BLUE PEAS

SUMMARY FOR AUSTRALIA AS AT 8TH NOVEMBER, 1943.

State	Estimated Production	Total Receivals to date	Estimated Seed Requirements (a)	Expected Balance Available to meet Orders Other than Seed	Authority for whom orders have been placed	Quantity Ordered	Quantity Delivered
	bushels	bushels	bushels	bushels		bushels	bushels
New South Wales ..	6,000	6,498	4,689	1,810	Military ..	314,021	274,566
Victoria ..	42,000	41,614	11,931	28,683	Mercantile Marine ..	3,927	1,473
Queensland ..	200	108	433	-	Canners ..	41,250	40,794
South Australia ..	7,000	6,764	5,290	1,474	Munitions Canteens ..	1,143	1,143
Western Australia..	1,400	1,342	1,335	7	Special Civilian Supplies	34,961	10,049
Tasmania ..	356,000	355,777	40,800	314,977	Seed ..	42,712	42,712
TOTAL:	413,200	412,184	64,478	(b) 347,686	TOTAL:	438,014	370,737

(a) Preliminary Estimate. (b) Excludes 23,053 bushels delivered in 1942, and repurchased from the Navy.

NOTE: Stocks held on 11th September, 1943, including 23,053 bushels repurchased, were 64,480 bushels.

Commonwealth Bureau of Census and Statistics.

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