. The great difference between the value of exports from Tasmania during the year 1909 and subsequent years is due to the fact that in the former year goods despatched from Tasmania for transhipment in other States were recorded as overseas exports from Tasmania, whereas in the later years they are included, for the most part, as exports from New South Wales and Victoria.)

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

Year	Value.					Value per Head.				
	Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.			Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1901	92,130,183	42,434,011*	47,741,776	1,954,306	49,696,172	24 6 1	11 3 11	12 11 10	0 10 4	13 2 9
1902	84,501,137	40,675,050*	41,398,781	2,646,306	43,915,087	21 10 7	10 11 4	10 14 6	0 13 9	11 8 3
1903	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,658,883	2,501,229	48,250,112	22 2 1	9 14 3	11 14 7	0 13 3	12 7 12
1904	94,506,757	37,620,842	55,100,197	2,383,748	57,483,945	23 10 4	9 7 0	13 10 6	0 12 1	14 11 0
1905	95,187,786	38,346,731	54,127,738	2,713,277	56,841,035	23 15 0	9 11 0	13 10 7	0 13 6	14 4 7
1906	114,492,675	44,744,012	66,259,874	3,437,865	69,737,739	28 5 10	11 0 4	18 6 7	0 16 11	17 3 1
1907	124,633,240	51,800,033	69,816,500	5,007,747	77,824,247	30 4 5	12 11 3	10 18 7	0 14 7	17 13 6
1908	114,110,331	40,799,273	62,118,033	2,192,155	64,311,058	27 1 1	11 17 5	14 16 2	0 10 6	15 6 8
1909	116,400,732	51,171,896	62,843,711	2,375,125	65,318,836	27 5 0	11 19 5	14 14 0	0 11 7	15 5 7
1910	134,505,591	60,014,351	71,836,195	2,634,165	74,491,150	30 15 6	13 14 8	16 8 6	0 12 1	17 0 10
1911	146,486,417	66,973,387	76,205,777	3,277,253	79,483,030	32 12 10	14 18 6	16 10 0	0 14 7	17 14 4

* Owing to the failure to record as Oversea Imports, goods received in one State of the Commonwealth for transhipment* to another State thereof, it has been estimated that the value of Imports given in this table is understated by the following amounts:—1901, £2,121,500; 1902, £1,546,924; 1903, £1,924,211. † Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian Ports on board overseas ships. The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £275,968; 1907, £208,807; 1908, £1,106,106; 1909, £1,071,877; 1910, £1,080,183. ‡ Subject to revision.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.	Merchandise.	Specie & Bullion.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	41,400,147	934,864	42,434,011	34,425,953	15,270,219	49,696,172	-7,073,194	14,335,355	7,262,161
1902	39,218,771	1,459,170	40,675,050	28,547,504	15,367,403	43,915,087	-10,669,177	13,906,314	3,339,137
1903	36,551,542	1,239,929	37,811,471	29,126,154	19,123,058	48,250,112	-7,425,348	17,464,020	10,438,641
1904	35,815,984	1,333,848	37,030,842	30,718,846	17,767,069	57,483,945	3,001,652	16,563,221	20,465,073
1905	36,796,436	1,360,235	38,346,731	45,045,521	11,795,514	56,841,035	8,249,085	10,345,210	18,494,304
1906	42,413,065	2,330,917	44,744,012	62,927,830	17,709,933	69,737,739	9,513,335	15,379,016	24,692,351
1907	40,974,833	1,844,200	41,800,033	61,636,787	11,187,460	72,824,247	11,661,954	9,333,960	21,015,214
1908	40,406,021	1,190,252	40,799,273	50,130,804	14,100,220	64,311,058	1,511,917	12,990,868	14,511,785
1909	50,115,521	1,050,375	51,171,896	56,438,552	8,640,284	65,318,836	5,923,031	7,623,317	14,146,940
1910	54,682,391	1,331,060	60,014,351	69,455,873	4,635,277	74,491,150	11,173,492	3,303,317	14,476,799
1911	65,003,806	1,060,581	66,973,387	67,435,944	12,047,086	79,483,030	2,432,128	10,077,505	12,509,633

Imports and Exports.

**No. 18.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED
DURING THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1912 AND 1911, TOGETHER
WITH THE TOTAL VALUE OF THE SAME ARTICLES FOR THE
TWO 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 ...	Feb. 1912	47,207	251	429	680
	" 1911	49,889	81	476	557
	2 mths. 1912	105,292	303	797	1,100
	" 1911	87,882	259	1,085	1,294
Animals Living— Horses ...	Feb. 1912	21,778	12,395	1,200	13,595
	" 1911	39,245	5,910	40	5,950
	2 mths. 1912	30,409	31,551	1,200	32,751
	" 1911	41,306	43,066	40	43,706
Cattle ...	Feb. 1912	...	5,078	...	5,078
	" 1911	180	2,326	...	2,326
	2 mths. 1912	275	6,967	...	6,967
	" 1911	544	4,430	...	4,430
Sheep ...	Feb. 1912	977	11,275	...	11,275
	" 1911	249	2,215	...	2,215
	2 mths. 1912	1,145	13,487	...	13,487
	" 1911	1,712	3,408	...	3,408
Apparel & all Descriptions of Soft Goods	Feb. 1912	1,804,084	3,077	10,861	13,938
	" 1911	1,730,447	3,816	9,801	13,617
	2 mths. 1912	3,518,966	5,854	19,708	25,562
	" 1911	3,002,135	6,018	16,545	22,563
Biscuits ...	Feb. 1912	796	6,869	2	6,871
	" 1911	522	4,745	15	4,760
	2 mths. 1912	1,300	11,277	3	11,280
	" 1911	692	10,928	28	10,866
Bones, Hoofs, and Horns	Feb. 1912	201	2,198	...	2,198
	" 1911	170	2,642	...	2,642
	2 mths. 1912	246	5,031	...	5,031
	" 1911	202	4,946	...	4,946
Boots and Shoes	Feb. 1912	46,790	1,894	310	2,204
	" 1911	38,602	818	119	937
	2 mths. 1912	87,626	3,311	592	3,903
	" 1911	62,676	1,903	324	2,227
Butter ...	Feb. 1912	108	343,222	...	343,222
	" 1911	112	527,858	...	527,858
	2 mths. 1912	205	975,769	...	975,769
	" 1911	180	1,117,934	...	1,117,934
Cement (Portland)	Feb. 1912	14,269	286	191	477
	" 1911	13,855	218	126	344
	2 mths. 1912	29,208	324	298	622
	" 1911	21,338	718	248	966
Cheese ...	Feb. 1912	1,017	305	27	332
	" 1911	899	8,699	47	8,746
	2 mths. 1912	2,223	706	34	740
	" 1911	1,775	9,213	75	9,288

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Coal	Feb. 1912	4,595	54,486	...	54,486
	" 1911	...	62,230	...	62,230
	2 mths. 1912	6,947	116,094	...	116,094
	" 1911	...	133,214	...	133,214
Cocon and Chocolate—all forms	Feb. 1912	20,986	...	193	193
	" 1911	17,613	6	106	112
	2 mths. 1912	42,416	2	263	265
	" 1911	30,128	8	189	197
Coffee and Chicory—all forms	Feb. 1912	6,441	79	307	386
	" 1911	2,127	46	188	234
	2 mths. 1912	11,665	136	546	682
	" 1911	8,168	74	306	380
Copper Ingots and Copper contained in Matte	Feb. 1912	...	134,375	...	134,375
	" 1911	67	204,969	...	204,969
	2 mths. 1912	...	300,347	...	300,347
	" 1911	67	339,593	...	339,593
Cordage and Twines ...	Feb. 1912	57,346	641	2,172	2,813
	" 1911	73,506	472	1,764	2,236
	2 mths. 1912	138,592	1,588	4,457	6,045
	" 1911	123,942	978	3,055	4,033
Drugs and Chemicals ...	Feb. 1912	107,542	4,267	2,190	6,757
	" 1911	115,032	5,101	2,266	7,367
	2 mths. 1912	230,473	9,968	4,866	14,834
	" 1911	193,444	8,472	4,766	13,238
Earthenware, China, etc.	Feb. 1912	32,091	277	266	543
	" 1911	39,891	163	175	338
	2 mths. 1912	75,895	474	451	925
	" 1911	68,315	664	352	1,016
Fish (all kinds)...	Feb. 1912	77,877	740	898	1,638
	" 1911	55,987	1,998	819	2,817
	2 mths. 1912	193,461	5,958	1,042	7,600
	" 1911	154,281	2,024	1,574	3,598
Fruits, Dried—Currants ...	Feb. 1912	136	4	9	13
	" 1911	484	...	15	15
	2 mths. 1912	179	22	17	39
	" 1911	1,048	...	26	26
Raisins ...	Feb. 1912	98	8	6	14
	" 1911	70	5	6	11
	2 mths. 1912	345	12	9	21
	" 1911	224	7	10	17
Other ...	Feb. 1912	1,280	3,812	64	3,876
	" 1911	1,667	1,185	104	1,289
	2 mths. 1912	3,461	6,464	91	6,555
	" 1911	3,908	1,792	1,518	3,310
Fruits, Fresh—Apples ...	Feb. 1912	...	47,214	11	47,225
	" 1911	2	10,217	...	10,217
	2 mths. 1912	189	47,730	30	47,769
	" 1911	366	10,638	25	10,663
All other ...	Feb. 1912	18,271	4,252	25	4,277
	" 1911	9,676	4,071	115	4,186
	2 mths. 1912	41,879	6,308	88	6,396
	" 1911	16,458	5,629	172	5,801
Furniture ...	Feb. 1912	23,907	733	366	1,099
	" 1911	18,190	897	265	1,162
	2 mths. 1912	54,150	1,314	460	1,774
	" 1911	36,615	2,046	560	2,606

