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QUARTERLY STATISTICAL ABSTRACT,
TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

COMPILED FROM OFFICIAL RETURNS IN THE OFFICE OF THE
GOVERNMENT STATIST.

QUARTERLY STATISTICAL ABSTRACT, 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Population.—The estimated population on the 30th June, 1907, was 1,246,644—624,949 males, 621,695 females; on the 30th September, 1907, it was 1,250,796—626,931 males, 623,865 females—thus showing an increase of 4,152 persons. The natural increase during the quarter was 4,039, and the excess of immigration was 113. New South Wales gained from this State 867 persons, South Australia 191, and Queensland 273. Tasmania lost 379 persons, Western Australia 592, New Zealand 122, South Africa 181, and United Kingdom 215 to this State.

Vital Statistics of the State.—Compared with the previous quarter, the marriages decreased by 463 in the quarter under review; the deaths increased by 620, and the births by 46, which gave a decrease in the excess of births over deaths of 574. Of the total number of deaths, (4,011), 317 were due to phthisis and 61 to other tubercular diseases; 257 to cancer; 10 to typhoid fever; and 35 to diphtheria.

Vital Statistics of Melbourne, &c.—The births during the quarter numbered 3,215. This includes 31 cases of twins and 271 illegitimate births. The deaths numbered 1,900, and the excess of births over deaths was 1,315. The deaths from diphtheria numbered 21, from typhoid fever 9, and from tubercular diseases 217, as against 13, 5, and 202 respectively in the corresponding quarter of the previous year. The total deaths in Melbourne were 1,900, of whom 232 were under twelve months of age. In Ballarat of 206 deaths, 15 were of infants; in Bendigo 206 and 30; and in Geelong 119 and 13 respectively. In Melbourne and Suburbs the deaths of infants under 1 year of age were 7·2 per cent. of the births—a rate higher than that of the whole State for the same period, viz., 6·3. In the four towns mentioned there were 956 deaths of people aged 65 years and upwards—or 39 per cent. of the total.

State Revenue and Expenditure.—The total revenue for the quarter was £2,000,070, an increase of £109,707 on the corresponding quarter of the previous year—the principal sources being Railways £851,195, Probate Duty £58,929, Stamp Duty £56,087, and Balance of Commonwealth Revenue £726,747. The total expenditure was £2,078,029, a decrease of £40,556 on that of the corresponding quarter of 1906.

Commonwealth Revenue and Expenditure in Account with the State of Victoria.—The total Commonwealth Revenue credited to this State (from returns of later date than those published for Victoria) was £1,107,800, as against £1,000,358 in the corresponding period of 1906, being an increase of £107,442 for the quarter under review. The principal sources were import duties on Stimulants and Narcotics, £284,960; Sugar, £6,392; Apparel and Textiles, £204,839; Agricultural Products and Groceries, £40,423; Metals and Machinery, £46,583. From Excise, Spirits yielded £26,391; Beer, £40,071; Tobacco, £49,508. The total expenditure on transferred services was £256,523 (Defence, £68,646; Postmaster-General, £172,275; and Trade and Customs, £15,513), and “new” expenditure, £117,794—a total of £374,317, as against £310,481 in the corresponding quarter of 1906—an increase of £63,836.

Victorian Banking Returns.—On the 30th September the total liabilities of the banks were £39,043,429, and the assets £42,791,220, as against £37,883,684 and £40,689,595 on the 30th September, 1906. The reserves amounted to £5,152,929; paid-up capital to £13,441,231. The ratio of coin and bullion to liabilities was 19·97 per cent.

Savings Banks.—On the 30th September the amount at credit of the 498,078 depositors was £12,824,821. During the quarter 23,883 accounts were opened, and 17,123 were closed; the deposits made were £2,522,427, and the withdrawals £2,491,005.

Gold Yield.—The total yield of gold up to the end of September, 1907, is 69,747,764 ounces.

Imports and Exports.—The total value of imports into Victoria during the quarter under review was £7,441,211, of which £2,580,275 was Australian produce. The total exports during the same period were valued at £5,027,376, of which £2,872,702 were exported to Australian States, and the exports of Australian produce were £4,125,467.

Exports of Frozen, Preserved, and Perishable Products.—For the third quarter in 1907 the total value of these exports through Cool Stores was £341,477, of which £134,863 went to other States, £150,111 to the United Kingdom, £34,696 to South Africa, and £21,807 to Eastern and other ports. The principal exports were—Butter, valued at £188,918; Frozen Meat, £8,916; Milk and Cream, £29,995; Bacon and Hams, £19,845; Frozen Rabbits and Hares, £83,642; and Fruit, £3,208.

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ESTIMATED POPULATION OF VICTORIA ON 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Third Quarter, 1907.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	Estimated Population, 30th June, 1907	624,949	621,695	1,246,644
Births	4,102	3,948			
Deaths	2,231	1,780			
Natural Increase	...	...	1,871	2,168	4,039
Migration by Sea—			626,820	623,863	1,250,683
Arrivals as recorded	8,559	4,719			
Departures "	8,077	4,492			
Gain seawards	...	...	482	227	709
Migration by Land—			627,302	624,090	1,251,392
Arrivals (including allowance for unrecorded)	3,742	2,063			
Departures (including allowance for unrecorded)	4,113	2,288			
Loss by land	...	...	371	225	596
Estimated Population on 30th September, 1907 (exclusive of full-blooded aborigines)	...	...	626,931	623,865	1,250,796

MOVEMENTS OF POPULATION.

Immigration (as recorded).

Place of Departure.	Total for the Year.			Quarter ended in 1907.		
	1904.	1905.	1906.	31st March.	30th June.	30th September.
By Sea—						
New South Wales	13,842	15,092	17,301	5,450	4,323	3,398
Queensland	2,446	2,510	2,522	709	612	781
South Australia	2,361	2,808	3,140	1,131	770	581
Western Australia	7,882	8,936	10,159	3,043	2,142	1,784
Tasmania	19,742	24,310	26,150	10,567	6,317	4,627
New Zealand	3,502	3,655	4,088	2,097	1,383	868
South Seas	7	42	7	...	...	2
United Kingdom	2,337	2,437	2,606	547	460	590
South Africa	1,325	1,186	1,382	368	902	298
Other British Dominions	899	913	1,041	262	333	187
Foreign Ports	706	904	886	323	127	162
By Rail—						
New South Wales	13,848	14,467	16,259	4,534	3,957	4,011
Queensland	175	180	222	103	78	81
South Australia	4,346	4,267	4,423	1,285	1,113	1,185
Total	73,418	81,712	90,186	30,419	22,517	18,555

Emigration (as recorded).

