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APPENDIX

NOTE.—Some recent information which has come to hand since the various chapters were sent to press is given hereunder in summarized form. For further or more detailed information, and for the latest available statistics, reference should be made to other publications issued by this Bureau, e.g., the *Monthly Review of Business Statistics*, the *Quarterly Summary of Australian Statistics*, the *Digest of Current Economic Statistics* and the various mimeographed statements issued on particular subjects.

CHAPTER I. DISCOVERY, COLONIZATION AND FEDERATION OF AUSTRALIA

Areas of States and Territories.—Revised statistics for the areas of the Australian Territories have recently been made available by the Director of National Mapping. The only revision affecting the area of Australia is that relating to the Northern Territory, whose area has been revised from 523,620 square miles to 520,280 square miles, a decrease of 3,340 square miles. In consequence, the area of Australia has been reduced from 2,971,081 square miles to 2,967,741 square miles. *These revisions, which will affect rates based on areas which appear in various parts of this Year Book, have not been taken into account in this issue, but will be incorporated in the next issue.* The table following shows the latest figures available for the areas of the States and Territories of Australia.

AUSTRALIA: AREAS OF STATES AND TERRITORIES

State or Territory	Area	Percentage of total area	External Territories	Area
	Sq. miles			Sq. miles
New South Wales	309,433	10.43	Norfolk Island	(a) 14
Victoria	87,884	2.96	Papua—Mainland	83,325
Queensland	667,000	22.48	Islands	2,775
South Australia	380,070	12.80	Total	86,100
Western Australia	975,920	32.89		
Northern Territory	520,280	17.53	New Guinea (Trust Territory)—Mainland	69,095
Australian Capital Territory	939	0.03	Islands	23,065
<i>Mainland</i>	<i>2,941,526</i>	<i>99.12</i>	Total	92,160
Tasmania	26,215	0.88	Nauru	(a) 8½
			Cocos (Keeling) Islands	(a) 5½
			Christmas Island	(a) 52
Australia	2,967,741	100.00		

(a) Approximate.

In addition to the Territories listed above, there are: the Territory of Ashmore and Cartier Islands—Ashmore Reef, area approximately 60 square miles (to the limit of the reef), Cartier Islands, area approximately 17 square miles (to the limit of the reef); the Territory of Heard and McDonald Islands—Heard Island, approximately 27 miles long and 13 miles wide, McDonald Islands, small, rocky and precipitous; and the Australian Antarctic Territory.

CHAPTER II. PHYSIOGRAPHY

§ 2. Climate and Meteorology of Australia

Rainfall: Australian Capital Cities, p. 49.—Rainfall recorded in Australian capital cities during 1963 was as follows:—Perth, 39.14 ins.; Darwin, 52.46 ins.; Adelaide, 24.43 ins.; Brisbane, 49.09 ins.; Sydney, 80.11 ins.; Canberra, 25.37 ins.; Melbourne, 29.04 ins.; Hobart, 15.51 ins. The corresponding numbers of rain days were, respectively, 140, 109, 118, 134, 169, 141, 149 and 129.

CHAPTER III. GENERAL GOVERNMENT

§ 3. Administration and Legislation

Commonwealth Ministries, p. 75.

The Menzies Ministry was reconstituted as from 13th June, 1964, as follows.

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| * <i>Prime Minister</i> —
THE RT. HON. SIR ROBERT MENZIES,
K.T., C.H., Q.C., M.P. (Vic.). | <i>Minister for Shipping and Transport</i> —
THE HON. G. FREETH, M.P. (W.A.). |
| * <i>Minister for Trade and Industry</i> —
THE RT. HON. J. McEWEN, M.P. (Vic.). | <i>Minister for Immigration</i> —
THE HON. H. F. OPPERMAN, O.B.E., M.P.
(Vic.) |
| * <i>Treasurer</i> —
THE RT. HON. H. E. HOLT, M.P. (Vic.). | <i>Minister for Social Services</i> —
THE HON. H. S. ROBERTON, M.P.
(N.S.W.). |
| * <i>Minister for External Affairs</i> —
THE HON. P. M. C. HASLUCK, M.P.
(W.A.). | <i>Minister for Repatriation</i> —
THE HON. R. W. C. SWARTZ, M.B.E.,
E.D., M.P. (Qld.). |
| * <i>Minister for Labour and National Service
and Vice-President of the Executive
Council</i> —
THE HON. W. McMAHON, M.P. (N.S.W.). | <i>Attorney-General</i> —
THE HON. B. M. SNEDDEN, M.P. (Vic.). |
| * <i>Minister for Primary Industry</i> —
THE HON. C. F. ADERMANN, M.P. (Qld.). | <i>Minister for Territories</i> —
THE HON. C. E. BARNES, M.P. (Qld.). |
| * <i>Minister for Defence</i> —
SENATOR THE HON. S. D. PALTRIDGE
(W.A.). | <i>Minister for Housing</i> —
THE HON. L. H. E. BURY, M.P. (N.S.W.). |
| * <i>Minister for Health</i> —
SENATOR THE HON. H. W. WADE (Vic.). | <i>Minister for the Army and Assisting the
Treasurer</i> —
THE HON. A. J. FORBES, M.C., M.P.
(S.A.). |
| * <i>Minister for Supply</i> —
THE HON. A. FAIRHALL, M.P. (N.S.W.). | <i>Minister for the Interior</i> —
THE HON. J. D. ANTHONY, M.P. (N.S.W.). |
| * <i>Minister for Civil Aviation</i> —
SENATOR THE HON. N. H. D. HENTY (Tas.). | <i>Minister for the Navy</i> —
THE HON. F. C. CHANEY, A.F.C., M.P.
(W.A.). |
| * <i>Postmaster-General</i> —
THE HON. A. S. HULME, M.P. (Qld.). | <i>Minister for Air</i> —
THE HON. P. HOWSON, M.P. (Vic.). |
| * <i>Minister for National Development</i> —
THE HON. D. E. FAIRBAIRN, D.F.C., M.P.
(N.S.W.). | <i>Minister for Customs and Excise</i> —
SENATOR THE HON. K. M. ANDERSON
(N.S.W.). |
| <i>Minister for Works, and under the Prime
Minister, Minister-in-Charge, Common-
wealth Activities in Education and Re-
search</i> —
SENATOR THE HON. J. G. GORTON (Vic.). | |

* Minister in the Cabinet.

State Ministers, p. 76.

(i) *New South Wales*. As from 30th April, 1964, following the resignation of the Hon. R. J. Heffron, M.L.A., the Hon. J. B. Renshaw, M.L.A., became Premier, Treasurer, and Minister for Industrial Development and Decentralization. The Minister for Local Government and Highways, the Hon. P. D. Hills, M.L.A., became Deputy Premier, and the Hon. T. P. Murphy, M.L.A., was appointed as Assistant Minister.

(ii) *Victoria*. The Bolte Ministry, as from 31st July, 1964, was reconstituted as follows.

<i>Premier and Treasurer—</i> THE HON. H. E. BOLTE, M.P.	<i>Minister of Transport and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works—</i> THE HON. E. R. MEAGHER, M.B.E., E.D., M.P.
<i>Chief Secretary and Attorney-General—</i> THE HON. A. G. RYLAH, E.D., M.P.	<i>Minister for Local Government—</i> THE HON. R. J. HAMER, M.L.C.
<i>Minister for Agriculture and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works—</i> THE HON. G. L. CHANDLER, C.M.G., M.L.C.	<i>Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, Minister of Soldier Settlement, Minister for Conservation, and President of the Board of Land and Works—</i> THE HON. J. C. M. BALFOUR, M.P.
<i>Minister of Housing and Minister of Forests—</i> THE HON. L. H. S. THOMPSON, M.L.C.	<i>Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Mines—</i> THE HON. T. A. DARCY, M.P.
<i>Minister of Education—</i> THE HON. J. S. BLOOMFIELD, M.P.	<i>Assistant Minister of Education—</i> THE HON. J. F. ROSSITER, M.P.
<i>Minister of Labour and Industry and Minister of Electrical Undertakings—</i> THE HON. G. O. REID, M.P.	<i>Minister of Immigration—</i> THE HON. V. F. WILCOX, M.P.
<i>Commissioner of Public Works and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works—</i> THE HON. M. V. PORTER, M.P.	<i>Minister of State Development—</i> THE HON. V. O. DICKIE, M.L.C.
<i>Minister of Health—</i> THE HON. R. W. MACK, M.L.C.	

(iii) *Queensland*. Following on the death of the Hon. H. W. Noble, M.L.A., the Hon. S. D. Tooth was appointed as Minister for Health on 14th April, 1964.

(iv) *Tasmania*. Following the 1964 elections the ministry was reconstituted from 13th May, 1964, by the inclusion of the Hon. B. K. Miller, M.L.C., in place of the Hon. J. B. Connolly, M.L.C., and the Hon. M. G. Everett, Q.C., in place of the Hon. W. D. McNeil.

Parliamentary Salaries, p. 66.—As from October, 1964, basic annual salaries of members were increased to £2,300 in the Tasmanian Parliament and £3,500 in the Commonwealth Parliament. Electorate allowances were increased also to range from £300 to £925 for Tasmania and from £1,050 to £1,300 for the Commonwealth.

CHAPTER IV. LAND TENURE AND SETTLEMENT

§ 3. Alienation and Occupation of Crown Lands

Tasmania, p. 92 and *Summary*, p. 93.—Revised land tenure figures for Tasmania as at 30th June, 1962, together with the figures for Australia incorporating the consequent adjustments, are shown below.

ALIENATION AND OCCUPATION OF CROWN LANDS, 1962

State or Territory	Private lands				Crown lands				Total area '000 acres
	Alienated		In process of alienation		Leased or licensed		Other		
	'000 acres	Per cent.	'000 acres	Per cent.	'000 acres	Per cent.	'000 acres	Per cent.	
Tasmania (a)	6,417	38.2	197	1.2	1,497	8.9	8,667	51.7	16,778
Australia (b)	165,404	8.7	28,045	1.5	1,048,199	55.1	659,844	34.7	1,901,492

(a) 30th June, 1962.
to on page 1297.

(b) Takes no account of revision of Northern Territory area figures referred to on page 1297.

CHAPTER VI. MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

§ 1. General

Factory Development, p. 146.—The following table gives a summary of operations in manufacturing industries during 1962–63.

