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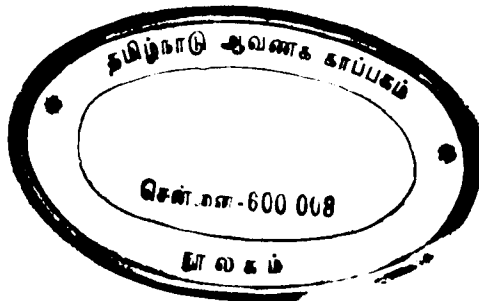
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## PREFACE.



THE main intention of this Supplement is to bring up to date the more important tables and diagrams in the Handbook, but the opportunity has also been taken to revise figures in the text to which reference is likely to be made, and to correct the more important sections of the letterpress which have gone out of date. A very considerable number of amendments have, however, been held over for the next full edition of the Handbook, and it is not to be assumed that items in the 1922 edition which remain uncorrected are necessarily up to date.

The references at the beginning of each addendum show the page, and in some cases the paragraph, of the Handbook to which the addendum is to be made.

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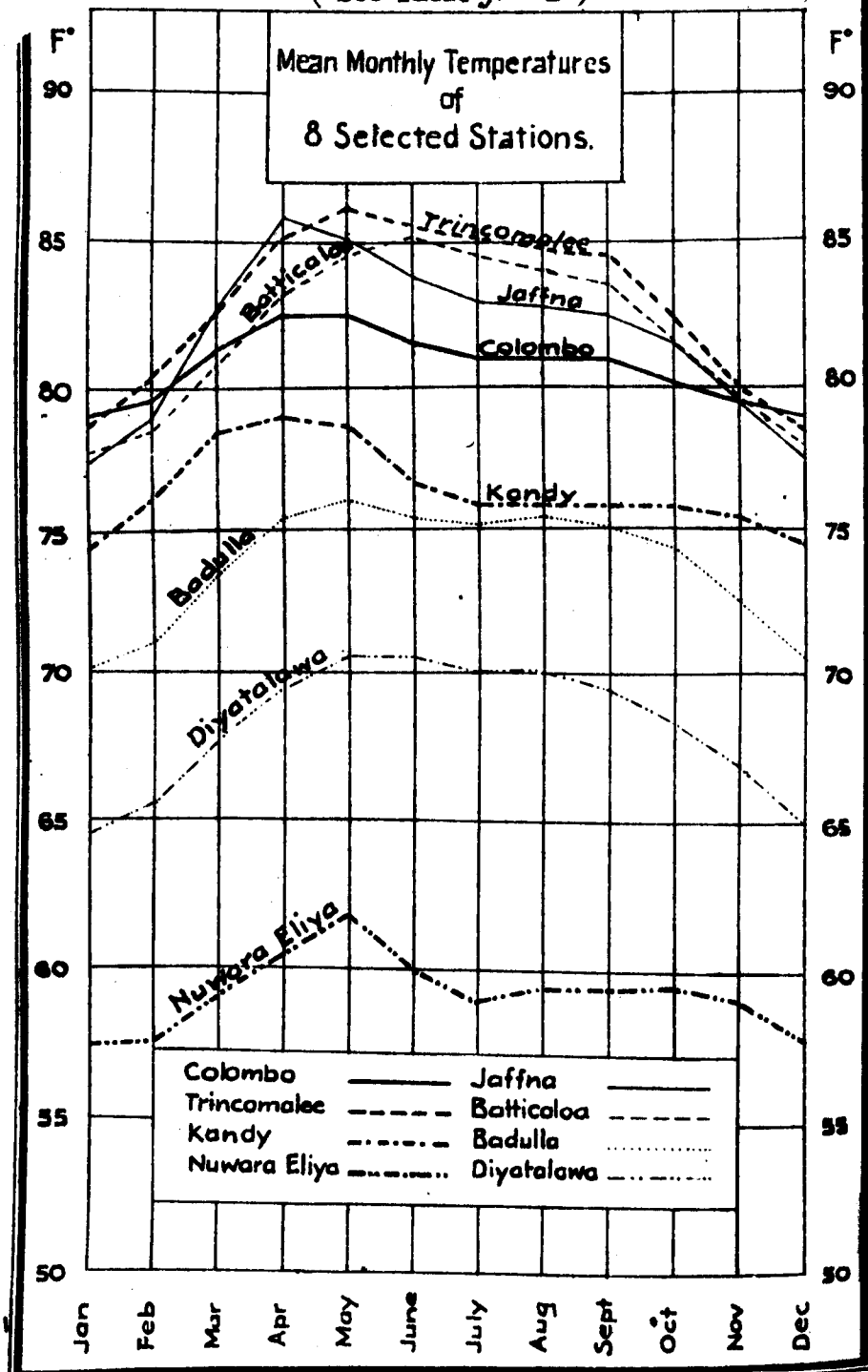
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DIAGRAM No. 1  
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# MEAN MONTHLY RAINFALL

OF 12 SELECTED STATIONS

figures along the curve denote the number of wet days

Annual averages (in inches) are shown to the right of the name of each station

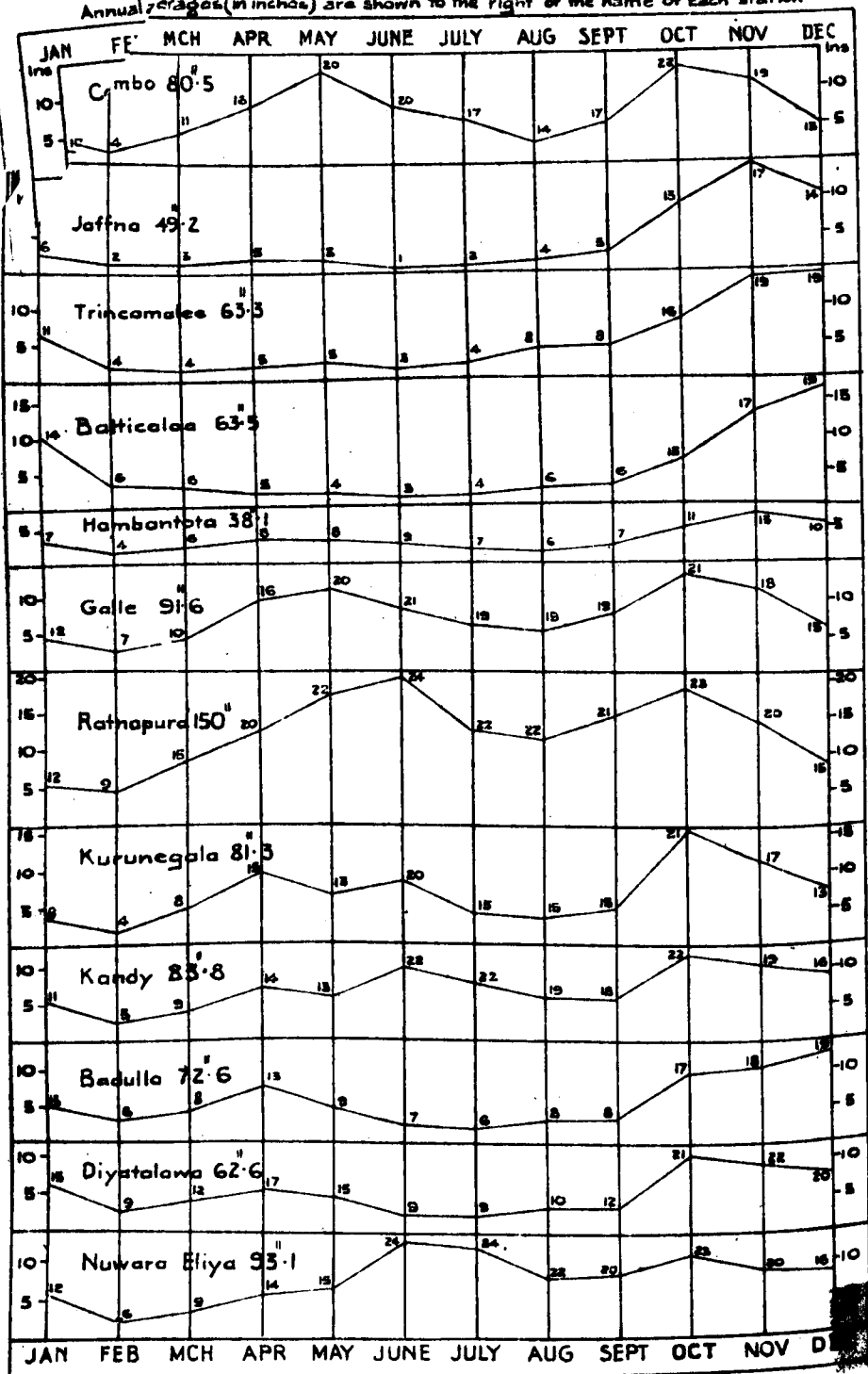


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### SECTION I.—INTRODUCTION.

#### Sub-section 2.—Climate.

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TABLE No. 1.—Mean Monthly and Yearly Temperatures of Eight Selected Stations.

(See Diagram No. 1.)

| Station.     | Elevation. | Jan. | Feb. | Mar. | Apr. | May | Jun. | July | Aug. | Sep. | Oct. | Nov. | Dec. | Year |
|--------------|------------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|              | Ft.        |      |      |      |      |     |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
| Colombo      | 2479       | 179  | 78   | 81   | 82   | 82  | 81   | 81   | 81   | 80   | 279  | 079  | 080  | 7    |
| Jaffna       | 1477       | 579  | 082  | 885  | 885  | 283 | 883  | 082  | 882  | 581  | 079  | 477  | 681  | 7    |
| Trincomalee  | 9978       | 780  | 382  | 085  | 286  | 285 | 085  | 284  | 884  | 082  | 580  | 078  | 682  | 9    |
| Batticaloa   | 2677       | 878  | 580  | 883  | 284  | 085 | 284  | 084  | 083  | 081  | 679  | 678  | 081  | 8    |
| Kandy        | 1654       | 74   | 476  | 178  | 478  | 978 | 776  | 675  | 875  | 875  | 875  | 474  | 570  | 4    |
| Badulla      | 2225       | 70   | 271  | 073  | 475  | 470 | 075  | 475  | 275  | 475  | 174  | 372  | 570  | 7    |
| Diyatalawa   | 4129       | 64   | 665  | 667  | 869  | 470 | 670  | 570  | 070  | 169  | 568  | 467  | 065  | 682  |
| Nuwara Eliya | 6188       | 57   | 457  | 559  | 160  | 461 | 860  | 059  | 059  | 459  | 459  | 059  | 257  | 859  |

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TABLE No. 2.—Mean\* Monthly Rainfall of Twelve Selected Stations (See Diagram No. 2.)

| Station.     | January. | February. | March. | April.  | May.    | June.   | July.   |
|--------------|----------|-----------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|              | In. †    | In. †     | In. †  | In. †   | In. †   | In. †   | In. †   |
| Colombo      | 3.56     | 10.172    | 4.08   | 11.778  | 16.1241 | 20.778  | 20.601  |
| Jaffna       | 2.54     | 6.120     | 2.111  | 3.197   | 5.173   | 3.068   | 1.098   |
| Trincomalee  | 6.54     | 11.209    | 4.152  | 4.197   | 5.247   | 3.130   | 3.203   |
| Batticaloa   | 10.20    | 14.329    | 6.247  | 6.189   | 5.172   | 4.101   | 3.127   |
| Hambantota   | 3.34     | 7.145     | 4.27   | 6.332   | 8.311   | 8.242   | 9.167   |
| Galle        | 4.31     | 12.270    | 7.427  | 10.984  | 16.1125 | 22.996  | 24.1286 |
| Ratnapura    | 5.33     | 12.436    | 9.58   | 15.1245 | 20.1764 | 22.819  | 20.401  |
| Kurunegala   | 3.66     | 8.157     | 4.91   | 8.939   | 15.627  | 13.964  | 22.750  |
| Kandy        | 5.22     | 11.223    | 5.386  | 9.678   | 14.543  | 9.229   | 7.199   |
| Badulla      | 9.71     | 15.302    | 6.434  | 8.740   | 13.445  | 15.213  | 9.211   |
| Diyatalawa   | 6.18     | 15.239    | 9.400  | 12.561  | 17.479  | 15.1285 | 24.1207 |
| Nuwara Eliya | 5.65     | 12.203    | 6.332  | 9.666   | 14.664  | 15.1285 | 24.1207 |

\* Over 40 years on the average.

† Number of wet days in the month. 12(38)25-860.

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TABLE No. 2.—Mean\* Monthly Rainfall of Twelve Selected Stations—(contd).  
(See Diagram No. 2.)

| Station.     | August. |    | September. |    | October. |    | November. |    | December. |    | Annual Average. |
|--------------|---------|----|------------|----|----------|----|-----------|----|-----------|----|-----------------|
|              | In.     | †  | In.        | †  | In.      | †  | In.       | †  | In.       | †  |                 |
|              |         |    |            |    |          |    |           |    |           |    | Inches.         |
| Colombo      | 2.94    | 14 | 5.29       | 17 | 13.00    | 22 | 11.09     | 19 | 4.84      | 13 | 80.5            |
| Jaffna       | 1.50    | 4  | 2.88       | 5  | 9.46     | 13 | 14.54     | 17 | 10.68     | 14 | 49.2            |
| Trincomalee  | 4.12    | 8  | 4.47       | 8  | 8.28     | 16 | 14.02     | 19 | 14.45     | 19 | 63.3            |
| Batticaloa   | 2.19    | 6  | 2.65       | 6  | 6.44     | 13 | 13.19     | 17 | 16.78     | 19 | 63.5            |
| Hambantota   | 1.23    | 6  | 2.33       | 7  | 4.81     | 11 | 6.78      | 13 | 5.44      | 10 | 38.1            |
| Galle        | 5.42    | 19 | 8.01       | 19 | 13.29    | 21 | 11.46     | 18 | 6.68      | 15 | 91.6            |
| Ratnapura    | 11.93   | 22 | 14.96      | 21 | 18.85    | 23 | 14.34     | 20 | 8.77      | 15 | 150.0           |
| Kurunegala   | 3.48    | 15 | 5.01       | 15 | 15.08    | 21 | 11.49     | 17 | 7.65      | 13 | 81.3            |
| Kandy        | 5.69    | 19 | 5.93       | 18 | 11.80    | 22 | 10.57     | 19 | 9.12      | 16 | 83.8            |
| Badulla      | 3.22    | 8  | 3.37       | 8  | 9.88     | 17 | 10.45     | 18 | 12.43     | 19 | 72.6            |
| Diyatalawa   | 3.49    | 10 | 3.59       | 12 | 10.62    | 21 | 9.53      | 22 | 8.11      | 20 | 62.6            |
| Nuwara Eliya | 7.91    | 22 | 8.29       | 20 | 11.13    | 23 | 9.00      | 20 | 8.57      | 16 | 93.1            |

\* Over 40 years on the average.

† Number of wet days in the month.

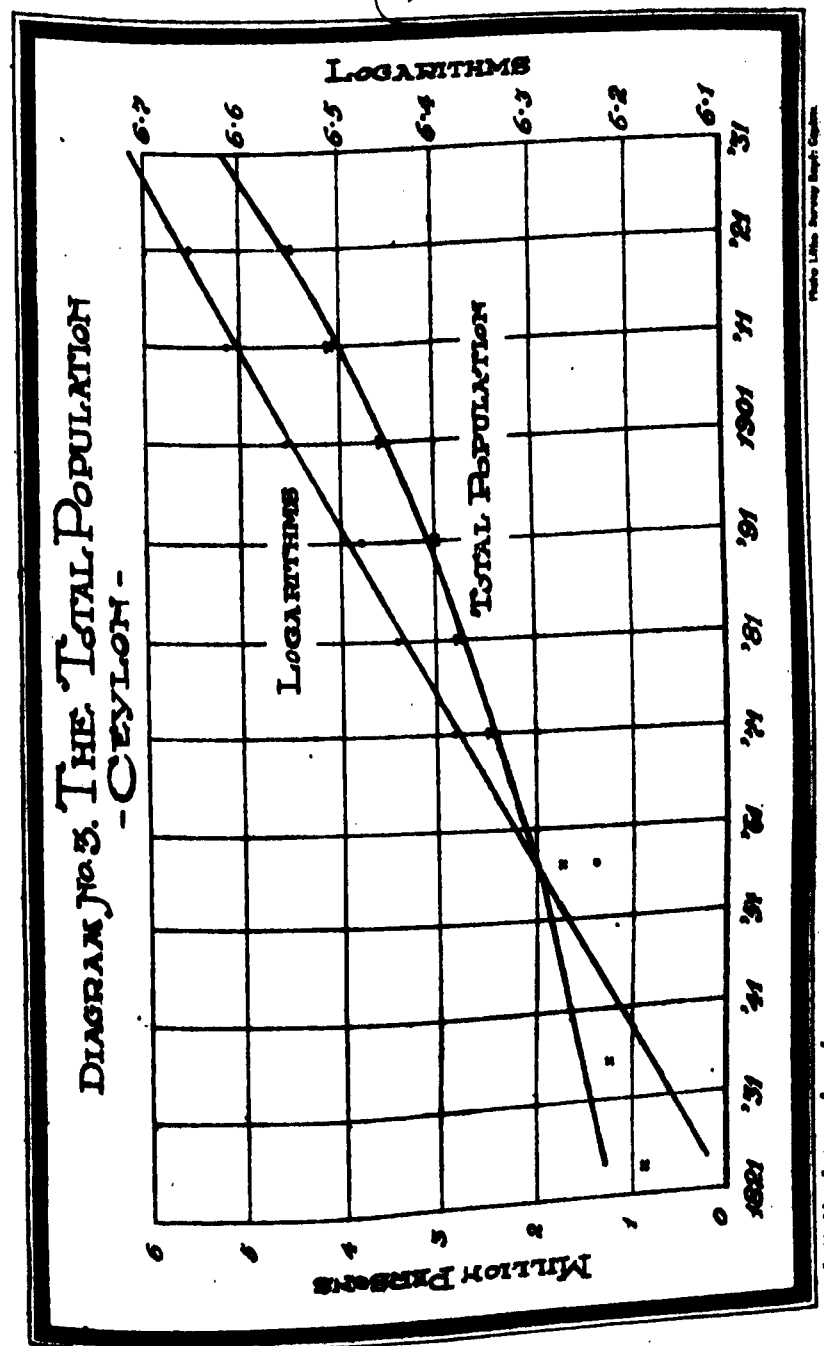
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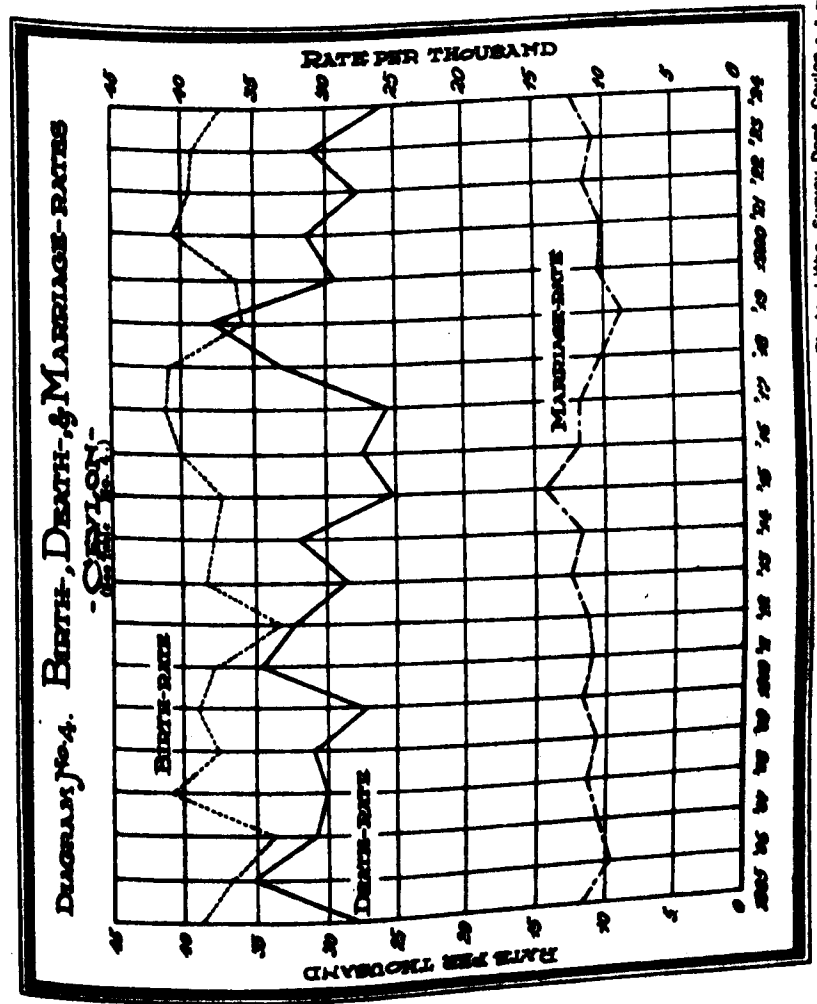
TABLE No. 4.—Birth-, Death-, and Marriage\*-rates, Ceylon, 1901–1924.  
(See Diagram No. 4.)