Destination.	Total for the Year.			Quarter ended in 1907.		
	1904.	1905.	1906.	31st March.	30th June.	30th September.
By Sea—						
New South Wales	17,207	15,225	16,882	6,567	5,382	3,767
Queensland	2,053	2,232	2,730	861	1,217	1,078
South Australia	2,877	3,395	2,838	1,148	961	704
Western Australia	12,819	10,737	8,714	2,722	2,065	1,192
Tasmania	19,620	23,258	24,384	8,753	4,428	4,248
New Zealand	5,796	5,271	6,420	2,463	859	740
South Seas	27	7	7	...	...	1
United Kingdom	2,769	2,422	2,580	1,134	893	375
South Africa	1,125	1,068	878	247	147	117
Other British Dominions	984	949	1,103	201	275	223
Foreign Ports	554	840	812	370	277	118
By Rail—						
New South Wales	11,583	13,676	14,969	4,600	4,522	4,509
Queensland	131	176	247	69	91	57
South Australia	4,121	3,854	3,973	1,352	1,235	1,253
Total	81,666	83,110	86,537	30,517	22,352	18,388

EXCESS OF MIGRATION (AS RECORDED).
Excess of Immigration shown thus (+), of Emigration (-).

	Total for the Year.			Quarter ended in 1907—		
	1904.	1905.	1906.	31st March.	30th June.	30th Sept.
By Sea—						
New South Wales	- 3,365	- 133	+ 410	- 1,117	- 1,059	- 300
Queensland	+ 303	+ 278	- 208	- 152	- 605	- 207
South Australia	- 516	- 587	+ 302	- 17	- 191	- 123
Western Australia	- 4,937	- 1,801	+ 1,445	+ 321	+ 77	+ 592
Tasmania	+ 122	+ 1,052	+ 1,766	+ 1,814	+ 1,889	+ 379
New Zealand	- 2,294	- 1,616	- 2,332	- 366	+ 524	+ 122
South Seas	- 20	+ 35	..	..	..	+ 1
United Kingdom	- 432	+ 15	+ 26	- 587	- 433	+ 215
South Africa	+ 200	+ 118	+ 504	+ 121	+ 755	+ 181
Other British Dominions	- 85	- 31	- 62	+ 61	+ 58	- 36
Foreign Ports	+ 152	+ 64.	+ 74	- 47	- 150	+ 44
By Rail—						
New South Wales	+ 2,265	+ 791	+ 1,290	- 66	- 565	- 498
Queensland	+ 44	+ 4	- 25	+ 4	- 19	+ 24
South Australia	+ 225	+ 413	+ 450	- 67	- 122	- 68
Total	- 8,248	- 1,398	+ 3,649	- 98	+ 165	+ 167

VITAL STATISTICS.

	Year.			Quarter ended in 1907—		
	1904.	1905.	1906.	31st March.	30th June.	30th Sept.
Metropolitan District—						
Marriages	4,452	4,757	4,811	1,255	1,488	1,208
Births—Males	6,035	6,196	6,282	1,556	1,612	1,634
" Females	5,851	5,748	6,091	1,520	1,586	1,581
Deaths—Males	3,430	3,521	3,595	770	855	1,002
" Females	3,119	3,072	3,488	717	780	898
Other Urban Districts—						
Marriages	1,846	2,011	2,019	400	617	510
Births—Males	3,226	3,317	3,489	772	901	933
" Females	3,015	3,177	3,308	740	820	890
Deaths—Males	2,314	2,378	2,379	503	496	606
" Females	1,530	1,648	1,631	374	371	394
Rural Districts—						
Marriages	1,912	2,006	2,100	485	621	545
Births—Males	6,052	6,010	5,945	1,416	1,578	1,535
" Females	5,584	5,659	5,729	1,330	1,507	1,477
Deaths—Males	2,239	2,374	2,368	515	497	623
" Females	1,746	1,683	1,776	406	392	488
Total State—						
Marriages	8,210	8,774	8,930	2,200	2,726	2,263
Births—Males	15,313	15,523	15,716	3,744	4,091	4,102
" Females	14,450	14,584	15,128	3,590	3,913	3,948
Deaths—Males	7,992	8,273	8,342	1,788	1,848	2,231
" Females	6,401	6,403	6,895	1,497	1,543	1,780
Excess of Births over Deaths	15,370	15,431	15,607	4,049	4,613	4,039

DEATHS FROM CERTAIN DISEASES.

Causes of Death.	NUMBER OF DEATHS.					
	Year.			Quarter ended in 1907—		
	1904.	1905.	1906.	31st March.	30th June.	30th Sept.
Metropolitan District—						
Typhoid Fever	71	41	46	15	16	9
Diphtheria	70	43	32	3	12	21
Measles .. .. .	..	46	2	..	1	11
Phthisis	681	626	601	148	144	169
Other Tubercular Diseases	221	201	202	34	43	48
Cancer	424	482	509	110	129	130
Other Urban Districts—						
Typhoid Fever	73	51	63	10	13	1
Diphtheria	46	13	11	3	5	8
Measles .. .. .	..	18	1	..	..	7
Phthisis	375	330	341	73	83	70
Other Tubercular Diseases	92	69	62	11	10	6
Cancer	242	248	192	61	72	66
Rural Districts—						
Typhoid Fever	46	29	53	6	4	..
Diphtheria	74	24	7	2	3	6
Measles .. .. .	..	15	4	..	..	1
Phthisis	286	279	271	48	61	78
Other Tubercular Diseases	63	72	71	10	7	7
Cancer	227	223	225	43	59	61
Total State—						
Typhoid Fever	190	121	162	31	33	10
Diphtheria	190	80	50	8	20	35
Measles .. .. .	..	79	7	..	1	19
Phthisis	1,342	1,235	1,213	269	288	317
Other Tubercular Diseases	376	342	337	55	60	61
Cancer	893	953	926	214	260	257

POPULATION, 31st DECEMBER, 1906; AND BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN GREATER MELBOURNE, QUARTER ENDED 30th SEPTEMBER, 1906.