FACTORIES: SUMMARY, 1962-63

Particulars		N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Aust.
Factories	No.	23,729	17,500	5,895	5,766	4,492	1,764	59,146
Persons employed(a)	"	475,249	397,156	104,998	105,265	53,435	30,755	1,166,858
Salaries and wages paid(b) £'000	"	513,608	418,550	97,915	110,034	49,940	32,419	1,222,466
Value of power, fuel, light, etc., used	"	98,755	51,761	17,599	16,036	10,860	7,218	202,229
„ materials used	"	1,314,824	988,885	356,864	251,430	139,878	78,038	3,129,919
„ production(c)	"	1,037,443	801,468	190,483	189,571	108,211	71,016	2,398,192
„ output	"	2,451,022	1,842,114	564,946	457,037	258,949	156,272	5,730,340
„ land and buildings	"	690,036	475,802	96,742	106,482	51,428	81,959	1,502,449
„ plant and machinery	"	719,361	500,344	140,292	146,804	66,318	69,079	1,642,198

(a) Average over whole year; includes working proprietors. (b) Excludes amounts drawn by working proprietors. (c) Value added in process of manufacture (i.e., value of output less value of materials and fuel used).

§ 8. Value of Production, etc.

Value of Production, p. 169.—The values of production (£'000) in Australia for the various classes of industry in 1962–63 were as follows:—

I., 64,953; II., 50,050; III., 205,688; IV., 978,945; V., 8,623; VI., 116,892; VII., 20,130; VIII., 133,168; IX., 318,458; X., 95,179; XI., 34,994; XII., 175,457; XIII., 41,339; XIV., 2,181; XV., 49,883; XVI., 102,252; Total, all classes, 2,398,192.

§ 10. Principal Factory Products, pp. 175-82

The following table provides an abbreviated list of commodities and the quantities produced in factories in Australia during 1962–63 and 1963–64 (preliminary figures). Figures for 1962–63 may include revisions of figures shown earlier in this Year Book.

**QUANTITY OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES PRODUCED IN FACTORIES:
AUSTRALIA**

Article	1962-63	1963-64 p	Article	1962-63	1963-64 p
Acid, sulphuric .. '000 tons	1,256	1,429	Meat, canned(f) .. mill. lb.	95.1	99.2
Beer mill. gals.	249	(a) 270	Motor bodies (excl. caravans, trailers, etc.) '000	370	403
Biscuits mill. lb.	185.2	197.1	Motor chassis (all types) '000	365	401
Blankets thousands	1,845	2,187	Newsprint '000 tons	90.2	92.0
Bricks, clay millions	1,056	1,240	Paints, ready mixed and enamels .. '000 gals.	13,788	15,262
Cement, portland .. '000 tons	2,942	3,322	Preserves—		
Cloth, woven, woollen (b) .. mill. sq. yds.	28.3	23.6	Fruit mill. lb.	430.6	468.2
Confectionery—			Vegetables " "	129.3	140.9
Chocolate mill. lb.	83.7	92.5	Refrigerators, domestic thousands	206.3	207.1
Other " "	98.2	100.6	Soap '000 cwt.	1,199	1,206
Electricity mill. kWh.	29,187	32,087	Socks and stockings—		
Electric motors .. thousands	1,927.5	2,210.9	Men's and youths' '000 doz. prs.	1,643	1,607
Engines, internal combustion(c) .. number	270,953	288,698	Women's " "	3,644	3,979
Fibrous plaster sheets '000 sq. yds.	15,830	15,245	Children's and infants " "	898	934
Flour, wheat '000 tons (2,000 lb.)	1,421	1,663	Stoves, cooking(g)—		
Footwear—			Electric thousands	112.7	119.0
Boots, shoes and sandals .. '000 prs.	26,687	28,227	Gas " "	67.4	77.4
Slippers " "	10,671	11,177	Solid fuel " "	27.1	28.1
Gas(d) mill. cub. ft.	51,351	52,595	Sugar, refined(h) .. '000 tons	564	575
Ice-cream '000 gals.	20,661	22,177	Sulphate of ammonia " "	93.7	82.5
Iron and steel(e)—			Superphosphate " "	2,862	3,347
Pig iron '000 tons	3,400	3,763	Tiles, roofing—		
Steel ingots " "	4,260	4,755	Terracotta millions	51.1	54.2
Jams mill. lb.	92.2	88.4	Cement " "	61.8	76.7
Lacquers '000 gals.	1,443	1,514	Timber, sawn .. Australian-grown (i) million sup. ft.	1,390	1,456
Malt, barley and wheaten .. '000 bus.	10,535	11,994	Tobacco, cigars and cigarettes .. mill. lb.	56.9	56.2
Margarine—			Wool, scoured " "	168	160
Table '000 lb.	35,703	35,243	Wool tops " "	48.0	50.9
Other " "	70,645	73,864	Yarn, woollen and worsted " "	52.5	52.1

(a) Includes waste beer. (b) Includes mixture cloths predominantly wool. (c) Excludes motor car, motor cycle, truck, tractor, aeroplane and marine engines but includes diesel and semi-diesel. (d) Made in gas-works only. (e) Year ended 31st May. (f) Excludes canned rabbit and poultry. (g) Domestic, excludes stovettes, cookers, etc. (h) Year ended 31st March. (i) Includes sawn sleepers.

CHAPTER IX. POPULATION

§ 3. Growth and Distribution of Population, § 4. Mean Population

Growth of Population, p. 268; Mean Population, p. 275.—Figures for the population at 30th June, 1964, and the mean population for the year ended 30th June, 1964, are as follows. They exclude particulars of full-blood Aboriginals.

ESTIMATED POPULATION, 30th JUNE, 1964, AND MEAN POPULATION, YEAR ENDED 30th JUNE, 1964

State or Territory	Estimated population at 30th June, 1964			Mean population year ended 30th June, 1964		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
New South Wales	2,068,494	2,048,212	4,116,706	2,053,232	2,033,257	4,086,489
Victoria	1,573,118	1,557,842	3,130,960	1,552,797	1,538,159	3,090,956
Queensland	806,883	782,128	1,589,011	799,237	774,173	1,573,410
South Australia	520,440	511,179	1,031,619	514,618	505,480	1,020,098
Western Australia	401,102	388,815	789,917	397,319	384,884	782,203
Tasmania	184,384	180,182	364,566	185,183	181,004	366,187
Northern Territory	18,779	13,538	32,317	17,661	12,400	30,061
Australian Capital Territory	41,820	38,593	80,413	40,323	36,906	77,229
Australia	5,615,020	5,520,489	11,135,509	5,560,370	5,466,263	11,026,633

§ 7. General Characteristics

Other General Characteristics, p. 289.—The following table shows the numbers of males, females and persons at the 1954 and 1961 Censuses classified by race (i.e.ethnic origin).

POPULATION: RACE, AUSTRALIA

Race	Census, 30th June, 1954			Census, 30th June, 1961		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
European	4,508,795	4,412,896	8,921,691	5,260,853	5,157,908	10,418,761
Non-European—						
Afghan	73	25	98	63	36	99
African, n.e.i.	52	5	57	65	19	84
Arab, Persian	201	70	271	333	222	555
Asiatic Jew	42	27	69	53	48	101
Asiatic, n.e.i.	733	169	902	793	325	1,118
Chinese	9,150	3,728	12,878	14,237	6,145	20,382
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	196	72	268	384	279	663
Egyptian	30	31	61	42	34	76
Fijian	51	13	64	100	38	138
Filipino	127	100	227	169	128	297
Indian, Pakistani	1,892	317	2,209	2,937	595	3,532
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	312	36	348	449	90	539
Japanese	247	292	539	949	769	1,718
Malay	534	251	785	717	346	1,063
Maori	57	29	86	102	92	194
Negro	56	13	69	106	26	132
Pacific Islander, n.e.i. (a)	934	764	1,698	1,158	1,028	2,186
Papuan, New Guinean	28	8	36	72	58	130
Siamese, Thailander	163	60	223	180	60	240
Syrian, Lebanese	1,374	916	2,290	1,834	1,407	3,241
Torres Strait Islander	2,043	2,210	4,253	2,446	2,526	4,972
Other and indefinite	37	18	55	77	43	120
Total Non-European	18,332	9,154	27,486	27,266	14,314	41,580
European and—(b)						
Afghan	69	47	116	56	62	118
African, n.e.i.	11	4	15	8	13	21
Arab, Persian	18	12	30	23	18	41
Asiatic Jew	11	3	14	4	9	13
Asiatic, n.e.i.	60	52	112	111	117	228
Australian Aboriginal	15,849	15,510	31,359	19,713	19,459	39,172
Chinese	1,404	1,276	2,680	1,648	1,538	3,186
Cingalese, Burgher, Tamil	58	65	123	124	104	228
Egyptian	4	7	11	11	16	27
Fijian	15	20	35	21	22	43
Filipino	101	100	201	176	220	396
Indian, Pakistani	259	179	438	293	240	533
Indonesian, Javanese, Timorese, etc.	12	21	33	71	68	139
Japanese	114	132	246	497	456	953
Malay	214	235	449	313	329	642
Maori	89	82	171	126	129	255
Negro	77	58	135	60	59	119
Pacific Islander, n.e.i. (a)	257	257	514	367	362	729
Papuan, New Guinean	10	7	17	33	43	76
Siamese, Thailander	25	18	43	17	19	36
Syrian, Lebanese	103	96	199	108	108	216
Torres Strait Islander	60	49	109	134	111	245
Other and indefinite	171	132	303	219	210	429
Total European/Other Races(b)	18,991	18,362	37,353	24,133	23,712	47,845
Total Non-European and European/Other Races	37,323	27,516	64,839	51,399	38,026	89,425
Grand Total	4,546,118	4,440,412	8,986,530	5,312,252	5,195,934	10,508,186

(a) Includes Pacific Islander, Polynesian and South Sea Islander, so described. (b) This category covers persons with European blood to the extent of one-half and blood of a Non-European race to the extent of one-half.

NOTE.—The characteristic "Race" refers broadly to the ethnic origin of the person irrespective of where born or of what nationality. For this characteristic the basic data do not permit of scientific classification of ethnic origin and the races are named with a geographical rather than a truly ethnological description. Thus "Indian" refers to the ethnic types normally to be found in India. In other words, each racial group described in this fashion is a mixed group when viewed in the light of the hypothetical genetic types from which it is derived. The limitations imposed by the practical need to present the non-European races by their commonly recognized rather than their scientific groupings are further complicated by the necessity of combining as one group all persons of European origin. Census statistics of "Race", cannot, therefore, answer fully the questions which interest the anthropologist and ethnologist, but they do possess utility for governmental administration and other practical purposes. Particulars of full-blood Aboriginals are excluded from this table.