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Glass and Glassware ...	Feb. 1912	47,208	376	563	939
	" 1911	38,322	133	960	1,093
	2 mths. 1912	101,499	727	1,096	1,823
	" 1911	76,290	487	1,519	2,006
Gold, uncoined ...	Feb. 1912	144,606	135,163	...	135,163
	" 1911	141,039	141,016	...	141,016
	2 mths. 1912	226,754	294,192	...	204,192
	" 1911	257,830	286,816	...	286,816
Grain & Pulse, Unprepared— Barley ...	Feb. 1912	1,254	16	...	16
	" 1911	...	80	...	80
	2 mths. 1912	2,467	32	...	32
	" 1911	3,089	189	...	189
Maize ...	Feb. 1912	172	41	...	41
	" 1911	508	14	...	14
	2 mths. 1912	477	278	...	278
	" 1911	864	120	...	120
Oats ...	Feb. 1912	7,537	439	...	439
	" 1911	80	3,352	...	3,352
	2 mths. 1912	7,556	615	...	615
	" 1911	169	4,020	37	4,057
Wheat ...	Feb. 1912	...	1,267,247	...	1,267,247
	" 1911	...	1,387,618	...	1,387,618
	2 mths. 1912	...	2,392,109	...	2,392,109
	" 1911	23	2,507,463	...	2,507,463
Other (including Beans and Peas)	Feb. 1912	1,111	658	95	753
	" 1911	1,080	2,974	65	3,039
	2 mths. 1912	2,127	927	128	1,055
	" 1911	1,583	3,912	92	4,004
Grain & Pulse, Prepared— Bran, Pollard, & Sharps	Feb. 1912	...	2,108	...	2,108
	" 1911	3	3,519	...	3,519
	2 mths. 1912	...	6,086	...	6,086
	" 1911	3	6,769	...	6,769
Flour (Wheaton) ...	Feb. 1912	58	73,106	...	73,106
	" 1911	49	99,453	...	99,453
	2 mths. 1912	720	147,038	...	147,038
	" 1911	93	164,804	...	164,804
Oatmeal, etc....	Feb. 1912	473	52	11	63
	" 1911	358	36	5	41
	2 mths. 1912	661	112	16	128
	" 1911	498	231	27	258
Rice ...	Feb. 1912	13,247	...	6,103	6,103
	" 1911	5,874	...	5,694	5,694
	2 mths. 1912	20,034	...	9,816	9,816
	" 1911	12,05	...	10,837	10,837
Other ...	Feb. 1912	1,977	547	23	570
	" 1911	6,322	553	24	577
	2 mths. 1912	9,798	981	42	1,023
	" 1911	10,762	1,244	34	1,278
Hats and Caps ...	Feb. 1912	34,376	177	528	705
	" 1911	28,647	120	381	501
	2 mths. 1912	70,822	399	739	1,138
	" 1911	44,937	248	526	774
Hay and Chaff ...	Feb. 1912	16	1,565	...	1,565
	" 1911	1	757	...	757
	2 mths. 1912	17	3,032	...	3,032
	" 1911	4	1,060	...	1,060

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Hops	Feb. 1912	5,427	2	4	6
	" 1911	7,222	4	49	53
	2 mths. 1912	14,512	9	110	119
	" 1911	17,605	9	122	131
Implements & Machinery— Agricultural, Horticultural, & Viticultural	Feb. 1912	47,258	8,952	2,224	11,176
	" 1911	68,581	8,221	708	9,924
	2 mths. 1912	157,340	25,299	3,673	28,978
	" 1911	136,774	10,532	1,464	11,996
Indiarubber goods ...	Feb. 1912	74,775	4,902	2,041	6,943
	" 1911	75,788	7,486	3,286	10,772
	2 mths. 1912	166,118	7,786	3,043	10,829
	" 1911	138,558	14,351	5,606	19,957
Iron and Steel— Bar, Rod, etc., Blooms, Slabs, etc., Girders, Joists, etc.	Feb. 1912	127,840	449	1,535	1,984
	" 1911	151,012	360	1,407	1,767
	2 mths. 1912	333,504	639	3,122	3,761
	" 1911	248,721	595	3,038	3,633
(Galvanized—Plate and Sheet	Feb. 1912	167,728	1	3,001	3,002
	" 1911	192,251	...	2,791	2,791
	2 mths. 1912	407,562	19	5,238	5,257
	" 1911	321,551	44	5,297	5,341
Pig and Scrap ...	Feb. 1912	16,949	...	1,477	1,477
	" 1911	23,148	86	1,939	2,025
	2 mths. 1912	64,764	538	1,504	2,042
	" 1911	34,329	190	2,435	2,625
Jams and Jellies ...	Feb. 1912	1,373	1,336	19	1,355
	" 1911	782	1,713	18	1,731
	2 mths. 1912	2,230	3,190	33	3,223
	" 1911	1,077	3,760	56	3,816
Jute Goods, including Bags and Sacks (Bran, Flour, and Corn, Gunny, and Ore and Woolpack)	Feb. 1912	41,832	50	3,166	3,216
	" 1911	55,302	40	1,408	1,448
	2 mths. 1912	105,968	155	3,717	3,872
	" 1911	128,466	80	1,984	2,073
Lead—Pig, and Lead contained in Matte	Feb. 1912	...	91,832	...	91,832
	" 1911	146	43,090	...	43,090
	2 mths. 1912	...	199,729	...	199,729
	" 1911	146	105,355	...	105,355
Leather	Feb. 1912	49,333	42,598	1,815	44,413
	" 1911	23,059	30,595	2,621	33,216
	2 mths. 1912	99,440	77,096	2,721	79,817
	" 1911	49,764	41,883	2,730	44,622
Machines and Machinery (all kinds, except Agricultural, for which see "Implements")	Feb. 1912	363,841	4,648	5,359	10,007
	" 1911	204,088	6,205	9,874	15,579
	2 mths. 1912	986,633	6,529	12,056	18,585
	" 1911	530,057	8,291	13,172	21,463
Manures	Feb. 1912	83,566	9,708	59	9,767
	" 1911	97,519	7,733	40	7,773
	2 mths. 1912	135,862	21,719	59	21,778
	" 1911	175,579	18,582	900	19,482
Matches and Vestas ...	Feb. 1912	17,097	2	143	145
	" 1911	15,709	...	227	227
	2 mths. 1912	40,687	2	370	372
	" 1911	28,125	...	459	459

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Meats, Preserved by Cold Process—					
Beef ...	Feb. 1912	£ ...	£ 41,777	£ ...	£ 41,777
	" 1911	2	37,734	...	37,734
	2 mths. 1912	4	70,828	...	70,828
	" 1911	96	72,492	...	72,492
Mutton and Lamb ...	Feb. 1912	...	154,297	...	154,297
	" 1911	10	103,150	...	103,150
	2 mths. 1912	42	292,072	...	292,072
	" 1911	70	260,314	...	260,314
Poultry ...	Feb. 1912	4	452	...	452
	" 1911	16	548	...	548
	2 mths. 1912	16	602	...	602
	" 1911	95	858	...	858
Rabbits and Hares ...	Feb. 1912	...	23,268	...	23,268
	" 1911	...	32,737	...	32,737
	2 mths. 1912	...	38,826	...	38,826
	" 1911	...	55,110	...	55,110
Meats, Preserved in Tins...	Feb. 1912	3,768	40,809	84	40,893
	" 1911	2,264	33,074	60	33,134
	2 mths. 1912	4,953	81,404	116	81,520
	" 1911	4,109	65,979	400	66,379
Metals, Manufactures of—					
Dutiable ...	Feb. 1912	185,053	Included in "Free."		
	" 1911	176,330			
	2 mths. 1912	418,136			
	" 1911	286,371			
Free ...	Feb. 1912	210,555	4,575	5,842	10,517
	" 1911	215,092	4,545	5,854	10,399
	2 mths. 1912	514,036	8,654	10,754	19,408
	" 1911	385,318	9,483	11,696	21,179
Milk—					
Concentrated & Preserved	Feb. 1912	691	846	449	1,295
	" 1911	3,553	1,207	501	1,708
	2 mths. 1912	2,097	3,174	817	3,991
	" 1911	6,617	1,774	845	2,619
Oil—Kerosene ...	Feb. 1912	45,101	...	1,324	1,324
	" 1911	44,489	...	717	717
	2 mths. 1912	118,668	...	2,570	2,570
	" 1911	78,463	...	1,596	1,596
Onions ...	Feb. 1912	198	1,674	...	1,674
	" 1911	29	1,978	...	1,978
	2 mths. 1912	203	3,002	...	3,002
	" 1911	75	2,955	...	2,955
Ores (exclusive of Gold Ores the value of which is shown under "Gold Uncoined")	Feb. 1912	319	62,649	2	62,651
	" 1911	1,951	65,788	16	65,804
	2 mths. 1912	1,321	175,078	36	175,114
	" 1911	9,110	126,495	50	126,545
Paints, Colours & Varnishes	Feb. 1912	53,070	466	584	1,050
	" 1911	53,075	234	618	847
	2 mths. 1912	120,523	742	1,118	1,860
	" 1911	79,744	567	1,208	1,775
Paper—					
Printing ...	Feb. 1912	63,680	...	81	81
	" 1911	59,153	...	534	534
	2 mths. 1912	152,448	...	1,021	1,021
	" 1911	106,682	...	1,067	1,067

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Paper—All other	Feb. 1912	71,119	461	319	780
	" 1911	71,176	240	392	632
	2 mths. 1912	157,206	487	660	1,147
	" 1911	130,458	865	592	957
Pearlshell.	Feb. 1912	...	15,653	22	15,675
	" 1911	...	8,297	97	8,394
	2 mths. 1912	3	25,875	255	26,130
	" 1911	...	10,608	212	19,820
Pickles and Sauces	Feb. 1912	14,398	122	62	184
	" 1911	13,086	55	95	150
	2 mths. 1912	29,884	237	114	351
	" 1911	21,240	106	134	240
Potatoes	Feb. 1912	439	1,177	...	1,177
	" 1911	49	997	...	997
	2 mths. 1912	508	2,256	...	2,256
	" 1911	175	1,844	...	1,844
Railway Material—Rails, Fish-plates, etc.	Feb. 1912	203,161	...	575	575
	" 1911	69,519	...	379	879
	2 mths. 1912	965,218	9	822	831
	" 1911	168,183	...	1,226	1,226
Silver—Bullion and Silver contained in Matte	Feb. 1912	875	45,385	...	45,385
	" 1911	664	37,739	24	37,763
	2 mths. 1912	945	112,732	3,020	116,652
	" 1911	720	86,308	24	86,332
Skins—Hides	Feb. 1912	8,931	40,699	...	40,699
	" 1911	17,713	38,278	...	38,278
	2 mths. 1912	20,012	80,823	...	80,823
	" 1911	28,834	64,818	...	64,818
Rabbit and Hare	Feb. 1912	49	13,505	...	13,595
	" 1911	10	13,467	...	13,467
	2 mths. 1912	49	21,883	...	21,883
	" 1911	10	22,826	...	22,826
Sheep	Feb. 1912	2,314	91,785	...	91,785
	" 1911	2,585	95,483	...	95,483
	2 mths. 1912	3,008	202,222	...	202,222
	" 1911	2,760	201,186	...	201,186
Other	Feb. 1912	5,274	18,101	7	18,108
	" 1911	2,623	15,744	18	15,762
	2 mths. 1912	9,011	53,184	11	53,195
	" 1911	3,055	39,282	18	39,300
Soap	Feb. 1912	8,500	7,270	399	7,669
	" 1911	4,678	4,573	306	4,879
	2 mths. 1912	18,076	18,194	629	18,823
	" 1911	10,599	8,979	666	9,645
Specie—Gold	Feb. 1912	11	145,449	144,006	290,055
	" 1911	120	343,332	141,099	484,431
	2 mths. 1912	11	1,071,105	236,754	1,307,859
	" 1911	15,120	650,005	257,830	907,835
Silver	Feb. 1912	39,271	...	5,930	5,930
	" 1911	13,046	...	172	172
	2 mths. 1912	70,071	...	10,833	10,833
	" 1911	36,955	...	2,928	2,928
Bronze	Feb. 1912	...	...	...	...
	" 1911	702	...	...	5
	2 mths. 1912	3	...	...	...
	" 1911	702	...	...	6