Sub-districts.	Municipal Estimates of Population, 31st December, 1906.	Births.					Deaths.			Excess of Births over Deaths.
		Including Twins and Illegitimate Children.			Cases of Twins.	Illegitimate Children.	Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.	
		Both Sexes.	Males.	Females.						
Melbourne City—Bourke Ward	13,140	52	34	18	1	3	32	16	16	20
" Gipps Ward	7,300	13	7	6	..	1	27	19	8	-14
" Lonsdale Ward	2,560	5	4	1	..	..	5	4	1	..
" La Trobe Ward	3,550	3	3	..	..	..	3	1	2	..
" Albert Ward	7,910	25	14	11	..	2	31	17	14	-6
" Smith Ward	14,230	67	36	31	..	15	43	21	22	24
" Victoria Ward	21,220	140	69	71	2	19	51	22	29	89
" Hopetoun Ward	28,840	208	91	117	2	21	74	28	46	134
Fitzroy City	32,680	196	85	111	3	23	88	42	46	108
Collingwood City	34,330	203	112	91	4	9	101	47	54	102
Richmond City	38,480	215	118	97	2	6	85	37	48	130
Brunswick Town	26,150	184	91	93	1	9	62	35	27	122
Northcote Town	12,380	95	48	47	1	8	24	14	10	71
Prahran City	42,550	260	136	124	3	14	117	51	66	143
South Melbourne City	40,960	216	122	94	..	10	98	50	48	118
Port Melbourne Town	12,550	76	40	36	1	2	19	8	11	57
St. Kilda City	21,640	97	52	45	..	2	50	21	29	47
Brighton Town	10,900	45	20	25	..	2	29	14	15	16
Essendon Town	18,970	126	61	65	2	4	57	31	26	69
Hawthorn City	23,250	120	51	69	1	1	56	24	32	64
Kew Borough	8,850	55	26	29	1	..	29	15	14	26
Footscray City	18,780	140	78	62	2	6	39	19	20	101
Williamstown Town	13,790	76	38	38	..	1	31	17	14	45
Oakleigh Borough	1,520	14	11	3	..	2	3	1	2	11
Caulfield Town	11,120	43	22	21	1	1	28	16	12	15
Malvern Town	13,200	55	30	25	..	..	29	13	14	26
Camberwell Town	10,360	58	21	37	..	2	17	10	7	41
Preston Shire	4,120	28	15	13	..	..	9	6	3	19
Coburg Borough	7,670	45	25	20	..	4	17	12	5	28
Remainder of District	16,760	77	31	46	2	2	36	23	13	41
Hospitals, Asylums, &c.	4,760	278	143	135	2	102	610	366	244	-332
Shipping in Hobson's Bay and River	1,730	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	526,400	3,215	1,634	1,581	31	271	1,900	1,002	898	1,315
Daily Average	..	34.04	17.76	17.18	.34	2.95	20.65	10.89	9.76	14.29

DEATHS FROM DIPHTHERIA, TYPHOID FEVER, AND TUBERCULAR DISEASES IN GREATER MELBOURNE IN EACH MONTH.

Month.	Deaths from Diphtheria.					Deaths from Typhoid Fever.					Deaths from Tubercular Diseases.				
	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	1907.
January	2	3	2	2	1	7	6	13	4	4	69	78	79	68	68
February	1	2	6	5	2	6	15	3	7	7	72	71	57	50	61
March	2	3	5	1	Nil	10	14	8	13	4	72	69	67	73	53
April	6	5	2	1	2	10	9	3	10	7	72	73	49	48	50
May	1	10	0	3	8	8	5	3	1	6	67	63	81	63	63
June	4	12	4	1	3	3	7	5	2	3	67	73	59	80	74
July	4	10	7	4	5	2	2	3	4	3	94	83	75	66	68
August	6	8	4	2	8	3	2	1	1	1	68	89	63	63	79
September	6	5	3	7	8	2	2	Nil	Nil	5	87	78	72	73	70
October	2	5	3	4	..	Nil	5	1	Nil	..	92	76	91	84	..
November	4	1	1	1	..	3	2	Nil	3	..	80	63	63	61	..
December	2	6	Nil	1	..	11	2	1	1	..	76	86	71	74	..
Total	40	70	43	32	..	65	71	41	46	..	916	902	827	803	..

THE BIRTHS AND DEATHS IN GREATER MELBOURNE, together with the Mean Temperature in the Shade, the Mean Atmospheric Pressure, the amount of Rainfall, and the number of days on which rain fell during the Quarter ended the 30th September, for each of the five years, 1903 to 1907, were as follow:—

Quarter ended 30th September—	Number of—		Mean Temperature.	Mean Height of Barometer.	Rain.	
	Births.	Deaths.			Number of—	
				Inches.	Inches.	Days.
1903	2,997	1,828	49.9	29.936	4.80	32
1904	3,095	1,789	49.3	30.014	6.11	37
1905	3,091	1,726	48.5	29.937	7.07	47
1906	3,219	1,892	50.3	29.957	6.91	31
1907	3,213	1,900	51.3	29.877	4.66	30

DEATHS FROM CERTAIN DISEASES IN GREATER MELBOURNE, during the Quarter ended the 30th September, for each of the five years, 1903 to 1907.

Quarter ended 30th September—	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Influenza.	Whooping Cough.	Diphtheria.	Typhoid Fever.	Hydatids.	Erysipelas.	Cancer.	Tubercular Diseases.		Child-bearing (includes Puerperal Fever)
										Phthisis.	Other Tubercular Diseases.	
1903	8	23	20	16	7	1	5	92	187	62	14	
1904	2	71	2	23	6	4	2	109	195	55	17	
1905	22	9	...	14	4	...	...	129	149	61	19
1906	1	23	71	13	5	5	4	105	146	56	19	
1907	11	39	4	21	9	7	1	130	169	48	20	

AGES AT DEATH, MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, BENDIGO, AND GEELONG, QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Age at Death.	Melbourne and Suburbs.		Ballarat and Suburbs.		Bendigo and Suburbs.		Geelong and Suburbs.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Under 1 year	131	101	11	4	20	10	5	8
1 and under 5 years ..	39	41	7	4	5	3	4	1
5 " 15 "	28	35	1	2	1	..	1	4
15 " 25 "	43	52	..	4	4	9	3	2
25 " 35 "	55	84	3	6	5	6	4	3
35 " 45 "	101	85	3	7	8	5	7	..
45 " 65 "	138	83	14	7	12	7	7	3
55 " 65 "	96	94	9	6	12	7	9	4
65 " 75 "	167	164	29	21	27	17	12	10
75 years and upwards ..	204	157	42	26	27	21	20	12
Age not stated .. ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	1,002	898	119	87	121	85	72	47