§ 8. Oversea Arrivals and Departures

Excess of Arrivals over Departures, pp. 290-1.—The following table shows the net gain to the population of Australia due to total migration movement for the year 1963, according to age and conjugal condition.

EXCESS OF ARRIVALS OVER DEPARTURES: AGE DISTRIBUTION AND CONJUGAL CONDITION, AUSTRALIA, 1963

Particulars	Males	Females	Persons
AGE DISTRIBUTION			
Years—			
0-4	4,081	3,842	7,923
5-14	7,402	6,880	14,282
15-24	10,572	8,973	19,545
25-44	11,499	11,310	22,809
45-64	2,140	3,220	5,360
65 and over	525	1,201	1,726
<i>Total</i>	<i>36,219</i>	<i>35,426</i>	<i>71,645</i>
CONJUGAL CONDITION			
Never married	22,294	19,081	41,375
Married	13,686	15,290	28,976
Widowed or divorced	239	1,055	1,294
<i>Total</i>	<i>36,219</i>	<i>35,426</i>	<i>71,645</i>

CHAPTER XI. HOUSING AND BUILDING

§ 2. Building

New Houses, p. 371.—The number of new houses approved, commenced, completed and under construction in each State and Territory during 1963–64 was as follows.

NEW HOUSES: NUMBER, 1963-64
(INCLUDING OWNER-BUILT HOUSES)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Approved ..	30,169	24,718	10,976	12,110	7,447	2,648	463	1,564	90,095
Commenced ..	27,957	23,648	10,181	11,564	7,320	2,550	430	1,624	85,274
Completed ..	25,954	22,799	10,012	10,488	7,276	2,511	310	1,764	81,114
Under construction at 30th June, 1964 ..	12,991	12,912	2,916	5,639	2,923	1,633	359	922	40,295

Of the 81,114 new houses completed during 1963–64, 47,754 had outer walls of brick, brick veneer, concrete or stone, 16,678 of wood (weatherboard, etc.), 16,358 of fibro-cement and 324 of other materials.

New Flats, p. 374.—The following table shows the number of new flats approved, commenced, completed and under construction in each State and Territory during 1963–64.

NEW FLATS: NUMBER, 1963-64
(INDIVIDUAL LIVING UNITS)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Approved ..	13,315	7,324	1,607	1,634	1,830	165	149	305	26,329
Commenced ..	10,210	7,089	1,311	1,386	1,743	120	128	290	22,277
Completed ..	7,776	4,270	949	989	1,295	164	26	150	15,619
Under construction at 30th June, 1964 ..	7,249	4,951	692	725	1,061	90	121	264	15,153

Value of New Buildings, p. 376.—The values of all new buildings approved, commenced, completed and under construction in each State and Territory are shown in the following table for the year 1963–64.

NEW BUILDINGS: VALUE, 1963-64
(INCLUDING ESTIMATED VALUE OF OWNER-BUILT HOUSES)
(£'000)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Approved ..	234,972	196,464	83,621	77,687	57,860	15,949	5,494	21,688	693,735
Commenced ..	257,027	197,349	75,178	74,888	59,278	17,332	5,082	21,200	707,334
Completed ..	235,840	167,415	66,509	59,151	46,434	16,988	3,981	20,082	616,400
Under construction at 30th June, 1964 ..	206,601	153,139	43,944	55,757	35,924	14,547	4,885	26,024	540,821

The value of new buildings completed in Australia during 1963–64, according to type of building, was as follows:—*Houses*—Brick, brick veneer, concrete and stone, £199,332,000; wood (weatherboard, etc.), £55,601,000; fibro-cement, £45,165,000; other, £1,031,000; total, £301,129,000; *Flats*—£41,780,000; *Other Buildings*—Hotels, hostels, etc., £13,909,000;

shops, £25,745,000; factories, £64,213,000; offices, £45,038,000; other business premises, £27,002,000; educational, £40,286,000; religious, £6,999,000; health, £19,301,000; entertainment and recreation, £13,303,000; miscellaneous, £17,695,000; total other buildings, £273,491,000; grand total, new buildings, £616,400,000.

Persons Working on Jobs Carried out by Builders of New Buildings, p. 379.—The number of persons working on jobs *carried out by builders of new buildings* in Australia at 30th June, 1964, was as follows:—Carpenters, 52,551; bricklayers, 17,011; painters, 12,763; electricians, 8,036; plumbers, 12,656; builders' labourers, 20,801; other, 21,942; Total, 145,760. Of this total, contractors actually working on jobs numbered 11,491, sub-contractors actually working on jobs, 27,112, and wage earners, 107,157.

CHAPTER XII. EMPLOYMENT AND UNEMPLOYMENT

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN EMPLOYMENT

Civilian Employees, pp. 427-8.—The following table shows particulars of the estimated numbers of wage and salary earners (excluding employees in rural industry, private domestic service and defence forces) in each State and Territory at June, 1964, with revised figures for June and December, 1963.

WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS IN CIVILIAN EMPLOYMENT

(EXCLUDING EMPLOYEES IN RURAL INDUSTRY AND PRIVATE DOMESTIC SERVICE, AND DEFENCE FORCES)

('000)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T. (a)	Australia
JUNE, 1963									
Males ..	914.9	675.4	304.8	219.6	159.4	74.9	8.0	20.4	2,377.4
Females ..	369.8	285.0	108.9	80.9	55.5	25.5	2.9	8.7	937.2
Persons ..	1,284.7	960.4	413.7	300.5	214.9	100.4	10.9	29.1	3,314.6
DECEMBER, 1963									
Males ..	932.9	690.5	303.2	224.5	163.4	76.9	8.1	21.4	2,420.9
Females ..	383.5	292.7	110.5	84.1	56.9	26.7	2.9	9.3	966.6
Persons ..	1,316.4	983.2	413.7	308.6	220.3	103.6	11.0	30.7	3,387.5
JUNE, 1964									
Males ..	949.6	704.6	317.5	229.5	163.9	77.2	8.9	21.8	2,473.0
Females ..	390.2	299.9	115.3	86.5	58.4	27.0	3.0	10.0	990.3
Persons ..	1,339.8	1,004.5	432.8	316.0	222.3	104.2	11.9	31.8	3,463.3

(a) Includes persons employed in the Australian Capital Territory who reside in adjoining areas.

CHAPTER XIII. LABOUR, WAGES AND PRICES

RETAIL PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES

§ 4. Tabular Statements of Retail Price Index Numbers

Consumer Price Index, p. 434-6.—The following table shows Consumer Price Index numbers for June and September quarters, 1964, for each capital city and the six capital cities combined for each Group and all Groups combined.

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX NUMBERS^(a)

(Base of each Index: Year 1952-53 = 100.0)

Period	Sydney	Melbourne	Brisbane	Adelaide	Perth	Hobart	Six Capital Cities ^(b)
FOOD							
June quarter, 1964 ..	125.0	129.5	136.1	132.4	128.3	129.5	128.5
September quarter, 1964	127.5	131.6	138.0	133.6	130.3	131.6	130.7
CLOTHING AND DRAPERY							
June quarter, 1964 ..	113.1	115.8	118.4	113.6	113.2	115.7	114.6
September quarter, 1964	113.6	116.3	118.8	113.8	113.6	116.1	115.0
HOUSING							
June quarter, 1964 ..	163.3	166.0	145.4	160.3	157.8	175.9	161.7
September quarter, 1964	165.0	166.9	147.2	161.9	158.1	176.4	163.0
HOUSEHOLD SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT							
June quarter, 1964 ..	111.5	113.2	112.3	104.8	105.7	124.1	111.4
September quarter, 1964	110.3	112.6	112.3	104.7	105.8	124.4	110.7
MISCELLANEOUS							
June quarter, 1964 ..	130.4	131.2	135.3	122.9	129.3	128.8	130.3
September quarter, 1964	133.1	133.5	138.6	128.0	131.5	131.8	133.1
ALL GROUPS							
June quarter, 1964 ..	125.8	128.3	130.2	125.1	125.3	130.1	127.0
September quarter, 1964	127.3	129.6	131.9	126.9	126.6	131.7	128.5

(a) The index numbers measure price movements in each city individually and for the weighted average of the six capitals. They do not measure differences in price levels as between cities.

(b) Weighted average.

WHOLESALE PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES

§ 2. Wholesale Price (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) Index

Index Numbers, p. 440.—Index numbers for each group of commodities and for All Groups for the index of wholesale prices of basic materials and foodstuffs are shown below for the year 1963-64 and for the months April to August, 1964.

WHOLESALE PRICE (BASIC MATERIALS AND FOODSTUFFS) INDEX NUMBERS

(Base of each Index: Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100)

Period	Basic Materials						Food-stuffs and Tobacco (a)	Basic Materials and Foodstuffs			
	Metals and Coal	Oils, Fats and Waxes	Textiles	Chemicals	Rubber and Hides	Building Materials		Total	Goods principally imported (b)	Goods principally home produced (a)	Total All Groups (a)
1963-64	383	207	484	286	221	473	339	352	275	376	346
1964—											
April	385	207	488	284	223	486	342	355	276	380	349
May..	384	207	458	284	229	486	340	362	276	384	352
June..	382	205	463	284	230	486	340	365	275	386	353
July..	386	205	463	285	233	496	343	367	279	389	356
Aug.	389	206	464	285	236	498	345	367	278	390	357

(a) Excludes potatoes and onions. See para. 3, p. 439.

(b) Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the Wholesale Price Index and does not measure changes in the prices of all imports.

EXPORT PRICES AND PRICE INDEXES

§ 2. The Current Export Price Index

Index Numbers, p. 444.—Index numbers for each of the groups and "All Groups" for the year 1963-64 and for the months April to August, 1964, are shown in the table below.