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Spirits—					
Brandy	Feb. 1912	8,855	48	208	251
	" 1911	13,433	56	52	108
	2 mths. 1912	17,940	175	312	487
	" 1911	21,526	80	120	200
Gin (including Schnapps)	Feb. 1912	18,480	...	81	81
	" 1911	11,056	...	154	154
	2 mths. 1912	31,603	...	183	183
	" 1911	21,767	...	237	237
Whisky	Feb. 1912	46,558	...	924	924
	" 1911	57,060	19	1,689	1,708
	2 mths. 1912	106,128	...	2,064	2,064
	" 1911	101,512	19	2,546	2,565
Rum	Feb. 1912	2,019	...	6	6
	" 1911	2,089	0	26	32
	2 mths. 1912	3,808	...	20	20
	" 1911	4,400	6	35	41
Other	Feb. 1912	12,643	1,465	895	2,360
	" 1911	10,255	1,201	3,380	4,581
	2 mths. 1912	26,494	2,312	1,300	3,621
	" 1911	18,682	2,201	3,735	5,936
Sugar	Feb. 1912	62,077	9	3,073	3,082
	" 1911	22,640	68	9,963	10,031
	2 mths. 1912	75,682	54	5,720	5,774
	" 1911	104,500	93	25,828	25,921
Tallow (export only)	Feb. 1912	...	104,385	17	104,402
	" 1911	...	131,402	196	131,698
	2 mths. 1912	...	208,035	36	208,071
	" 1911	...	244,940	198	245,138
Tea	Feb. 1912	128,862	...	4,478	4,478
	" 1911	93,580	...	6,647	6,647
	2 mths. 1912	214,290	...	11,655	11,655
	" 1911	176,912	...	12,554	12,554
Timber	Feb. 1912	177,312	74,942	1,650	76,592
	" 1911	307,207	82,659	2,057	84,716
	2 mths. 1912	417,241	106,738	2,564	109,302
	" 1911	552,060	133,942	3,965	137,907
Tin Ingots	Feb. 1912	...	50,081	...	50,081
	" 1911	...	79,039	...	79,039
	2 mths. 1912	...	107,571	...	107,571
	" 1911	14	124,791	...	124,791
Tinned Plates	Feb. 1912	55,538	390	59	449
	" 1911	30,689	...	125	125
	2 mths. 1912	116,246	390	59	449
	" 1911	79,311	...	308	308
Tobacco—					
Manufactured	Feb. 1912	13,267	5,924	4,682	10,606
	" 1911	16,206	5,781	2,154	7,935
	2 mths. 1912	30,615	12,492	7,457	19,949
	" 1911	28,984	7,618	5,911	13,529
Unmanufactured	Feb. 1912	30,316	...	20	20
	" 1911	52,653	...	...	...
	2 mths. 1912	132,318	...	20	20
	" 1911	56,724	...	130	130
Cigars	Feb. 1912	12,192	45	268	313
	" 1911	6,674	...	561	561
	2 mths. 1912	21,251	45	457	502
	" 1911	18,680	...	726	726

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES. ETC. (Continued).

Articles.	Period.	Imports.	Exports.		
			Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Tobacco—		£	£	£	£
Cigarettes ...	Feb. 1912	4,192	170	118	288
	" 1911	3,785	82	148	290
	2 mths. 1912	8,278	247	258	505
	" 1911	7,414	200	185	385
Tools of Trade ...	Feb. 1912	59,987	40	989	979
	" 1911	57,624	323	1,058	1,380
	2 mths. 1912	192,379	92	2,069	2,161
	" 1911	98,661	449	1,889	2,388
Wine, Fermented—					
Sparkling ...	Feb. 1912	11,163	38	254	292
	" 1911	13,147	7	200	207
	2 mths. 1912	20,919	65	733	798
	" 1911	19,971	551	422	979
Other ...	Feb. 1912	2,005	17,223	280	17,503
	" 1911	2,214	11,718	150	11,868
	2 mths. 1912	4,453	22,719	555	23,274
	" 1911	4,141	20,947	268	21,215
Wool—					
Greasy ...	Feb. 1912	4,254	2,700,418	...	2,700,418
	" 1911	1,340	2,519,986	...	2,519,986
	2 mths. 1912	4,710	4,968,890	...	4,968,890
	" 1911	3,403	4,075,665	...	4,075,665
Scoured and Washed ...	Feb. 1912	...	416,056	...	416,056
	" 1911	327	424,098	...	424,098
	2 mths. 1912	...	648,390	...	648,390
	" 1911	341	672,549	...	672,549
All other Articles ...	Feb. 1912	1,427,999	260,101	43,634	308,785
	" 1911	1,185,666	347,902	32,916	380,818
	2 mths. 1912	3,015,652	586,197	101,318	637,515
	" 1911	2,152,214	581,451	66,493	597,344
GRAND TOTALS ...	Feb. 1912	5,531,696	6,625,648	269,860	6,895,508
	" 1911	6,027,717	7,040,067	259,817	7,299,884
	2 mths. 1912	13,948,605	18,608,032	490,250	14,098,282
	" 1911	10,917,465	12,395,857	487,960	12,883,217

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
			Grossy.	Scoured.		

QUANTITY.

	lbs.	Tons.*	Bushels.	lbs.	lbs.	lbs.	
1901	31,536,277	96,814	20,260,058	385,191,184	66,368,855	54,175,093	...
1902	7,777,971	33,021	8,029,282	286,579,459	49,374,477	44,105,600	...
1903	30,901,910	6,007	1,172,898	268,419,710	61,148,320	85,758,121	...
1904	64,788,542	108,144	38,071,658	389,219,779	55,911,046	47,868,532	...
1905	55,904,151	151,219	24,648,182	380,420,424	50,775,423	86,858,344	...
1906	75,765,586	166,875	30,262,835	415,353,590	64,889,266	90,692,385	...
1907	66,076,915	163,437	28,784,130	512,756,895	72,318,065	109,227,757	...
1908	51,198,311	116,803	15,027,888	471,892,275	70,915,494	91,607,614	...
1909	56,644,925	129,969	31,549,498	529,026,213	76,082,419	116,915,639	...
1910	87,891,943	199,946	44,761,895	587,090,409	78,178,300	190,229,330	...
1911	101,730,176	177,209	54,970,289	579,197,761	71,780,640	129,569,295	...

* 2000 lbs. 60 lbs.

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	1,447,882	589,604	2,774,619	11,673,176	3,561,528	726,186	1,251,675
1902	372,241	266,675	1,402,888	9,595,482	3,117,531	549,422	1,948,139
1903	1,213,177	61,199	181,355	9,600,509	4,396,634	489,991	1,703,037
1904	2,460,661	792,722	5,240,590	13,139,941	3,975,393	657,361	1,335,066
1905	2,331,595	1,160,813	4,174,128	15,574,516	4,247,700	1,111,969	2,144,682
1906	3,338,394	1,216,806	4,918,798	17,547,037	5,098,732	1,095,120	2,752,607
1907	2,890,261	1,296,252	4,801,722	22,928,911	5,968,819	1,377,592	2,782,805
1908	2,386,548	1,034,391	3,089,591	18,027,330	4,885,730	1,219,107	2,195,053
1909	2,399,633	1,229,481	6,628,683	20,603,450	4,879,620	1,231,035	3,160,008
1910	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,038	5,338,089	2,161,513	5,949,644
1911	4,637,472	1,392,285	9,623,142	21,412,143	4,676,395	1,633,622	3,226,896

No. 15.—PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM EACH STATE TO VARIOUS COUNTRIES DURING THE TWO MONTHS ENDED 29th FEBRUARY, 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. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
United Kingdom ...	6,387,344	10,277,716	1,540,988	193,872	...	...	18,392,919	25,378,178
Canada ...	1,512	...	...	...	...	...	1,512	62,712
Ceylon ...	8,994	32,078	...	...	...	...	40,702	37,557
China ...	29,728	43,053	780	...	...	...	72,561	53,392
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	48,216	80,807	12,650	680	...	...	151,748	178,543
Other Islands ...	8,002	14,825	320	...	...	...	25,307	10,518
Egypt ...	...	30,400	12,320	...	...	...	43,120	56,500
Hong Kong ...	37,288	2,866	434	...	...	...	40,412	92,078
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	4,256	20,137	...	...	...	...	24,398	13,598
Hawaiian Islands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,016
New Caledonia ...	8,176	213	...	...	...	...	8,388	8,004
Other Islands ...	11,636	852	600	...	...	...	12,888	9,884
Japan ...	6,693	3,053	3,354	...	...	...	13,067	70,870
Papua ...	2,352	264	2,087	...	...	...	4,543	4,810
Philippine Islands ...	30,016	2,182	112,560	...	...	...	144,758	60,880
South African Union ...	5,600	12,968	...	...	...	...	18,568	302,631
Straits Settlements ...	75,807	41,851	14,440	...	...	...	131,894	111,132
Other Countries ...	60,796	12,062	488	...	...	...	74,146	28,591
Total two months, 1912	6,674,681	10,595,775	1,880,845	194,282	...	...	19,185,685	...
" 1911	8,578,946	10,502,450	5,855,363	574,226	...	...	...	26,511,606