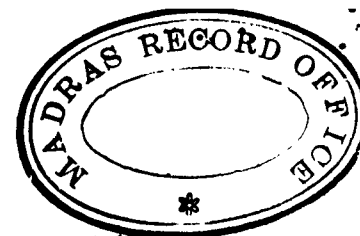
| Year.   | Birth-<br>rate per<br>1,000. | Death-<br>rate per<br>1,000. | Marriage-<br>rate per<br>1,000. | Year.   | Birth-<br>rate per<br>1,000. | Death-<br>rate per<br>1,000. | Marriage-<br>rate per<br>1,000. |
|---------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1901 .. | 37.5 ..                      | 27.6 ..                      | 14.2                            | 1913 .. | 38.5 ..                      | 28.4 ..                      | 12.4                            |
| 1902 .. | 38.5 ..                      | 27.5 ..                      | 16.4                            | 1914 .. | 37.9 ..                      | 32.0 ..                      | 11.7                            |
| 1903 .. | 40.0 ..                      | 25.9 ..                      | 13.8                            | 1915 .. | 37.2 ..                      | 25.4 ..                      | 14.5                            |
| 1904 .. | 38.5 ..                      | 24.9 ..                      | 12.6                            | 1916 .. | 39.9 ..                      | 27.4 ..                      | 12.2                            |
| 1905 .. | 38.7 ..                      | 27.7 ..                      | 11.8                            | 1917 .. | 41.4 ..                      | 25.5 ..                      | 12.1                            |
| 1906 .. | 36.5 ..                      | 35.1 ..                      | 9.8                             | 1918 .. | 41.0 ..                      | 33.4 ..                      | 10.6                            |
| 1907 .. | 33.6 ..                      | 30.7 ..                      | 10.4                            | 1919 .. | 35.9 ..                      | 37.5 ..                      | 9.0                             |
| 1908 .. | 41.0 ..                      | 30.1 ..                      | 11.4                            | 1920 .. | 36.5 ..                      | 29.5 ..                      | 10.3                            |
| 1909 .. | 37.5 ..                      | 31.0 ..                      | 10.8                            | 1921 .. | 40.9 ..                      | 31.3 ..                      | 10.2                            |
| 1910 .. | 39.0 ..                      | 27.3 ..                      | 11.8                            | 1922 .. | 39.4 ..                      | 27.8 ..                      | 11.4                            |
| 1911 .. | 37.9 ..                      | 34.8 ..                      | 11.1                            | 1923 .. | 39.1 ..                      | 30.6 ..                      | 10.8                            |
| 1912 .. | 33.2 ..                      | 32.3 ..                      | 11.2                            | 1924 .. | 37.3 ..                      | 25.7 ..                      | 12.1                            |

\* Greatly understated, as a large number of marriages is not registered.



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TABLE No. 4a.—Infantile Mortality, 1901-1924.

| Year. | Deaths of Children<br>under 1 year to 1,000<br>Births registered. | Year. | Deaths of Children<br>under 1 year to 1,000<br>Births registered. |
|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1901  | 170                                                               | 1913  | 189                                                               |
| 1902  | 173                                                               | 1914  | 213                                                               |
| 1903  | 164                                                               | 1915  | 171                                                               |
| 1904  | 174                                                               | 1916  | 184                                                               |
| 1905  | 176                                                               | 1917  | 174                                                               |
| 1906  | 198                                                               | 1918  | 188                                                               |
| 1907  | 186                                                               | 1919  | 223                                                               |
| 1908  | 183                                                               | 1920  | 182                                                               |
| 1909  | 202                                                               | 1921  | 192                                                               |
| 1910  | 176                                                               | 1922  | 188                                                               |
| 1911  | 218                                                               | 1923  | 212                                                               |
| 1912  | 215                                                               | 1924  | 186                                                               |

## PAGES 16 and 17, Occupation Statistics.

Statistics of occupations collected at the Census of 1921 are given in Chapter VII. (pp. 72-90) of Volume I., Part II., of the 1921 Census Publications.

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TABLE No. 8.—Number of Schools and Scholars in 1924.

| Class of<br>Schools. | English.                 |        |        |                              | Anglo-Vernacular.        |        |        |                              |
|----------------------|--------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------------|--------------------------|--------|--------|------------------------------|
|                      | Number<br>of<br>Schools. | Boys.  | Girls. | Total<br>No. of<br>Scholars. | Number<br>of<br>Schools. | Boys.  | Girls. | Total<br>No. of<br>Scholars. |
| Total                | 312                      | 40,103 | 11,116 | 51,219                       | 76                       | 10,196 | 3,691  | 13,887                       |
| Government           | 19                       | 2,827  | 39     | 2,866                        | 22                       | 6,407  | 551    | 6,958                        |
| Grant-in-aid         | 227                      | 35,261 | 10,460 | 45,721                       | 38                       | 3,046  | 2,802  | 5,848                        |
| Unaided              | 66                       | 2,015  | 617    | 2,632                        | 16                       | 743    | 338    | 1,081                        |

TABLE No. 8.—Number of Schools and Scholars in 1924—(contd).

| Class of Schools. | Vernacular.        |         |         |                        | Grand Total.       |         |         |                        |
|-------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|------------------------|--------------------|---------|---------|------------------------|
|                   | Number of Schools. | Boys.   | Girls.  | Total No. of Scholars. | Number of Schools. | Boys.   | Girls.  | Total No. of Scholars. |
| Total ..          | 3,903              | 251,684 | 136,835 | 388,519                | 4,291              | 301,983 | 151,642 | 453,625                |
| Government ..     | 1,080              | 110,818 | 48,932  | 159,750                | 1,121              | 120,052 | 49,522  | 169,574                |
| Grant-in-aid ..   | 1,811              | 128,087 | 82,678  | 210,765                | 2,076              | 166,394 | 95,940  | 262,334                |
| Unaided ..        | 1,012              | 12,779  | 5,225   | 18,004                 | 1,094              | 15,537  | 6,180   | 21,717                 |

## Sub-section 5.—Labour.

## PAGE 20, Paragraph on "Immigration."

Similarly, "immigration" in Ceylon generally connotes the immigration of estate labour. Prior to 1923, this immigration was controlled by a very efficient system developed by the Coast Agency of the Planters' Association. Each estate contributing to the Agency paid a cess, and the funds went to maintain a staff of one Commissioner, one Deputy Commissioner, eight Assistant Labour Commissioners, and a subordinate staff stationed at 20 Agencies throughout South India. Labour was recruited by kanganies from Ceylon and forwarded to the estates through the Agencies in South India, a central clearing station at Trichinopoly and the Mandapam Camp, where all recruits underwent six days' quarantine.

The coolies were sent direct to their estates by rail, and the expenses of forwarding them were recovered from the estates.

In the year 1923, recruiting to Ceylon and Malaya was brought under the provisions of the Indian Emigration Act of 1922 which laid down comprehensive regulations for supervision over the recruitment of unskilled labourers, i.e., for all practical purposes so far as Ceylon is concerned of estate labourers.

The actual system and machinery for recruiting by means of kanganies was not altered, but various conditions were laid down by the

Government of India with regard to such recruiting for Ceylon. Of these conditions the most important are :—

- "(1) The emigrant shall—
  - (a) Have been recruited by a person licensed for that purpose by, and responsible to, an officer (hereinafter called the Emigration Commissioner) appointed by the Government of Ceylon; or
  - (b) Have applied direct to the Emigration Commissioner for an assisted passage and have been accepted by him.
- (2) The emigrant shall not, before leaving British India, have entered into a contract of service for a period exceeding one month.
- (3) Any contract of service for a period exceeding one month entered into by an emigrant shall be void.
- (4) No part of the cost of his recruitment, subsistence during transport, or transport shall be recoverable from any emigrant, and all expenses in this connection shall be defrayed from a common fund to be raised in such manner and managed by such Agency as may appear suitable to the Government of Ceylon.
- (5) The Government of Ceylon shall at any time when so desired by the Governor-General in Council admit and give all facilities to an Agent appointed under section 7 of the Act.
- (6) Within one year of his arrival in Ceylon any emigrant who has been assisted to emigrate at the cost of the common fund referred to in clause (4) shall, on satisfying the Agent appointed under section 7 of the Act that his return to his home is desirable either on the ground that the work which he is required to do is unsuitable to his capacity, or that he has been unjustly treated by his employer, or for any other sufficient reason, be repatriated free of cost to the place of recruitment, and the costs of such repatriation shall be defrayed by the Government of Ceylon or the Ceylon Planters' Association.
- (7) No payment made in India by a recruiter to an emigrant to enable him to pay off debts before emigrating shall be recoverable in Ceylon."

In addition the Government of Ceylon undertook to furnish such periodical reports and returns as may be required from time to time by the Government of India in respect of the welfare of estate labourers emigrating to Ceylon.

The necessary legal steps to carry out these conditions were taken by the passing of Ordinance No. 1 of 1923, which created a Department of Indian Immigrant Labour under the direction of a Controller of Indian Immigrant Labour. The actual salaries and allowances of the Controller and of his staff in Ceylon are paid by Government out of the General Revenue, but all the other expenses of the Department are met from the Immigration Fund, derived from acreage fees levied on all estates planted with tea, rubber, coffee, cacao, and cardamoms and employing Indian Immigrant Labour.

These expenses include the cost of supervising recruitment in India and the subsistence and transport of the recruits from the Agencies in South India to the estates in Ceylon. The employer of any recruiter receives an allowance (at present Rs. 10) for each recruit of working

age landed in Ceylon to cover the initial expenses of recruitment, including any advances noted in condition 7 above.

The necessary supervision over recruiting in South India, in accordance with the regulations laid down under the provisions of the Indian Emigration Act, and the conditions imposed by the Indian Government on recruiting for Ceylon, was obtained by appointing an Emigration Commissioner in South India.

By an agreement with the Coast Agency of the Planters' Association, the Labour Commission, while still preserving its identity, as soon as the Immigration Fund came into operation, placed the whole of its organization at the disposal of the Emigration Commissioner. Under his control and in due conformity with the requirements of the Indian and Ceylon Governments, it undertakes the supervision of recruiting, together with the registration, subsistence, and transport as far as Mandapam, of all "assisted" unskilled Indian immigrant labourers destined for Ceylon. The Immigration Fund pays the Labour Commission in return for these services a sum which is fixed by an annual agreement, and which roughly amounts to three-fourths of the total expenses of the Commission. The remaining expenses of the Labour Commission are still met by subscribing estates, in order to provide facilities at the various Agencies for financing recruiters, &c., and assisting them in various ways.

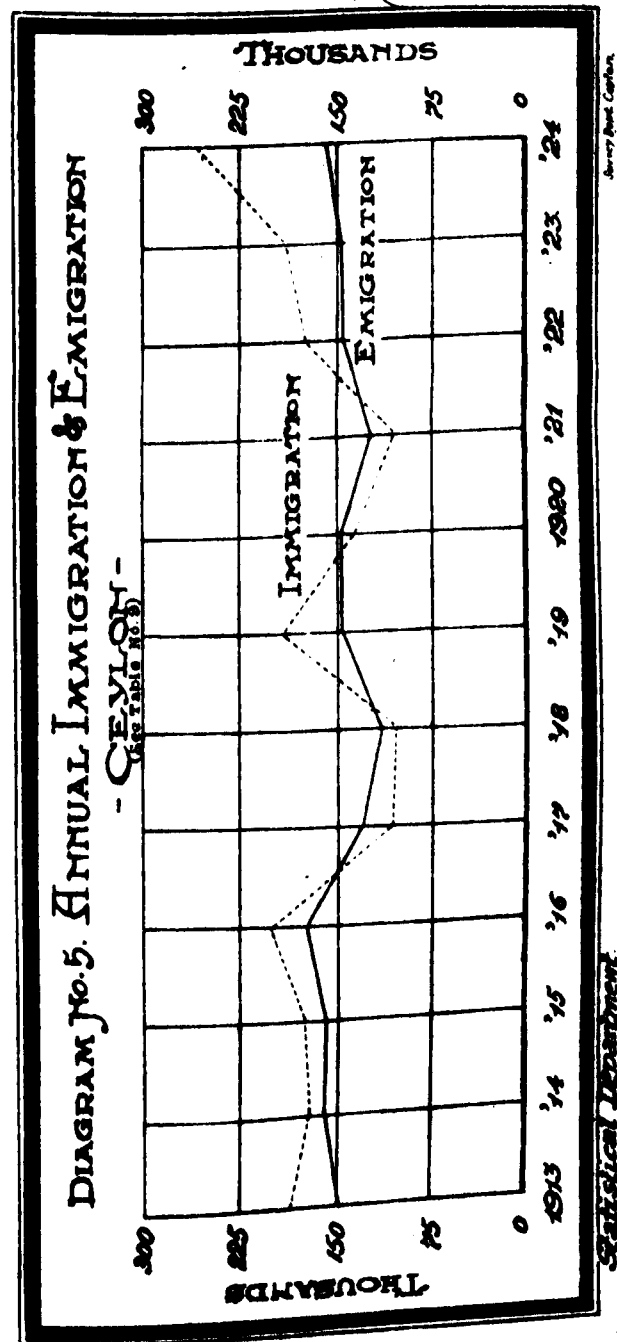
The Emigration Commissioner may, with the approval of the Governor, also hold the post of Labour Commissioner, and the present Emigration Commissioner does so hold both posts.

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TABLE No. 9.—Return of Immigrants and Emigrants.  
1911-1924.

(See Diagram No. 5.)

| Year.              | Immigrants.        |                              |              | Emigrants.<br>Total. |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------|----------------------|
|                    | Estate<br>Coolies. | Miscellaneous<br>Passengers. | Total.       |                      |
| 1911 ..            | 97,536 ..          | 39,579 ..                    | 137,115 ..   | 106,123 ..           |
| 1912 ..            | 117,475 ..         | 70,798 ..                    | 188,273 ..   | 137,275 ..           |
| 1913 ..            | 120,354 ..         | 68,074 ..                    | 188,428 ..   | 148,978 ..           |
| 1914 ..            | 78,662 ..          | 95,370 ..                    | 174,032 ..   | 160,161 ..           |
| 1915 ..            | 94,828 ..          | 81,409 ..                    | 176,237 ..   | 160,028 ..           |
| 1916 ..            | 115,713 ..         | 84,433 ..                    | 200,146 ..   | 172,702 ..           |
| 1917 ..            | 47,296 ..          | 58,620 ..                    | 105,916 ..   | 130,117 ..           |
| 1918 ..            | 43,184 ..          | 60,744 ..                    | 103,928 ..   | 116,227 ..           |
| 1919 ..            | 112,391 ..         | 78,737 ..                    | 191,128 ..   | 147,465 ..           |
| 1920 ..            | 45,946 ..          | 90,753 ..                    | 136,699 ..   | 146,247 ..           |
| Total 1911-1920 .. | 873,385 ..         | 728,517 ..                   | 1,601,902 .. | 1,425,323 ..         |
| 1921 ..            | 25,496 ..          | 81,102 ..                    | 106,598 ..   | 127,107 ..           |
| 1922 ..            | 77,414 ..          | 97,155 ..                    | 174,569 ..   | 145,737 ..           |
| 1923 ..            | 89,607 ..          | 100,905 ..                   | 190,512 ..   | 147,880 ..           |
| 1924 ..            | 153,989 ..         | 104,954 ..                   | 258,943 ..   | 156,523 ..           |



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## Sub-section 6.—Financial Position of Ceylon.

## PAGE 21, Paragraphs on Revenue.

In summary it may be stated that in the financial year 1923-24 the revenue of Ceylon was over 102½ million rupees, or over 6½ million pounds sterling (the rupee being taken at 1s. 4d.), with an expenditure of nearly 100½ million rupees. On September 30, 1924, the assets of the Colony exceeded the liabilities by nearly 23½ million rupees.

The main sources of revenue, in the financial year 1923-24, were in round figures: Customs, nearly 36½ million rupees; licenses, &c., over 21½ millions, including salt, over 1½ millions, arrack and toddy rents, over 9½ millions, and stamp duties, nearly 8½ millions; railway, gross receipts, nearly 24½ millions; revenues of Colombo harbour, over 5 millions; Post Office, nearly 1½ millions; &c.

## PAGE 21, Paragraph on Expenditure.

The chief item of expenditure was the expenses of the public departments, amounting, inclusive of the Railway Establishment and pensions, to nearly 63½ million rupees. Of the remaining 37½ millions, over 10½ millions were spent on public works, railway works, and irrigation works. Military expenditure of over 2 millions, public debt expense of over 11½ millions, and miscellaneous of over 13½ millions make up a total of nearly 100½ million rupees.

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TABLE No. 9a.—Total Revenue and Expenditure of the Colony for each Financial Year since 1911-12.  
(See Diagram No. 6.)

| Year.                                     | Revenue.    |     | Expenditure. |     |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------|-----|--------------|-----|
|                                           | Rs.         | c.  | Rs.          | c.  |
| 1911-12 .. (July 1 to June 30) ..         | 47,246,222  | 5   | 44,637,099   | 61  |
| 1912-13 .. (Do.) ..                       | 51,172,535  | 41  | 47,670,928   | 15½ |
| 1913-14* ..                               | 53,777,571  | 16  | 55,493,917   | 74  |
| 1914-15 .. (October 1 to September 30) .. | 51,545,472  | 49  | 50,148,001   | 20½ |
| 1915-16 .. (Do.) ..                       | 66,013,010  | 30  | 55,543,261   | 42  |
| 1916-17 .. (Do.) ..                       | 66,981,877  | 38  | 63,078,420   | 14  |
| 1917-18 .. (Do.) ..                       | 63,933,628  | 65  | 64,117,180   | 37  |
| 1918-19 .. (Do.) ..                       | 70,070,941  | 80  | 70,455,619   | 4   |
| 1919-20 .. (Do.) ..                       | 81,200,418  | 2   | 83,604,123   | 57  |
| 1920-21 .. (Do.) ..                       | 70,619,061  | 6   | 91,767,691   | 35  |
| 1921-22 .. (Do.) ..                       | 79,270,116  | 72  | 77,359,068   | 48  |
| 1922-23 .. (Do.) ..                       | 93,720,169  | 33  | 85,583,909   | 72  |
| 1923-24 .. (Do.) ..                       | 102,363,115 | 67½ | 100,695,713  | 5   |

\* The financial year 1913-14 was from July 1, 1913, to September 30, 1914 (15 months). The figures given are proportionate for 12 months; and the figures for the whole financial year are: Revenue Rs. 67,221,963.95; Expenditure, Rs. 69,367,397.18.