EXPORT PRICE INDEX NUMBERS

(Base of each Index: Year 1959-60 = 100)

Period	Wool	Meats	Dairy Produce	Cereals	Dried and Canned Fruits	Sugar	Hides and Tallow	Metals and Coal	Gold	All Groups
1963-64..	120	p 105	93	107	p 98	p 175	73	101	100	p 114
1964—										
April ..	121	p 111	92	109	p 99	p 165	78	106	100	p 115
May ..	110	p 113	92	108	p 99	p 166	79	111	100	p 110
June ..	112	p 110	92	108	p 101	p 146	81	111	100	p 110
July ..	112	p 108	92	109	p 101	p 139	81	p 115	100	p 110
August	112	p 108	92	110	p 100	p 122	83	p 117	100	p 110

§ 5. Basic Wages in Australia

State Basic Wages, p. 488.—The following table shows State basic wages operative in September, 1964.

STATE BASIC WAGES: WEEKLY RATES

State and area	September, 1964		
	Date of operation ^(a)	Males	Females
		<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
New South Wales	19.6.64	315 0	236 0
Victoria ^(b)	June, 1964 ^(c)	307 0	230 0
Queensland—			
Southern Division—			
Eastern District, including Brisbane	13.7.64	300 0	225 0
Western District	13.7.64	310 6	233 0
Mackay Division	13.7.64	309 0	231 9
Northern Division—			
Eastern District	13.7.64	310 6	233 0
Western District	13.7.64	332 6	249 6
South Australia ^(d)	22.6.64	303 0	227 0
Western Australia—			
Metropolitan Area	22.9.64	308 0	231 0
South-West Land Division	22.9.64	308 0	231 0
Goldfields and other areas	22.9.64	308 0	231 0
Tasmania ^(b)	June, 1964 ^(c)	314 0	235 6

^(a) Rates are operative from the beginning of the first pay-period commencing after the date shown, or during the month shown. ^(b) No basic wage declared. Rates shown are those adopted by most Wages Boards. ^(c) Wages Boards adopted the Commonwealth rate. ^(d) The "living wage" declared for the metropolitan area is also adopted for country areas, except at Whyalla and nearby areas, where a loading of 5s. for adult males is generally payable.

The Commonwealth basic wage is still the same as that operative from 19th June, 1964 (p. 481).

CHAPTER XIV. OVERSEA TRADE

§ 9. Direction of Oversea Trade

According to Countries, p. 528.—The following table shows particulars of the values of total imports and total exports of Australia, including bullion and specie, according to countries of origin or consignment, for the year 1963–64.

**VALUES OF AUSTRALIAN IMPORTS AND EXPORTS: COUNTRIES OF
ORIGIN OR CONSIGNMENT, 1963-64 p**
(£A. '000 f.o.b.)

Country	Imports	Exports	Country	Imports	Exports
United Kingdom	329,548	255,574	Czechoslovakia	3,197	8,105
Australian Territories—			France	19,907	68,781
Papua-New Guinea	9,068	24,266	Germany, Federal Republic of	65,380	46,237
Other	4,644	3,784	Indonesia	28,040	4,838
Brunei	4,851	86	Iraq	18,823	2,514
Canada	48,031	25,455	Iran	6,383	4,990
Ceylon	8,505	7,153	Italy	20,278	54,112
Hong Kong	9,404	25,099	Japan	81,220	244,391
India	17,297	17,725	Mexico	2,290	7,200
Malaysia	18,237	34,525	Netherlands	15,655	7,575
New Zealand	22,445	82,907	Norway	3,985	3,847
Pakistan	6,980	4,014	Poland	751	7,733
Other Commonwealth countries	23,414	33,732	South Africa	9,157	9,744
Total, Commonwealth Countries	502,424	514,320	Sweden	22,810	2,683
Arabian States	44,426	6,268	Switzerland	15,004	1,029
Austria	3,732	1,782	United States of America	271,830	140,027
Belgium-Luxembourg	8,377	29,895	Other foreign countries(a)	36,012	142,868
China (Mainland)	8,333	84,096	Total, Foreign Countries	685,590	878,715
			Total, All Countries	1,188,014	1,393,035

(a) Includes shipments made "for orders" and imports of unknown origin.

According to Major Groups of Countries, p. 530-1.—The following table shows the trade of Australia during 1963-64 according to major groups of countries.

**OVERSEA TRADE OF AUSTRALIA WITH MAJOR GROUPS OF COUNTRIES(a),
1963-64 p**

Major groups of countries	£A. '000 f.o.b.	Major groups of countries	£A. '000 f.o.b.
STERLING		OTHER NON-STERLING	
Imports—		Imports—	
From—United Kingdom	329,548	From—Countries of the E.E.C. ..	131,537
Other Sterling Area Coun- tries	157,541	Countries of the E.F.T.A. ..	57,451
		Other Countries	192,058
Total	487,089	Total	381,046
Exports—		Exports—	
To—United Kingdom	255,574	To—Countries of the E.E.C. ..	213,814
Other Sterling Area Countries	248,634	Countries of the E.F.T.A. ..	13,720
		Other Countries	493,288
Total	504,208	Total	720,822
Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)	+17,119	Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)	+339,776
NON-STERLING—NORTH AMERICA		ALL GROUPS	
Imports—		Total Imports	1,188,014
From—United States of America(b)	271,848	Total Exports	1,393,035
Canada	48,031	Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)	+205,021
Total	319,879		
Exports—			
To—United States of America(b) ..	142,550		
Canada	25,455		
Total	168,005		
Excess of Exports (+) or Imports (-)	-151,874		

(a) For a list of the countries in each group, see page 530.

(b) Includes Alaska and Hawaiian Islands.

§ 13. Classified Summary of Australian Oversea Trade

Statistical Classes, p. 538.—The following table shows the values of total imports and total exports in statistical classes for the year 1963-64.

VALUE OF OVERSEA TRADE OF AUSTRALIA: CLASSES, 1963-64 p
(£A. '000 f.o.b.)

Class	Imports	Exports	Class	Imports	Exports
I. Animal foodstuffs, etc. . .	14,845	181,623	XIII. Rubber and leather, etc. . .	25,579	5,389
II. Vegetable foodstuffs; non-alcoholic beverages, etc. . .	30,809	363,377	XIV. Wood and wicker, etc. . .	20,569	3,096
III. Alcoholic liquors, etc. . .	4,574	2,769	XV. Earthenware, etc. . .	20,354	1,696
IV. Tobacco, etc. . .	13,440	890	XVI. Paper and stationery . .	71,128	6,497
V. Live animals . . .	964	2,395	XVII. Jewellery, etc. . .	14,991	5,322
VI. Animal substances, etc. . .	7,032	528,227	XVIII. Optical, surgical and scientific instruments . .	21,640	3,686
VII. Vegetable substances, etc. . .	28,830	1,930	XIX. Chemicals, medicinal products, fertilizers, etc. . .	81,683	12,954
VIII. Apparel, textiles, etc. . .	117,680	7,330	XX. Miscellaneous . . .	93,906	38,016
IX. Oils, fats and waxes . .	126,496	28,933	<i>Total, Merchandise</i> . . .	<i>1,185,622</i>	<i>1,382,962</i>
X. Pigments, paints and varnishes . . .	5,806	1,331	XXI. Gold and silver; bronze specie . . .	2,392	10,073
XI. Rocks, minerals, etc. . .	11,789	47,115	Grand Total . . .	1,188,014	1,393,035
XII. Metals, metal manufactures and machinery . .	473,507	140,386			

Imports of Principal Articles, p. 539.—The following table shows the values of the principal articles imported into Australia during 1963-64.

IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES: AUSTRALIA, 1963-64 p

Article	Value
	£A. '000 f.o.b.
Aircraft and parts	19,572
Apparel	11,010
Arms, explosives, military stores, etc.	9,152
Bags and sacks	8,665
Chemicals, medicinal and pharmaceutical products, essential oils and fertilizers	81,683
Cotton, raw, excluding linters and waste	8,309
Electrical machinery, appliances and equipment	58,992
Fibres, excluding cotton	11,488
Glass and glassware	9,510
Iron and steel—	
Bar and rod	8,385
Plate and sheet	12,583
Machines and machinery—	
Motive power	64,389
Other	131,695
Motor vehicles complete; components and parts	117,936
Paper, printing	22,771
Petroleum and shale oils	117,166
Piece-goods—	
Cotton and linen	36,593
Other	24,146
Plastics materials	20,486
Rubber and rubber manufactures	23,224
Stationery and paper manufactures	24,523
Tea	11,832
Timber, undressed, including logs	17,257
Tobacco	11,298
All other articles	325,349
Total Imports	1,188,014

Exports of Principal Articles of Australian Produce, p. 540.—The following table shows the quantities and values of the principal articles of Australian produce exported during 1963–64.

EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE, 1963-64 p

Article	Quantity	Value
		£A. '000 f.o.b.
Butter tons	87,753	27,357
Cheese "	27,860	6,767
Chemicals, drugs, fertilizers "	..	12,954
Coal tons	3,878,287	16,522
Fruit—		
Dried "	66,810	10,792
Fresh, including frozen '000 bus.	10,942	16,958
Preserved in airtight containers tons	126,850	16,777
Gold "	..	7,145
Grains and cereals—		
Barley tons	422,525	9,149
Flour (wheaten), plain white tons(a)	684,493	21,119
Wheat tons	6,800,731	181,228
Hides and skins "	..	45,919
Lead, unwrought, n.e.i. tons	171,784	15,526
Machines and machinery (except dynamo electrical) "	..	20,745
Meats preserved by cold process—		
Beef and veal tons	281,340	88,426
Lamb "	18,636	3,873
Mutton "	66,958	12,383
Pork "	165	66
Meats, tinned "	25,365	6,309
Milk and cream '000 lb.	135,077	8,693
Ores and concentrates tons	1,414,663	28,996
Sugar (cane) "	1,116,188	78,256
Wool(b) '000 lb.	1,616,871	480,767
All other articles "	..	248,506
Total Exports (Australian Produce) "	..	1,365,233

(a) 2,000 lb.

(b) Quantity in terms of greasy wool.

§ 20. The Australian Balance of Payments, p. 547-52

The table following shows, in summary form, revised balance of payments estimates for the years 1961-62 and 1962-63, and preliminary estimates for 1963-64. Further details will be found in the mimeographed publication *Balance of Payments, 1959-60 to 1963-64*.