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom ...	366,475	685,536	74,172	9,633	...	...	930,876	1,064,827
Canada ...	85	...	...	...	...	...	85	3,716
Ceylon ...	466	1,806	...	...	...	...	2,362	1,277
China ...	1,627	2,468	43	...	...	...	4,138	2,593
Dutch East Indies—								
Java ...	2,672	5,592	801	86	...	...	9,171	9,536
Other Islands ...	447	910	22	...	...	...	1,370	564
Egypt ...	...	1,412	685	...	...	...	2,105	2,431
Hong Kong ...	2,277	166	20	...	...	...	2,472	4,261
Islands of the Pacific—								
Fiji ...	243	1,072	...	...	...	...	1,315	710
Hawaiian Islands ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100
New Caledonia ...	465	18	...	...	...	...	478	380
Other Islands ...	679	42	42	...	...	...	756	458
Japan ...	382	192	197	...	...	...	761	3,174
Papua ...	134	17	133	...	...	...	294	284
Philippine Islands ...	1,838	146	6,170	...	...	...	7,963	9,806
South African Union ...	315	783	...	...	...	...	1,098	13,398
Straits Settlements ...	4,243	2,329	774	...	...	...	7,346	5,346
Other Countries ...	5,508	718	34	...	...	...	4,380	1,305
Total two months, 1912	375,739	503,152	87,119	9,759	...	...	975,799	...
" 1911	408,532	440,203	239,746	20,053	...	...	...	1,117,834

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.	Cental.
United Kingdom	50	21,715	...	14,353	3,372	...	39,500	45,792
Africa—Portuguese East	...	300	...	16,714	...	...	16,914	16,413
Ceylon	...	2,513	...	9,522	1,337	...	13,392	4,730
China	3,012	1,969	...	...	...	...	5,011	4,350
Cochin China	1,300	...	...	...	...	...	1,300	4,000
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes	4,707	2,703	40	845	...	...	7,845	1,679
Java	15,863	0,700	...	17,007	...	...	42,658	84,357
Sumatra	2,480	640	...	3,574	...	...	6,104	7,018
Other Islands	2,926	4,070	2	...	...	...	7,708	3,472
Hong Kong	5,585	...	...	...	...	...	5,585	2,344
India	30	3,253	...	...	...	...	3,283	476
Islands in the Pacific—								
Fiji	5,232	2,442	...	...	...	...	8,074	4,880
New Caledonia	12,116	2,300	...	...	...	...	14,316	12,200
New Hebrides	730	...	...	...	...	...	730	260
Other Islands	7,561	7	2	...	...	...	7,570	5,640
New Zealand	1,625	2,269	...	...	...	...	3,894	13,013
Papua	1,266	...	72	...	...	...	1,334	752
Philippine Islands	29,152	24,421	...	...	...	...	53,573	36,880
South African Union	...	25,660	...	42,315	...	...	67,975	98,116
Straits Settlements	14,935	17,100	...	6,103	6,125	...	44,353	60,044
Other Countries	1,438	6,540	40	850	2,200	...	11,097	10,776
Total two months 1912	110,204	128,021	156	111,061	13,034	...	383,306	...
.. .. 1911	100,750	232,755	1,018	75,064	11,246	...	...	420,632

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	25	0,162	...	5,510	1,313	...	16,019	18,923
Africa—Portuguese East	...	104	...	6,422	...	...	6,526	6,427
Ceylon	...	1,179	...	2,992	402	...	4,663	1,644
China	1,368	773	...	...	...	...	2,141	1,865
Cochin China	515	...	...	...	...	...	515	1,500
Dutch East Indies—								
Celebes	2,262	1,180	18	06	...	...	3,566	720
Java	6,815	4,181	...	6,331	...	...	17,527	20,156
Sumatra	1,145	285	...	1,547	...	...	2,977	3,441
Other Islands	1,323	2,271	1	...	...	...	3,565	1,116
Hong Kong	2,444	...	...	...	...	...	2,444	1,037
India	15	1,412	...	...	...	...	1,427	228
Islands in the Pacific—								
Fiji	2,141	1,078	...	...	...	...	3,217	2,120
New Caledonia	4,933	428	...	...	...	...	5,361	5,158
New Hebrides	408	...	...	...	...	...	408	127
Other Islands	3,215	3	2	...	...	...	3,220	9,119
New Zealand	677	864	...	...	...	...	1,541	6,140
Papua	537	...	42	...	...	...	570	391
Philippine Islands	12,533	9,080	...	...	...	...	22,513	15,933
South African Union	...	10,242	...	16,177	...	...	26,419	37,060
Straits Settlements	6,180	6,740	...	2,373	2,452	...	17,754	25,256
Other Countries	289	2,972	18	344	823	...	4,646	4,402
Total two months 1912	47,145	52,731	81	42,001	5,080	...	147,038	...
.. .. 1911	43,998	86,327	360	30,145	4,384	...	...	164,804

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	Cental. 1,773,122	Cental. 1,321,306	Cental. 2,338,086	Cental. 40,658	Cental. 6,382,209	Cental. 5,348,053		
Belgium	115,796	70,065	80,600		275,400	151,892		
Canary Islands		1,376,104			1,576,104	855,443		
France	11,345				11,345	30,384		
Germany	88,527				88,527			
Japan			25,308		25,308			
Peru			228,390		228,390	177,811		
Russia	138,518				138,518			
South African Union		66,092	33,161		100,253	190,757		
Other Countries	1,404	10,354			12,448	864		
Total two months, 1912	2,198,594	2,844,598	2,634,523	40,658	7,657,354			
" " 1911	1,963,940	3,189,065	2,472,005	658,931		8,300,831		

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 549,305	£ 428,769	£ 102,152	£ 15,862	£ 1,086,048	£ 1,011,006		
Belgium	35,219	24,131	27,591		80,941	44,160		
Canary Islands		423,125			423,125	220,116		
France	3,545				3,545	473,506		
Germany	30,238				30,238	7,061		
Japan			7,780		7,780			
Peru			73,337		73,337	54,938		
Russia	42,324				42,324			
South African Union		15,404	13,215		28,700	54,008		
Other Countries	476	3,400			3,976	254		
Total two months, 1912	681,107	101,019	814,124	15,862	2,302,112			
" " 1911	681,546	196,744	725,181	193,972		2,507,403		

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	lb. 11,753,260	lb. 28,474,759	lb. 1,746,412	lb. 4,782,330	lb. 5,911,136	lb. 3,363,332	lb. 54,251,238	lb. 47,600,361
Austria-Hungary	1,957,938						1,957,938	
Belgium	8,730,966	3,466,679	770,250	44,320	87,340	182,456	13,281,120	10,651,861
Canada		34,536					34,536	
France	16,071,674	11,730,814	863,647	155,354		720,591	29,544,630	21,572,025
Germany	15,163,030	8,654,375	1,537,181	153,144		407,071	25,900,010	10,031,396
Hong Kong	1,100						1,100	
India		277,156					277,156	336,303
Italy	58,036	150,623	163,475				372,154	1,380,031
Japan	2,023,617		94,151				3,018,570	1,846,562
Netherlands		28,482					113,414	154,697
New Zealand	9,357	56,003					64,360	25,422
Russia	42,150						92,150	
United States	1,148,077	1,983,702	56,558			230,817	3,410,244	2,351,776
Total two months, 1912	57,620,892	54,861,419	5,353,285	3,124,728	5,908,376	5,308,549	136,087,320	
" " 1911	50,185,560	34,010,011	4,981,572	3,076,105	4,084,972	5,380,884		105,231,424

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCT) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 424,844	£ 1,338,489	£ 80,911	£ 103,450	£ 213,800	£ 145,035	£ 2,104,346	£ 1,025,506
Austria-Hungary	66,870					88,870		
Belgium	311,390	126,118	28,585	738	1,680	8,374	475,870	404,260
Canada		1,740				1,740		
France	581,118	390,547	26,617	6,001		28,570	967,851	741,190
Germany	579,207	292,324	64,125	4,564		14,701	928,011	740,466
Hong Kong	23						23	
India		10,730					10,730	14,500
Italy	2,107	1,906	5,190				12,193	48,348
Japan	125,734		4,130				130,783	78,010
Netherlands		821					5,610	4,880
New Zealand	411	2,206				4,780	2,617	1,188
Russia	4,338						4,338	
United States	53,834	99,818	2,600			10,537	166,870	116,814
Total two months, 1912	3,000,008	3,120,710	200,917	114,777	215,510	206,914	4,963,800	
" " 1911	1,922,095	1,307,503	170,709	106,345	192,676	217,347		4,075,665

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

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria	Queens- land.	South Aust. lbs.	Western Aust. lbs.	Tas- mania.	Commonwealth. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	lb. 3,000,008	lb. 1,274,631	lb. 639,630	lb. 605,949	lb. 8,910	lb. 2,596	lb. 5,530,333	lb. 5,502,454
Austria-Hungary	2,990						5,490	562
Belgium	882,132	170,230	206,881	2,470	748		1,212,510	1,156,700
France	1,336,602	622,858	100,167	434			2,140,151	1,619,106
Germany	1,779,808	654,573	253,450				1,687,837	1,514,610
India		9,235					9,235	
Italy	27,219	11,031	79,340				117,590	105,175
Japan	124,517						244,547	218,284
Netherlands							551	3,700
New Zealand							551	2,684
Russia	62,458						62,458	
United States		20,849					49,849	
Total two months, 1912	6,315,341	2,702,467	1,528,486	608,833	9,665	2,596	11,057,408	
" " 1911	5,692,977	2,440,377	1,904,838	707,111	27,303	568		10,823,064

* Includes 25,286 lbs. " Tops."

* Includes 5505 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. (Two months.)	
							1912.	1911.
United Kingdom	£ 161,440	£ 72,722	£ 47,803	£ 34,462	£ 396	£ 106	£ 318,910	£ 303,398
Austria-Hungary	177						177	37
Belgium	42,440	8,423	14,677	70			65,427	67,218
France	72,163	33,908	6,935	18	17		113,004	86,862
Germany	159,850	35,258	21,212				107,329	124,368
India		450					450	
Italy	1,861	962	5,100				8,013	6,265
Japan	120,964						25,964	24,108
Netherlands								98
New Zealand								210
Russia	5,333						5,333	
United States		2,374					2,374	
Total two months, 1912	361,137	154,057	97,337	34,550	403	106	648,300	
" " 1911	343,805	138,673	128,673	47,260	1,275	24		672,540

Includes £2,508 " Tops."

* Includes 4510 " Tops."