CAUSES OF DEATH, MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, BENDIGO, AND GEELONG, QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Causes of Death.	Melbourne and Suburbs.		Ballarat and Suburbs.		Bendigo and Suburbs.		Geelong and Suburbs.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
I. GENERAL DISEASES.								
Typhoid Fever	4	5	..	1	..	..	..	..
Measles	6	5	2	2	..	..	..	..
Whooping Cough .. ..	..	4	..	..	..	1	1	..
Diphtheria	13	8	3	..	..	..	1	..
Influenza	27	12	..	1	1	1	3	2
Erysipelas .. ..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Purulent Infection and Septicæmia ..	4	5	1	2	..	..	1	..
Tuberculosis of the Larynx	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuberculosis of the Lungs	86	83	7	4	14	8	6	3
Tuberculosis of the Meninges	5	11	..	..	1	..	..	..
Tuberculosis of the Peritoneum	2	4	..	..	..	1	..	..
Pott's Disease	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuberculosis of Other Organs	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
General Tuberculosis	9	9	..	..	..	..	..	..
Syphilis	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer, &c., of the Mouth	14	1	..	..	2	..	1	..
Cancer, &c., of the Stomach and Liver ..	19	21	4	4	..	5	1	2
Cancer, &c., of the Peritoneum, the Intestines, and the Rectum	6	6	..	..	1	..	..	1
Cancer, &c., of the Female Genital Organs ..	..	14	..	..	..	1	..	..
Cancer, &c., of the Breast .. ..	..	15	..	3	..	1	..	..
Cancer, &c., of the Skin	2	2	..	..	..	..	1	1
Cancer, &c., of other Organs	20	10	4	2	..	1	..	..
Other Tumors (Tumors of Female Genital Organs excepted)	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Acute Articular Rheumatism	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
Chronic Rheumatism and Gout	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..
Diabetes	11	9	..	1	..	1	..	..
Exophthalmic Goitre	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leucæmia .. ..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
Anæmia, Chlorosis	1	2	..	..	3	..	2	..

CAUSES OF DEATH, MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, BENDIGO, AND GEELONG—continued.

Causes of Death.	Melbourne and Suburbs.		Ballarat and Suburbs.		Bendigo and Suburbs.		Geelong and Suburbs.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
II. DISEASES OF THE NERVOUS SYSTEM AND OF THE ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.								
Encephalitis		1						
Simple Meningitis	12	11	2	4	2		1	
Progressive Locomotor Ataxia	2							
Other Diseases of the Spinal Cord	1	2			1			
Congestion and Hæmorrhage of the Brain	48	43	6	3	7	6	3	
Softening of the Brain	6	4	1					
Paralysis without indicated Cause	9	10	1	3	1	1		1
General Paralysis	3	3						
Other Forms of Mental Alienation	1							
Epilepsy		4		1	1		1	1
Eclampsia		1				1		
Convulsions of Children under five years	3	3						
Tetanus	1	1						
Chorea	1	1						
Other Diseases of the Nervous System	4	1			3	1	1	
Diseases of the Ear	1							
III. DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.								
Pericarditis	4	2				1		1
Acute Endocarditis	14	12			2		7	1
Organic Diseases of the Heart	91	84	17	9	11	8	1	8
Angina Pectoris	3	1						
Diseases of the Arteries, Atheroma, Aneurism, &c.	10	3						
Embolism and Thrombosis	5	6		1		2		
Hæmorrhage		2						
Diseases of the Veins (Varices, Varicose, Ulcer and Hæmorrhoids)	2	1						
IV. DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.								
Diseases of the Larynx	1	3						
Diseases of the Thyroid Body		2						
Acute Bronchitis	10	15	4	1	6	2		
Chronic Bronchitis	24	33	5	1	3	5	5	1
Broncho-pneumonia	46	39	5	4	3	2	2	2
Pneumonia	78	55	4	4	5	2	1	3
Pleurisy	4				1	1		
Congestion of the Lungs and Pulmonary Apoplexy	3	4	2	1		2		
Gangrene of the Lungs	2	1						
Asthma	3	2		2				
Pulmonary Emphysema	2	1					1	
Hydatids of Lung	1							
Other Diseases of Respiratory System (Consumption excepted)	3	1	3				1	
V. DISEASES OF THE DIGESTIVE ORGANS.								
Diseases of the Pharynx		2						
Diseases of the Æsophagus	1							
Ulcer of the Stomach	6		1					
Other Diseases of the Stomach (Cancer excepted)	1	3	1					
Diarrhoea and Enteritis (Children under two years)	10	21	1		3			1
Diarrhoea and Enteritis (over two years of age)	11	11			1			1
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction	6	8	2	3	4	2		
Other Diseases of the Intestines		1						
Hydatid Tumors of the Liver	2	1					1	
Hydatids of Stomach	1							
Hydatids of Spleen		1						
Hydatids (undefined)	1							
Cirrhosis of the Liver	11	6		1		1	1	
Biliary Calculi	3	5				1		
Other Diseases of the Liver	2				1			3
Diseases of Spleen	2							
Simple Peritonitis (non-puerperal)	2	3		1			1	
Other Diseases of Digestive System	2	1						
Appendicitis and Abscess of the Iliac Fossa	3	4		1	1	1		
VI. DISEASES OF THE GENITO-URINAL SYSTEM AND ADNEXA.								
Acute Nephritis	5	3			1		1	
Bright's Disease	74	63	1		7	3	7	4
Other Diseases of the Kidneys and their Adnexa	1	2		1	2			
Calculi of the Urinary System	1	1						
Diseases of the Bladder	11	1	2				2	
Other Diseases of the Urethra, Urinary Abscess, &c.	1							
Diseases of the Prostate	11		3		1			
Uterine Tumor (non-cancerous)		3						
Other Diseases of the Uterus		1		1				
Cysts and other Ovarian Tumors		1						
Other Diseases of the Female Genital Organs		2						

CAUSES OF DEATH, MELBOURNE, BALLARAT, BENDIGO, AND GEELONG—continued.

Causes of Death.	Melbourne and Suburbs.		Ballarat and Suburbs.		Bendigo and Suburbs.		Geelong and Suburbs.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
VII. PUERPERAL CONDITION.								
Accidents of Pregnancy .. .. .	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	..
Puerperal Hæmorrhage .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Accidents of Childbirth .. .. .	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Puerperal Septicæmia .. .. .	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	1
Puerperal Albuminuria and Eclampsia .. .. .	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..
VIII. DISEASES OF THE SKIN AND OF THE CELLULAR TISSUE.								
Gangrene	2	..	1	..	..	1	1	1
Carbuncle	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Phlegmon, Acute Abscess .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Diseases of the Skin and Adnexa	2	..	..	..	2	..	1	..
IX. DISEASES OF THE ORGANS OF LOCOMOTION.								
Non-tuberculous Diseases of the Bones	1	2	1	..	..	..	1	..
Arthritis and other Diseases of the Joints (Tuberculosis and Rheumatism excepted) .. .. .	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..
Other Diseases of the Organs of Locomotion	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
X. MALFORMATIONS.								
Congenital Malformation (exclusive of Stillborn)	7	4	1	1	1	..	..	..
XI. INFANCY.								
Congenital Debility, Icterus and Scleroma of Children under 3 months of age	19	11	4	..	3	1	3	1
Other Diseases peculiar to Infancy	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
Want of Care (Infants) .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Premature Birth	23	21	2	..	1	5	1	3
XII. OLD AGE.								
Senile Debility	52	64	21	17	15	11	9	4
XIII. VIOLENCE.								
Suicide by—								
Poison	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hanging or Strangulation	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Drowning	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Firearms	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Cutting Instruments	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Others	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fractures	6	3	1	..	2	..	..	..
Dislocations	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other Accidental Injuries	12	2	2	..	3	..	..	1
Burning by Fire	5	7	..	..	1	..	..	..
Accidental Drowning	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Found Drowned	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Inhalation of Noxious Gases (Suicide excepted) .. .. .	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..
Suffocation	8	1	1	..	1	..	..	..
Potomaine Poisoning	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Other External Violence—								
Murder	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XIV. ILL-DEFINED DISEASES.								
Dropsy	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sudden Death	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..
Unspecified or Ill-defined Causes of Death	7	10	1	1	3	..	1	1
Total	1,002	898	119	87	121	85	72	47