Note.—Revenue is recorded exclusive of proceeds of loans appropriated by law for special works, proceeds of sales of investments, repayments of advances, deposits, and remittances between chests; and expenditure, exclusive of expenditure met out of loans or trust funds controlled by Government.

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TABLE No. 96a.—Rates of Freight to the United Kingdom, 1920-1925.

| Article.                            | 1920. |       | 1921. |       | 1922. |       | 1923. |       | 1924. |       | 1925. |       |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                                     | Apr.  | July. | Apr.  | July. | Apr.  | July. | Apr.  | July. | Apr.  | July. | Apr.  | July. |
| Aracantha, cacao, cardamoms per ton | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cinnamon                            | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Citronella oil                      | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, desiccated                 | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, unhusked, loose            | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, unhusked, in bags          | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut oil                         | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, pressed bales              | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, cut, in bags               | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Cocunut, uncut, in bags             | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Plumbago                            | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Rubber                              | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Tea, in cases                       | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |
| Tea sweepings                       | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   | 182   |

not holding public office. The 34 Elected Members are composed of one Member for each of the following constituencies: the European Electorate (Urban), the European Electorate (Rural), the Commercial Electorate, the Town of Colombo (North) Electorate, the Town of Colombo (South) Electorate, the Colombo District Electorate, the Negombo District Electorate, the Kalutara Revenue District Electorate, the Western Province (Ceylon Tamil) Electorate, the Central Province (Urban Division) Electorate, the Central Province (Rural Division) Electorate, the Northern Province (Northern Division) Electorate, the Northern Province (Southern Division) Electorate, the Northern Province (Western Division) Electorate, the Northern Province (Central Division) Electorate, the Northern Province (Southern Division) Electorate, the Southern

The public debt stood on September 30, 1924, at £12,738,293, plus Rs. 3,000,000, i.e., less than the revenue for the past two financial years. £890,700 have been repaid out of a total sterling debt of £13,628,993. The loans were raised mainly to meet the cost of railway construction, irrigation, Colombo harbour works, Colombo waterworks, Colombo Lake development, Colombo drainage works (Karaiar reclamation, and Motor Traction as feeders to railway). These loans were incurred at various dates between 1876 and 1921, and are due for final settlement at various dates between 1934 and 1959. The interest and sinking fund, &c., paid out of general revenue in the financial year 1923-24 was about £741,716, and the annual average so paid for the past four financial years was about £631,705.

**Correction Slip.**

*Page 8, Paragraph on "The Executive Council."*

Line 1, Official, Read "9" for "8"; and "5 Official" for "4

Line 2.—Read "5" for "4."

Line 5.—Read "Members" for "Member."

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## Section 2.—Administrative and Judicial System.

PAGES 23 and 24, Paragraphs on Government in Ceylon, the Executive Council, the Legislative Council, and the Franchise.

The Administrative Government in Ceylon is vested in the Governor, who holds office for a term of six years. He is assisted by an Executive Council, over which he presides, and by a Legislative Council, which is ordinarily presided over by an elected Vice-President and, on special occasions, by the Governor.

The Executive Council is composed of 8 Members, 4 Official and 4 Unofficial. Of the 4 Official Members, 3 are *ex officio* Members, viz., the Colonial Secretary, the Attorney-General, and the Government Agent, Western Province. The remaining Official Member and the Unofficial Members are persons appointed by the Governor in pursuance of instructions from His Majesty the King. The duties of the Executive Council are advisory, and the Governor, though he consults them, is at liberty to disregard their advice, but in such cases he is expected at once to report the question at issue to the Secretary of State.

The Legislative Council consists of 49 Members, 12 Official and 37 Unofficial. The 12 Official Members consist of 5 *ex officio* Members—the Senior Military Officer, the Colonial Secretary, the Attorney-General, the Controller of Revenue, and the Treasurer—and 7 other Nominated Members holding public office under the Crown. The 37 Unofficial Members consist of 34 Elected Members and 3 Nominated Members.

No person is qualified to

## The Franchise.

No person is qualified to be a voter who is not a British subject or is a female; or is not of the age of 21 years; or is unable to read and write English, Sinhalese, or Tamil; or has not resided in the electoral district to which the register relates during the whole of a period of six months immediately prior to the commencement of the preparation of the register; or has been sentenced in any part of His Majesty's Dominions to death or penal servitude; or to imprisonment for a term punishable with hard labour or rigorous imprisonment for a term exceeding twelve months; or has been adjudged by a competent court to be of unsound mind; or does not possess one of the following qualifications during the whole of a period of six months immediately prior to the commencement of the preparation of the register, viz.:—(i.) A clear annual income of not less than Rs. 600; (ii.) the ownership of immovable property, either in his own right, or in right of his wife (but not as lessee or usufructuary mortgagee), situate within the electoral district to which the register relates, the value of which, after allowing for any mortgage debts thereon, is not less than Rs. 1,500; (iii.) the occupation as owner or tenant of any house, warehouse, counting-house, shop, or other building, situate within the electoral district to which the register relates, of the annual value of not less than (a) Rs. 400 if situated within the limits of any Municipal, Local Board, or Sanitary Board town, or of any Urban District Council or of the Board of Improvement of Nuwara Eliya; (b) Rs. 200 if situated elsewhere.

**PAGES 25 and 26, Paragraph on "Local Government."**

This Board was established in June, 1921, and Urban District Councils have been formed for Negombo, Ratnapura, Chilaw, Jaffna, Kalutara, Matale, Matara, and Panadura.

**Section 3.—Trade Conditions in 1924.****PAGES 30 to 37.**

Ceylon depends for its prosperity mainly upon agriculture and the development of its natural resources in this direction.

**General Statement.** There are few manufacturing industries, and those which exist are in their infancy, with the exception of the processes by which the three chief staple products, tea, rubber, and the produce of the coconut palm, are prepared for the market. The mineral resources of the Island, with the exception of plumbago, are not large, while the total absence of coal no doubt largely accounts for the lack of manufactures. Consequently the trade of the Island is occupied with the export of the staple agricultural products and the import of the manufactured articles and finished materials required by the population, in addition to those foodstuffs which are not grown locally in sufficient quantities for local requirements.

The total value of the foreign trade of the Colony has risen during the last ten years from Rs. 396,000,000 or about £26,400,000 in 1914 to Rs. 698,000,000 or about £46,500,000 in 1924.

**Value.** The balance of trade was in favour of exports during the whole period with the exception of 1920 and 1921. Ceylon is a debtor country in the sense that many of the estates in the Island have been opened out with British capital, and a considerable part of the value of the exports goes to provide the interest on outside capital invested in Ceylon industries.

As regards trade relations with other countries, it may be said that, roughly, one-third of our total trade is with the United Kingdom, one-third with the British Possessions, chiefly **Trade with other Countries.** British India, and one-third with Foreign Countries. The proportions, however, are not the same in the import trade as in the exports.

In 1924 22·2 per cent. of the imports came from the United Kingdom, 55·6 per cent. from British Possessions, and 22·1 per cent. from Foreign Countries. Of the exports, 44·7 per cent. went to the United Kingdom, 18·2 per cent. to British Possessions, and 37·1 per cent. to Foreign Countries. Only 14·1 per cent. of the imports was supplied by Foreign Countries in 1913, and their improvement in 1924 appears to have been gained at the expense of the United Kingdom, the percentage of the

British Possessions being practically the same as before. In the case of exports the percentage to the United Kingdom remains the same, while the percentage to the British Possessions was higher. The percentage to Foreign Countries has fallen.

**Imports.**

Of articles coming under the head of food and drink, Ceylon imports considerable quantities. The population of the Island **Food and Drink.** lives mainly on rice, but only one-third of the requirements is grown locally. The remainder comes in normal years from India and Burma. Peas and beans come from India and the Far East, cummin seed from British India and France, potatoes from Italy and British India, sugar from Java and Hong Kong, flour from Australia and India. Biscuits come mainly from the United Kingdom and Germany.

Tinned butter is supplied by Australia and British India. In 1919 cheese was obtainable practically solely from Australia, but Holland now supplies by far the largest quantity. Tinned fish, meat, fruits, and jam are imported largely from the United Kingdom, America, and Australia. Preserved milk is imported mainly from Holland, the United Kingdom, Norway, and Switzerland. Beer comes from Germany and the United Kingdom. There is very little demand for Japanese beer, which found a market here during the war. Of other alcoholic liquors, wines are imported mainly from France, Portugal, Spain, and Australia. Of spirits, the gin from Holland and the United Kingdom heads the list, followed by whisky from the United Kingdom and brandy from France.

Over four-fifths of the tobacco imported consists of cigarettes, which are shipped almost entirely from the United Kingdom.

**Tobacco.** Coarse native cigarettes, with a vegetable wrapper, known locally as "beedies," are imported in considerable quantities from India. Cigars come from British India, Holland, and Manilla; pipe tobacco from the United Kingdom.

Manures, both animal and chemical, are imported in large quantities for use on the various estates. Animal and vegetable **Manures.** manures, such as bone meal, fish manure, and ground-nut cake, are supplied by British India. Chemical manures, such as superphosphate and potash manures, are imported largely from Germany or Belgium. Sulphate of ammonia and basic slag came mainly from the United Kingdom and Belgium respectively. In 1913 basic slag was obtained largely from Germany. Refuse of saltpetre comes solely from British India.

With the exception of a small quantity of locally manufactured cotton cloth, the whole of the textiles needed in the Island are **Textiles.** imported. The bulk of these imports, as might be expected, consists of cotton goods. During the two

years before the war the total imports averaged Rs. 14,000,000. In 1920 and 1921, owing to the enormous rise in prices, the total value had risen to over thirty-two millions and twenty-five millions of rupees respectively. In 1924, a normal year, the total value of imports was twenty-seven million rupees. Roughly, half came from the United Kingdom, a little less than one-third from British Colonies, and the remainder from Foreign Countries. Japan sent a considerable proportion of our

made-up apparel, chiefly the cheaper qualities of cotton banians, shirts, and other undergarments. In bleached and printed piece goods, England practically holds the market. In dyed piece goods, British India comes first, followed by England. The former country and Holland supplies large quantities of sarongs. There were considerable imports also from Japan and Belgium. In gray piece goods, England supplied by far the largest quantity, the only serious competitors being the United States of America and Japan. In certain other classes of piecegoods, Switzerland was the only really serious competitor. Cotton thread came almost entirely from the United Kingdom; handkerchiefs, scarves, and shawls from the United Kingdom and Japan.

In 1924 imports from British India showed an increase, and those from the United Kingdom a corresponding decrease, as compared with 1923. Imports from the United Kingdom still heads the list with a value of nearly thirteen million rupees. Imports from British India reached a little over eight millions, and those from Foreign Countries five and three-quarter millions. The price of piece goods generally is about three times the pre-war figure, and a smaller quantity is now being imported.

The imports of silk and satin amount to a little over two million rupees. Japan sends over two-fifths of the total amount, British India coming next on the list, the other sources of supply being the United Kingdom, Hong Kong, Switzerland, China, and France.

The imports of woollen goods are not large, the chief item being cheap blankets, which come almost wholly from British India. Cloth stuff and flannel are imported mainly from the United Kingdom, except scarves and shawls which are imported from Germany; textiles of other mixed materials come mainly from British India and the United Kingdom. Of haberdashery, nearly half comes from the United Kingdom, one-sixth from Germany, and the remainder chiefly from British India.

The large and varied imports of materials and metal ware may be divided into the following main heads: -

#### **Metals.**

- (a) Unwrought metals.
- (b) Machinery.
- (c) Agricultural tools and implements.
- (d) Constructional steel and iron.
- (e) Builders' and joiners' hardware.
- (f) Household utensils, &c.
- (g) Motor cars and accessories.
- (h) Cycles and accessories.

The imports of unwrought metal are comparatively small. A fair quantity of pig lead is imported from Burma and rolled into tea lead locally. Tin slabs are imported from the Straits Settlements, and a small quantity of pig iron from the United Kingdom and British India.

Machinery comes mainly from the United Kingdom. The United States of America sent a certain amount of machinery for the coconut oil making industry as well as typewriters, transformers, and converters. There is a considerable decrease in the import of sewing machines from Foreign Countries, especially from the United States of America and Germany.

The imports of agricultural tools and implements, which are almost wholly of a very simple character, still come almost entirely from the United Kingdom.

In 1920 Germany and Belgium resumed their trade, and large quantities of metal are again being imported from these countries. Germany is the largest supplier of hoop iron, barbed wire, wire nails, and brass rods, sheets, and strips, and Belgium of steel plates and sheets, and zinc sheets. The United States of America sent some galvanized iron, barbed wire, and nails and rivets. In 1919 an attempt was made by the American traders to extend their market, but America has dropped her trade from nearly 25 per cent. in 1919 to about 2 per cent., sending chiefly tin plates in 1924. The value of imports from the United Kingdom in 1924 was nearly 65 per cent. of the total trade. The share of Germany was 8 per cent., and that of Belgium 6 per cent.

In builders' and joiners' hardware, some of the cheaper qualities come from Germany.

Of household utensils and requirements, the better qualities came mainly from the United Kingdom, and the cheaper qualities, in which British manufacturers did not compete, from Germany, Japan, and America. Enamelware which came mainly from Austria before the war

is now being supplied by the United Kingdom and Germany. The common qualities of lamps, chimneys, and globes came from Germany, Japan, and Austria. In 1920 Germany and Austria sent in fairly large quantities of lamps as their first consignments since the commencement of war, and the former country has now regained its pre-war position. Window glass comes from Belgium. Plate glass is supplied mainly by the United Kingdom. Glassware came from the United Kingdom, Germany, and Japan. The quality of Japanese glass is generally inferior, and imports from that country are now decreasing owing to German competition. Chinaware and crockery is largely imported from the United Kingdom and Japan, but there had also been considerable shipments from Germany, whose place before the war has now been filled by Japan. The cheap earthenware used by the poorer classes, when not made locally, comes almost entirely from India.

The bulk of the motor cars imported are from the United States of America, Canada, and the United Kingdom. The United Kingdom supplies about 45 per cent. of the total imports of motor car tyres and accessories, and the rest of the trade is in the hands of the United States of America, Italy, and France. Motor cycles come mainly from the United Kingdom, and a few from the United States of America. Ordinary bicycles are almost entirely of British manufacture, while a few are also imported from Germany. The United Kingdom is the chief source of supply for electric materials, but the United States of America, Germany, and Holland send a fair quantity.

Other noteworthy imports are books, of which the annual import value is half a million rupees. About two-fifths of this amount comes from British India, and consists largely of vernacular literature. The remainder is supplied almost entirely by the United Kingdom. Bricks and tiles come in large quantities from South India, candles from Burma, casks and shooks

mainly from the United Kingdom. About 62 per cent. of imported cement now comes from the United Kingdom, and smaller quantities from Germany and Denmark. Japan has altogether lost her market. Chemists' sundries are supplied mainly from the United Kingdom. British India is the next important source of supply. America is the only serious foreign competitor. Boots and shoes are imported mainly from the United Kingdom and British India, harness and saddlery from the United Kingdom, and other leather articles mainly from the United Kingdom and British India. Matches are obtained in large quantities from Sweden and Japan. Painters' colours are imported chiefly from the United Kingdom, but the imports from America are considerable and are on the increase.

Nearly half the imported printing paper was from the United Kingdom, while large quantities were also received from Austria, Sweden, and Germany. Writing and other paper comes chiefly from Britain, Sweden, United States of America, and Germany, but also in some quantities from Finland, Austria, Norway, Holland, Japan, and British India. Perfumes are imported from the United Kingdom, Germany, the United States of America, British India, France, and Japan. Soap comes mainly from the United Kingdom, but Germany, Japan, and Austria have a considerable trade in the cheaper qualities, and a certain amount comes also from the United States of America and Holland. The bulk of the imports of stationery, excluding paper, also came from the United Kingdom. Our imports of timber consist chiefly of wood for tea chests, which is supplied mainly by Japan, and of teak, which is shipped from Burma and Siam. The bulk of the imported toys is of German manufacture, but many come from Japan and the United Kingdom. The import trade in umbrellas is considerable; the hard wearing article comes almost entirely from the United Kingdom; the cheaper and more flimsy qualities from British India and Japan. Clocks and watches are imported chiefly from Germany, the United States of America, and the United Kingdom. Imports from Germany consist principally of cheap timepieces.

There remains to be considered one important group, viz., coal and mineral oils, of which all the supplies are imported.

**Coal and Oil.** Apart from certain quantities consumed on the railway and for the manufacture of gas, coal is little used locally, and the quantity re-shipped as bunker fuel on the steamers which call at Colombo—one of the largest coaling stations in the East—represented about four-fifths of the total imports in 1924, but the consumption has fallen owing to the increase in the number of oil-driven ships, the quantity imported in 1924 being 675,136 tons, while in the years just before the war the average annually imported was about 750,000 tons.

182,037 tons of British steam coal were imported in 1924. Natal and India sent 231,684 tons and 167,890 tons, respectively. From other sources Ceylon obtained 93,525 tons, chiefly from Transvaal.

Oil-driven ships are rapidly increasing in numbers, causing a corresponding increase in the imports of liquid fuel. A large installation has been constructed just outside Colombo to meet the increasing storage space required for liquid fuel and petroleum oils. The imports of liquid fuel in 1924 amounted to over forty-two million gallons, derived mainly

from Borneo and Persia. The imports of kerosine amount to over four million gallons yearly, most of which are consumed locally. Kerosine in bulk now comes chiefly from Russia in Asia, and in case from the United States of America. The import of petrol for use in motor vehicles showed an increase of 55 per cent. in quantity, as compared with the previous year. Petrol is shipped mainly from the Dutch East Indies.

#### Exports.

The exports are a more compact group, and consist almost entirely of agricultural products and plumbago. Pride of place is taken by the three chief industries, tea, rubber, and the products of the coconut palm. Tea is an old-established industry, and the United Kingdom is by far the largest customer. Considerable quantities also go to the Dominions, United States of America, and British India. This article fetched good prices during the year, and the total value of exports was just half the value of all exports from the Colony. The export of rubber is at present restricted, but nearly eighty-three million pounds were exported in 1924. Over half of this went to the United States of America, and the greater portion of the remainder to the United Kingdom.