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No. 16.—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

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

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

Division.	February.		Two months of		Eight months of	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.	1911-12.	1910-11.
CUSTOMS.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages	198,096	190,504	418,748	377,489	1,770,006	1,656,562
2. Tobacco, & Manufactures thereof	126,821	97,068	241,788	192,002	856,917	827,185
3. Sugar	43,971	8,711	60,209	32,001	146,085	128,721
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries	77,416	68,532	160,264	128,800	640,711	605,075
5. Textiles, etc., and Attire	317,906	282,454	602,890	475,100	1,658,848	1,451,670
6. Metals and Machinery	144,780	123,461	346,604	219,180	1,071,197	829,476
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	22,705	20,006	54,250	39,002	198,538	168,786
8. Earthenware, etc.	31,016	20,878	66,188	53,050	254,077	228,484
9. Drugs and Chemicals	8,581	8,406	19,981	15,261	78,265	64,510
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane	38,239	50,328	90,780	90,263	344,277	311,825
11. Jewellery & Fancy Goods	17,750	17,670	41,848	38,604	227,541	191,901
12. Leather and Rubber	39,304	28,811	81,841	50,522	251,807	205,979
13. Paper and Stationery	16,707	17,847	37,506	31,508	162,067	137,945
14. Vehicles	36,889	16,380	70,647	27,289	189,954	110,911
15. Musical Instruments	18,456	6,622	30,407	15,179	108,435	71,886
16. Miscellaneous	22,638	20,008	52,883	39,080	225,085	183,268
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	4,085	872	8,656	5,439	25,540	22,283
Total Customs	1,159,874	982,248	2,366,656	1,825,791	8,194,558	7,185,857
EXCISE.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Beer	73,619	65,108	130,822	112,747	473,148	424,147
Spirits	25,870	21,089	52,905	43,920	232,513	201,465
Starch	...	...	...	...	...	509
Sugar	62,837	77,252	146,138	148,903	545,454	536,612
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff	67,656	56,680	128,809	100,283	546,085	476,612
Licences, etc.	215	171	1,912	2,017	8,093	8,905
Total Excise	230,197	210,300	459,487	407,870	1,805,230	1,647,650
Total Gross Customs and Excise Collections	1,390,071	1,192,548	2,826,143	2,233,661	9,999,788	8,833,507
Drawbacks and Repayments	32,730	31,008	58,120	46,376	187,212	181,388
TOTAL NET REVENUE	1,357,281	1,161,540	2,773,023	2,186,085	9,812,576	8,652,119

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, 1901-11.

AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total under Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1901-2	5,115,965	461,480	294,849	1,088,402	132,840	8,414,054
1907-8	5,388,911	642,815	299,579	1,812,579	144,768	9,858,902
1908-9	5,262,473	676,156	323,875	2,452,622	140,883	9,891,243
1909-10	6,586,286	698,448	364,586	2,228,020	142,961	10,972,299
1910-11	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,406	155,542	11,898,888
1911-12	7,380,499					

TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1901-2	38,661,619	9,789,854	7,084,786	2,024,606	1,367,802
1907-8	44,655,678	9,185,227	8,187,745	1,748,858	1,942,418
1908-9	62,590,096	16,248,867	8,655,279	3,137,374	1,578,075
1909-10	90,413,507	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,159,196	1,204,575
1910-11	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,321	2,000,758
1911-12*	71,802,158				

* Estimate.

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.*
1901-2	7.54	21.22	23.80	1.20	16.73
1907-8	8.29	14.29	27.16	0.96	18.63
1908-9	11.89	24.08	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	19.96

* Per acre of productive cane.

AREA UNDER WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.

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	1,892,070	1,754,417	87,232	1,748,452	94,710	44,084	---	5,115,965
1907-8	1,890,171	1,847,121	82,461	1,753,755	279,009	30,794	---	5,388,911
1908-9	1,894,056	1,779,905	80,898	1,698,501	285,011	29,102	---	5,262,473
1909-10	1,990,180	2,097,162	117,160	1,895,738	448,918	37,078	---	6,586,286
1910-11	2,128,826	2,398,089	106,718	2,104,717	581,862	52,242	2	7,372,456
1911-12	2,267,845	2,164,066	47,598	2,300,000	559,145	41,905	---	7,380,499

TOTAL YIELD OF WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.

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	8,012,702	956,888	968,662	...	39,561,619
1907-8	9,155,844	12,100,780	668,527	19,135,557	2,925,600	644,285	...	44,955,678
1908-9	15,485,276	23,845,049	1,202,799	19,397,672	2,460,828	700,777	...	62,690,990
1909-10	24,532,029	28,780,100	1,571,580	25,183,851	5,602,368	798,600	...	90,418,897
1910-11	27,913,547	34,813,019	1,022,878	24,844,740	5,897,540	1,120,744	20	95,111,988
1911-12*	23,872,000	20,891,877	981,224	20,680,640	5,149,889	826,528	...	71,892,158

* Estimate.

AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-11.

	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	18.12	14.87	11.45	8.63	24.08	...	11.89
1909-10	14.31	18.72	13.41	13.26	12.48	21.41	...	18.73
1910-11	13.11	14.52	9.68	11.67	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.90
1911-12	10.31	9.65	8.92	8.99	9.21	18.75	...	9.66

No. 18.—NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-10.

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

1901	41,867,889	10,973,265	10,130,971	5,912,216	2,625,855	1,792,481	49,324	72,040,211
1907	44,861,820	14,146,734	16,734,047	6,820,437	3,994,974	1,744,800	44,232	87,620,263
1908	45,570,797	12,545,742	18,234,851	6,884,151	4,097,224	1,728,028	54,048	87,043,396
1909	46,392,578	12,637,093	19,593,791	6,132,038	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,303	91,076,281
1910	45,560,000	12,892,765	20,331,838	6,207,477	5,168,516	1,788,310	57,340	92,047,016

CATTLE.

1901	2,017,451	1,623,292	3,774,707	225,255	398,547	169,601	255,521	8,101,428
1907	2,751,134	1,942,807	3,902,262	334,071	717,377	215,521	374,643	10,124,490
1908	2,550,034	1,574,162	4,221,930	310,376	741,799	215,827	497,562	10,517,670
1909	3,027,727	1,540,640	4,711,782	344,034	793,917	193,915	511,046	11,299,101
1910	3,160,377	1,547,560	5,131,600	384,862	825,040	201,251	513,383	11,744,714

HORSES.

1901	486,716	297,277	662,119	165,303	73,710	32,360	12,895	1,620,620
1907	579,125	424,618	488,181	399,030	113,330	40,352	17,883	1,971,711
1908	591,445	421,041	510,080	213,385	116,795	39,893	21,751	1,927,731
1909	691,784	412,920	555,613	230,405	125,315	40,492	23,479	2,022,917
1910	650,636	472,090	569,813	219,326	134,114	41,398	24,500	2,165,891

PIGS.

1901	265,730	314,205	121,911	89,946	61,052	59,710	180	691,300
1907	216,145	211,032	133,246	90,711	53,269	46,701	2,264	751,101
1908	215,622	179,328	124,719	78,454	46,652	47,043	2,711	695,699
1909	237,840	217,321	124,903	80,110	47,062	55,705	1,387	785,137
1910	321,632	333,291	152,212	96,396	57,628	63,715	506	1,025,890

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	313,819,384	86,796,834	72,405,110	44,364,864	15,301,648	10,270,100	267,732	543,131,891
1907	375,224,148	120,017,787	104,173,064	57,830,794	22,013,541	10,273,478	*	690,139,012
1908	344,050,707	103,000,156	115,283,309	52,040,731	22,430,624	13,659,735	*	642,134,398
1909	379,988,356	112,102,145	127,531,834	56,415,539	30,048,360	12,550,598	*	718,037,132
1910	...	...	...	...	...	...	*	702,866,466

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

No. 20.—PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-10.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
BUTTER.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	39,036,878	46,257,572	9,741,892	4,934,523	336,440	729,771	...	101,071,066
1907	60,041,420	63,746,354	22,789,158	5,510,340	436,520	847,660	...	156,330,670
1908	61,390,876	48,461,308	21,898,957	5,130,560	385,560	3,140,573	...	146,817,337
1909	62,863,608	55,166,555	24,592,711	8,489,168	414,453	2,701,757	...	154,473,292
1910	76,624,830	70,693,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	855,188	3,365,982	...	193,435,806

CHEESE.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	3,838,835	3,974,668	2,439,012	1,051,160	3,578	268,539	...	11,575,593
1907	4,386,657	4,307,430	2,684,588	1,385,700	980	327,839	...	13,383,563
1908	4,763,390	4,539,644	3,090,510	1,556,864	980	710,400	...	14,759,688
1909	4,775,369	5,025,854	3,662,467	1,578,379	1,570	731,250	...	15,774,737
1910	5,191,080	4,530,853	4,146,681	1,796,291	3,306	808,791	...	16,537,011

BACON AND HAMS.								
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1901	11,040,991	15,011,816	7,064,714	...	331,393	530,015	...	34,030,629
1907	10,358,526	17,545,730	10,015,006	2,311,004	330,419	270,504	...	40,719,181
1908	9,488,390	14,411,401	11,324,323	3,303,162	152,866	1,333,856	...	40,104,937
1909	9,931,377	13,630,185	9,228,317	3,348,050	130,623	1,526,115	...	37,774,967
1910	12,630,167	16,439,837	10,758,963	3,741,942	121,154	1,488,789	...	45,149,792

No. 21.—VALUE OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1901-10.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
GOLD.								
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	737,184	3,102,753	2,541,764	34,741	7,335,653	320,176	58,481	14,005,789
1907	1,090,730	2,954,617	1,978,638	20,540	7,210,740	277,607	21,028	13,515,109
1908	1,054,854	2,840,838	1,975,554	12,300	6,990,892	342,462	23,943	13,098,253
1909	890,546	3,778,056	1,035,178	30,301	6,775,274	180,201	24,148	12,604,509
1910	802,211	2,424,745	1,187,685	28,000	6,346,848	197,370	31,711	11,568,840
SILVER AND LEAD.								
	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1901	1,934,964	6,550	60,234	3,106	7,716	325,335	600	2,367,697
1907	4,200,129	4,355	187,870	11,740	36,674	573,960	2,008	5,094,460
1908	2,346,041	2,838	306,718	9,000	21,883	322,007	30	2,911,412
1909	1,839,099	2,310	167,636	671	19,977	308,880	...	2,324,164
1910	1,861,470	2,000	92,685	647	30,110	347,576	...	2,264,667

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	412,262	...	191,327	403,062	75,216	1,026,748	6,115	2,208,500
1907	527,771	2,336	1,028,170	603,077	203,376	603,696	15,031	3,530,382
1908	502,812	3,028	861,535	338,000	57,001	623,691	7,008	3,412,085
1909	424,737	14	853,176	339,597	164,644	608,039	3,742	2,732,999
1910	497,257	450	1,032,485	306,123	185,928	596,972	1,708	3,280,413

TIN.

1901	76,544	4,181	93,723	...	40,000	212,542	5,690	432,576
1907	203,305	10,511	406,796	...	166,130	501,484	41,293	1,500,787
1908	205,447	6,070	341,590	...	83,765	621,580	35,876	1,034,131
1909	211,020	7,067	244,027	...	65,080	418,165	32,741	779,898
1910	228,156	3,706	243,271	...	45,120	300,303	31,113	950,768

COAL.