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS, MELBOURNE OBSERVATORY, QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.
(As supplied by the Government Astronomer.)

Detail.	Month of July.	Month of August.	Month of September.
Temperature—Highest in the shade	65.4° on the 26th ..	66.7° on the 1st ..	82.3° on the 30th
Lowest in the shade	31.1° on the 19th ..	33.5° on the 28th ..	31.9° on the 13th
Mean in the shade	47.5°	51.8°	54.6°
Greatest range	29.2° on the 19th ..	25.6° on the 1st ..	32.3 on the 14th
Least range	4.9° on the 23th ..	9.0° on the 3rd ..	5.1° on the 24th
Mean daily range	13.8°	14.9°	18.4°
Barometer—Maximum inches	30.449 on the 14th ..	30.167 on the 17th ..	30.269 on the 2nd
Minimum	29.477 on the 22nd ..	29.386 on the 10th ..	29.309 on the 6th
Mean	29.947	29.8	29.883
Rain—Number of days	11	13	6
.. inches	2.17	1.97 .. ..	.52
Average rainfall in corresponding month of previous ten years inches	1.59	1.74	2.48
Fog occurred—Number of days	5 .. ..	.. ..	.. ..
Mean Humidity .. ..	.785 .. ..	.723 .. ..	.627

PRINCIPAL SOURCES OF STATE REVENUE.

Head of Receipt.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Land Tax	100,169	97,879	98,250	18,423	28,943	16,721
Income Tax	319,671	323,337	322,425	21,195	299,590	32,053
Probate Duty	284,523	288,095	335,493	80,818	165,786	56,029
Stamp Duty	166,243	190,613	212,553	57,648	57,478	56,087
Alienation of Crown Lands	271,717	268,113	182,385	66,139	37,000	36,364
Leases and Licences	102,843	197,067	106,979	31,952	23,872	37,740
Railways*	3,609,201	3,655,982	3,856,336	1,138,750	1,007,143	891,165
Motor Omnibus Income .. ..	.. ..	654	2,165 .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	.. ..
Electric Street Railway .. ..	.. ..	.. ..	5,818	3,212	3,081	1,015
Interest on Loans	96,764	68,492	66,913	21,854	9,898	24,886
Repayments of Loans	2,024	3,787	7,455	3,168	2,702	1,066
Balance of Commonwealth Revenue	2,105,825	1,931,312	2,191,258	648,082	433,011	726,747
Other Revenue	543,370	558,716	649,950	143,942	249,135	157,347
Total State Revenue	7,902,349	7,494,047	8,037,980	2,235,183	2,317,690	2,000,070
Corresponding period previous year	6,878,386	7,602,349	7,494,047	2,223,591	2,065,123	1,800,363
Increase (+); Decrease (-)	+ 723,963	- 108,302	+ 543,933	+ 11,592	+ 252,476	+ 199,707

* Revenue as received at the Treasury.

STATE EXPENDITURE.

Head of Expenditure.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Chief Secretary	605,009	587,153	630,411	184,079	207,547	199,421
Minister of Public Instruction	557,556	555,820	619,355	153,147	203,331	99,833
Attorney-General	67,929	67,068	75,024	17,637	19,694	12,428
Solicitor-General	51,110	51,951	67,885	15,186	14,765	9,081
Treasurer	234,018	220,631	246,030	61,201	73,365	36,627
Commissioner, Land and Survey	77,840	77,439	88,770	23,296	31,732	14,844
.. Public Works	131,742	140,455	187,726	49,840	91,431	41,609
Minister, Mines	59,339	44,969	63,079	15,008	19,541	9,134
.. Water Supply .. ..	.. ..	33,342	46,150	15,222	18,693	8,717
.. Agriculture	79,441	73,807	71,485	22,986	27,719	16,044
.. Health	15,767	16,998	17,993	5,616	5,809	2,791
.. Railways*	1,888,027	1,794,456	1,929,516	468,751	676,997	235,103
Special Appropriations	2,839,169	2,710,653	2,910,069	349,483	384,878	1,481,397
Total Expenditure	6,606,947	6,374,742	6,944,693	1,361,452	1,775,502	2,078,029
Corresponding period, previous year	6,453,849	6,606,947	6,374,742	1,412,340	1,607,130	2,118,585
Increase (+); Decrease (-)	+ 153,098	- 232,205	+ 569,951	- 50,888	+ 168,372	- 40,556

* Expenditure as passed through the Treasury.

COMMONWEALTH REVENUE CREDITED TO THE STATE OF VICTORIA.

Source of Revenue.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs*	1,998,005	1,888,001	2,074,055	569,008	455,426	727,267
Excise*	519,964	545,952	592,904	150,421	151,252	163,590
Post, Telegraph, and Telephone	670,709	701,410	779,540	225,357	173,291	213,830
Other	10,644	10,423	19,599	10,130	3,558	3,113
Total	3,199,322	3,145,786	3,466,098	954,916	783,527	1,107,800
Corresponding period, previous year	3,140,300	3,199,322	3,145,786	885,284	782,278	1,000,358
Increase (+); Decrease (-)	+ 59,022	- 53,536	+ 320,312	+ 69,632	+ 1,249	+ 107,442

* After deductions of Drawback and Repayments, and Inter-State adjustments.