The products of the coconut palm are also in great demand. Before the war nearly the whole of the copra went to Foreign Countries, Germany being the chief consumer, followed by Denmark and Russia. In 1924 the chief customer was Denmark, but large quantities were sent to Italy, Norway, Germany, Holland, Belgium, and the United Kingdom. Coir fibre is exported mainly to the United Kingdom, Japan, Belgium, and South Africa, and coir yarn to the United Kingdom and Germany. The principal consumers of Ceylon coconut oil, named in order of importance, are the United Kingdom (17.1 per cent.), Italy (15.7 per cent.), Denmark (15.4 per cent.), Egypt (11.1 per cent.), Germany (10.7 per cent.), Norway (10.2 per cent.), and British India (7.3 per cent.). In 1921 over half of the coconut oil went to the United Kingdom, the next largest consumer being Holland. Desiccated coconut is taken mainly by the United Kingdom, the United States of America, and Germany, and fresh coconuts by the United Kingdom, Germany, Egypt, and Holland.

Plumbago, the only important mineral export, has fallen on evil days, being hard hit by competition from Madagascar, and a decrease in demand. A considerable quantity of the output goes to the United States of America, and most of the remainder to Germany, the United Kingdom, and Japan. Before the war Holland, Germany, Belgium, the United Kingdom, and British India were the principal buyers of the raw cotton, chiefly kapok. The two important consumers of it now are Holland and the United Kingdom.

There are various other minor exports, some of which are in a flourishing condition. Cacao of good quality is grown in parts of the Island. The chief consumers are the United Kingdom and the Philippines, with the United States of America coming next in the list. Spices are also an important item. Arecanuts are exported mainly to British India; cardamoms to the United Kingdom, and the United States of America. Cinnamon is sent all over the world, the chief buyers being the United States of America, Germany, the United Kingdom, Spain, and Central America. Pepper goes mainly to South America, Egypt, and the United Kingdom.

A considerable quantity of coarse tobacco leaf is sent to British India. Citronella oil, which is used largely by soap and scent manufacturers, is exported chiefly to the United States of America, United Kingdom, France, Australia, Germany, British India, Italy, and Japan. Undressed hides are mainly taken by British India.

The position of Colombo, as a port of call on so many important passenger steamship routes, and the amenities of the Island as a resort for tourists, lead to a considerable influx of passengers, who make a long or short stay, and spend in the aggregate considerable sums of money in the shops of the jewellers and curio sellers, besides

increasing the returns of the hotels and caterers. The amount of trade thus brought to the Island, though hard to calculate, is not inconsiderable.

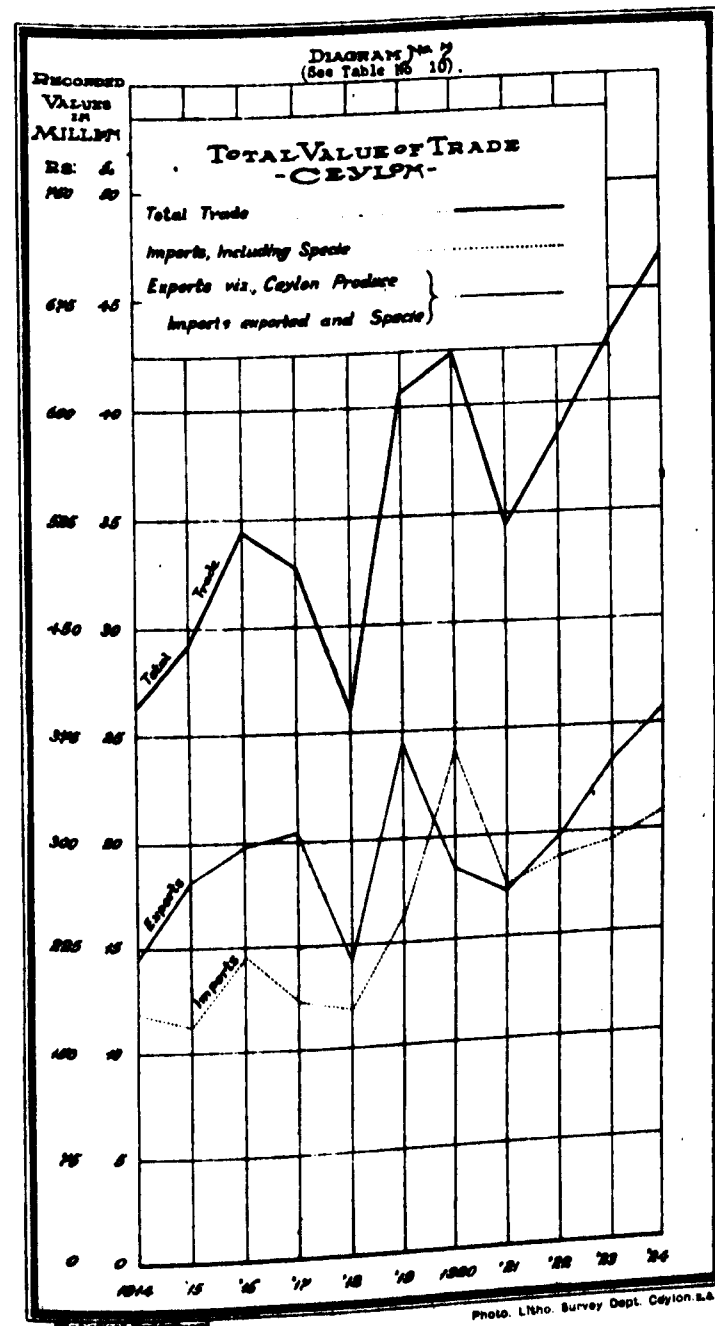
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TABLE No. 10.—Value of the Total Trade of Ceylon, Total Exports, Exports of Ceylon Produce, Other Exports, and Total Imports for each Calendar Year since 1907.\*

(See Diagram No. 7.)

| Year.   | Total Trade. | Exports.    |                 |                          | Imports, including Specie. |
|---------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|
|         |              | Total.      | Ceylon Produce. | Other, including Specie. |                            |
| 1       | 2            | 3           | 4               | 5                        | 6                          |
|         | Rs.          | Rs.         | Rs.             | Rs.                      | Rs.                        |
| 1907 .. | 258,886,758  | 129,570,001 | 127,095,587     | 2,474,414                | 129,316,757                |
| 1908 .. | 260,462,315  | 130,170,406 | 127,015,846     | 3,154,560                | 130,291,909                |
| 1909 .. | 280,801,867  | 147,019,740 | 144,121,334     | 2,898,406                | 133,782,127                |
| 1910 .. | 330,089,183  | 166,569,107 | 160,771,277     | 5,797,830                | 163,520,076                |
| 1911 .. | 346,434,756  | 182,028,968 | 170,110,905     | 11,918,063               | 164,405,788                |
| 1912 .. | 380,954,893  | 198,954,902 | 190,932,654     | 8,022,248                | 181,999,991                |
| 1913 .. | 434,504,351  | 234,863,554 | 224,236,263     | 10,627,291               | 199,640,797                |
| 1914 .. | 396,341,202  | 219,374,046 | 210,711,403     | 8,662,643                | 176,907,156                |
| 1915 .. | 441,823,218  | 273,377,180 | 265,733,258     | 7,643,922                | 168,446,038                |
| 1916 .. | 517,572,055  | 297,541,155 | 284,837,976     | 12,703,179               | 220,030,900                |
| 1917 .. | 492,091,178  | 306,944,957 | 292,625,008     | 14,319,949               | 185,146,221                |
| 1918 .. | 390,870,517  | 213,133,834 | 197,633,194     | 15,500,640               | 177,736,683                |
| 1919 .. | 609,777,169  | 367,057,479 | 353,767,924     | 13,289,555               | 242,719,690                |
| 1920 .. | 637,222,648  | 276,295,469 | 257,178,888     | 19,116,581               | 360,927,179                |
| 1921 .. | 518,656,123  | 258,600,413 | 248,120,500     | 8,479,913                | 262,055,710                |
| 1922 .. | 579,523,917  | 297,783,215 | 288,951,165     | 8,832,050                | 281,740,702                |
| 1923 .. | 643,358,532  | 351,198,748 | 336,785,210     | 14,413,538               | 292,159,794                |
| 1924 .. | 697,845,885  | 385,517,418 | 375,382,250     | 10,135,168               | 312,328,467                |

Note.—The figures in columns 2, 3, 4, and 5 exclude the value of ships' stores and postal articles.



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TABLE No. 11.—Percentage Distribution by Articles of the Total Import\*  
Trade of the Colony for each Calendar Year since 1914.  
(See Diagram No. 8.)

| Articles.                                                                                                           | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Coal and coke ..                                                                                                    | 7.1   | 7.9   | 7.6   | 6.4   | 7.2   | 14.4  | 8.5   | 11.6  | 7.9   | 5.8   | 6.1   |
| Cotton manufactures :—                                                                                              |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Piece goods :—                                                                                                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Bleached ..                                                                                                         | 2.3   | 1.4   | 1.0   | 2.1   | 2.5   | 1.4   | 2.1   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.8   | 1.8   |
| Dyed ..                                                                                                             | 2.6   | 2.1   | 2.3   | 3.1   | 4.0   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 4.7   | 3.2   | 3.9   | 3.9   |
| Printed ..                                                                                                          | —     | —     | 1.0   | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.0   | 1.4   | —     | —     | —     |
| Cutlery and hardware ..                                                                                             | 2.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | —     | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.5   | 1.3   | 2.0   | 1.8   |
| Curry stuffs ..                                                                                                     | 1.2   | 1.5   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.6   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| Fish, cured or salted ..                                                                                            | —     | 1.2   | —     | 1.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Grain and pulse :—                                                                                                  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Paddy ..                                                                                                            | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.4   | 1.0   | 1.0   | —     | 1.2   | 1.0   | 1.3   | —     |
| Rice ..                                                                                                             | 29.1  | 30.1  | 27.8  | 32.1  | 29.7  | 27.3  | 25.4  | 26.6  | 31.7  | 28.6  | 24.6  |
| Other, including flour ..                                                                                           | 2.4   | 2.4   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.6   | 4.5   | 3.9   | 3.8   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.4   |
| Haberdashery ..                                                                                                     | 1.3   | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Machinery and mill work<br>(including sewing machines) ..                                                           | 1.6   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.2   | —     | 1.0   | 1.4   | 2.1   | 1.7   | 1.5   | 1.6   |
| Manures (including poonac<br>used as manure) ..                                                                     | 3.5   | 4.8   | 5.1   | 2.7   | 3.7   | 4.2   | 3.6   | —     | 3.0   | 3.2   | 3.1   |
| Oil, kerosine ..                                                                                                    | 1.4   | 1.8   | 1.5   | 1.7   | 1.4   | 1.7   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 2.3   | 1.8   | 1.4   |
| Poonac (excluding castor<br>and rape seed poonac<br>used as manure) ..                                              | 1.1   | 1.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | —     |
| Railway plant and materials ..                                                                                      | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.2   | —     | —     | —     |
| Sugar, raw and refined ..                                                                                           | 2.9   | 4.1   | 3.1   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 4.1   | —     | 4.0   | 3.9   | 4.2   | 4.7   |
| Tea chests ..                                                                                                       | 1.6   | 1.8   | 1.0   | 2.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 1.3   |
| Specie :—                                                                                                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Gold ..                                                                                                             | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.4   | 9.3   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   |
| Silver ..                                                                                                           | 1.3   | 2.6   | 3.7   | —     | —     | —     | 1.6   | —     | —     | —     | 2.0   |
| Other principal articles<br>each generally less<br>than 1 per cent. and<br>minor articles not<br>mentioned above .. | 36.2  | 33.1  | 37.1  | 34.8  | 41.3  | 33.0  | 34.2  | 35.4  | 37.9  | 39.2  | 42.9  |

\* Including specie.

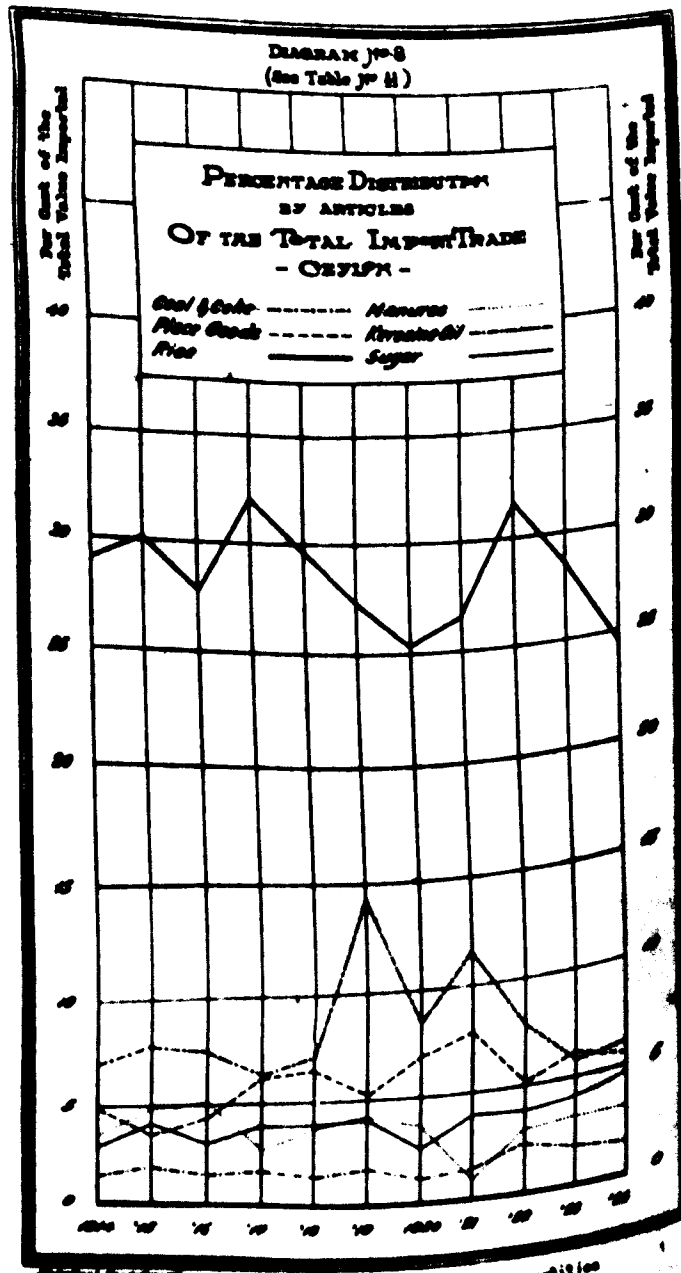
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TABLE No. 12.—Percentage Distribution by Articles of the Total Export†  
Trade of the Colony for each Calendar Year since 1914.

| Articles.                                                                                              | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Areca nuts ..                                                                                          | —     | 1.2   | —     | —     | 1.8   | —     | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.1   | 1.0   | —     |
| Cinnamon ..                                                                                            | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     |
| Cacao ..                                                                                               | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.4   | 6.8   | 6.6   | 10.4  | 6.8   | 6.5   | 5.7   |
| Coconuts, desiccated ..                                                                                | 3.6   | 3.2   | 2.9   | 3.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.4   |
| Colr and manufactures<br>thereof ..                                                                    | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.4   |
| Copra ..                                                                                               | 10.6  | 6.5   | 7.3   | 4.3   | 6.0   | 3.8   | 10.3  | 9.5   | 9.7   | 5.2   | 8.0   |
| Oil, coconut ..                                                                                        | 6.1   | 4.7   | 3.0   | 3.3   | 7.4   | 7.0   | 7.2   | 5.9   | 5.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   |
| Plumbago ..                                                                                            | 1.9   | 2.9   | 7.6   | 7.1   | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Rubber ..                                                                                              | 38.2  | 30.5  | 37.5  | 44.7  | 32.1  | 37.8  | 34.1  | 21.0  | 20.0  | 22.4  | 17.9  |
| Tea ..                                                                                                 | 40.9  | 44.8  | 35.4  | 31.2  | 39.0  | 31.7  | 2.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Specie, gold ..                                                                                        | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Other principal articles<br>each less than 1 per<br>cent. and minor articles<br>not mentioned above .. | 7.4   | 5.1   | 6.3   | 6.4   | 7.9   | 6.9   | 8.7   | 8.1   | 6.2   | 6.8   | 7.1   |

† Including imports exported and specie, but excluding ships' stores and postal articles.

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Note.— Only articles of which considerable quantities  
were imported have been selected.

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TABLE No. 13.—Percentage Distribution by Countries of the Total Import\*  
Trade of the Colony for each Calendar Year since 1913.  
(See Diagram No. 9.)

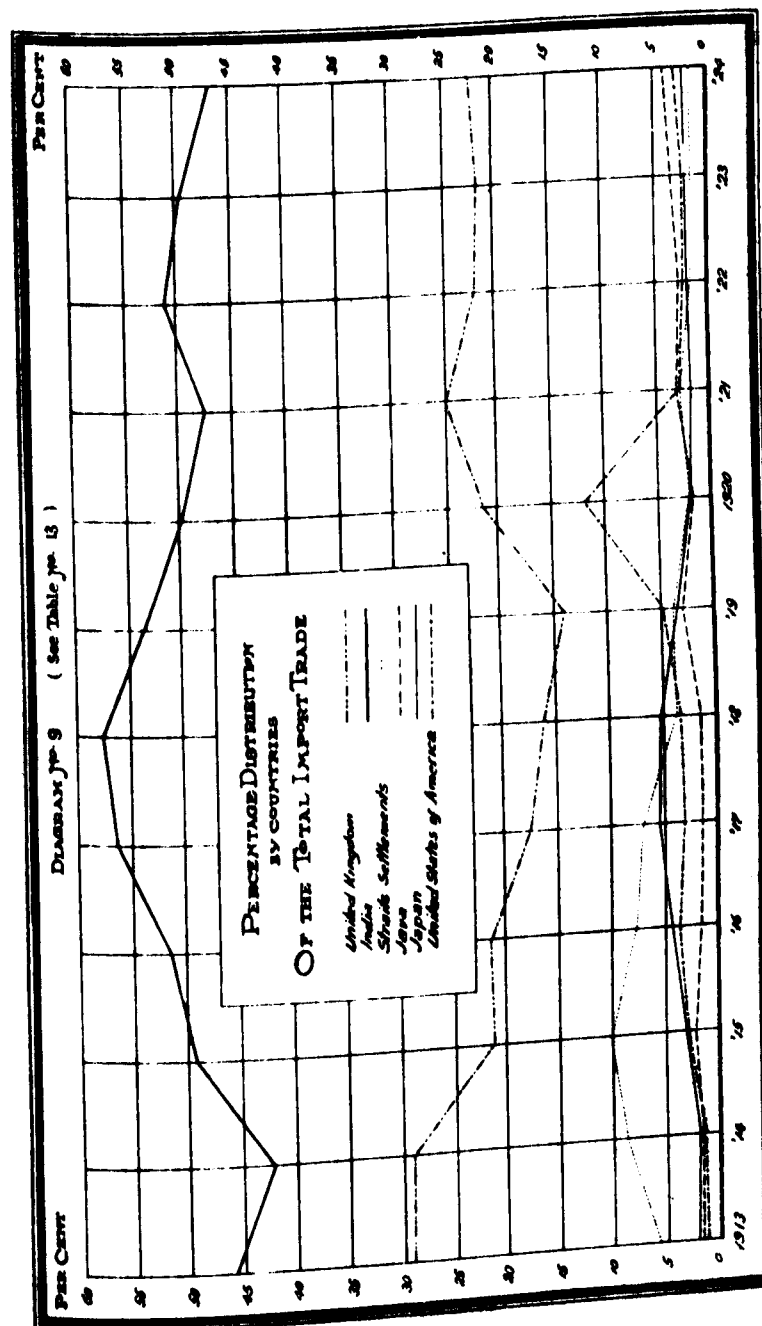
|                                                                  | 1913. | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                                                | 29.2  | 29.1  | 21.3  | 21.4  | 17.6  | 16.1  | 14.0  | 21.5  | 25.0  | 22.0  | 21.7  | 22.2  |
| India ..                                                         | 46.0  | 42.3  | 49.3  | 51.5  | 56.4  | 57.6  | 53.6  | 49.7  | 47.6  | 51.1  | 49.6  | 46.8  |
| Maldiv Islands ..                                                | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | —     | —     | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.3   |
| Straits Settlements ..                                           | 5.7   | 8.7   | 10.1  | 7.7   | 7.0   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 2.0   | 2.7   | 1.6   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| Commonwealth of Australia ..                                     | 1.9   | 2.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | —     | —     | 1.7   | 1.8   | 2.5   | 2.1   | 3.7   | 2.4   |
| British Possessions in Africa (excluding Egypt and Mauritius) .. | 1.0   | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | 4.3   | 2.6   | —     | 4.4   | 3.2   | 1.9   | 2.5   |
| Germany ..                                                       | 3.0   | 2.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.7   |
| Java ..                                                          | 1.6   | 1.5   | 2.1   | 1.5   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 2.8   | 1.8   | 3.0   | 2.7   | 3.2   | 3.8   |
| Borneo ..                                                        | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 1.7   | 1.2   | 2.5   | 1.5   | 2.3   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.8   |
| Japan ..                                                         | 2.1   | 1.7   | 3.1   | 4.2   | 5.4   | 5.1   | 3.5   | 1.9   | 1.6   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 2.1   |
| Siam ..                                                          | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 3.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                                      | 1.2   | 1.3   | 2.9   | 3.5   | 3.0   | 3.2   | 4.7   | 11.0  | 2.7   | 2.4   | 2.2   | 2.9   |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) ..                 | 7.2   | 8.9   | 7.6   | 6.9   | 6.4   | 5.9   | 7.1   | 8.0   | 8.0   | 8.2   | 9.1   | 10.2  |