BALANCE OF PAYMENTS: SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA

(£A. million)

Particulars	1961-62	1962-63	1963-64 p
CURRENT ACCOUNT(a)—			
Exports f.o.b.(b)	1,067	1,065	1,374
Imports f.o.b.(b)	857	1,032	1,124
Balance of Trade	210	33	250
Invisible credits—			
Transportation	81	89	100
Travel	16	14	18
Property income	40	38	44
Government	22	24	33
Other	66	73	92
Invisible debits—			
Transportation(d)	139	155	168
Travel	41	45	51
Property income	148	180	202
Government	27	28	31
Other	79	89	104
<i>Balance on Current Account</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-226</i>	<i>-19</i>
CAPITAL ITEMS(a)—			
Inflow of investment—			
Government securities—			
Domiciled overseas	6	47	11
Domiciled in Australia	-1	-5	(c)
Total, Government Securities	5	42	(c)
Companies—			
Undistributed income	31	52	(c)
Other direct	79	128	(c)
Portfolio	38	42	(c)
Total, Companies	148	222	(c)
Total Inflow of Investment	153	264	(c)
Outflow of investment	-7	-3	(c)
Net inflow of investment	146	261	(c)
Other official capital movements .. .. .	..	-10	-40
Marketing authorities	-33	5	15
Net identified capital inflow	113	256	} (c) 249
Balancing item	-25	44	
Net Apparent Capital Inflow	88	300	249
Monetary movements—			
Change in net I.M.F. position	79	12	..
Change in international reserves	10	65	228
Other .. .. .	..	-3	2
Net Monetary Movements	89	74	230

(a) For current account balances minus sign (-) denotes deficit; for capital items other than monetary movements minus sign (-) denotes outflow; for monetary movements minus sign (-) denotes decrease in international reserves or net I.M.F. position or an increase in foreign holdings of Australian currency.

(b) The amounts shown represent the recorded trade figures adjusted for balance of payments purposes. Adjustments affect both coverage and valuation.

(c) Particulars of the Survey of Oversea Investment are not yet available for 1963-64. Relevant items for this period are therefore combined with the balancing item.

(d) Total freight and insurance on imports, whether payable overseas or in Australia, is estimated at £113,000,000 in 1961-62, £129,000,000 in 1962-63 and £140,000,000 in 1963-64.

CHAPTER XV. TRANSPORT AND COMMUNICATION
SHIPPING

§ 3. Oversea Shipping

Total Oversea Shipping, States, p. 556.—The following table shows particulars of the entrances and clearances of vessels direct from, and to, overseas countries during 1963–64.

**OVERSEA SHIPPING: ENTRANCES AND CLEARANCES
OF VESSELS DIRECT, 1963-64 p**

Particulars		N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Aust.
Entrances	No.	1,184	582	732	274	818	81	45	3,714
	'000 net tons	6,918	3,604	2,746	2,031	4,999	275	151	20,724
Clearances	No.	1,001	583	944	294	866	44	29	3,761
	'000 net tons	6,310	4,041	3,676	1,535	4,974	189	113	20,838

§ 6. Shipping Cargo

Oversea and Interstate Cargo, p. 564.—The following table shows the quantity of shipping cargo discharged and shipped, according to States, during 1963–64.

CARGO DISCHARGED AND SHIPPED: STATES, 1963-64 p

('000 Tons)

State, etc.	Discharged				Shipped			
	Oversea		Interstate		Oversea		Interstate	
	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.	Wt.	Meas.
New South Wales ..	6,975	1,600	7,832	121	6,744	513	3,799	89
Victoria ..	6,694	1,376	2,615	524	3,547	646	1,479	607
Queensland ..	620	372	1,523	197	3,489	112	632	63
South Australia ..	1,800	402	1,572	70	2,616	207	6,324	23
Western Australia ..	4,297	150	646	91	3,185	128	2,764	40
Tasmania ..	326	43	1,033	449	154	253	630	384
Northern Territory ..	59	..	70	1	4	2	5	..
Australia ..	20,771	3,943	15,291	1,453	19,739	1,861	15,633	1,206

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

Summary of Operations, pp. 573-582.—The following table shows a summary of the operations of government railways for the year 1963–64.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS: SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS, 1963-64

Particulars	Cwth	N.S.W.	Vic.	Old (a)	S.A. (b)	W.A. (b)	Tas.	Aust.
Route miles open ..	2,252	6,055	4,242		2,514	3,677	500	
Train-miles .. '000	2,668	39,411	20,113		6,666	7,506	1,322	
Earnings(c)—								
Coaching (passengers, parcels, mails, etc.) £'000	1,197	28,743	14,129		2,150	1,687	182	
Goods, including livestock and minerals ..	5,916	72,323	29,365		11,649	14,894	2,569	
Miscellaneous ..	566	178	2,895		1,038	1,014	83	
Total Earnings(c) ..	7,679	101,244	46,389		14,837	17,595	2,834	
Working expenses £'000	7,158	88,708	45,756		15,533	16,125	3,192	
Net earnings ..	+521	+12,536	+633		-696	+1,470	-358	
Ratio of working expenses to earnings .. %	93.22	87.62	98.64		104.69	91.65	112.64	
Earnings per train-mile ..	57s. 7d.	51s. 4d.	46s. 2d.		44s. 6d.	46s. 11d.	42s. 10d.	
Working expenses per train-mile ..	53s. 8d.	45s. 0d.	45s. 6d.		46s. 7d.	43s. 0d.	48s. 3d.	
Passenger-journeys '000	338	253,796	153,396		15,227	10,814	1,425	
Freight carried—								
Livestock '000 tons	83	553	312		152	115	27	
Coal and coke ..	1,630	9,828	2,289		59	704	199	
Other minerals ..	57	2,355	93		1,372	665	33	
Other goods ..	708	13,144	9,438		3,630	3,703	896	
Total Freight ..	2,478	25,880	12,132		5,213	5,187	1,155	

(a) Excludes South Brisbane-Border section of the uniform gauge line (69 route miles). (b) Financial details include road motors. (c) Excludes government grants.

Minus sign (-) denotes loss.

NOTE.—The foregoing table is prepared from quarterly statements supplied by each government railway, and figures therein are not completely comparable with those shown in Chapter XV. Transport and Communication, which are derived, in the main, from the annual reports of the government railways.

MOTOR VEHICLES

New Vehicles Registered, p. 590.—New motor vehicles registered during 1963-64 were as follows.

NEW MOTOR VEHICLES REGISTERED, 1963-64(a)

State or Territory	Motor cars(b)	Other vehicles (c)	Motor cycles	Total
New South Wales ..	119,711	24,496	1,919	146,126
Victoria ..	90,437	16,455	715	107,607
Queensland ..	45,899	12,409	1,160	59,468
South Australia ..	33,518	6,714	942	41,174
Western Australia ..	24,949	6,999	633	32,581
Tasmania ..	10,268	2,343	53	12,664
Northern Territory ..	978	714	20	1,712
Australian Capital Territory ..	3,578	646	39	4,263
Total ..	329,338	70,776	5,481	405,595

(a) Excludes defence service vehicles, trailers, road tractors, etc., and dealers' plates. (b) Includes taxis, hire cars and station wagons. (c) Includes utilities, panel vans, lorries and omnibuses.

CIVIL AVIATION

Statistical Summaries, p. 604.—The following table shows particulars of the operations of regular internal services and oversea services for the nine months ended 31st March, 1964.

**CIVIL AVIATION: OPERATIONS OF REGULAR INTERNAL SERVICES
AND OVERSEA SERVICES, 1963-64**

Particulars	Regular internal services(a)	Oversea services(b)
Route miles (unduplicated)(c)		
Hours flown	185,385	39,426
Miles flown	36,402	16,382
Paying passengers	2,419,799	260,641
Paying passenger-miles.. .. .	1,047,454	871,794
Freight—		
Tons(d)	46,845	5,874
Ton-miles(d)	22,642	28,019
Mail—		
Tons(d)	5,392	2,017
Ton-miles(d)	2,843	12,228

(a) Includes only services operating within the Australian mainland and Tasmania. (b) Airlines wholly or partly owned by Australian interests. (c) At 30th June, 1964. (d) In terms of short tons (2,000 lb.).

BROADCASTING AND TELEVISION

§ 4. Licences, etc.

Broadcast Listeners' and Television Viewers' Licences, p. 623.—Broadcast listeners' licences in force at 30th June, 1964, were as follows:—New South Wales, 822,499; Victoria, 622,663; Queensland, 342,321; South Australia, 266,027; Western Australia, 174,121; Tasmania, 74,159; Australia, 2,301,790. Figures for the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory have been included with those for South Australia and New South Wales respectively.

Television viewers' licences in force at 30th June, 1964, were as follows:—New South Wales, 721,043; Victoria, 581,286; Queensland, 214,763; South Australia, 194,430; Western Australia, 115,272; Tasmania, 55,305; Australia, 1,882,099.

CHAPTER XVI. WELFARE SERVICES

COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE ON SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

National Welfare Fund, p. 626

The following table sets out expenditure from the fund on social and health services in each State during 1963-64.

COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM NATIONAL WELFARE FUND
ON SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES, 1963-64

(£'000)

Service	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.(a)	A.C.T. (a)	Abroad	Aust.
Social Services—										
Age and invalid pensions ..	79,058	50,118	31,775	18,060	13,686	6,171	474	401	197	199,940
Child endowment ..	29,590	23,433	12,763	7,958	6,497	3,057	419	637	25	84,379
Commonwealth Rehabilitation Service ..	221	206	109	106	81	22	..	..	..	745
Funeral benefits ..	163	105	61	36	28	12	..	1	..	406
Maternity allowances ..	1,325	1,032	564	338	273	136	27	30	4	3,729
Unemployment benefits ..	2,542	1,375	1,347	376	701	375	2	11	..	6,729
Sickness benefits ..	1,397	883	530	254	261	108	6	11	..	3,450
Special benefits ^b ..	186	265	93	34	27	26	1	1	..	633
Widows' pensions ..	7,836	5,158	3,425	1,942	1,557	734	55	54	23	20,784
National Health Services—										
Hospital benefits ..	11,479	6,547	4,315	2,499	2,353	851	..	64	..	28,108
Medical benefits ..	5,109	3,189	1,293	1,410	1,080	343	..	..	..	12,424
Medical benefits for pensioners ..	1,983	1,225	647	448	324	127	..	12	..	4,766
Milk for children ..	1,329	1,092	558	353	308	196	25	27	..	3,888
Pharmaceutical benefits ..	11,012	8,840	4,200	2,450	1,927	617	..	(c) 72	..	29,118
Pharmaceutical benefits for pensioners ..	4,415	2,410	1,565	954	693	264	..	..	..	10,301
Tuberculosis Campaign—										
Allowances ..	277	189	183	64	44	40	..	..	..	797
Maintenance and surveys ^d ..	1,875	1,386	1,059	355	375	181	..	5	..	5,236
Miscellaneous ^(e) ..	53	69	134	7	14	32	31	(f) 552	..	892
Rental rebates ..	..	..	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Total ..	159,850	107,522	64,644	37,644	30,229	13,292	1,040	1,878	249	416,348

(a) Payments for some Health Services to residents of the Northern Territory and the Australian Capital Territory are included in the amounts shown for States. (b) Includes special benefits to migrants in reception and training centres. (c) Includes payments to Flying Doctor Service and Bush Nursing Centres. (d) Paid to the State Governments as a contribution towards the cost of surveys and the maintenance of institutions for the treatment of tuberculosis. (e) This item covers the cost of the Commonwealth Health Laboratory services, subsidies to home nursing services, the cost of radio-active isotopes provided under the National Health Act and running expenses of the Blood Fractionation Plant. (f) Includes running expenses of the Blood Fractionation Plant at the Commonwealth Serum Laboratory, £300,000, subsidies to Home Nursing Services, £186,000, and running cost of Health Laboratories, £62,000.