1901	2,178,920	117,228	190,877	...	68,361	18,175	...	2,492,770
1907	2,622,410	70,706	222,135	...	55,168	23,550	...	3,202,074
1908	3,353,063	84,778	244,622	...	75,004	24,427	...	3,762,914
1909	2,618,906	70,945	270,726	...	60,065	26,464	...	3,083,000
1910	3,000,637	186,251	322,822	...	113,000	48,600	...	3,684,041

ALL MINERALS.

1907	10,392,119	3,086,812	4,131,603	814,220	7,634,066	2,250,658	61,866	28,301,348
1908	8,381,516	2,463,047	3,828,000	467,000	7,345,003	1,622,547	70,742	24,568,064
1909	7,406,340	2,000,624	3,656,198	416,300	7,080,052	1,540,222	61,736	25,018,162
1910	8,440,019	2,630,701	3,708,547	411,862	8,622,363	1,432,161	60,706	25,215,101

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

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Salaries and Wages Paid.	Value of Plant and Machinery.	Value of Materials Used.	Value added by Manufacture.	Value of Output.
1907	12,555	248,859	18,323,977	24,680,108	52,542,013*	84,515,168*	87,057,165*
1908	12,853	257,494	19,884,367	25,927,763	59,899,220*	87,262,405*	96,661,631*
1909	13,197	266,405	21,105,456	26,877,242	65,193,240	92,216,499	107,409,798
1910	13,822	286,831	23,874,959	28,950,700	72,722,642	98,048,082	120,770,674

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

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

Heading.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
No. of establishments	4,823	4,873	1,563	1,278	689	605	13,832
Hands employed	90,746	102,176	33,044	27,000	14,107	9,848	266,831
Wages paid	8,001,386	7,600,362	2,830,704	2,323,308	1,083,657	744,862	23,571,059
Value of lands & buildings	12,108,776	9,012,363	3,016,074	2,948,058	1,674,053	1,621,015	23,511,639
“ plant & machinery	11,578,620	7,601,085	4,631,619	2,252,718	1,861,632	1,621,156	28,550,700
“ materials used	31,416,570	21,941,255	6,476,810	6,615,255	1,800,950	1,392,775	72,742,644
“ fuel used	1,181,292	630,135	216,810	313,731	156,311	131,062	2,634,851
“ added	18,000,064	14,719,580	6,315,200	4,480,440	2,733,892	1,000,067	46,048,032
“ of output	40,615,943	36,660,854	16,762,000	11,184,035	4,333,617	2,368,762	120,770,674

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

	1907.	1908.	1909.	1910.
	£	£	£	£
Treating raw materials, product of agricultural and pastoral, etc., pursuits ...	1,326,439	1,488,232	1,820,172	1,847,283
Treating oils and fats ...	429,385	496,086	549,599	564,356
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ...	1,351,913	1,604,243	1,714,566	1,982,412
Working in wood ...	1,968,704	2,739,002	3,256,960	3,711,482
Metal works, machinery, etc. ...	8,119,659	7,990,872	9,125,941	10,642,588
Connected with food and drink, etc. ...	8,298,589	8,183,601	9,472,702	10,880,641
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ...	4,571,378	5,088,860	5,762,227	6,583,900
Books, paper, printing and engraving ...	2,968,837	3,224,090	3,581,457	3,868,698
Musical instruments, etc. ...	72,842	77,975	70,948	89,147
Arms and explosives ...	43,673	59,256	53,813	68,897
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 ...	788,924	832,352	944,785	1,105,002
Drugs, chemicals and by-products ...	648,718	736,664	822,866	970,663
Surgical and other scientific instruments ...	26,017	29,906	29,770	34,416
Jewellery, timepieces and platedware ...	233,018	265,795	281,422	310,943
Heat, light and power ...	1,997,279	2,464,365	2,646,611	2,945,695
Leatherware, n.e.l. ...	89,065	96,065	109,558	134,934
Minor wares, n.e.l. ...	260,123	293,613	302,883	369,754
	34,515,153*	37,262,405*	42,216,438	48,048,032

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

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

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy. Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry & Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing. (a)	Total.
	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.	£1000.
1906 ...	25,349	45,389	13,611	4,879	26,622	(b)	(b)
1907 ...	30,500	50,660	15,584	4,826	28,301	(b)	(b)
1908 ...	37,150	47,250	15,045	4,286	24,580	36,637	164,967
1909 ...	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,039	40,018	174,503
1910 ...	39,752	56,993	17,367	4,789	23,215	45,598	187,734

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

(b) Full particulars not available.

Section IV.—Finance.

No. 26.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.
RECEIPTS.

Source of Revenue.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1911-12. Treasurer's Estimate	July to December.	
						1910-11.	1911-12.
Customs	7,000,000	8,025,521	9,505,855	10,507,070	11,164,000	5,309,710	5,873,532
Excise	1,224,310	2,217,516	2,097,310	2,473,304	2,630,000	1,280,324	1,345,194
Land Tax	...	...	...	1,370,357	1,430,000	...	25,000
Post, Telegraph, & Telephone	2,372,801	3,009,405	3,731,741	3,005,181	3,490,000	1,024,525	1,875,453
Patents, Trade Marks, &c.	...	21,478	21,435	26,553	25,000	12,020	12,207
Defence	10,857	5,024	21,847	57,534	40,000	4,170	48,000
Northern Territory	...	...	40,646	108,863	210,000	154,312	22,004
Coinage	...	...	...	...	...	...	35,914
Other Receipts	19,148	70,700	102,835	102,400	108,000	15,450	...
Total Revenue...	11,206,085	14,350,705	15,540,000	18,808,873	19,715,000	8,540,220	9,121,253

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

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1911-12. Treasurer's Estimate	July to December.	
						1910-11.	1911-12.
GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S DEPT.	20,185	23,154	22,500	21,403	20,220	0,415	9,872
PARLIAMENT	122,700	104,312	210,461	200,678	181,341	82,500	27,275
DEPT. OF THE PRIME MINISTER	*	*	*	*	15,414	*	0,200
DEPT. OF THE TREASURY—							
Treasury	4,502	11,232	11,804	12,280	14,827	8,480	8,801
Land Tax Office	...	...	...	15,150	17,444	...	38,502
Invalid & Old Age Pensions Office	...	2,100	20,205	37,508	41,027	0,446	10,180
Old Age Pensions	...	...	1,407,330	1,868,648	2,100,000	170,754	303,374
Coinage	...	...	10,442	221	37,000	64	6,151
Other Expenditure	7,545	12,008	18,315	34,437	10,347	20,341	20,632
Total Dept. of Treasury...	12,137	25,430	1,578,757	1,908,102	2,204,245	1,013,101	393,128
ATTORNEY-GENERAL'S DEPT.							
High Court and Court of Conciliation, etc.	...	24,037	23,077	25,852	26,912	12,610	12,298
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	...	17,000	10,281	30,138	23,754	0,977	4,303
Other Expenditure	2,680	7,900	8,871	9,484	12,536	4,145	5,410
Total Attorney-General's Dept.	2,680	40,927	51,628	55,414	69,142	23,732	20,100
DEPT. OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS							
Administrative	7,718	11,321	13,437	13,858	14,230	6,000	6,090
High Commissioner's Office	...	3,650	6,750	21,108	17,455	8,554	8,319
Papua	30,000	22,100	28,548	30,610	34,000	12,001	12,500
Northern Territory	...	...	...	325,780	262,021	...	101,781
Port Augusta Railway	...	...	...	...	145,810	...	...
Mail Service to the Pacific	...	13,407	12,517	18,700	10,800	7,948	0,685
Advertising Resources of the Commonwealth	...	8,644	8,110	15,640	20,000	10,782	11,838
Miscellaneous	5,158	17,800	11,101	37,780	18,224	...	...
Additions, New Works, etc.	...	625	...	...	30,000	...	...
Total Dept. of External Affairs	32,870	77,076	70,870	453,502	503,810	45,025	151,273

* Included in Department of External Affairs and Treasury.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND (Continued).

Departments and Purposes.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-10.	1910-11.	1911-12. Treasurer's Estimate	July to December.	
	£	£	£	£	£	1910-12.	1911-12.
DEPT. OF DEFENCE—							
Central Administration ...	12,290	81,806	40,005	45,162	70,821	16,933	20,780
Universal Training—Adult ...	...	...	...	...	86,000	...	...
Royal Military College ...	...	...	...	11,665	81,000	...	10,588
Factories (Defence require- ments) working expenses ...	...	...	1,434	13,734	17,651	980	84,221
Naval Agreement ...	104,960	200,000	200,000	200,000	200,000	150,000	150,000
Naval Forces ...	46,246	50,251	63,164	66,291	288,971	24,554	84,616
Military Forces ...	566,317	625,800	853,532	950,674	1,294,762	280,733	516,032
Interest, etc., on transferred properties ...	...	...	...	...	150,628	...	...
Additions, New Works, etc., Fleet Unit ...	...	...	80,000	1,135,000	1,515,000	435,000	...
Other ...	58,531	101,020	277,961	475,700	965,940	110,740	180,384
Miscellaneous ...	58,115	33,412	38,315	40,400	64,428	46,770	33,307
Total Dept. of Defence ...	881,218	1,060,502	1,538,405	3,008,703	4,775,136	1,074,630	1,069,017
DEPT. OF TRADE & CUSTOMS—							
General Expenditure includ- ing Quarantine & Fisheries ...	222,353	320,000	345,365	360,851	385,100	187,988	177,146
Sugar Bounties ...	...	477,000	408,132	630,610	621,800	611,735	633,844
Iron Bounties ...	...	3,648	32,379	20,427	51,000	22,100	13,423
Shale Oil Bounties ...	...	...	...	1,473	0,400	...	700
Other Bounties ...	...	2,634	5,845	10,419	92,100	9,766	10,050
Interest on transferred prop- erties ...	...	...	...	...	46,283	...	...
Additions, New Works, etc., Fleet Unit ...	150	20,010	5,124	3,854	47,496	1,517	7,119
Total Dept. of Trade and Customs ...	262,503	825,490	791,085	1,036,634	1,122,628	709,106	742,430
POSTMASTER-GENERAL'S DEPT.							
General Expenditure ...	3,346,686	3,080,864	3,331,108	3,561,928	3,935,080	1,709,547	1,863,100
Interest, etc., on transferred properties ...	...	...	...	...	436,072	...	...
Additions, New Works, etc., Fleet Unit ...	37,146	541,400	555,557	783,613	1,531,214	256,807	379,130
Total Postmaster-General's Dept. ...	3,383,832	3,621,677	3,786,755	4,345,540	5,902,366	1,966,354	2,242,230
DEPT. OF HOME AFFAIRS—							
General Expenditure of Departments ...	8,920	74,972	82,342	76,387	103,256	33,347	35,964
Census (collection of, etc.) ...	...	...	...	96,327	10,000	2,150	44,742
Additions, New Works ...	...	20,386	2,526	45,924	150,635	2,338	161,817
Miscellaneous ...	17,748	36,254	10,310	8,027	8,380	342	2,490
Total Dept. of Home Affairs ...	26,008	131,612	95,187	227,663	362,280	38,176	145,013
Total Expenditure ...	3,733,218	5,087,870	5,155,666	11,326,641	15,451,425	5,050,148	1,890,640
Contribution to States ...	7,368,137	7,927,150	8,408,073	5,106,424	5,776,250	5,011,348	2,820,701
Total Disbursements ...	11,101,355	13,885,020	16,851,330	16,523,065	21,227,675	10,061,496	7,671,341

* Includes £406,787 paid in August, 1910.