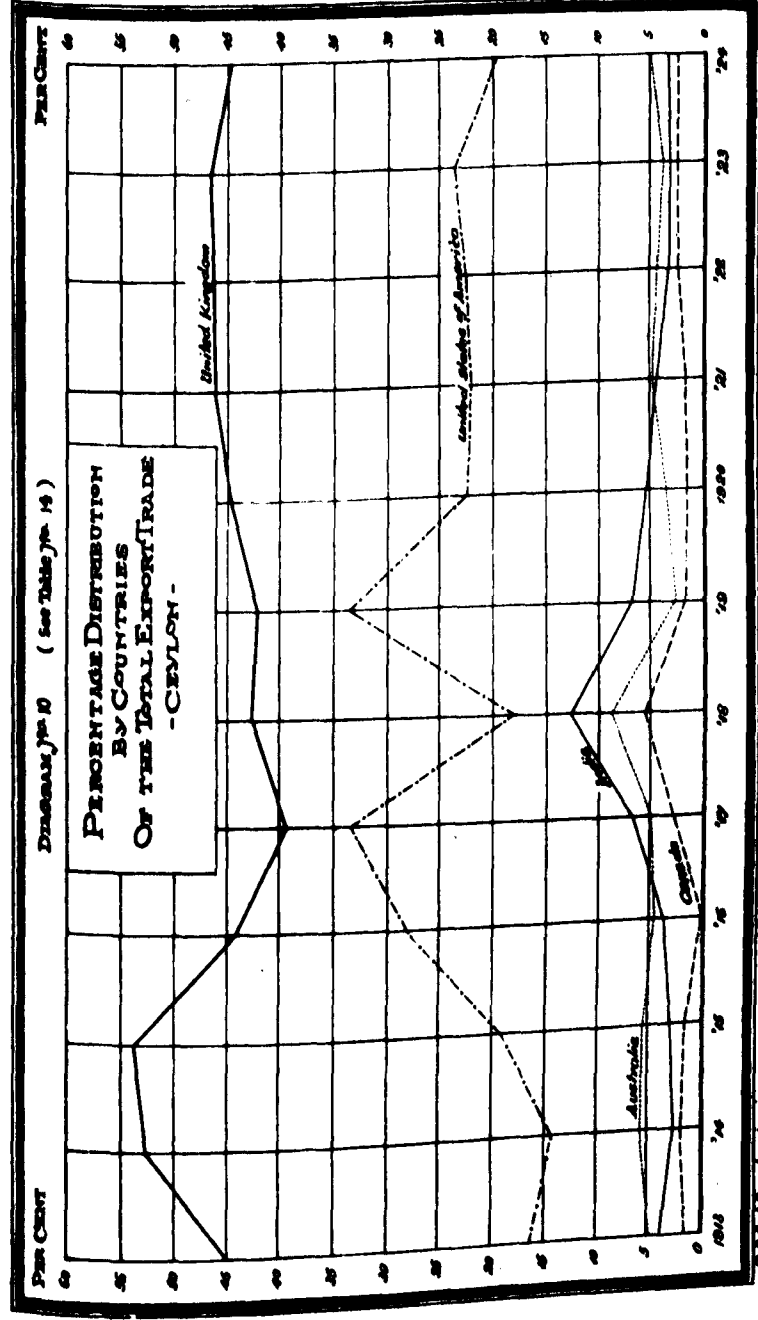
\* Including specie.

TABLE No. 14.—Percentage Distribution by Countries of the Total Export †  
Trade of the Colony for each Calendar Year since 1913.  
(See Diagram No. 10.)

|                                                                  | 1913. | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|------------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                                                | 45.0  | 52.7  | 53.8  | 44.3  | 39.6  | 42.7  | 42.1  | 44.8  | 46.2  | 46.3  | 46.6  | 44.7  |
| India ..                                                         | 3.9   | 2.8   | 3.1   | 3.6   | 6.7   | 12.6  | 6.9   | 5.4   | 4.4   | 3.2   | 3.1   | 3.2   |
| Egypt ..                                                         | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | —     | 2.5   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 2.1   | 1.8   |
| Commonwealth of Australia ..                                     | 4.9   | 5.8   | 5.5   | 4.5   | 4.9   | 8.7   | 2.7   | 3.4   | 4.7   | 4.2   | 3.7   | 4.8   |
| Dominion of New Zealand ..                                       | 1.1   | 1.5   | 1.4   | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.1   | 1.4   | 1.7   | 1.9   | 1.7   |
| Dominion of Canada ..                                            | 1.6   | 1.9   | 1.6   | —     | 3.0   | 5.6   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 2.3   | 2.5   | 2.4   |
| British Possessions in Africa (excluding Egypt and Mauritius) .. | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.6   | —     | —     | 1.6   | 2.0   | 2.2   | 2.2   |
| Russia ..                                                        | 5.8   | 4.3   | 5.9   | 5.9   | 2.6   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Denmark ..                                                       | —     | 1.1   | 2.1   | 1.4   | —     | —     | 1.6   | 1.6   | 2.1   | 1.6   | 1.1   | 2.7   |
| Germany ..                                                       | 9.7   | 5.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.5   | 3.9   | 3.7   | 2.7   | 4.4   |
| Holland ..                                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | 4.9   | 2.9   | 1.5   | 1.4   |
| Belgium ..                                                       | 4.7   | 3.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.1   | 2.0   | 1.1   | —     | 1.2   |
| France ..                                                        | —     | —     | —     | 4.9   | 2.5   | 1.9   | 2.2   | 1.6   | —     | —     | 1.0   | —     |
| French Possessions ‡ ..                                          | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| China ..                                                         | 1.6   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.7   | —     | —     | —     | 2.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                                      | 16.5  | 14.3  | 19.3  | 28.1  | 33.3  | 18.1  | 33.5  | 22.4  | 21.9  | 22.4  | 23.6  | 19.4  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) ..                 | 5.3   | 5.9   | 5.9   | 4.6   | 6.3   | 6.2   | 4.5   | 5.4   | 6.8   | 8.6   | 9.5   | 10.2  |

† Excluding ships' stores and postal articles, but including specie and imports exported.  
‡ Inclusive of all foreign possessions in India, whether French or otherwise.





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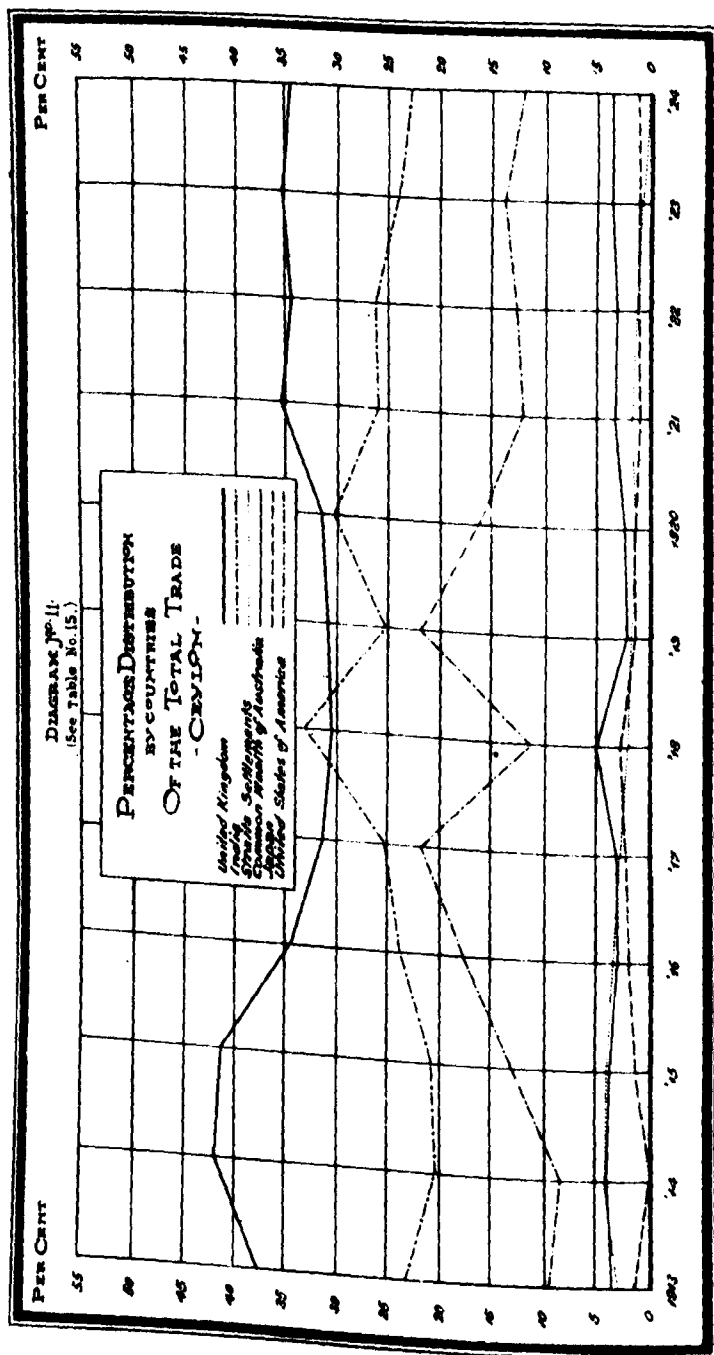


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TABLE No. 15.—Percentage Distribution by Countries of the Total Trade\* of the Colony for each Calendar Year since 1913.

(See Diagram No. 11.)

|                                                               | 1913. | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                                | 37.7  | 42.1  | 41.4  | 34.6  | 31.3  | 30.6  | 30.0  | 31.6  | 35.5  | 34.5  | 35.3  | 34.6  |
| India                                                         | 23.2  | 20.4  | 20.7  | 23.0  | 25.4  | 33.1  | 25.5  | 30.5  | 26.2  | 26.5  | 24.2  | 22.7  |
| Egypt                                                         | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 1.0   |
| Straits Settlements                                           | 2.9   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 3.5   | 2.9   | 2.1   | 1.8   | 1.4   | 1.8   | 1.3   | —     | —     |
| Commonwealth of Australia                                     | 3.5   | 4.1   | 3.8   | 3.0   | 3.3   | 5.1   | 2.3   | 2.5   | 3.6   | 3.2   | 3.7   | 3.7   |
| Dominion of Canada                                            | —     | 1.0   | 1.0   | —     | 1.9   | 3.1   | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.3   | 1.6   | 1.6   |
| British Possessions in Africa (excluding Egypt and Mauritius) | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.8   | 1.5   | —     | 3.0   | 2.6   | 2.1   | 2.3   |
| Russia                                                        | 3.4   | 2.5   | 3.7   | 3.5   | 1.6   | —     | —     | —     | 2.2   | 2.5   | 2.1   | 3.2   |
| Germany                                                       | 6.6   | 4.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.6   | 2.0   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.4   |
| Holland                                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   |
| Belgium                                                       | 2.9   | 2.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| France                                                        | —     | —     | —     | 3.0   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.6   | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| French Possessions                                            | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| China                                                         | 1.0   | —     | 1.1   | 1.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Japan                                                         | 1.2   | —     | 1.3   | 1.0   | 2.2   | 2.7   | 1.5   | 1.3   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   |
| United States of America                                      | 9.5   | 8.5   | 13.0  | 17.6  | 21.9  | 11.3  | 22.0  | 16.4  | 12.2  | 12.7  | 13.9  | 12.0  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.)                 | 8.0   | 11.1  | 9.8   | 7.7   | 7.6   | 6.5   | 10.4  | 10.2  | 12.4  | 13.1  | 13.7  | 15.2  |

\* Excluding ships' stores and postal articles.

† Inclusive of all foreign possessions in India, whether French or otherwise.

## SECTION 4.—CEYLON PRODUCTS.

### Sub-section 1.—Tea.

#### PAGE 43, Paragraph on "Yields and Prices."

The year 1922 opened with a strong market for all classes of tea at advancing prices, and so remained up to the end of February. Then there was a decline, the highest averages for high-grown teas falling below Re. 1 on two occasions in June, but seldom below 80 cents. Conditions improved by the end of June. On one occasion in September, the average for certain estates went over Rs. 2, but did not one estate reaching Rs. 2.13. Again a decline set in, but did not continue long. The weekly sale averages began to recover from about the second week of October, and on November 7 recorded the fine average of Re. 1.10. In spite of a further decline in quality, the averages still kept very high, never falling below Re. 1, the last sale of the year recording Re. 1.08.

The opening sale of 1923 showed an average of Re. 1·12, as against 92 cents for the corresponding sale of 1922. The averages fluctuated but little throughout the year.

The outturn in 1924 was very consistent and the offerings were generally good, the chief feature being the remarkably good teas which came from the low-grown estates. Opening with 95 cents, the market maintained a slow upward trend until Re. 1·25 was reached in December.

The highest average in each quarter of 1922, 1923, and 1924 was as follows :—

|                | 1922.  |    | 1923.  |    | 1924.  |
|----------------|--------|----|--------|----|--------|
|                | Rs. c. |    | Rs. c. |    | Rs. c. |
| First quarter  | 1 3    | .. | 1 14   | .. | 1 3    |
| Second quarter | 0 92   | .. | 1 7    | .. | 0 97   |
| Third quarter  | 0 99   | .. | 1 12   | .. | 1 3    |
| Fourth quarter | 0 94   | .. | 1 11   | .. | 1 17   |

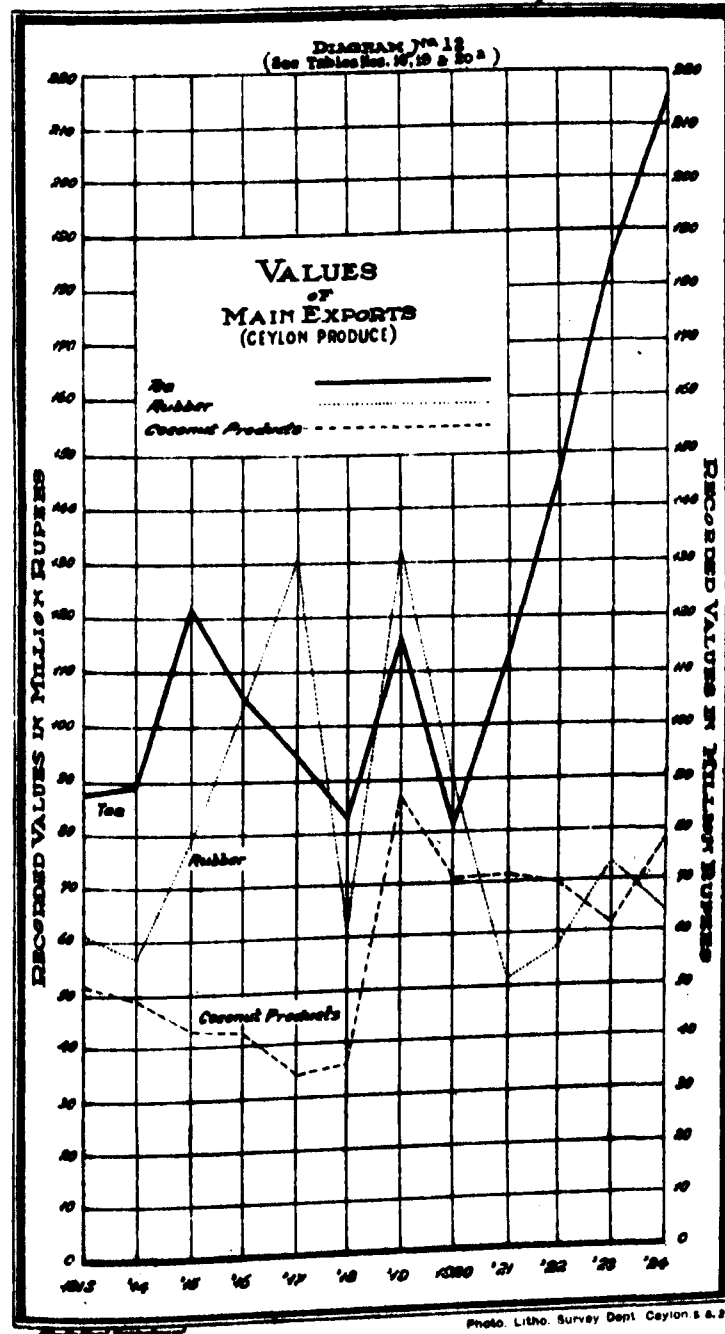
The shippers' buying prices—all-round annual averages—in certain years were : 1911, 45·5 cents per lb. ; 1912, 43·7 cents ; 1913, 45·8 cents ; 1914, 46·4 cents ; 1915, 56·8 cents ; 1916, 51·8 cents ; 1919, 55·86 cents ; 1920, 43·72 cents ; 1921, 70 cents ; 1922, 85 cents ; 1923, Re. 1·02 ; 1924, Re. 1·04.