COMMONWEALTH SOCIAL SERVICES

§ 2. Commonwealth Social Services, pp. 630-9.

The following table gives a summary of age, invalid and widows' pensions, maternity allowances, child endowment, and unemployment, sickness and special benefits for the year 1963-64.

SOCIAL SERVICES: SUMMARY, 1963-64

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Age pensioners at end of year	236,990	159,658	98,408	57,280	41,819	18,803	1,255	973	615,186
Invalid pensioners at end of year	47,264	24,962	16,893	8,293	8,306	3,363	397	247	109,725
Child endowment at end of year—									
Family claims in force	572,377	428,260	219,068	149,449	115,645	53,042	5,991	11,546	1,555,630
Endowed children (a)	1,244,152	956,632	523,093	337,576	275,910	126,896	19,134	26,202	3,510,115
Maternity allowances—									
Claims paid during year	83,580	64,438	34,966	21,096	16,988	8,437	1,663	2,013	623,451
Unemployment, sickness and special benefits—									
Persons admitted to benefit—									
Unemployment benefit	49,132	22,633	36,490	9,007	14,971	6,720	132	415	139,500
Sickness benefit	26,630	16,560	12,133	5,553	6,127	2,167	140	193	69,503
Special benefit—									
Ordinary	945	2,205	684	182	101	135	13	2	4,267
Migrants	351	2,768	12	159	45	..	..	..	3,335
Persons on benefit at end of year—									
Unemployment benefit	6,851	3,380	2,803	1,267	2,367	1,399	6	56	18,129
Sickness benefit	4,365	2,807	1,644	761	859	289	14	37	10,776
Special benefit—									
Ordinary	708	1,100	377	143	112	129	6	2	2,577
Migrants	7	86	..	12	..	..	..	..	105
Benefits paid—									
Unemployment	£ 2,542,013	1,374,817	1,347,109	375,536	701,475	375,123	1,926	11,037	6,729,036
Sickness	£ 1,397,131	883,122	530,218	254,141	261,005	107,545	6,197	11,320	3,450,679
Special(c)	£ 185,540	265,343	93,065	34,725	26,763	26,001	991	345	632,773
Total Benefits Paid(c)	£ 4,124,684	2,523,282	1,970,392	664,402	989,243	508,969	9,114	22,702	10,812,488
Widows' pensions at end of year—									
Total pensions in force	23,481	15,581	10,000	5,842	4,734	2,109	165	212	62,124
Class "A" pensions in force(d)	9,862	6,722	4,759	2,632	2,120	1,090	80	106	27,371

(a) Includes children in approved institutions. (b) Includes claims paid abroad.
(c) Includes payments to migrants. (d) Pensions paid to widows who maintain at least one child under 16 years of age.

CHAPTER XVIII. PUBLIC HEALTH

INSTITUTIONS

§ 1. Public Hospitals (other than Mental Hospitals), § 2. Mental Hospitals, pp. 700-5

The following tables provide summarized information on public and mental hospitals for the year 1962-63.

PUBLIC HOSPITALS, 1962-63

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Hospitals	269	146	139	66	93	28	4	1	746
Medical staff(a)	6,145	2,617	903	850	565	263	20	85	11,448
Nursing staff(b)	15,139	10,509	6,060	3,194	3,318	1,484	230	306	40,240
Beds and cots	23,415	13,395	12,545	4,513	5,049	2,773	480	343	62,513
Average daily number of patients resident	16,811	9,221	8,378	2,901	3,103	1,869	370	259	42,912

(a) Honorary and salaried. (b) Qualified and student nurses, assistant nurses, assistant nurse trainees, nursing aides and nursing aide trainees.

MENTAL HOSPITALS, 1962-63

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q ^l land (a)	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Aust.
Hospitals	15	9	5	2	6	1	38
Medical staff(b)	127	134	18	19	16	5	319
Nursing staff and attendants	2,764	2,760	1,172	566	440	212	7,914
Beds	13,315	9,420	4,308	2,676	1,926	850	32,495
Average daily number of patients resident	11,890		3,776	2,396	1,821	759	

(a) Includes the Epileptic Home. specialists who are paid for their services.

(b) In addition, there are in New South Wales 54 visiting

CHAPTER XXI. PRIVATE FINANCE

CURRENCY

§ 2. Coinage

Issues of Australian Coins, p. 827.—The net issues of Australian coins to 30th June, 1964, were:—silver, £49,261,000; bronze, £4,089,000; total, £53,350,000.

§ 3. Notes

The Australian Note Issue, p. 829.—The average value of notes in circulation for the year 1963-64 was £442,363,000. This amount was distributed in denominations as follows:—10s., £13,608,000; £1, £70,911,000; £5, £198,240,000; £10, £156,547,000; £20, £2,000; £50, £28,000; £100, £31,000; and £1,000, £2,996,000. The amount held by the banks was £65,549,000 and by the public £376,814,000.

BANKING

§ 1. Cheque-Paying Banks

The Reserve Bank of Australia, pp. 835-6.—The average liabilities of the Central Banking Business (including Note Issue Department) of the Reserve Bank for the year ended June, 1964 amounted to £1,125,122,000. Capital and reserve funds amounted to £30,302,000; notes on issue to £438,361,000; statutory reserve deposit accounts of trading banks to £265,677,000; other deposits of trading banks to £7,012,000; term loan fund accounts of trading banks to £34,416,000; deposits of savings banks to £210,153,000; other liabilities to £139,201,000.

Particulars of the average assets were as follows:—gold and balances held abroad, £699,861,000; Australian notes and coin, £9,670,000; cheques and bills of other banks, £1,847,000; government and other securities (including treasury bills), £332,044,000; bills receivable and remittances in transit, £9,128,000; and other assets, £72,572,000.

The Commonwealth Trading Bank of Australia, p. 839.—The average liabilities in Australia of the Commonwealth Trading Bank for the year ended June, 1964, were £349,748,000. Of this amount, deposits not bearing interest amounted to £208,926,000; deposits bearing interest to £135,740,000; balances due to other banks to £968,000; other liabilities to £4,114,000.

The average assets in Australia, £356,848,000, included cash and cash balances £11,960,000; treasury bills and seasonal securities, £5,403,000; other Commonwealth and State government securities, £82,185,000; loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market, £4,552,000; statutory reserve deposits with Reserve Bank, £43,441,000; cheques, bills and balances with other banks, £13,390,000; loans (other than loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market), advances and bills discounted, £179,341,000; other assets, £16,576,000.

Private Trading Banks, p. 840.—Average liabilities in Australia of the Private Trading Banks for the year ended June, 1964, were £1,794,789,000. Deposits not bearing interest amounted to £1,085,729,000 and deposits bearing interest to £662,301,000; balances due to other banks to £10,016,000; other liabilities to £36,743,000.

The average assets in Australia, £1,787,279,000, included cash and cash balances, £56,607,000; treasury bills and seasonal securities, £49,387,000; other Commonwealth and State government securities, £350,916,000; loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market, £27,655,000; statutory reserve deposits with Reserve Bank, £,221,726,000; cheques, bills and balances with other banks, £54,174,000; loans (other than loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market), advances and bills discounted, £927,000,000; other assets, £99,814,000.

Clearing House Returns—Average Weekly Clearings, p. 853.—The average weekly bank clearings in each capital city for the year ended June, 1964, were as follows:—Sydney, £265,784,000; Melbourne, £255,787,000; Brisbane, £57,558,000; Adelaide, £55,460,000; Perth, £31,995,000; Hobart, £8,660,000; total, £675,244,000.

Debits to Customers' Accounts—Cheque-paying Banks, p. 853.—The average weekly debits to customers' accounts in each State for the year 1963–64 for all cheque-paying banks (excluding debits to accounts of Australian Governments in capital cities) were as follows:—New South Wales, £412,389,000; Victoria, £366,595,000; Queensland, £106,600,000; South Australia, £77,539,000; Western Australia, £48,192,000; Tasmania, £18,531,000; Northern Territory, £1,388,000; Australian Capital Territory, £5,731,000; total, £1,036,965,000.

§ 2. Savings Banks

Number of Operative Accounts and Business Transacted, p. 861.—The numbers of operative accounts in the several States at end of June, 1964, were:—New South Wales, 3,817,000; Victoria, 3,418,000; Queensland, 1,448,000; South Australia, 1,181,000; Western Australia, 736,000; Tasmania, 363,000; Northern Territory, 25,000; and Australian Capital Territory, 63,000; total, 11,051,000. The amounts on deposit in the several States at 30th June, 1964, were:—New South Wales, £791,606,000; Victoria, £739,484,000; Queensland, £271,176,000; South Australia, £237,902,000; Western Australia, £119,883,000; Tasmania, £62,385,000; Northern Territory, £4,044,000; and Australian Capital Territory, £11,644,000; total, £2,238,124,000. Total excess of deposits over withdrawals during 1963–64 was £210,875,000; and interest added was £57,403,000.