† Federal Capital and sundry departments.

No. 27.—COMMONWEALTH REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, FEBRUARY, 1912 and 1911, AND EIGHT MONTHS ENDED 29th FEBRUARY, 1912 and 1911.

	February.		Total for Eight Months ended 29th February.	
	1912.	1911.	1912.	1911.
REVENUE—	£	£	£	£
Customs	1,132,150	950,135	7,991,891	7,008,013
Excise	229,983	210,290	1,804,247	1,647,137
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	332,433	304,156	2,537,881	...
Land Tax	1,987	...	28,351	2,502,118
Defence	1,461	515	51,670	5,115
Patents, Trade Marks, etc.	2,103	2,611	16,112	17,253
Quarantine	591	1,520	5,958	4,808
Coinage	14,438	...	136,582	186,079
Northern Territory	1,681	989	19,821	2,167
Other Receipts	3,006	2,936	44,346	18,403
Deduct Advances	...	...	...	-16,500
Total Revenue	1,719,836	1,473,152	12,636,854	11,380,698
EXPENDITURE—				
Ordinary Expenditure	529,101	550,247	6,222,232	6,406,396
Additions, New Works	192,876	205,921	1,547,060	1,392,394
Amount paid to State Treasurers	470,117	100	3,760,935	5,141,794
Total Expenditure	1,192,094	756,268	11,630,227	11,940,584

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

Denomination.	29th Dec., 1910.	29th Mar., 1911.	28th June, 1911.	27th Sept., 1911.	27th Dec., 1911.	27th Mar., 1912.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
£1	1,175,566	1,498,456	2,748,643	3,314,394	3,511,163	3,368,592
£5	952,040	1,178,065	2,308,130	2,801,440	3,263,445	3,235,360
£10	675,020	1,013,430	1,479,730	1,686,960	1,724,210	1,714,440
£20	177,500	300,500	445,220	420,120	397,740	392,780
£50	294,050	423,550	727,800	837,750	890,700	913,900
£100	115,300	134,300	281,700	341,300	369,100	439,400
Total	3,389,476	4,548,361	7,986,223	9,421,954	10,156,858	10,048,472
Gold reserve	1,140,344	1,525,005	3,227,247	4,678,018	4,949,422	4,841,536
Percent. of reserve	33.65	33.53	40.41	49.65	48.73	48.18

No. 29.—OLD AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 30/6/11.					Number per 10,000 of Population.		Average Fort-nightly Pension as at 30/6/11.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment as at 30/6/11.	
	Old-age.		Invalid.		Total Old-age and Invalid.						
	Male.	Fem.	Male.	Fem.							
						Old-age.	Invalid.	Old-age.	Invalid.	Amnt.	Per head of Pop.
New South Wales	13,388	14,572	1,075	1,860	32,894	171	23.3	s. d.	s. d.	£	s. d.
Victoria	10,444	13,278	1,101	1,082	25,905	170	16.5	10 1	10 6	706,328	9 8
Queensland	5,037	4,807	262	210	10,306	102	8.0	10 3	10 7	519,628	9 9
South Australia	2,751	4,131	175	177	7,237	108	8.6	18 1	10 5	257,323	8 4
Western Australia	1,534	1,442	109	73	3,156	103	6.2	18 10	10 2	173,660	8 4
Tasmania	1,437	2,428	104	297	4,236	304	21.3	18 7	10 4	103,584	11 0
Total	34,811	40,691	3,863	3,618	82,953	168	16.6	10 0	10 6	2,034,364	9 2

State Finance.

No. 30.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS OF STATES.

REVENUE, 1909-10.

Sources of Revenue.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation ...	1,221,721	1,088,353	594,907	481,003	336,396	304,300	4,017,680
Railways and Tramways ...	6,964,236	4,470,792	2,118,623	1,831,003	1,640,307	282,385	17,197,336
Land—Sales ...	914,164	227,088	222,566	225,894	194,873	61,575	1,876,152
Rentals ...	785,570	126,188	533,834	151,447	122,685	38,709	1,738,439
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	3,347,616	1,922,278	1,071,261	801,657	703,728	239,816	8,067,751
All other Sources ...	1,574,962	783,303	387,073	339,507	650,594	83,077	4,010,414
Total Revenue ...	14,840,073	8,697,922	5,110,234	4,032,901	3,657,670	1,006,932	36,956,812
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
per head ...	9 0 2	8 14 8	8 17 2	10 3 5	13 15 4	5 4 6	8 10 11

1910-11.

Taxation ...	1,027,519	1,344,573	687,108	545,986	327,246	284,065	4,106,485
Railways and Tramways ...	7,414,137	4,897,740	2,706,886	2,039,781	1,858,014	276,942	19,179,312
Land—Sales ...	1,028,531	219,780	217,010	340,731	353,061	60,804	2,141,005
Rentals ...	810,380	138,129	588,007	133,080	130,552	37,132	1,846,065
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	1,942,245	1,617,572	688,053	510,373	569,577	228,118	5,555,948
All other Sources ...	1,618,331	906,880	452,755	617,541	703,389	82,041	4,470,137
Total Revenue ...	13,830,133	9,204,503	5,320,006	4,161,472	3,990,430	970,092	37,365,663
	£ 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 ...	1,064,000	1,430,150	688,000	569,434	337,000	319,768	5,306,352
Railways and Tramways ...	7,757,000	5,158,950	3,048,000	2,060,000	1,950,000	300,000	20,273,950
Land—Sales ...	2,050,553	1,621,112	754,888	510,000	568,750	284,492	5,543,785
Commonwealth Subsidy ...	3,550,000	1,537,788	1,262,700	1,178,108	1,381,331	306,843	9,236,900
All other Sources ...							
Total Revenue ...	15,421,553	9,748,000	5,773,588	4,311,542	4,037,083	1,065,103	40,360,967

* Railways only.

EXPENDITURE, 1909-10.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ...	3,562,021	2,154,547	1,635,270	1,687,732	1,006,306	422,030	10,448,806
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction) ...	4,292,070	2,788,646	1,412,105	1,082,593	1,112,007	211,677	10,890,098
All other Expenditure ...	5,184,029	3,636,787	2,065,203	1,446,258	1,320,410	392,714	14,035,440
	(a)						
Total Expenditure ...	13,038,120	8,579,980	5,112,578	4,106,493	3,447,723	1,026,421	35,373,254
	£ 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 19 6	5 3 3	8 3 8

(a) Exclusive of £11,177 transferred to Public Works Fund, and £235,000 in aid of Closer Settlement Fund. (b) Railways only.

EXPENDITURE, 1910-11.

Heads of Expenditure.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt	3,690,018	2,210,096	1,660,772	1,343,355	1,046,236	435,335	10,385,712
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction)	4,814,901	3,161,631	51,500,004	1,277,192	1,237,680	215,530	12,137,748
All other Expenditure	5,312,629	3,043,730	2,002,071	1,560,035	1,440,592	396,038	14,716,955
Total Expenditure	13,817,538	9,114,157	5,314,737	4,181,492	3,724,448	1,046,903	37,249,315
per head	£ s. d. 9 8 0	£ s. d. 7 1 3	£ s. d. 8 17 5	£ s. d. 10 3 11	£ s. d. 13 0 9	£ s. d. 5 4 11	£ s. d. 8 8 5

(a) Exclusive of £200,433 transferred to Public Works Fund. (b) Railways only.

1911-12 (TREASURERS' ESTIMATES).

Interest and Charges on Public Debt	3,738,950	2,318,987	1,763,400	...	1,078,840	474,000	...
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of construction)	5,128,051	3,106,453	1,791,718	...	1,630,250	230,107	...
All other Expenditure	6,030,963	4,202,081	2,213,515	...	1,696,135	424,094	...
Total Expenditure	15,297,964	9,718,421	5,768,633	4,311,542	4,404,734	1,068,197	40,815,148

(a) Interest only.

No. 31.—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	2,547,672	1,530,391	1,095,451	550,481	717,748	81,091	6,861,430
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage	770,819	311,700	2,780	224,312	113,450	...	1,381,070
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights	234,213	...	...	145,185	171,000	...	743,918
Roads and Bridges	...	103	...	...	52,235	...	...
Land Purchased for Settlement	330,000	165,000	...	438,000	...	3,441	1,748,354
Public Buildings, including State schools	65,564	...	365,773	15,904	52,910	30,044	502,005
All other purposes	Cr. 6,510	158,008	220,307	153,305	346,264	43,192	904,346
Total	3,921,558	2,657,271	1,995,301	1,967,410	1,847,367	300,216	11,926,123
Loans Expenditure per head	£ s. d. 2 7 0	£ s. d. 2 0 10	£ s. d. 3 6 7	£ s. d. 3 16 5	£ s. d. 5 7 3	£ s. d. 1 11 0	£ s. d. 2 13 11

AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1911.

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Railways and Tramways	59,507	41,577	27,382	15,235	12,079	4,433	159,033
Telegraphs and Telephones	1,702	...	107	102	...	142	4,162
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage	14,070	10,308	362	6,108	3,435	...	34,762
Harbours, Rivers, & Lights	11,349	611	2,447	4,710	2,718	...	27,532
Roads and Bridges	1,702	176	124	1,935	251	3,629	...
Defence	1,494	149	363	292	...	128	2,300
Public Buildings, including State schools	4,454	1,912	1,502	1,130	512	650	10,460
All other purposes	1,460	4,073	7,300	4,596	2,732	1,541	22,461
Total	95,270	59,776	41,177	31,948	21,006	10,823	290,900

(a) Including Post Offices.

No. 32.—PUBLIC DEBT.
PUBLIC DEBT OF EACH STATE, 1910-1911.