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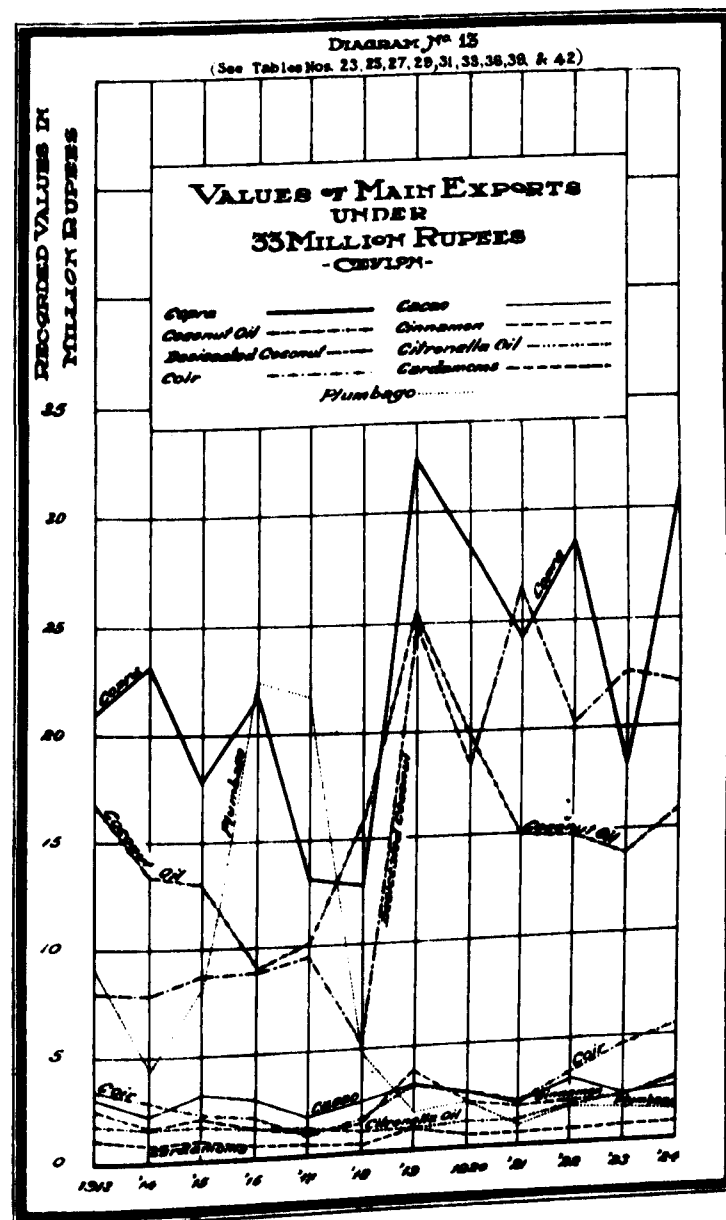
TABLE No. 16. —Quantity and Value of the Exports of Black and Green Tea (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 12.)

| Year. | Black Tea.<br>lb. | Quantity.   | Green Tea.<br>lb. | Total Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 1873  | ..                | 23          | ..                | 58                  |
| 1909  | ..                | 186,843,452 | ..                | 81,012,348          |
| 1910  | ..                | 175,628,852 | ..                | 79,200,489          |
| 1911  | ..                | 177,936,938 | ..                | 84,900,295          |
| 1912  | ..                | 183,926,460 | ..                | 83,816,552          |
| 1913  | ..                | 186,211,407 | ..                | 87,787,914          |
| 1914  | ..                | 189,188,678 | ..                | 89,725,995          |
| 1915  | ..                | 210,478,694 | ..                | 122,457,825         |
| 1916  | ..                | 199,252,132 | ..                | 105,266,462         |
| 1917  | ..                | 190,077,088 | ..                | 95,663,480          |
| 1918  | ..                | 179,473,544 | ..                | 83,178,162          |
| 1919  | ..                | 205,773,988 | ..                | 116,502,140         |
| 1920  | ..                | 181,566,097 | ..                | 80,781,637          |
| 1921  | ..                | 159,302,769 | ..                | 112,707,687         |
| 1922  | ..                | 169,689,389 | ..                | 146,036,443         |
| 1923  | ..                | 179,596,993 | ..                | 185,652,324         |
| 1924  | ..                | 203,210,185 | ..                | 214,892,092         |



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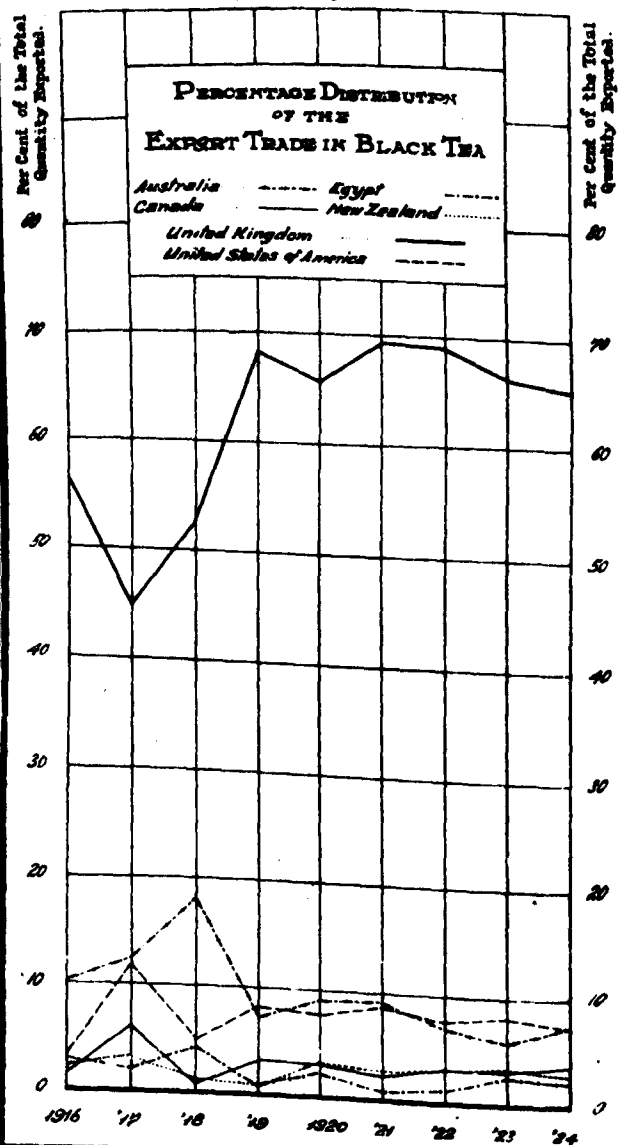


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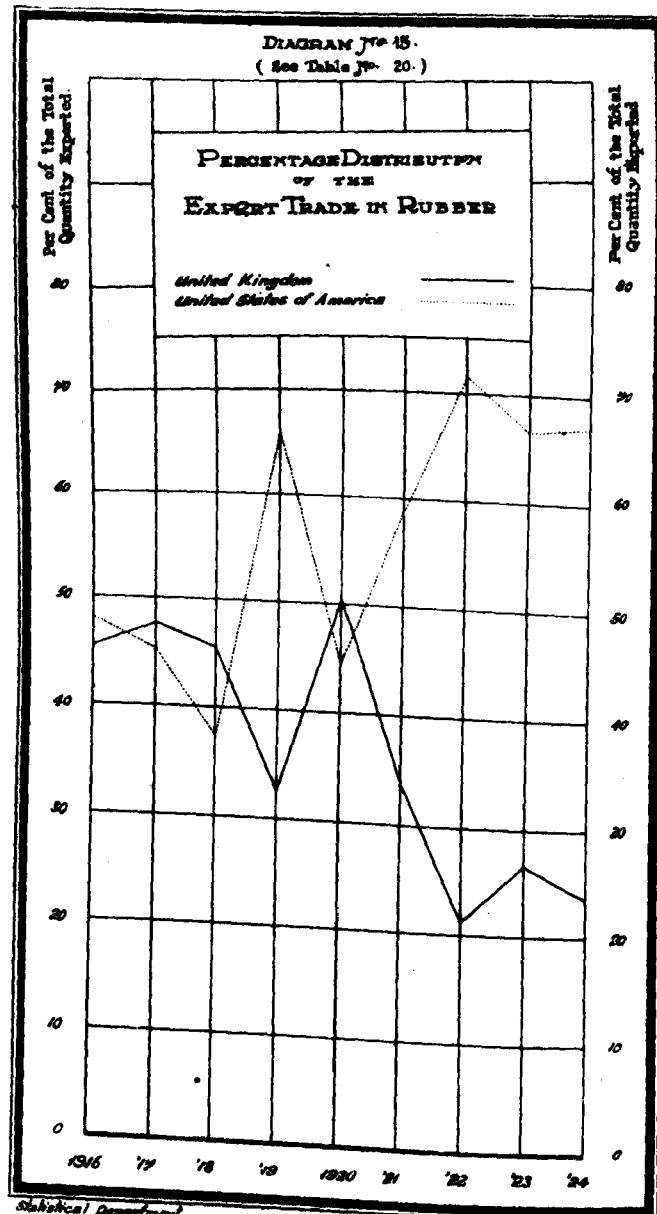
DIAGRAM J-44  
( See Table J- 47 )



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Note.- Only countries to which considerable quantities  
were exported have been selected

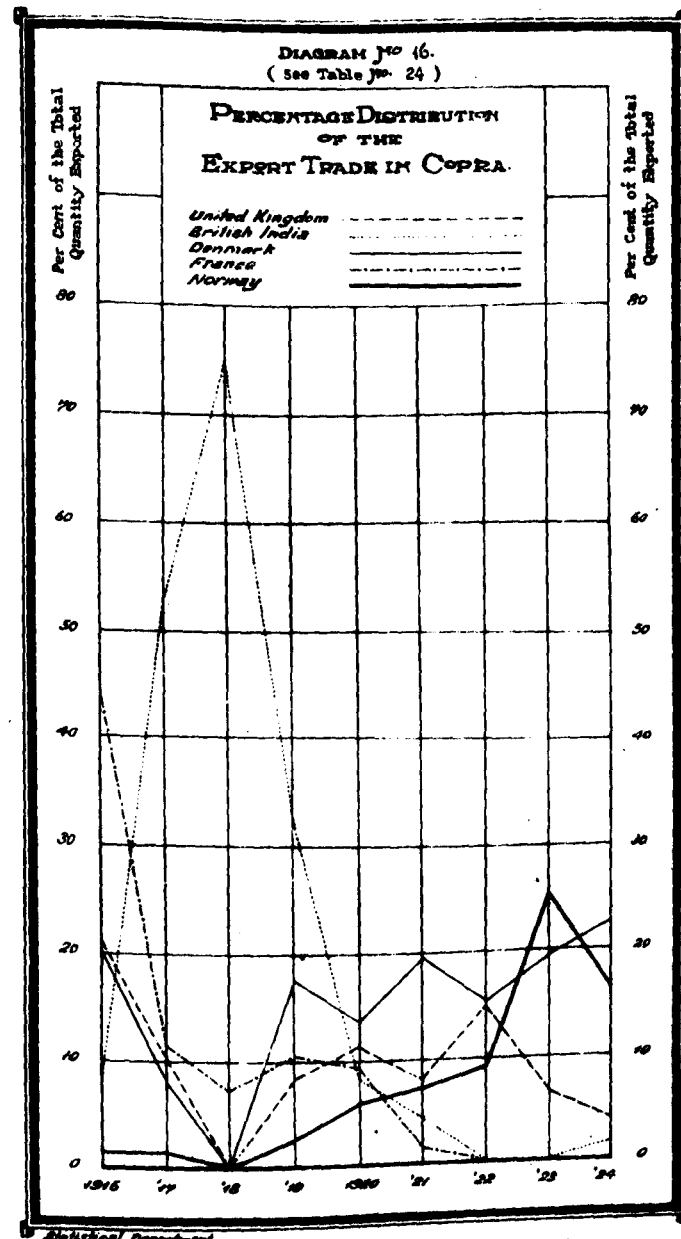
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Note.- Only countries to which considerable quantities were exported have been selected.

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TABLE No. 17.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Black Tea (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

(See Diagram No. 14.)

| Country.                                       | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                              | 56.8  | 45.0  | 52.6  | 68.3  | 65.9  | 69.5  | 69.2  | 66.6  | 65.3  |
| British Colonies :—                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                                   | 10.3  | 12.4  | 18.1  | 7.3   | 9.2   | 9.3   | 7.1   | 6.0   | 7.6   |
| British India ..                               | 1.0   | 2.6   | 4.4   | 2.1   | 1.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Canada ..                                      | 1.8   | 6.1   | 1.1   | 3.4   | 3.3   | 2.4   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.8   |
| Cape Colony ..                                 | —     | 1.6   | 2.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   |
| Egypt ..                                       | 3.2   | 2.2   | 4.5   | 1.1   | 2.4   | 1.1   | 1.5   | 2.7   | 2.2   |
| Natal ..                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.5   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.5   |
| New Zealand ..                                 | 2.5   | 3.4   | 1.6   | 1.0   | 3.4   | 3.0   | 3.3   | 3.6   | 2.9   |
| Other British Possessions in Europe ..         | —     | —     | 1.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| China, excluding Hong Kong ..                  | 4.7   | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| France ..                                      | 1.1   | 1.4   | 2.1   | 1.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russia in Asia ..                              | 2.6   | 1.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russia in Europe ..                            | 9.3   | 3.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| South America (excluding Chile) ..             | —     | —     | 1.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                    | 3.5   | 11.8  | 5.0   | 8.4   | 7.9   | 8.8   | 7.7   | 8.2   | 7.5   |
| Others (each usually less than 1 per cent.) .. | 3.0   | 5.5   | 6.1   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 3.1   | 4.4   | 6.3   | 7.7   |

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TABLE No. 18.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Green Tea (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                       | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                              | 10.4  | 7.0   | —     | —     | —     | 4.5   | 4.8   | 8.5   | 10.0  |
| British Colonies :—                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| British India ..                               | 7.9   | 16.7  | 47.2  | 63.5  | 51.3  | 37.2  | 3.5   | 4.0   | 9.7   |
| Canada ..                                      | 19.0  | 7.7   | 16.2  | 29.3  | 34.9  | 28.2  | 51.8  | 51.0  | 18.2  |
| Newfoundland ..                                | —     | —     | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| China ..                                       | —     | 2.7   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| France ..                                      | —     | —     | 7.7   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Mozambique ..                                  | —     | —     | 9.5   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Portugal ..                                    | —     | —     | 2.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russia in Asia ..                              | 58.5  | 64.7  | 8.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                    | 4.2   | 1.3   | 4.8   | 6.2   | 13.2  | 29.0  | 38.1  | 36.2  | 62.0  |
| Other Foreign countries in Africa ..           | —     | —     | 2.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Others (each usually less than 1 per cent.) .. | .1    | .0    | .5    | 1.0   | .7    | 1.1   | .7    | .2    | —     |

## Sub-section 2.—Rubber.

## PAGE 48, Paragraph on "Yield, Costs, &amp;c."

The year 1919 opened with a good demand for all grades—the best realizing Re. 1.25 to Re. 1.30 per pound. These prices continued until the middle of May, when Exchange began to rise rapidly and they fell to 90 to 95 cents in June. Then they gradually rose to Re. 1.05 in July, and stood at that figure until the middle of September, when there was a further sharp rise to Re. 1.30. This was followed by a sudden fall to 95 cents. The market then reacted and stood at about Re. 1.05 till the end of the year.

The rubber market was a distinctly disappointing one in 1920. The year started well with pale crêpe and No. 1 ribbed sheet selling at Re. 1.10, clean brown scrap crêpe at 95 cents, and curly scrap at 70 cents. These prices ruled during the first month, but thereafter there was a steady and continuous decline, and at the close of the year pale crêpe stood at 48 cents, ribbed sheet at 38 cents, clean brown scrap crêpe at 30 cents, and curly scrap at 23 cents—prices which give an average well under the cost of production of most producers. This decline appears to have been due to possible over-production, accumulation of stocks of manufactured articles, general trade depression, and world-wide financial difficulties.

The downward trend continued to the end of June, 1921, when crêpe and ribbed sheet were at 43 and 37 cents, respectively. From July to September prices remained steady at from 43 to 50 cents, crêpe and ribbed sheet being at about the same level. The last three months of the year witnessed a considerable improvement; prices reached 70 cents in December, and closed for the year at 63 to 65 cents.

The year 1922 opened with No. 1 grades at 64 cents, and prices thereafter steadily declined until they reached the lowest figure yet recorded in the history of the rubber trade, namely, 40 cents. Stocks were then at their highest. A slight improvement set in towards the middle of September. With the introduction of the compulsory restriction of output from November 1, prices immediately advanced sharply and a steady rise was maintained until early December when 85 cents was obtained.

From 89 cents in January, 1923, the prices advanced to Re. 1.08 in February, declining thereafter until 76 cents, the lowest price for the year, was touched. The market then began to react, 95 cents being reached towards the end of August. The prices steadily declined again and prices fluctuated within narrow limits, closing the year at 78 cents.

The year 1924 began with top grades selling around 78 cents for the first two months. Prices thereafter declined, with a brief recovery in April, until the last sale in June when the prices of contract ribbed smoked sheet and contract crêpe touched 52½ cents and 54½ cents, respectively, the lowest prices for the year and since the introduction of restriction. From the beginning of July an almost continuous rise took place up to the end of the year, 99 cents and Re. 1 being recorded for contract sheet and crêpe, respectively, in the middle of December. A noteworthy feature of the rubber market in 1924 was that crêpe obtained a small premium over sheet rubber and that off grades had a strong demand.

The all-round average annual shippers' buying prices in certain years were the following: 1912, Rs. 2.73 per lb.; 1913, Re. 1.92; 1914, Re. 1.42; 1915, Re. 1.65; 1916, Re. 1.79; 1917, Re. 1.49; 1919, Re. 1.05\*; 1920, 80 cents\*; 1921, 52 cents\*; 1922, 53 cents\* 1923, 88 cents\*; 1924, 75 cents\*.

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TABLE No. 19.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Rubber (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 12.)

| Year.   | Quantity.<br>lb. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year.   | Quantity.<br>lb. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|---------|------------------|---------------|---------|------------------|---------------|
| 1909 .. | 1,741,488 ..     | 7,204,899     | 1917 .. | 72,329,290 ..    | 130,967,789   |
| 1910 .. | 3,802,624 ..     | 19,634,006    | 1918 .. | 46,289,969 ..    | 82,252,430    |
| 1911 .. | 6,855,709 ..     | 28,356,056    | 1919 .. | 100,822,149 ..   | 132,071,409   |
| 1912 .. | 14,847,735 ..    | 52,178,051    | 1920 .. | 88,552,542 ..    | 89,961,103    |
| 1913 .. | 25,367,028 ..    | 61,269,262    | 1921 .. | 88,125,425 ..    | 51,601,518    |
| 1914 .. | 34,353,099 ..    | 57,220,155    | 1922 .. | 104,595,278 ..   | 56,970,218    |
| 1915 .. | 48,803,816 ..    | 78,996,940    | 1923 .. | 83,816,228 ..    | 73,594,349    |
| 1916 .. | 54,509,267 ..    | 103,511,925   | 1924 .. | 82,960,851 ..    | 63,749,711    |

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TABLE No. 20.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Rubber (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

(See Diagram No. 15.)

| Country.                                  | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                         | 45.3  | 47.6  | 45.5  | 32.4  | 50.4  | 33.6  | 21.1  | 26.4  | 23.7  |
| British Colonies :—                       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                              | 1.5   | 1.6   | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     |
| Canada ..                                 | —     | 1.8   | 11.9  | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| France ..                                 | 2.9   | 2.3   | 1.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.6   | 2.1   |
| Germany ..                                | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 4.9   | 4.2   | 2.3   | 4.8   |
| United States of America ..               | 48.1  | 45.3  | 37.2  | 65.8  | 44.5  | 58.8  | 71.4  | 66.6  | 67.2  |
| Others (usually less than 1 per cent.) .. | 2.1   | 1.4   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 3.9   | 2.8   | 2.2   | 3.1   | 2.2   |

\* Average for top grades only (ribbed smoked sheet and contract crêpe).