PRINCIPAL SOURCES OF CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE IN VICTORIA.*

Principal Sources.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
From Customs—						
Stimulants	523,810	534,767	553,337	134,611	141,490	145,980
Narcotics	241,348	248,151	265,247	59,152	60,237	138,980
Sugar	187,365	79,400	97,504	24,515	9,406	6,392
Agricultural Products and Groceries	161,046	178,905	178,906	39,352	38,244	40,423
Apparel and Textiles	416,742	396,714	439,206	174,812	69,611	204,839
Metals and Machinery	99,801	93,756	124,078	38,781	33,532	46,583
Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	36,533	33,202	43,994	9,120	9,654	12,509
Earthenware	45,014	46,129	50,339	11,413	11,556	19,121
Drugs and Chemicals	15,368	15,287	15,124	3,828	3,671	4,344
Wood, Wicker, and Cane	74,279	84,996	90,705	20,285	24,546	27,457
Jewellery and Fancy Goods	49,267	45,097	59,145	12,241	11,084	20,375
Leather and Rubber	40,787	33,783	42,758	10,703	9,889	14,079
Paper and Stationery	33,212	30,448	39,741	9,929	9,071	13,071
Vehicles	23,044	21,758	28,236	7,873	8,386	9,559
Musical Instruments	19,370	14,490	18,677	4,363	5,287	8,714
From Excise—						
Spirits	90,730	91,342	94,781	20,553	27,561	26,391
Beer	167,396	166,326	174,761	49,341	37,263	40,071
Tobacco	148,012	149,744	168,393	39,390	44,116	49,508
Sugar	103,320	126,527	143,491	37,819	39,316	47,023
Starch	7,761	9,472	9,160	2,685	2,740	2,704
Licences—Tobacco and Cigars	951	950	1,014	254	255	392
All other Licences	1,794	1,591	1,304	379	..	..

* After deductions of Drawback and Repayments, and Inter-State adjustments.

COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE DEBITED TO THE STATE OF VICTORIA.

Head of Expenditure.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Trade and Customs	67,965	67,562	65,664	15,569	16,363	15,513
Defence	245,472	242,603	256,989	64,891	63,989	68,646
Postmaster-General	635,091	648,199	627,703	151,735	174,586	172,275
Other " Transferred " Expenditure	35	20	20	..	..	89
Total " Transferred " Expenditure	948,563	958,384	950,376	232,195	254,938	256,523
Proportion of " New " Expenditure	139,707	143,834	205,473	42,804	35,680	102,064
New Works, &c., for Transferred Departments .. .. .	..	93,281	116,345	31,794	63,929	15,730
Total Commonwealth Expenditure debited to Victoria	1,088,270	1,195,499	1,272,194	306,793	354,547	374,317
Corresponding period, previous year	1,121,571	1,088,270	1,195,499	265,562	331,411	310,481
Increase (+); Decrease (-)	- 33,301	+107,229	+76,695	+41,231	+23,136	+63,836

RAILWAY REVENUE.

Source of Revenue.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
Passengers	£ 1,380,904	£ 1,438,919	£ 1,562,645	£ 451,409	£ 388,241	£ 394,618
Parcels, &c. .. .	133,495	146,226	146,365	38,594	38,381	35,973
Horses, Carriages, and Dogs .. .	13,348	13,648	14,272	3,999	3,640	4,137
Mails .. .	58,689	61,193	61,375	15,359	15,701	15,302
Rents .. .	52,526	56,533	54,656	14,272	14,373	14,055
Miscellaneous .. .	24,608	12,419	12,340	3,613	2,941	2,724
Live Stock .. .	157,549	196,137	215,820	51,873	44,697	49,181
Goods .. .	1,802,314	1,731,810	1,839,496	572,639	420,747	374,056
Total Revenue .. .	3,623,433	3,656,885	3,906,969	1,151,758	928,721	890,046
Corresponding period, previous year .. .	2,990,789	3,623,433	3,656,885	1,094,215	880,592	847,132
Increase .. .	632,644	33,452	250,084	57,543	48,129	42,914

RAILWAY EXPENDITURE.

	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
Expenditure exclusive of Gratuities and Pensions .. .	£ 1,904,607	£ 1,945,503	£ 2,056,294	£ 557,296	£ 528,538	£ 555,835
Gratuities and Pensions .. .	101,073	97,090	108,574	24,645	28,567	25,282
Total Expenditure .. .	2,005,680	2,042,593	2,164,868	581,941	557,105	581,117
Corresponding period, previous year .. .	1,987,783	2,005,680	2,042,593	561,183	555,177	509,606
Increase .. .	17,897	36,913	122,275	20,758	1,928	71,511

OTHER RAILWAY STATISTICS.

Item.	Year ended 31st December.			Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
	1904.	1905.	1906.			
Train Miles run .. .	9,101,478	9,180,293	9,677,865	2,800,871	2,458,794	2,423,623
Revenue per Train Mile .. .	7s. 11-54d.	7s. 11-60d.	8s. 0-89d.	8s. 2-69d.	7s. 6-65d.	7s. 4-14d.
Net Revenue per Train Mile .. .	3s. 9-32d.	3s. 8-74d.	3s. 9-89d.	4s. 2-94d.	3s. 3-06d.	2s. 9-10d.
Expenditure per Train Mile .. .	4s. 2-22d.	4s. 2-86d.	4s. 3-00d.	3s. 11-75d.	4s. 3-59d.	4s. 7-04d.
Percentage, Expenditure to Revenue .. .	52-56	53-20	52-64	48-39	56-91	62-45
Number of Passengers .. .	57,319,564	61,825,186	67,479,448	17,463,367	18,044,609	17,979,704
Tonnage of Goods Traffic .. .	3,399,000	3,300,282	3,485,496	1,165,380	912,878	791,941
Tonnage of Live Stock Traffic .. .	225,077	284,340	302,295	81,044	68,615	76,463
Corresponding Period, Previous Year.						
Train Miles run .. .	9,116,106	9,101,478	9,180,293	2,613,415	2,288,201	2,260,676
Revenue per Train Mile .. .	6s. 6-74d.	7s. 11-54d.	7s. 11-60d.	8s. 4-49d.	7s. 8-36d.	7s. 5-93d.
Net Revenue per Train Mile .. .	2s. 5-14d.	3s. 9-32d.	3s. 8-74d.	4s. 3-24d.	3s. 0-86d.	3s. 2-58d.
Expenditure per Train Mile .. .	4s. 1-60d.	4s. 2-22d.	4s. 2-86d.	4s. 1-25d.	4s. 7-50d.	4s. 3-35d.
Percentage, Expenditure to Revenue .. .	62-99	52-56	53-20	49-01	60-10	57-10
Number of Passengers .. .	53,040,046	57,319,564	61,825,186	16,486,822	16,580,019	16,781,161
Tonnage of Goods Traffic .. .	2,654,054	3,399,000	3,300,282	1,126,490	786,726	745,200
Tonnage of Live Stock Traffic .. .	327,411	225,077	284,340	68,032	68,668	63,508

VICTORIAN BANKING RETURNS—QUARTERLY AVERAGES.

	Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th September, 1907.
(a) LIABILITIES—	£	£	£
Notes in circulation not bearing interest	936,610	911,603	844,016
Bills in circulation not bearing interest	210,886	288,748	198,252
Balances due to other Banks	182,770	164,320	192,890
Deposits—Government—			
Not bearing interest	220,204	244,821	228,374
Bearing interest	3,535,662	2,941,048	2,884,449
Deposits—other—			
Not bearing interest	14,327,678	13,707,431	12,761,273
Bearing interest	20,082,322	20,407,919	20,955,126
Perpetual Inscribed Stock	966,767	971,969	979,049
Total Liabilities	40,491,978	39,767,849	39,043,420
Corresponding period 1906	38,335,770	37,970,464	37,883,684
Increase	2,156,208	1,787,385	1,159,745
(b) ASSETS—			
Coined gold, silver, and other coined metal	6,568,134	6,968,370	7,411,458
Gold and silver in bullion and bars	396,820	369,617	384,111
Landed and other property	1,860,767	1,850,728	1,846,736
Notes and Bills of other Banks	434,424	323,228	326,983
Balances due from other Banks	283,177	238,778	252,660
All debts due to Banks	31,020,756	31,894,070	32,569,272
Total Assets	40,564,078	41,644,791	42,791,220
Corresponding period 1906	39,674,565	39,515,384	40,689,595
Increase	889,513	2,129,407	2,101,625
(c)			
Ratio of Coin and Bullion to Liabilities	17.20%	18.46%	19.97%
Total Capital paid up	13,009,043	13,015,781	13,441,231
Amount of last declared dividend and bonus	631,536	522,459	522,459
Reserves	4,745,715	4,998,669	5,162,929

SAVINGS BANK TRANSACTIONS.

Period.	Deposits.	Withdrawals.	Number of Accounts.			Amount at credit of Depositors.
			Opened.	Closed.	Remaining open at end of period.	
Year ended 31st December, 1904	£ 7,470,683	£ 7,446,919	68,609	52,443	439,860	£ 10,559,552
" " " 1905	8,012,972	7,717,788	69,367	53,907	455,320	11,128,682
" " " 1906	8,891,746	8,250,562	77,345	55,577	477,038	12,057,455
Quarter ended 31st March, 1907	2,417,487	2,196,495	21,553	14,395	484,246	12,283,694
" " 30th June, 1907	2,418,655	2,212,230	21,552	14,480	491,318	12,792,591*
" " 30th Sept. 1907	2,522,427	2,491,005	23,883	17,123	498,078	12,824,821

* Includes Interest, £296,015.

GOLD PRODUCTION OF VICTORIA.

Period.	Yield. ozs.
From 1851 to 1900	64,346,612
1901	789,582
1902	777,738
1903	822,424
1904	821,017
1905	810,050
1906	834,775
1907, March quarter	170,540
" June	195,771
" Sept.	179,269
Total	69,747,764
Value	£278,650,034

IMPORTS DURING THE MARCH, JUNE, AND SEPTEMBER QUARTERS OF 1907.

Articles.	Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th September, 1907.		
	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Apparel and Soft Goods ..	£ 92,501	£ 1,408,758	£ 1,431,259	£ 20,459	£ 805,049	£ 827,108	£ 17,072	£ 1,550,905	£ 1,568,577
Coal ..	115,459	119,439	119,439	122,196	122,196	122,196	129,872	40	129,912
Gold—Bullion and Specie ..	107,280	97,213	204,593	77,835	95,557	174,012	91,078	89,220	180,298
Implements and Agricultural Machinery ..	5,042	52,987	58,029	4,549	19,482	24,031	3,376	23,829	27,205
Machines and Machinery ..	4,374	168,122	172,496	5,632	194,354	199,986	6,883	226,375	233,258
Iron and Steel ..	..	293,870	293,870	224,796	224,796	224,796	3,404	240,455	243,549
Jute Goods—Bags and Sacks ..	518	74,377	74,895	1,584	58,519	60,103	606	108,074	108,680
Leather ..	11,130	38,269	49,399	16,879	53,799	72,678	15,779	66,711	82,490
Oils in Bulk (including Kero- sene) ..	4,012	94,850	98,862	2,944	87,943	90,487	3,023	62,789	66,412
Paper ..	847	102,949	102,887	390	101,089	101,479	329	105,793	106,122
Skins and Hides ..	73,535	31,679	105,214	92,319	45,179	137,498	133,939	44,096	178,085
Spirits ..	6,045	56,094	62,139	4,445	69,047	74,992	7,287	79,490	86,777
Sugar ..	75,109	2,868	77,977	39,213	14,982	54,265	259,806	10,971	270,870
Tea ..	..	110,207	110,207	..	106,025	106,025	..	142,080	142,080
Timber ..	29,107	138,272	167,380	30,803	130,902	170,706	27,174	148,375	175,549
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes ..	14,581	64,188	78,767	14,932	108,836	122,768	14,481	86,356	100,837
Wool ..	482,701	7,842	490,543	45,978	4,373	49,451	885,418	7,705	891,123
All other Articles ..	1,094,193	1,768,606	2,862,859	886,973	1,775,283	2,664,356	981,458	1,899,962	2,881,420
Total ..	2,047,134	4,419,801	6,466,935	1,366,051	3,917,607	5,283,718	2,580,275	4,860,336	7,441,211

EXPORTS TO AUSTRALIAN STATES DURING THE MARCH, JUNE, AND SEPTEMBER QUARTERS OF 1907.

Articles.	Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th September, 1907.		
	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Apparel and Attire ..	£ 134,907	£ 38,045	£ 172,952	£ 167,557	£ 45,333	£ 212,890	£ 171,021	£ 35,025	£ 206,046
Bacon and Hams ..	34,042	2	34,044	40,936	2	40,938	9,075	9,075	9,075
Boots and Shoes ..	65,620	3,400	69,020	110,464	3,950	114,414	114,472	3,349	117,821
Butter ..	90,016	..	90,016	92,258	..	92,258	99,337	..	99,337
Confectionery ..	30,719	526	31,245	42,486	547	43,033	41,642	605	42,247
Implements and Agricultural Machinery ..	33,642	11,764	45,406	35,568	9,564	45,132	29,327	7,233	36,560
Jams and Jellies ..	10,601	23	10,624	19,090	26	19,116	19,910	27	19,937
Leather ..	32,425	12,703	45,128	39,326	8,207	47,533	37,740	15,398	53,138
Sugar ..	17,728	6,602	24,330	16,891	1,985	18,876	18,433	107	18,540
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes ..	53,301	4,933	58,234	66,300	5,728	72,028	81,551	6,431	88,262
Wool ..	58,257	..	58,257	7,249	..	7,249	5,029	..	5,029
Woolen Piece Goods ..	33,466	23,079	56,545	29,072	31,238	60,310	26,503	33,797	60,300
All other Articles ..	1,653,416	584,348	2,237,764	1,163,779	589,646	1,753,425	1,399,895	715,325	2,115,420
Total ..	2,256,849	685,434	2,942,283	1,830,976	696,232	2,527,208	2,055,205	817,497	2,872,702

EXPORTS OVERSEA DURING THE MARCH, JUNE, AND SEPTEMBER QUARTERS OF 1907.