INSURANCE

§ 2. Life Insurance

New Policies Issued, Policies Discontinued, etc., Premiums and Claims, Australia, pp. 869-77.—The following is a summary of the life insurance business transacted in Australia during 1963 (figures for 1962 in parentheses) compiled from monthly returns collected from the 42 (40) companies registered under the *Life Insurance Act 1945-1961*, and excluding the Government Insurance Office of New South Wales and the Queensland State Government Insurance Office which operate only within their respective States. Particulars shown are therefore not entirely comparable with those in Chapter XXI., which are derived from annual returns and include business of the State Government Offices.

Ordinary, Industrial, and Superannuation Businesses, respectively:—*New policies issued in Australia*—numbers, 327,103 (315,574), 128,886 (155,593), 78,354 (75,283); sums insured, £674,677,000 (£631,541,000), £36,304,000 (£52,171,000), £286,433,000 (£242,711,000); *policies discontinued or reduced in Australia*—numbers, 230,779 (215,729), 250,180 (276,413) 69,074 (96,308); sums insured, £262,855,000 (£247,126,000), £36,231,000 (£33,991,000) £20,232,000 (£85,548,000). Particulars of annuities are excluded.

Premium receipts in Australia of Ordinary, Industrial, and Superannuation Businesses, respectively, amounted to £109,340,000 (£98,596,000); £16,381,000 (£15,906,000); £42,297,000 (£37,025,000); *claims, etc., paid* amounted to—£47,175,000 (£41,470,000); £12,263,000 (£12,827,000); £16,414,000 (£15,086,000). Particulars of annuities are included.

NEW CAPITAL RAISINGS BY COMPANIES IN AUSTRALIA

Companies Listed on Stock Exchanges, p. 882.—The following table shows particulars of new capital raised during the year 1963-64. Corresponding information is not yet available for unlisted companies.

LISTED AUSTRALIAN COMPANIES(a): NEW CAPITAL RAISED THROUGH ISSUES OF SHARES, DEBENTURES, OR REGISTERED NOTES, ETC.(b), OR ACCEPTING DEPOSITS(c)

(£ million)

Year	Share capital						Debentures, registered notes and deposits		
	Value of issues commenced	Non-cash issues commenced (d)	Cash issues commenced	Cash raised during period (e)	Amounts not involving new money	New money	Total amount raised (f)	Amounts not involving new money (f)	New money
1963-64(g)	118.5	50.9	67.6	83.8	20.8	63.0	454.9	376.0	78.9

(a) Includes companies incorporated in the Australian Territories.

(b) Includes convertible notes.

(c) Deposits accepted by banks, life insurance companies, pastoral companies, building societies and loans to authorized dealers in the short-term money market are not included.

(d) Includes bonus issues, conversion issues, issues in exchange for existing shares, etc.

(e) Amounts paid up on issues commenced during the year plus calls on issues commenced in earlier years.

(f) Includes conversions, renewals, etc.

(g) Subject to revision.

OVERSEA INVESTMENT BY PRIVATE INVESTORS

Net Annual Flow of Investment, p. 889.—The net annual flow of investment to Australia for the year ended 30th June, 1963, was £A. 261.2 m. Total annual *inflow* was £A. 264.3m. Of this amount, £A. 222.5m. was invested in companies in Australia, £A.—4.9m. in public authority securities domiciled in Australia, and £A. 46.7m. in Australian public authority debt domiciled overseas. Total annual *outflow* was £A. 3.1m.; £A. 3.0m. was invested in companies overseas, and net remittances from Australia by life insurance companies were £A. 0.1m.

CHAPTER XXII. PUBLIC FINANCE

COMMONWEALTH FINANCE

§ 3. Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund pp. 908 and 919.

The table below shows details of revenue and expenditure for the year 1963–64.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND: REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1963-64

(£'000)

Revenue		Expenditure	
Particulars	Amount	Particulars	Amount
Taxation—		Debt charges	68,940
Income tax—		Defence services(a)	221,747
Individuals	636,144	War and repatriation services ..	117,196
Companies	293,130	National Welfare Fund—	
Dividend (withholding) ..	7,968	Expenditure on social services	416,348
Customs	116,286	Loan consolidation and invest-	
Excise	291,232	ment reserve trust account ..	14,875
Sales tax	162,595	Business undertakings—	
Pay-roll tax	68,222	Postmaster-General	115,924
Estate duty	19,936	Broadcasting and television	
Other taxes	3,244	services	15,974
<i>Total</i>	1,598,757	Railways	5,895
Business undertakings—		<i>Total</i>	137,793
Postmaster-General	165,432	Territories	42,441
Broadcasting and television		Works and services—	
services	14,627	Business undertakings	76,653
Railways	7,830	Other	94,383
<i>Total</i>	187,889	<i>Total</i>	171,036
Territories	9,519	Payments to or for States	458,875
Other revenue	108,523	Other expenditure	(b) 255,437
<i>Grand Total</i>	1,904,688	<i>Grand Total</i>	1,904,688

(a) In addition, an amount of £38,715,000 was spent from Loan Fund. on the redemption of Treasury Bills.

(b) Includes expenditure

COMMONWEALTH AND STATE FINANCE

Revenue and Expenditure, p. 950.—Preliminary information relating to Commonwealth and State revenue and expenditure during 1963–64 is given below.

COMMONWEALTH AND STATE REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE, 1963–64 p
(£'000)

Government of—	Consolidated Revenue Fund		
	Revenue	Expenditure	Surplus (+) or deficit (—)
New South Wales	(a) 343,591	(a) 343,321	+270
Victoria	222,184	222,437	—253
Queensland	130,448	130,227	+221
South Australia	101,503	99,878	+1,625
Western Australia	83,944	85,340	—1,396
Tasmania	33,918	34,511	—593
<i>Six States</i>	<i>915,588</i>	<i>915,714</i>	<i>—126</i>
Commonwealth	1,904,688	1,904,688	..
Grand Total—Unadjusted	2,820,276	2,820,402	—126
Adjusted(b)	2,440,398	2,440,524	—126

(a) Represents the combined transactions of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the Business Undertakings—Railways, Tramways and Omnibuses and Sydney Harbour Section of the Maritime Services Board—included in the annual Budget Papers. Adjustments have been made to exclude duplications.
(b) To avoid duplication in aggregating particulars for the Commonwealth and States, the grand totals have been adjusted to exclude State payments to the Commonwealth in respect of pay-roll tax and Commonwealth payments to the States included in State Consolidated Revenue Funds in respect of interest on State debts, special grants, financial assistance grants, special financial assistance, grants to universities, tuberculosis, capital expenditure and National Welfare payments. There are other relatively minor payments for which adjustments have not been made and the adjusted figures are therefore still slightly overstated.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE: COMMONWEALTH AND STATES

§ 3. Government Securities on Issue: Commonwealth and States

Securities on Issue and Annual Interest Payable, p. 954.—The following table shows details of the government securities on issue on account of the Commonwealth and States and the annual interest payable thereon at 30th June, 1964.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES ON ISSUE AND ANNUAL INTEREST PAYABLE AT 30th JUNE, 1964: COMMONWEALTH AND STATES

Particulars	Currency in which repayable							Australian currency equivalent(a)	
	Australian currency	Sterling	United States dollars	Canadian dollars	Swiss francs	Netherlands guilders	German Deutsche marks	Total amount on issue	Total interest liability
	£A.'000	£Stg.'000	U.S. \$'000	Can. \$'000	Sw. fr. '000	fl.'000	D.M.'000	£A.'000	£A.'000
Commonwealth	1,284,357	79,393	351,347	50,376	194,288	7,150	37,901	1,586,198	59,140
States	2,874,821	284,795	220,966	16,065	50,296	32,850	..	3,345,281	147,639
Grand Total	4,159,178	364,188	572,313	66,441	244,584	40,000	37,901	4,931,479	206,779

(a) Converted at rates of exchange ruling at 30th June, 1964.

TAXES ON INCOME

Commonwealth Income Tax and Social Service Contribution Assessments, pp. 983-4.—
The following table shows particulars for resident individuals for the 1962-63 assessment year.

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRIBUTION
1962-63 ASSESSMENT: NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS, ACTUAL INCOME(a),
TAXABLE INCOME (b), AND NET INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL SERVICES
CONTRIBUTION ASSESSED—RESIDENT INDIVIDUALS**

(Income derived in the year 1961-62)

Grade of actual income and State or Territory of assessment		Number of taxpayers	Actual income (a)	Taxable income(b)		Net Income Tax and Social Services Contribution assessed
				Salary and wages	Total	
£	£		£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
105-199		159,892	24,777	19,372	23,626	186
200-299		181,445	45,128	33,205	41,517	707
300-399		207,996	72,965	53,238	65,616	1,915
400-499		240,502	108,267	79,000	96,117	3,872
500-599		255,915	140,642	98,569	123,130	6,265
600-699		287,667	187,066	134,143	162,153	9,810
700-799		285,783	214,194	150,305	182,287	12,528
800-899		295,816	251,680	169,435	204,888	15,351
900-999		338,675	321,831	214,460	251,914	20,203
1,000-1,099		362,021	380,028	250,204	289,220	24,854
1,100-1,199		328,910	377,514	245,569	284,112	26,186
1,200-1,299		275,566	343,768	219,488	257,175	25,220
1,300-1,399		222,923	300,111	187,308	223,507	23,270
1,400-1,499		172,220	249,261	152,710	186,805	20,698
1,500-1,999		448,352	761,689	431,951	573,258	72,574
2,000-2,999		226,306	535,365	241,670	417,142	69,538
3,000-3,999		58,771	200,596	65,655	164,710	36,335
4,000-4,999		24,652	109,244	29,418	92,356	24,494
5,000-9,999		27,154	176,325	37,655	154,011	53,244
10,000-14,999		3,112	36,935	7,293	33,176	14,836
15,000-19,999		812	13,865	2,539	12,413	6,119
20,000-29,999		396	9,439	1,439	8,395	4,464
30,000-49,999		153	5,495	789	4,758	2,665
50,000 and over		69	6,660	324	4,633	2,757
Total, Residents		4,405,108	4,872,845	2,825,739	3,856,919	478,091
Central Office		14,828	44,696	9,018	37,074	11,313
New South Wales		1,660,133	1,877,881	1,142,420	1,496,293	186,988
Victoria		1,277,563	1,412,672	831,725	1,129,224	141,160
Queensland		574,828	599,796	315,008	459,381	53,613
South Australia		409,455	429,460	242,418	339,129	38,420
Western Australia		293,777	317,092	169,464	248,421	29,354
Tasmania		136,278	141,361	83,349	109,072	12,020
Northern Territory		9,174	12,702	6,952	8,355	1,045
Australian Capital Territory		29,072	37,185	25,385	29,970	4,178
Total, Residents		4,405,108	4,872,845	2,825,739	3,856,919	478,091

(a) Actual income is defined briefly as "Gross income including exempt income less expenses incurred in gaining that income". (b) Taxable income is the income remaining after deducting from assessable income all allowable deductions.