## Sub-section 3.—Coconut.

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TABLE No. 20a.—Value of the Exports of the Products of the Coconut Palm.  
(See Diagram No. 12.)

| Article.           | 1911.             | 1912.             | 1913.             | 1914.             | 1915.             | 1916.             | 1917.             |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                    | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>38,958,540</b> | <b>32,426,190</b> | <b>51,392,714</b> | <b>49,120,875</b> | <b>42,913,421</b> | <b>42,147,183</b> | <b>33,953,634</b> |
| Arrack             | 5,432             | 5,142             | 3,458             | —                 | 1,188             | —                 | 15,685            |
| Coir—              |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| Bristle fibre      | 1,352,098         | 1,745,920         | 1,567,173         | 1,292,355         | 900,417           | 625,508           | 244,731           |
| Mattress fibre     |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   | 258,650           | 173,611           |
| Mats and matting   | 6,568             | 7,260             | 4,285             | 9,668             | 5,417             | 5,740             | 1,205             |
| Rope               | 170,100           | 201,630           | 204,230           | 170,310           | 214,910           | 151,090           | 141,400           |
| Yarn               | 1,110,685         | 1,099,586         | 1,561,689         | 1,361,855         | 1,030,624         | 808,310           | 242,288           |
| Other              | 2,528             | 1,251             | 4,051             | 1,895             | 284               | 1,265             | 2,412             |
| Copra              | 13,172,830        | 10,082,629        | 20,959,266        | 23,247,919        | 17,656,852        | 21,868,455        | 18,215,495        |
| Desiccated coconut | 7,023,201         | 6,689,235         | 7,866,722         | 7,838,655         | 8,646,872         | 8,705,425         | 9,361,004         |
| Fresh coconuts     | 1,168,133         | 1,244,832         | 1,391,352         | 892,843           | 505,813           | 417,905           | 320,991           |
| Oil                | 13,145,566        | 10,586,876        | 16,737,710        | 13,392,316        | 12,959,018        | 8,934,650         | 10,080,669        |
| Poonac             | 901,399           | 755,829           | 1,092,778         | 913,059           | 992,026           | 370,179           | 154,143           |

TABLE No. 20a.—Value of the Exports of the Products of the Coconut Palm—(contd.).

| Article.           | 1918.             | 1919.             | 1920.             | 1921.             | 1922.             | 1923.             | 1924.             |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|                    | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               | Rs.               |
| <b>Total</b>       | <b>35,579,655</b> | <b>37,625,852</b> | <b>70,852,487</b> | <b>71,326,566</b> | <b>69,849,446</b> | <b>61,419,960</b> | <b>77,636,986</b> |
| Arrack             | 41,243            | 207,095           | 136,062           | 112,872           | 60,931            | 35,355            | 18,785            |
| Coir—              |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |                   |
| Bristle fibre      | 718,875           | 1,506,686         | 1,282,699         | 987,347           | 1,422,888         | 1,830,156         | 2,024,939         |
| Mattress fibre     | 212,992           | 251,525           | 296,689           | 152,848           | 351,226           | 558,673           | 922,145           |
| Mats and matting   | 4,483             | 2,615             | 9,829             | 12,871            | 10,452            | 28,677            | 8,779             |
| Rope               | 238,404           | 172,956           | 185,033           | 44,808            | 204,960           | 275,954           | 272,983           |
| Yarn               | 288,040           | 1,098,344         | 770,766           | 639,364           | 1,302,087         | 1,957,251         | 2,140,753         |
| Other              | 5,973             | 16,945            | 11,499            | 18,223            | 8,168             | 11,959            | 8,161             |
| Copra              | 12,757,641        | 32,357,044        | 28,405,273        | 24,304,484        | 23,804,064        | 18,123,143        | 31,008,191        |
| Desiccated coconut | 5,179,529         | 24,928,166        | 18,329,756        | 26,602,399        | 20,159,183        | 22,716,338        | 21,963,695        |
| Fresh coconuts     | 391,803           | 292,623           | 974,114           | 2,361,983         | 1,825,226         | 1,338,533         | 2,499,088         |
| Oil                | 15,692,559        | 25,674,442        | 19,864,606        | 15,024,501        | 14,924,985        | 13,985,486        | 15,826,782        |
| Poonac             | 48,113            | 517,411           | 586,161           | 894,871           | 766,276           | 608,435           | 942,685           |

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## The Nut.

TABLE No. 21.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Fresh Coconuts  
(Ceylon Produce).

| Year. | Quantity.<br>No. of Nuts. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>No. of Nuts. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|---------------------------|---------------|-------|---------------------------|---------------|
| 1909  | 18,405,186                | 1,050,613     | 1917  | 5,289,481                 | 320,991       |
| 1910  | 16,506,491                | 1,239,673     | 1918  | 6,553,278                 | 391,803       |
| 1911  | 15,723,393                | 1,168,133     | 1919  | 3,390,710                 | 292,623       |
| 1912  | 16,010,809                | 1,244,832     | 1920  | 9,776,479                 | 974,114       |
| 1913  | 16,861,324                | 1,391,352     | 1921  | 23,738,542                | 2,361,983     |
| 1914  | 11,429,594                | 892,843       | 1922  | 22,317,747                | 1,825,226     |
| 1915  | 5,827,669                 | 505,813       | 1923  | 15,693,670                | 1,338,533     |
| 1916  | 4,694,297                 | 417,905       | 1924  | 29,121,041                | 2,499,088     |

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TABLE No. 22.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Fresh Coconuts (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 40.2  | —     | —     | 1.1   | 49.0  | 49.5  | 51.4  | 63.1  | 42.4  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| British India                                 | 3.8   | 25.3  | 25.4  | 6.8   | 2.7   | 1.6   | 1.2   | 1.3   | —     |
| Burma                                         | —     | —     | 6.4   | 2.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Egypt                                         | 56.0  | 74.1  | 68.1  | 83.7  | 34.4  | 31.0  | 32.3  | 22.8  | 16.8  |
| Other British Possessions in Asia             | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium                                       | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | 4.5   | 1.7   | 1.3   | 1.5   | 2.9   |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 4.9   | 4.7   | 5.7   | 26.6  |
| Holland                                       | —     | —     | —     | 3.7   | 7.5   | 10.8  | 7.8   | 4.0   | 8.0   |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | .1    | .6    | .1    | .2    | 1.9   | .6    | 1.3   | 1.6   | 3.4   |

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## Copra.

TABLE No. 23.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Copra  
(Ceylon Produce).

| Year. | Quantity.<br>cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1909  | 784,522           | 10,007,696    | 1917  | 1,078,704         | 13,215,495    |
| 1910  | 758,711           | 12,697,725    | 1918  | 1,272,321         | 12,757,641    |
| 1911  | 821,814           | 13,172,830    | 1919  | 1,759,525         | 32,357,044    |
| 1912  | 614,089           | 10,082,629    | 1920  | 1,357,870         | 28,405,273    |
| 1913  | 1,117,292         | 20,959,266    | 1921  | 1,367,431         | 24,304,484    |
| 1914  | 1,411,947         | 23,247,919    | 1922  | 1,686,589         | 28,804,064    |
| 1915  | 1,208,529         | 17,656,852    | 1923  | 1,015,465         | 18,123,143    |
| 1916  | 1,309,939         | 21,868,455    | 1924  | 1,769,189         | 31,008,191    |

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TABLE No. 24.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Copra (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

(See Diagram No. 16.)

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                             | 21.4  | 10.4  | —     | 8.6   | 11.2  | 8.3   | 15.0  | 7.0   | 3.9   |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                                  | —     | —     | 3.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| British India ..                              | 8.4   | 52.4  | 74.7  | 32.9  | 8.4   | 4.4   | —     | —     | 1.5   |
| Egypt ..                                      | —     | —     | 1.3   | 3.5   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Other British Possessions in Asia ..          | —     | 7.8   | 4.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | 9.9   | 10.5  | 3.0   | 4.9   | 6.5   | 6.4   |
| Denmark ..                                    | 20.2  | 8.4   | —     | 17.8  | 13.8  | 19.8  | 15.3  | 19.6  | 22.6  |
| France ..                                     | 44.4  | 11.5  | 7.5   | 10.5  | 9.6   | 1.7   | —     | —     | —     |
| Germany ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | 7.1   | 11.6  | 9.5   | 3.4   | 14.9  |
| Holland ..                                    | —     | 6.7   | —     | 9.4   | 29.1  | 18.7  | 10.9  | 9.0   | 12.6  |
| Italy ..                                      | —     | —     | 7.3   | 3.8   | 3.2   | 16.3  | 28.3  | 21.6  | 19.6  |
| Norway ..                                     | 1.4   | 1.4   | —     | 2.7   | 6.1   | 7.5   | 9.5   | 25.8  | 16.4  |
| Russia in Europe ..                           | 3.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Sweden ..                                     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.6   | 1.8   | 6.2   | —     |
| United States of America ..                   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 6.7   | 3.6   | —     | —     |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | .8    | 1.4   | 1.2   | .8    | .9    | .3    | 1.2   | .8    | 2.6   |

## PAGES 54 and 55, Paragraphs on "Prices."

The price of copra has risen greatly in response to heavy demand. In the first six months of 1918 the price per candy of 560 lb. ranged from Rs. 29.50 to Rs. 45. After reaching Rs. 95 during the second six months, the price fell to Rs. 77 at the end of 1918.

A further fall to Rs. 69 occurred in March, 1919, but a continuous rise started then till Rs. 120 was reached in July. A fall to Rs. 95 occurred in October, but the prices again rose to Rs. 112, followed by a gradual fall till September, 1920, when a strong demand set in, prices rising in October to Rs. 130.

The opening price in 1921 was about Rs. 120, but by April it had fallen as low as Rs. 66. Between April and the middle of July, prices ranged from Rs. 65 to Rs. 94, and in August a sharp advance took place,

when the price touched Rs. 118.75. Towards the end of August, the price dropped to Rs. 97, and in November to Rs. 76, the ruling price at the end of the year being about Rs. 80.

Though the demand for copra in 1922 was fairly large, no great variation in prices took place. The market opened with Rs. 80, but soon dropped to Rs. 78, and stood at this price till the end of February, when it rose to about Rs. 81. But for slight fluctuations, the prices remained steady from March till September, when they declined to Rs. 74, thereafter rising to, and closing the year with, Rs. 84.

The prices fluctuated considerably in 1923, as the supplies were very irregular owing to continuous wet weather for about nine months. At the first sale, Rs. 85.75 was realized, but towards the end of January the market dropped to Rs. 77.50. It then gradually advanced, until it reached Rs. 103.50 in the middle of April. From May to October prices ranged between Rs. 80 and Rs. 98; and the market stood at Rs. 92.75 towards the end of the year.

Though there was a fall at the beginning of the year 1924, prices kept fairly steady, the chief difficulty with which shippers had to contend being the fluctuating exchange. Opening with Rs. 95, the market rose to Rs. 100 in January itself. During February and March it declined to Rs. 83 and stood at between Rs. 80 and Rs. 88 during the rest of the year.

The average annual shippers' buying prices from 1913 were:—1913, Rs. 91.88 per candy; 1914, Rs. 73.39; 1915, Rs. 61.73; 1916, Rs. 64.77; 1917, Rs. 38.43; 1918, Rs. 47.81; 1919, 94.13; 1920, Rs. 109.53; 1921, Rs. 87.16; 1922, Rs. 78.52; 1923, Rs. 87.61; 1924, Rs. 85.42.

## Coconut Oil.

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TABLE No. 25.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Coconut Oil (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 13.)

| Year. | Quantity.<br>Gallons. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>Gallons. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|-----------------------|---------------|-------|-----------------------|---------------|
| 1909  | 7,464,116             | 13,141,508    | 1917  | 5,409,588             | 10,080,669    |
| 1910  | 7,711,573             | 17,326,252    | 1918  | 6,564,208             | 15,692,559    |
| 1911  | 6,284,644             | 13,145,566    | 1919  | 8,412,432             | 25,674,442    |
| 1912  | 4,999,916             | 10,586,876    | 1920  | 6,315,892             | 19,864,606    |
| 1913  | 6,806,912             | 16,737,710    | 1921  | 6,032,121             | 15,024,501    |
| 1914  | 6,051,559             | 13,392,316    | 1922  | 6,902,012             | 14,924,985    |
| 1915  | 6,241,013             | 12,959,018    | 1923  | 4,324,887             | 13,935,486    |
| 1916  | 4,019,767             | 8,934,650     | 1924  | 4,973,697             | 15,826,782    |

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TABLE No. 26.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Coconut Oil (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 83.1  | 83.2  | 80.7  | 57.8  | 41.9  | 55.3  | 54.4  | 31.9  | 17.1  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| British India                                 | 1.6   | 5.8   | 1.8   | —     | 2.4   | 1.5   | —     | —     | 7.3   |
| Canada                                        | —     | —     | 14.1  | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Cape Colony                                   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | 1.0   |
| Egypt                                         | —     | —     | 1.7   | 6.6   | 6.4   | 6.8   | 9.0   | 13.5  | 11.1  |
| Natal                                         | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.7   | 1.8   |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium                                       | —     | —     | —     | 6.1   | 5.6   | 3.6   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 1.0   |
| Denmark                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 15.4  |
| France                                        | —     | —     | —     | 2.1   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 5.2   | 19.0  | 29.7  | 10.7  |
| Holland                                       | —     | 5.6   | —     | 1.5   | 26.8  | 16.3  | 2.3   | —     | —     |
| Italy                                         | —     | 1.1   | —     | 1.1   | 2.1   | 1.6   | 3.0   | 5.0   | 15.7  |
| Mozambique                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | 1.9   |
| Norway                                        | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | 7.0   | 5.9   | 5.8   | 10.3  | 10.2  |
| Russia in Asia                                | 8.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Sweden                                        | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.4   | 1.6   | —     | 2.9   |
| United States of America                      | 5.6   | —     | —     | 21.8  | 5.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.4   | 4.4   | 1.7   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.3   | 3.7   | 2.9   | 3.0   |

## PAGE 56, Paragraphs on "Prices." (Coconut Oil.)

The increased business in 1919 was due to the removal of restrictions. In 1920 prices were high, especially in the second half of the year.

The opening price in 1921 was about Rs. 800 per ton, but dropped to Rs. 700 by the end of January. In February the price rose to Rs. 740, but after that it declined till Rs. 500 was reached in April. A gradual rise followed, till the price touched Rs. 800 in August, when it again declined, and from then till the end of the year prices were fairly steady, closing at about Rs. 550.

In 1922 the market opened at Rs. 530 f.o.b. and rose to Rs. 540 by the end of January. It rose further and stood at Rs. 575 until early March, when the price went down to Rs. 555. From March to August the market remained steady at about Rs. 530, but from September to the end of November it fluctuated, the prices ranging between Rs. 500 and Rs. 527.50. The year closed with Rs. 542.50.

The price remained at Rs. 550 during January, 1923, but advanced to Rs. 575 towards the end of February, to Rs. 625 towards the end of March, and to Rs. 665—the highest price for the year—about the end of April. Business in May was very dull and then a decline set in, the price going down from Rs. 580 at the beginning of June to Rs. 525 at the end of July, and further down in August to Rs. 500—the lowest point for the year. The market, however, gradually recovered and stood at Rs. 605 at the end of the year.

From Rs. 625 in January, 1924, the market went down to Rs. 555 in April and to Rs. 535 in June. It then began to improve and before the end of that month rose to Rs. 575 and in August and September to Rs. 580, thereafter remaining steady for the rest of the year.

The average annual shippers' buying prices from 1911 were :—1911, Rs. 520.65 per ton f.o.b.; 1912, Rs. 527.06; 1913, Rs. 611.94; 1914, Rs. 550.70; 1915, Rs. 516.77; 1916, Rs. 545.27; 1917, Rs. 463.80; 1918, Rs. 594.96; 1919, Rs. 759.60; 1920, Rs. 782.75; 1921, Rs. 629.03; 1922, Rs. 538.13; 1923, Rs. 584.05; 1924, Rs. 574.11.

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## Desiccated Coconut.

TABLE No. 27.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Desiccated Coconut (Ceylon Produce).

| Year. | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|
|       |                   |               |       |                   |               |
| 1909  | 230,791           | 4,406,924     | 1917  | 272,059           | 9,361,004     |
| 1910  | 242,286           | 5,635,009     | 1918  | 203,366           | 5,179,529     |
| 1911  | 292,210           | 7,023,201     | 1919  | 675,060           | 24,928,166    |
| 1912  | 278,806           | 6,681,235     | 1920  | 518,735           | 18,329,756    |
| 1913  | 303,808           | 7,866,722     | 1921  | 870,515           | 26,602,399    |
| 1914  | 311,864           | 7,838,655     | 1922  | 768,215           | 20,159,183    |
| 1915  | 349,009           | 8,646,872     | 1923  | 818,793           | 22,716,338    |
| 1916  | 306,149           | 8,705,425     | 1924  | 871,341           | 21,963,695    |

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TABLE No. 28.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Desiccated Coconut (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 60.0  | 32.9  | 5.6   | 35.5  | 35.3  | 31.3  | 37.8  | 34.7  | 32.4  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia                                     | 5.8   | 9.3   | 11.3  | 2.7   | 4.5   | 3.3   | 4.6   | 4.1   | 4.9   |
| British India                                 | —     | —     | —     | 1.7   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Canada                                        | 2.8   | 9.4   | 15.7  | 3.7   | 2.5   | 2.9   | 2.5   | 3.4   | 3.0   |
| Cape Colony                                   | —     | 1.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Hong Kong                                     | 4.2   | 2.5   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| New Zealand                                   | 1.4   | 1.8   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium                                       | —     | —     | —     | 4.4   | —     | 1.2   | 1.7   | 1.4   | 1.5   |
| France                                        | 1.1   | 2.6   | 5.1   | 3.4   | —     | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 1.4   |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | 4.8   | 11.3  | 10.8  | 6.5   | 16.2  |
| Holland                                       | —     | —     | —     | 1.3   | 1.5   | 2.8   | —     | —     | 3.3   |
| South America                                 | —     | —     | 3.3   | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   |
| Spain                                         | 1.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | 1.3   | 2.2   | 2.1   |
| United States of America                      | 22.2  | 37.4  | 54.8  | 44.8  | 45.3  | 42.3  | 35.6  | 41.1  | 28.9  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.1   | 2.3   | 4.2   | 2.5   | 6.2   | 3.8   | 3.3   | 4.0   | 5.0   |

**PAGES 57 and 58, Paragraph on "Prices." (Desiccated Coconut.)**

At the beginning of 1919 the price was 22 to 25 cents per pound. There was a steady rise to 40 cents in July, with a further rise to 46 cents in October, till the record price of 51 cents was reached in November. In December a decline set in, and at the end of the year the market stood dull at 38 cents.

Opening with 40 cents in 1920, prices fell away very rapidly till in April they touched 21 cents. Between May and September they ranged between 22 and 27 cents. During the remaining three months the market was slightly firm and the year closed with 30 cents.

The year 1921 opened with 29 cents, the market gradually going down and touching 24 cents in the beginning of April. It then began to react, and from the middle of April to the end of September prices ranged between 25½ and 32 cents. The market then declined, the prices standing at 21 cents in November and at 22 cents towards the close of the year.