Articles.	Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.			Quarter ended 30th September, 1907.		
	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.	Australian Produce.	Other Produce.	Total.
Butter ..	£ 616,575	£ ..	£ 616,575	£ 51,708	£ ..	£ 51,708	£ 93,768	£ ..	£ 93,768
Gold—Bullion and Specie ..	210,838	..	210,838	401,443	150	401,593	377,710	..	377,710
Grain and Pulse—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Oats ..	20,170	91	20,261	10,539	..	10,539	11,805	..	11,805
Wheat ..	908,631	..	908,631	390,939	..	390,939	311,937	..	311,937
Flour ..	117,179	..	117,179	194,830	..	194,830	128,894	..	128,894
Hay and Chaff ..	3,516	..	3,516	3,280	..	3,280	3,473	..	3,473
Leather ..	49,333	1,387	50,720	40,512	1,277	41,789	41,634	1,630	43,264
Meats ..	238,065	3	238,068	61,847	17	61,864	98,306	6	98,402
Skins and Hides ..	239,682	25	239,707	105,694	25	105,719	235,088	..	235,088
Tallow ..	84,589	..	84,589	48,469	..	48,469	23,196	..	23,196
Wool ..	2,581,927	..	2,581,927	201,919	..	201,919	233,129	..	233,129
All other Articles ..	501,495	80,478	581,973	448,659	69,470	518,129	511,232	82,776	594,008
Total ..	5,571,950	81,984	5,653,934	2,049,848	70,939	2,120,787	2,070,262	84,412	2,154,674

DESTINATION, QUANTITY, AND VALUE OF EXPORTS THROUGH COOL STORES, QUARTER ENDED 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1907.

Description of Produce.	Destination.											
	United Kingdom.		South Africa.		Other Australian States.		Other Ports.		Total.			
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
Butter ..	1,266,536	£ 63,326	532,952	£ 26,647	1,589,168	£ 79,458	391,144	£ 19,487	3,779,800	£ 188,918		
Cheese ..	..	..	23,400	536	187,440	4,295	9,600	220	220,440	5,051
Milk and Cream ..	..	..	..	..	1,188,800	29,720	11,000	275	1,199,800	29,995
Ham and Bacon ..	..	..	3,600	105	661,680	19,572	5,760	168	671,040	19,845
Eggs ..	..	..	..	..	30,870	1,029	..	..	30,870	1,029
Poultry and Game ..	15	3	1,605	321	2,670	534	75	15	4,365	873		
Rabbits and Hares ..	1,906,404	83,183	9,540	397	1,056	44	432	18	2,007,432	83,642		
Mutton and Lamb ..	194,800	2,840	181,160	2,641	..	..	2,200	32	378,160	5,513
Beef ..	45,000	562	..	..	..	..	..	..	45,000	562
Veal ..	4,500	76	105,660	1,761	..	..	30,000	551	140,310	2,388
Pork ..	5,850	121	4,500	83	10,170	211	1,350	28	21,870	453		
Fruit ..	..	..	4,301	2,195	..	..	2,027	1,013	6,418	3,208
Fruit Pulp ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	..	150,111	..	34,696	..	134,863	..	21,807	..	341,477	

EXPORTS OF CERTAIN ARTICLES THROUGH COOL STORES IN 1904, 1905, 1906, AND MARCH, JUNE, AND SEPTEMBER QUARTERS OF 1907.

Produce.	1904.	1905.	1906.	Quarter ended 31st March, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th June, 1907.	Quarter ended 30th Sept., 1907.
<i>Quantity.</i>						
Butter lbs.	37,948,216	35,917,208	46,009,642	15,897,932	2,704,538	3,779,800
Cheese "	1,072,940	920,520	970,440	301,680	249,600	220,440
Milk and Cream .. "	1,325,600	1,645,700	2,053,100	774,200	714,100	1,199,800
Ham and Bacon .. "	1,630,600	1,708,800	2,393,920	702,480	928,800	671,040
Eggs doz.	45,940	48,570	50,937	6,660	9,210	30,870
Poultry and Game .. head	46,820	51,705	72,410	13,020	15,825	4,365
Rabbits and Hares .. pairs	4,045,036	5,142,928	4,788,466	510,960	600,804	2,007,432
Mutton and Lamb .. lbs.	12,101,533	22,077,520	34,799,920	10,420,840	1,236,560	378,160
Beef "	673,200	629,200	1,473,010	365,000	29,600	45,000
Veal "	1,320,300	928,055	558,990	78,930	260,910	140,310
Pork "	126,320	110,340	293,310	133,020	41,586	21,870
Fruit bushels	95,006	116,603	150,568	127,513	37,657	6,418
Fruit Pulp lbs.	5,342,700	845,900	465,800	97,300	65,400	..
<i>Value.</i>						
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Butter "	1,744,938	1,763,789	2,208,066	794,896	135,226	188,918
Cheese "	26,824	23,013	22,237	6,913	5,718	5,051
Milk and Cream "	27,614	34,285	51,327	19,355	17,852	29,995
Ham and Bacon "	44,643	49,840	69,822	20,489	27,090	19,845
Eggs "	2,297	2,429	2,044	249	344	1,029
Poultry and Game "	9,364	10,341	16,116	2,724	3,165	873
Rabbits and Hares "	210,679	267,860	199,518	21,290	25,034	83,642
Mutton and Lamb "	181,523	331,162	579,896	173,680	20,607	5,513
Beef "	8,415	7,865	18,419	4,562	370	562
Veal "	16,503	11,600	10,794	1,315	4,348	2,388
Pork "	3,158	2,758	6,907	2,771	865	453
Fruit "	47,503	58,301	86,668	63,756	18,828	3,208
Fruit Pulp "	66,783	10,753	5,821	1,216	817	..
Total "	2,390,244	2,573,906	3,277,635	1,113,216	260,264	341,477