Year ended June 30.	N. S. W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	C'wealth.
1901 ...	£ 67,901,216	£ 50,071,275	£ 38,118,514	£ 26,499,065	£ 12,700,430	£ 8,511,005	£ 923,518,275
1907 ...	85,807,832	51,104,980	41,764,467	30,220,718	13,222,638	9,023,083	240,110,727
1908 ...	87,825,826	51,635,487	42,384,467	20,095,898	20,493,618	10,180,233	243,835,180
1909 ...	91,307,110	54,067,197	44,276,067	21,436,185	21,051,753	10,174,514	251,773,531
1910 ...	92,525,085	55,276,725	44,276,067	21,287,630	21,297,464	10,670,453	257,023,693
1911 ...	95,523,026	57,383,761	44,613,197	21,224,653	23,703,353	11,077,793	267,127,363

PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30TH JUNE, 1911.

Particulars.	New Sth. Wales.	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Floats in London ...	65,555,005	37,417,125	37,403,347	20,340,398	20,114,053	8,230,250	180,067,071
Floats in Australia ...	20,068,321	20,566,636	7,207,850	13,884,285	3,560,000	2,447,840	78,099,032
Total Gross Debt ...	85,523,026	57,983,761	44,613,197	34,224,653	23,703,353	11,077,793	267,127,363
Sinking Funds ...	501,021	1,017,869	...	616,354	2,898,035	114,601	5,412,379
Total Net Debt ...	85,019,005	56,965,892	44,613,197	33,608,297	20,815,318	10,963,192	261,684,001
Total Net Debt per head	£ s. d. 57 0 6	£ s. d. 12 18 6	£ s. d. 72 5 8	£ s. d. 84 18 1	£ s. d. 72 0 5	£ s. d. 50 9 11	£ s. d. 56 6 3

No. 33.—BANKS OF ISSUE.
LIABILITIES OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1911.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to Other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	3,310,690	525,158	370,072	37,457,000	54,021,188	91,478,148	95,793,540
1907 ...	3,381,181	801,378	44,461	46,781,334	65,016,735	111,798,069	117,507,498
1908 ...	3,586,227	707,303	70,447	46,015,118	67,679,040	113,694,398	118,731,085
1909 ...	3,510,020	720,851	55,806	46,812,632	70,045,021	117,258,255	122,545,518
1910 ...	3,749,692	821,758	50,115	55,233,602	74,557,274	129,801,136	135,031,409
1911 ...	3,715,438	928,663	74,188	62,220,807	81,220,013	143,440,910	148,835,210
30th Sept. 1911 ...	1,670,748	931,784	180,628	62,152,329	81,072,101	143,224,520	147,483,080

ASSETS OF BANKS OF ISSUE, 1901-1911.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Land and Other Property.	Notes and Bills of Other Banks.	Balances due from Other Banks.	All Other Debts due to the Bank.	Total Assets.
	(a)	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ...	18,581,224	1,100,204	...	6,145,742	605,076	1,216,701	13,710,166	131,617,813
1907 ...	22,420,305	1,291,633	...	5,028,370	840,217	1,170,236	14,000,435	125,740,735
1908 ...	23,578,263	1,353,267	...	4,638,212	840,777	1,131,512	10,467,044b	133,637,805
1909 ...	24,948,090	1,353,533	...	4,352,471	922,354	1,153,611	10,461,421c	131,717,700
1910 ...	26,836,729	1,322,876	...	4,919,961	973,161	1,313,979	10,371,817d	138,558,265
1911 ...	32,330,705	1,344,065	3,137,158	4,937,137	1,270,714	1,508,067	113,041,547e	180,565,443
Sept. 30, 1911 ...	21,117,297	1,392,065	6,080,101	4,954,075	973,072	1,572,450	117,451,850	183,368,679

a Including gold and silver bullion in Tasmanian banks prior to 1908. b Including £3,454,715 Government and municipal securities. c Including £3,065,058 Government and municipal securities. d Including £3,531,830 Government and municipal securities. e Including £4,187,717 Government and municipal securities.

No. 24.—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	282,613	393,026	81,025	125,082	39,318	42,509	964,553
1907-8	421,928	511,581	100,324	*174,280	172,178	55,620	1,385,920
1908-9	435,029	532,425	105,627	*187,482	177,748	58,145	1,398,466
1909-10	460,251	560,515	114,720	*201,275	186,106	60,646	1,483,573
1910-11	498,658	598,424	127,219	*216,480	199,017	63,311	1,600,112

AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1900-1	10,301,392	9,662,006	3,896,170	3,795,631	1,618,369	1,000,097	30,882,645
1907-8	17,680,157	13,428,676	4,921,881	5,820,344	2,885,463	1,560,151	46,147,472
1908-9	18,805,082	14,101,710	5,158,219	6,347,271	3,059,738	1,605,919	49,077,039
1909-10	20,160,574	15,417,888	5,622,046	6,791,320	3,481,764	1,652,966	53,117,498
1910-11	22,153,984	17,274,123	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,004,504	1,760,000	59,808,682

AVERAGE PER DEPOSITOR.

	£ 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 3 3	23 11 9	32 0 1
1907-8	41 10 11	26 5 0	49 1 2	33 7 11	39 19 6	28 1 4	34 10 10
1908-9	43 11 2	26 9 9	48 7 6	33 17 1	39 7 1	27 12 5	35 4 1
1909-10	43 15 8	27 10 1	49 0 1	33 11 10	40 8 2	27 5 1	35 16 1
1910-11	45 0 7	29 0 3	50 2 6	34 7 0	41 6 7	27 16 0	37 2 4

AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

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

Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks:—1908, 2011; 1909, 1907; 1910, 6961; 1911, 8336.

1906, 2645; 1907, 6300; 1910, 6781; 1911, 5778.

Section V.—Railways.

No. 35.—PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

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

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

Government.	1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Commonwealth ...	2,846 (880)	3,473 (81)	3,473 (271)	3,623 (235)	3,643 (266)	(b) 1454 (—)
New South Wales ...	3,337 (a)	3,306 (a)	3,308 (17)	3,410 (17)	3,401 (51)	3,781 (266)
Victoria ...	2,801 (146)	3,137 (103)	3,320 (350)	3,408 (367)	3,661 (341)	3,593 (51)
Queensland ...	1,841 (a)	1,977 (35)	2,025 (48)	2,024 (52)	2,004 (56)	3,498 (520)
South Australia ...	1,355 (620)	1,764 (684)	1,943 (688)	2,044 (680)	2,145 (680)	1,385 (59)
Western Australia ...	158 (143)	183 (156)	403 (204)	463 (204)	480 (204)	2,378 (632)
Tasmania ...	—	—	—	—	—	470 (203)
Government ...	12,578 (a)	14,100 (a)	14,058 (1,535)	15,072 (1,580)	15,407 (1,353)	16,078 (1,031)
Private—	—	—	—	—	—	—
For general traffic	(a)	(a)	116	943	106	1,000
“ private “	(a)	(a)	131	137	1,010	855
Total ...	—	—	16,213	16,062	17,432	18,013

(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	— 0	1,173	— 13
New South Wales ...	5,042,205	3,031,061	2,351,144	2 9	60,972	4.61
Victoria ...	4,896,210	3,000,604	1,796,706	2 9	44,122	4.07
Queensland ...	2,780,490	1,668,119	1,107,311	2 6	28,809	4.51
South Australia ...	2,045,136	1,356,689	789,547	2 8	14,589	5.41
Western Australia ...	1,844,419	1,216,477	627,942	2 6	12,020	5.22
Tasmania ...	277,916	215,630	62,386	1 2	4,080	1.53
Total ...	17,817,843	11,054,383	6,793,460	2 8	152,855	4.44

— Denotes loss.

AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

	1901-4.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-11.
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	1454
New South Wales ...	2,818	3,424	3,409	3,560	3,625	3,718
Victoria ...	3,228	3,395	3,396	3,397	3,441	3,505
Queensland ...	2,801	3,137	3,239	3,414	3,533	3,706
South Australia ...	1,842	1,960	2,006	2,027	2,089	1,915
Western Australia ...	1,355	1,676	1,830	1,971	2,102	2,286
Tasmania ...	160	470	470	470	474	478
Total ...	12,544	14,066	14,410	14,869	15,214	15,837

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PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

	1900-1.	1901-2.	1902-3.	1903-4.	1904-5.	1910-1.
TRAIN MILES RUN—THOUSANDS.						
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	90
New South Wales ...	10,764	12,949	14,251	15,074	15,408	17,007
Victoria ...	11,066	10,036	10,383	11,291	11,700	12,973
Queensland ...	5,815	5,126	5,558	7,301	8,157	9,867
South Australia ...	4,423	4,365	5,041	4,956	5,451	5,946
Western Australia ...	1,126	4,181	3,954	4,102	4,998	4,963
Tasmania ...	896	981	1,029	1,020	1,060	1,041
Total ...	87,090	98,638	111,226	118,848	126,240	141,327

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	12
New South Wales ...	3,574	4,709	4,944	5,028	5,486	6,042
Victoria ...	3,338	4,013	3,873	4,178	4,444	4,896
Queensland ...	1,917	1,830	1,951	2,103	2,338	2,731
South Australia ...	1,250	1,589	1,765	1,652	1,853	2,045
Western Australia ...	1,353	1,537	1,502	1,509	1,637	1,844
Tasmania ...	206	258	278	280	284	278
Total ...	11,038	13,936	14,303	14,760	16,042	17,848

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	13
New South Wales ...	2,043	2,500	2,715	2,953	3,276	3,691
Victoria ...	2,075	2,353	2,436	2,515	2,818	3,099
Queensland ...	1,058	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	9,899	11,054

	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000	£1000
Commonwealth ...	...	...	...	...	...	—1
New South Wales ...	1,531	2,210	2,329	2,076	2,300	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	62
Total ...	3,889	5,968	5,906	5,924	6,143	6,793

RAILWAYS.

PARTICULARS OF WORKING (Continued).

		1900-1.	1906-7.	1907-8.	1908-9.	1909-10.	1910-1.
NET EARNINGS PER CENT. TO CAPITAL COST.							
Commonwealth ...	...	£	£	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	...	3.93	4.94	4.88	4.36	4.52	-0.13
Victoria	...	3.14	4.00	3.43	3.91	3.77	4.61
Queensland	...	1.31	4.20	3.97	3.74	3.80	4.07
South Australia ...	...	3.58	4.91	5.28	4.70	5.12	4.51
Western Australia	...	4.35	3.90	4.60	4.85	4.76	5.41
Tasmania	...	0.85	1.84	1.91	1.90	1.79	5.22
							1.53
Total	...	3.15	4.30	4.23	4.13	4.18	4.44