The following table shows particulars for resident and non-resident companies for the 1962-63 assessment year.

**COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX AND SOCIAL SERVICES CONTRIBUTION
1962-63 ASSESSMENT: NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS, TAXABLE INCOME(a),
AND NET TAX ASSESSED—RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT COMPANIES.**

(Income derived in the year 1961-62)

Grade of taxable income	Taxable			Non-taxable		
	Number of taxpayers	Taxable income(a)	Net Tax assessed (b)	Number of taxpayers	Taxable income(a) (c)	Loss for year
£ £		£'000	£'000		£'000	£'000
Private Companies—						
Loss .. .. .	..	..	..	19,795	..	39,915
Nil .. .. .	..	..	..	7,550	..	..
1- 999	14,020	5,442	1,265	2,024	857	..
1,000- 4,999	18,476	49,122	10,956	2,607	6,428	..
5,000- 9,999	6,672	45,901	10,994	728	5,136	..
10,000- 19,999	3,018	41,751	10,983	362	4,960	..
20,000- 49,999	1,452	43,320	11,906	160	4,788	..
50,000- 99,999	322	21,438	5,959	26	1,786	..
100,000-199,999	111	15,455	4,396	2	237	..
200,000-499,999	28	6,978	1,927	..	..	..
500,000-999,999	2	1,062	189	..	..	..
1,000,000 and over	2	2,109	790	..	..	..
Total	44,103	232,578	59,365	33,254	24,192	39,915
Non-private Companies—						
Loss .. .. .	..	..	..	2,393	..	31,978
Nil .. .. .	..	..	..	1,255	..	..
1- 999	1,905	560	189	97	34	..
1,000- 4,999	2,002	5,724	1,901	157	452	..
5,000- 9,999	1,445	10,097	3,455	87	645	..
10,000- 19,999	1,050	15,012	5,117	109	1,577	..
20,000- 49,999	1,267	40,630	13,269	134	4,251	..
50,000- 99,999	747	52,563	16,518	70	4,656	..
100,000-199,999	487	68,901	21,152	42	5,585	..
200,000-499,999	318	98,950	29,368	25	7,994	..
500,000-999,999	89	60,221	18,556	11	8,148	..
1,000,000 and over	101	290,193	94,347	1	1,385	..
Total	9,411	642,851	203,872	4,381	34,727	31,978
All Companies—						
Private and non-private	53,514	875,429	263,237	37,635	58,919	71,893
Special section	1,380	8,775	3,311	3	2	1
Non-profit	452	1,483	487	580	10	123
Co-operative	1,796	3,484	1,133	337	23	364
Grand Total	57,142	889,171	268,168	38,555	58,954	72,381

(a) Taxable income is the income remaining after deducting from assessable income all allowable deductions.

(b) Excludes additional tax levied on the undistributed income of private companies, £988,000.

(c) Net tax assessed is nil because of rebates, etc.

CHAPTER XXIII. RURAL INDUSTRY

AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

§ 2. Distribution, Production and Value of Crops

Distribution and Production, pp. 996-9.—The following table shows preliminary figures for the area and production of major crops in Australia during the season 1963-64.

AREA AND PRODUCTION OF CROPS: AUSTRALIA, 1963-64 p

Crop	Area	Production	Crop	Area	Production
	'000 acres	'000		'000 acres	'000
Cereals for grain—			Industrial crops—		
Barley ..	2,013	43,395 bus.	Cotton ..	39	
Maize ..	215		Flax (for linseed) ..	118	30 tons
Oats ..	3,392	68,234 "	Peanuts ..	44	
Rice ..	59	7,454 "	Sugar cane (for crushing) ..	418	12,118 tons
Sorghum ..	366	7,887 "	Tobacco ..	28	
Wheat ..	16,474	327,912 "	Other ..	193	
Other ..	126				
Total ..	22,645	..	Total ..	840	..
			Potatoes ..	103	
Hay ..	2,602	4,269 tons	Vineyards, orchards, etc. ..	757	
Green fodder ..	4,877		Grand Total ..	(a)32,043	..
Grass seed ..	219				

(a) Includes an estimate for particulars not yet available.

Total area of crops in each State and Territory during 1963-64 was:—New South Wales, 8,994,000 acres; Victoria, 6,106,000 acres; Queensland, 3,663,000 acres; South Australia, 5,975,000 acres; Western Australia, 6,915,000 acres; Tasmania, 380,000 acres; Northern Territory, 2,000 acres; Australian Capital Territory, 8,000 acres.

PASTORAL PRODUCTION

§ 1. Introduction

Livestock Numbers, p. 1051.—The following table shows, for each State and Territory, the numbers of livestock at 31st March, 1964.

LIVESTOCK NUMBERS, 31st MARCH, 1964 p

('000)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Horses ..	163	56	206	n.a.	39	8	39	1	(a) 512
Cattle ..	4,789	3,301	7,402	694	1,299	450	1,055	14	19,004
Sheep ..	71,764	28,413	24,337	16,403	20,165	3,600	9	289	164,980
Pigs ..	391	322	388	153	128	83	3	(b)	1,468

(a) Incomplete. Excludes South Australia.

(b) Less than 500.

§ 5. Pastoral Products: Wool

Wool Production, p. 1061.—The estimated production of wool (greasy basis) in Australia during 1963–64 was 1,781,700,000 lb.

§ 6. Pastoral Products: Meat

Production of Meat, pp. 1069 and 1071.—The following table shows, for each State and Territory, the production of meat during 1963–64.

PRODUCTION OF MEAT, 1963-64 p
(Tons Carcass Weight)

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N.T.	A.C.T.	Aust.
Beef and veal ..	281,879	219,140	328,126	38,798	64,471	25,672	9,414	2,230	969,730
Mutton and lamb	203,525	223,804	42,931	54,084	37,004	20,313	73	1,944	583,678
Total meat (incl. pigmeats) ..	514,222	468,104	400,332	104,044	111,420	51,919	9,579	4,482	1,664,102

OTHER RURAL INDUSTRIES: DAIRYING, POULTRY AND BEE-FARMING

§ 1. The Dairying Industry

Principal Dairy Products, pp. 1079 and 1088.—Particulars of the total production of these commodities in each State and the Australian Capital Territory during 1963–64 are shown below.

PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCTS, 1963-64 p

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	A.C.T.	Aust.(a)
Total whole milk								
'000 gals.	328,411	688,937	239,368	96,016	56,797	83,152	1,153	1,493,910
Butter(b) .. tons	36,451	103,455	35,518	7,501	6,992	13,770	1	203,688
Cheese(b) .. tons	5,147	25,183	9,492	15,030	1,494	1,334	..	57,680
Pigmeats .. tons	28,818	25,160	29,275	11,162	9,945	5,934	308	110,694

(a) Includes Northern Territory.

(b) Factory and farm production.

CHAPTER XXVI. MINERAL INDUSTRY

§ 2. The Mineral Industry

Quantity and Value of Production, pp. 1146 and 1184.—In the following table, particulars are given of the local value of production of metal and other mining for Australia in 1963, together with the quantities of the principal minerals produced during 1963.

MINERAL PRODUCTION: QUANTITIES AND VALUES, AUSTRALIA, 1963 p
METALLIC MINERALS

Principal contents of metallic minerals produced								Local value of production—metal mining
Copper	Gold	Iron	Lead	Silver	Tin	Tungsten (a)	Zinc	
'000 tons	'000 fine oz.	'000 tons	'000 tons	'000 fine oz.	tons	tons	'000 tons	£'000
113	1,023	3,557	410	19,581	2,852	960	351	96,746

(a) In terms of WO₃ (tungstic oxide).

MINERAL PRODUCTION: QUANTITIES AND VALUES, AUSTRALIA, 1963 p
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NON-METALLIC AND FUEL MINERALS

Quantities produced						Local value of production—non-metal and fuel mining £'000
Coal		Asbestos	Gypsum	Limestone(a)	Salt	
Black	Brown					
'000 tons	'000 tons	short tons	tons	'000 tons	tons	'000
24,857	18,457	13,374	687,319	6,761	582,787	80,937

(a) Excludes limestone used as a construction material.

§ 3. Gold, § 4. Lead, Silver and Zinc, § 5. Copper, § 6. Tin,
pp. 1150, 1156, 1159 and 1161

Smelter and refinery production of the principal metals treated in Australia during the year 1963 is shown below.

SMELTER AND REFINERY PRODUCTION OF PRINCIPAL METALS: AUSTRALIA,
1963

Refined gold	Refined silver (a)	Refined lead (a)	Lead content of lead bullion produced for export (a)	Refined zinc (a)	Refined copper (a)	Refined tin (a)
'000 fine oz.	'000 fine oz.	tons	tons	tons	tons	tons
1,119	8,871	224,605	80,661	179,777	86,115	2,626

(a) Source: Bureau of Mineral Resources.

CHAPTER XXVIII. REPATRIATION

§ 2. War Pensions, § 3. Service Pensions, pp. 1205-10

The following table gives a summary of war and service pensions current at 30th June, 1964, and of the amounts paid in pensions during the year 1963-64.

WAR AND SERVICE PENSIONS: SUMMARY, 1963-64

Particulars	N.S.W.	Vic.	Qld	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Abroad	Total
Number of Pensions in force at 30th June(a)—								
War pensions ..	225,971	189,583	98,327	65,601	57,010	27,904	4,457	668,853
Service pensions ..	20,360	15,874	11,118	6,822	7,754	2,660	..	64,588
Miscellaneous pensions ..	336	168	553	95	37	9	7	1,205
Amounts paid (£'000)—								
War pensions(b) ..	26,629	22,798	11,542	6,768	5,782	3,079	828	77,426
Service pensions(b) ..	3,990	2,827	1,912	1,345	1,588	437	..	12,099

(a) Includes dependants of eligible pensioners.

(b) Includes miscellaneous pensions.

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