The prices fluctuated but little during the year 1922. The market opened with 21½ cents and gradually increased until 26 cents was reached in March. Then a steady decline set in, the prices going down till 20 cents was touched in September. But from September to the end of the year the market remained steady at about 21 to 22 cents.

Opening at about 22 cents, the prices advanced until 27 cents was reached in April, but from then onwards they gradually went down, touching 20 cents in July. Thereafter the market was steady, with a slightly upward tendency towards the close of the year when it stood at 23½ to 24 cents.

The year 1924 opened with 24 cents, the market rising to 25½ cents at the end of January and thereafter remaining steady until it declined to 22 cents at the end of March. The prices then went down between April and June till 19 cents was touched. Thereafter the market improved till 22 cents was reached in September. A decline set in again, the prices going down to 20 cents and the year closing with 20½ to 20½ cents.

The average annual shippers' buying prices in certain years were : 1911, 23 cents per lb. ; 1912, 22 cents ; 1913, 24 cents ; 1914, 22 cents ; 1915, 19 cents ; 1916, 19 cents ; 1917, 16 cents ; 1919, 38 cents ; 1920, 29 cents ; 1921, 26 cents ; 1922, 22 cents ; 1923, 24 cents ; 1924, 22 cents.

**Alcohol.****PAGE 58.**

The consumption of arrack in Ceylon in 1924 was 754,587 gallons ; of toddy, 4,460,519 gallons.

**PAGE 59.****Coir, &c.**

**TABLE No. 29.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Coir (Ceylon Produce).**  
(See Diagram No. 13.)

|         | Coir Fibre. |           | Coir Rope. |      | Coir Yarn. | Coir Other. |                  |
|---------|-------------|-----------|------------|------|------------|-------------|------------------|
|         | Bristle.    | Mattress. |            |      |            |             | Ra.*             |
|         | Cwt.        | Cwt.      | Cwt.       | Cwt. | Cwt.       |             |                  |
| 1909 .. | 150,354     | ..        | 21,500     | ..   | 110,976    | ..          | 168 .. 2,582,084 |
| 1910 .. | 178,875     | ..        | 20,309     | ..   | 110,176    | ..          | 68 .. 2,959,173  |
| 1911 .. | 190,705     | ..        | 17,010     | ..   | 110,187    | ..          | 91 .. 2,635,411  |
| 1912 .. | 238,840     | ..        | 20,163     | ..   | 109,086    | ..          | 77 .. 3,048,387  |
| 1913 .. | 253,009     | ..        | 20,423     | ..   | 115,084    | ..          | 230 .. 3,337,143 |
| 1914 .. | 227,931     | ..        | 17,031     | ..   | 109,123    | ..          | 109 .. 2,826,415 |
| 1915 .. | 195,743     | ..        | 21,491     | ..   | 97,343     | ..          | 15 .. 2,146,235  |
| 1916 .. | 77,128      | 138,316   | 15,109     | ..   | 80,912     | ..          | 64 .. 1,844,823  |
| 1917 .. | 41,270      | 96,451    | 14,140     | ..   | 26,336     | ..          | 125 .. 804,442   |
| 1918 .. | 79,875      | 121,710   | 19,867     | ..   | 28,804     | ..          | 203 .. 1,464,284 |
| 1919 .. | 107,009     | 132,382   | 14,413     | ..   | 112,076    | ..          | 477 .. 3,046,456 |
| 1920 .. | 84,947      | 167,621   | 15,338     | ..   | 72,438     | ..          | 751 .. 2,546,686 |
| 1921 .. | 93,437      | 108,830   | 16,830     | ..   | 60,710     | ..          | 889 .. 2,010,585 |
| 1922 .. | 106,265     | 212,860   | 14,640     | ..   | 102,088    | ..          | 677 .. 3,289,329 |
| 1923 .. | 126,311     | 232,685   | 19,716     | ..   | 105,088    | ..          | 537 .. 4,633,829 |
| 1924 .. | 168,247     | 312,062   | 19,502     | ..   | 117,199    | ..          | 409 .. 5,368,981 |

\* Total value.

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**TABLE No. 30.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Coir (Fibre, Coir (Bristle and Mattress) ; Coir Rope ; Coir Yarn ; and Coir, Other) (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).**

| Country.                                         | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|--------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                                | 53.5  | 32.1  | 40.1  | 45.6  | 36.9  | 24.4  | 32.3  | 31.3  | 29.1  |
| British Colonies :—                              |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                                     | 7.2   | 11.1  | 7.5   | 3.0   | 8.9   | 6.0   | 5.7   | 6.7   | 6.6   |
| British India ..                                 | 9.2   | 14.8  | 4.7   | 12.5  | 2.9   | 3.1   | 1.7   | 2.4   | 1.8   |
| Cape Colony ..                                   | 5.0   | 5.3   | 6.2   | 1.3   | 4.2   | 1.7   | 2.3   | 3.2   | 3.4   |
| Natal ..                                         | 1.8   | 5.3   | 7.4   | 1.5   | 5.8   | 4.9   | 3.4   | 4.9   | 4.9   |
| New Zealand ..                                   | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Straits Settlements ..                           | 5.5   | 8.8   | 8.4   | 4.2   | 5.0   | 6.1   | 3.9   | 4.4   | 3.3   |
| Foreign Countries :—                             |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium ..                                       | —     | —     | —     | 9.7   | 8.3   | 7.7   | 9.9   | 9.6   | 11.9  |
| France ..                                        | 4.1   | 2.2   | —     | 4.6   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 2.7   | 4.5   | 4.2   |
| Germany ..                                       | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | 3.8   | 10.4  | 17.7  | 9.7   | 11.6  |
| Holland ..                                       | —     | —     | —     | 2.4   | 5.1   | 3.2   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   |
| Japan ..                                         | 8.2   | 11.6  | 20.1  | 5.0   | 9.1   | 22.0  | 12.3  | 12.7  | 12.4  |
| Mozambique ..                                    | 1.9   | 3.5   | 2.0   | —     | 1.5   | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   |
| Norway ..                                        | —     | 1.6   | —     | 2.4   | 2.0   | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                      | 1.7   | 1.7   | —     | 4.0   | 1.9   | 2.9   | 2.2   | 4.5   | 3.4   |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) .. | .9    | 2.2   | 3.6   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 4.6   | 4.1   | 4.3   | 4.4   |

## PAGE 60, Paragraph on "Prices."

From an average of Rs. 10 per cwt. in the earlier part of the year, the price of bristle fibre rose to over Rs. 20 in December, 1919. There was absolutely no demand for mattress fibre till the close of the year, when the market revived and good prices, ranging from Re. 1.75 to Rs. 2.50 per cwt., were realized.

As a result of the decreased demand in Europe, the prices of bristle fibre fell away from Rs. 20 in January to Rs. 9 in August, 1920, and remained at this level to the end of the year. Prices of mattress fibre were low throughout the year, with an average of Re. 1.60 for ordinary quality. The demand which existed at first having disappeared, they fell to Re. 1.30 towards the close of the year.

The prices of bristle fibre remained fairly steady during the year 1921. Up to October, the averages were Rs. 7 and Rs. 12.50. From October to the end of the year the prices ranged between Rs. 10 and Rs. 14. Mattress fibre realized prices varying from Re. 1 to Re. 1.75.

No great fluctuations in the prices of bristle fibre took place in the year 1922, which ranged between Rs. 11.75 and Rs. 15.50 in the first half, and between Rs. 12.50 and Rs. 15 in the second half, of the year. Mattress fibre fetched prices varying from Re. 1.25 to Rs. 2.25.

In 1923, the market opened with bristle fibre at Rs. 13 and gradually advanced to Rs. 16.25 in June. Thereafter it remained steady, closing the year at Rs. 13.75 to Rs. 14.50. Prices of mattress fibre were high throughout the year, ranging from Re. 1.55 to Rs. 3.

The opening price of bristle fibre in 1924 was Rs. 15. The market then declined to Rs. 14 in February and dropped rapidly to Rs. 9, closing the year at about that figure. Prices of mattress fibre remained high and steady throughout the year between Rs. 2.50 and Rs. 3.25.

The average annual shippers' buying prices in certain years for bristle fibre were: 1912, Rs. 11.22 per cwt.; 1913, Rs. 10.40; 1914, Rs. 9.40; 1915, Rs. 7.36; 1916, Rs. 8.11; 1917, Rs. 5.93; 1919, Rs. 14.08; 1920, Rs. 15.10; 1921, Rs. 10.27; 1922, Rs. 13.39; 1923, Rs. 14.46; 1924, Rs. 12.10; for mattress fibre: 1912, Rs. 3.40 per cwt.; 1913, Re. 1.95; 1914, Re. 1.95; 1915, Re. 1.83; 1916, Re. 1.87; 1917, Re. 1.80; 1919, Re. 1.90; 1920, Re. 1.77; 1921, Re. 1.40; 1922, Re. 1.65; 1923, Rs. 2.38; 1924, Rs. 2.95; for coir yarn: 1912, Rs. 13.31 per cwt.; 1913, Rs. 13.57; 1914, Rs. 12.48; 1915, Rs. 10.58; 1916, Rs. 9.99; 1917, Rs. 9.20; 1919, Rs. 9.80; 1920, Rs. 10.64; 1921, Rs. 10.55; 1922, Rs. 12.68; 1923, Rs. 18.63; 1924, Rs. 18.32.

## Sub-section 4.—Cacao.

## Page 64, Paragraph on "Values."

At the beginning of the year 1919, No. 1 sold at Rs. 55 to Rs. 60 per cwt., rising to Rs. 92 for the first few months. The market then fluctuated as a result of the phenomenal rise in Exchange, and prices stood at between Rs. 78 and Rs. 90 until the end of the year, when the market became strong and prices ranged between Rs. 92 and Rs. 94.

The year 1920 opened with a strong demand for No. 1 with prices at Rs. 86.50, but the market gradually went down to Rs. 65 during the first half of the year. It then fluctuated at about Rs. 50 to Rs. 60 and declined further to about Rs. 42. The close of the year was dull.

The market was weak at the beginning of 1921, with prices for finest estate quality at about Rs. 38 to Rs. 40, but rose to about Rs. 46 by the middle of the year. It stood at this figure until August when prices further rose to about Rs. 53. They then remained nominal at about Rs. 48 to Rs. 50 until the year closed with an improving market at about Rs. 52. Supplies of good quality No. 1 were limited, and the quality of all grades was generally inferior during the year.

In 1922 the market opened at about Rs. 57 for top grade, but soon rose to Rs. 62, subsequently falling to prices varying between Rs. 48 and Rs. 52. These prices continued until the last two or three months of the year, when the market once again became firm, prices rising to Rs. 60, due mainly to an increased demand from the Philippines. Off grades were strong and were well competed for.

The market throughout the year 1923 was very dull. Heavy rains seriously affected the crops, and the cacao was small and poor in quality. The opening price was Rs. 58, but the ruling price for the period January to May was between Rs. 50 and Rs. 54. June to November was quiet and weak, prices at times touching Rs. 45. Latterly a little better demand for No. 1 grades set prices up to Rs. 50 to Rs. 52. Off grades were in good demand and sold well throughout the year.

Opening the year 1924 with Rs. 52, the market rose to Rs. 60 towards the middle of the year, remaining more or less steady until August, when it rose to Rs. 67. Shortly after this, there was a drop, but the market again recovered and stood at between Rs. 60 and Rs. 65 in the last two months of the year. Off grades were steady and well competed for throughout the year.

The average annual shippers' buying prices from 1911 were: 1911, Rs. 38.60 per cwt.; 1912, Rs. 37.88; 1913, Rs. 44.03; 1914, Rs. 37.76; 1915, Rs. 37.48; 1916, Rs. 38.57; 1917, Rs. 24.84; 1918, Rs. 31.99; 1919, Rs. 53.08; 1920, Rs. 44.60; 1921, Rs. 28.23; 1922, Rs. 37.77; 1923, Rs. 35.71; 1924, Rs. 33.30.

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TABLE No. 31.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Cacao (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 13.)

| Year. | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|-------------------|---------------|-------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1909  | ..                | ..            | 1917  | 72,697            | 1,805,793     |
| 1910  | 81,122            | 2,767,882     | 1918  | 73,528            | 2,352,160     |
| 1911  | 71,281            | 2,404,307     | 1919  | 58,884            | 3,125,667     |
| 1912  | 61,419            | 2,370,773     | 1920  | 56,397            | 2,515,305     |
| 1913  | 71,754            | 2,718,041     | 1921  | 62,244            | 2,018,847     |
| 1914  | 68,526            | 3,017,199     | 1922  | 83,211            | 3,145,356     |
| 1915  | 54,633            | 2,062,942     | 1923  | 60,904            | 2,236,548     |
| 1916  | 83,483            | 3,128,942     | 1924  | 69,351            | 2,464,103     |
|       | 73,245            | 2,825,059     |       |                   | 11(42)24      |

TABLE No. 32.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Cacao (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                             | 60.3  | 29.7  | 12.4  | 22.6  | 45.6  | 27.6  | 24.1  | 20.3  | 36.4  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                                  | 5.0   | 9.7   | 26.8  | 9.9   | 6.3   | 11.8  | 3.8   | 7.2   | 6.6   |
| British India ..                              | —     | 1.7   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Canada ..                                     | —     | 3.1   | 2.3   | 2.9   | 1.2   | 8.2   | 7.0   | 6.8   | 6.7   |
| Cape Colony ..                                | 1.6   | 6.5   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.8   | —     | —     |
| New Zealand ..                                | 4.2   | 2.4   | 3.1   | —     | 3.5   | 3.3   | 2.3   | —     | —     |
| Straits Settlements                           | 1.0   | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | —     | —     | 1.8   | —     | 1.5   |
| China ..                                      | 1.4   | —     | 1.4   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| France ..                                     | 3.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Germany ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 3.9   | 3.4   | 3.8   | 1.7   |
| Holland ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.0   | 1.3   |
| Japan ..                                      | —     | —     | 2.8   | 1.5   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Philippine Islands                            | 19.5  | 35.1  | 37.9  | 36.7  | 28.4  | 28.1  | 23.8  | 40.2  | 32.0  |
| United States of America ..                   | 2.0   | 10.2  | 11.4  | 22.4  | 12.0  | 13.0  | 28.6  | 13.9  | 10.1  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.2   | 1.6   | 1.9   | 2.9   | 1.9   | 1.7   | 3.4   | 3.6   | 3.7   |

#### Sub-section 5.—Cinnamon.

#### PAGE 67, Paragraph on Prices.

The demand for quills was strong throughout 1919, the prices steadily rising from the beginning to practically the end of the year. Ordinary assortment rose from 52 cents per pound in January and February to 73 cents in August; a slight reaction, owing to the rise in Exchange, then followed, but the market quickly recovered in September and

advanced to Re. 1.25 in November. The closing price for the year was Re. 1.03. Opening at Rs. 40 per candy, the prices of chips steadily advanced without any set back throughout the first three quarters of the year and reached Rs. 155 in November. The demand fell subsequently and the prices went down to Rs. 125; and further to Rs. 120 towards the close of the year.

From Re. 1.06 at the beginning of the year 1920, the prices of quills—ordinary assortment—fell to 55 cents in December. The prices of chips too declined from Rs. 130 at the commencement to Rs. 50 at the end of the year.

In 1921, there was not much variation in the prices of quills. Opening at 52 cents ordinary assortment fell to 45 cents in June, but advanced to 58 cents in September. The closing price for the year was 50 cents. Chips realized Rs. 45 in January, Rs. 35 in May, Rs. 70 in September, and Rs. 50 towards the close of December.

The market opened in January, 1922, with quills at 50 cents, and steadily rose to 58 cents in March. The demand then slightly fell away and the prices went back to 50 cents. Subsequently the market recovered, the prices again reaching 58 cents and remaining steady at this figure from October to the end of the year. From Rs. 55 in January, the prices of chips rose to Rs. 75 in March, going down thereafter until the year closed at Rs. 52.

From January till May, 1923, the prices of quills remained at 57 cents. The market then gradually went down until 50 cents was touched towards the end of August. Recovering rather sharply in September, it rose to 58 cents in November and stood at this figure until the end of the year. Opening in January at Rs. 52, chips receded to Rs. 50 in April. This decline lasted but for a short period. The market recovered soon thereafter and rose to Rs. 65 by the end of October, but fell again and stood at between Rs. 55 and Rs. 60 when the year came to a close.

For "20 per cent. Assortment," the quills market opened in January, 1924, at 57 cents and at the beginning of April rose to 62 cents. After remaining fairly steady at this level until June, the prices continued to rise up to the end of October when 98 cents was recorded. A reaction followed, prices going down to 90 cents in November and remaining at that rate when the year came to a close. Opening at Rs. 50, the chips market rose until the top price of Rs. 100 was reached at the end of October. Then the prices receded and the year closed at Rs. 87.50.

The average annual shippers' buying prices of quills from 1911 were : 1911, 58 cents per lb.; 1912, 72 cents; 1913, 69 cents; 1914, 56 cents; 1915, 42 cents; 1916, 43 cents; 1917, 35 cents; 1918, 42 cents; 1919, 69 cents; 1920, 77 cents; 1921, 48 cents; 1922, 53 cents; 1923, 54 cents; 1924, 70 cents; of chips : 1911, Rs. 55.25 per candy; 1912, Rs. 52.67; 1913, Rs. 49.20; 1914, Rs. 51.30; 1915, Rs. 46.21; 1916, Rs. 60.11; 1917, Rs. 40.39; 1918, Rs. 36.24; 1919, Rs. 80.15; 1920, Rs. 80.20; 1921, Rs. 49.83; 1922, Rs. 55.61; 1923, Rs. 53.76; 1924, Rs. 67.95.

TABLE No. 33.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Cinnamon Chips and Cinnamon Quills (Ceylon Produce).  
(See Diagram No. 13).

| Year. | Cinnamon<br>Chips.<br>Cwt. | Cinnamon<br>Quills.<br>Cwt. | Total<br>Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| 1909  | 26,228                     | 31,800                      | 2,729,637              |
| 1910  | 26,817                     | 29,386                      | 2,793,288              |
| 1911  | 23,835                     | 28,062                      | 2,086,283              |
| 1912  | 20,623                     | 32,463                      | 2,834,976              |
| 1913  | 16,808                     | 29,092                      | 2,413,619              |
| 1914  | 12,739                     | 23,692                      | 1,616,664              |
| 1915  | 18,840                     | 38,767                      | 1,997,680              |
| 1916  | 24,899                     | 19,859                      | 1,255,694              |
| 1917  | 6,333                      | 23,383                      | 967,769                |
| 1918  | 10,287                     | 27,103                      | 1,349,505              |
| 1919  | 26,408                     | 42,347                      | 3,695,895              |
| 1920  | 12,560                     | 22,561                      | 2,147,115              |
| 1921  | 14,655                     | 30,709                      | 1,795,156              |
| 1922  | 11,573                     | 31,401                      | 1,992,677              |
| 1923  | 12,397                     | 32,587                      | 2,096,916              |
| 1924  | 12,937                     | 34,545                      | 2,905,014              |

TABLE No. 34.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Cinnamon Chips (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 55.8  | 52.8  | 23.8  | 39.4  | 12.9  | 35.7  | 15.2  | 25.8  | 28.2  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia                                     | 6.9   | 10.8  | 20.0  | 1.1   | 12.8  | 12.5  | 13.6  | 10.9  | 13.3  |
| British India                                 | —     | —     | —     | 6.9   | —     | —     | —     | 3.5   | —     |
| Canada                                        | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| New Zealand                                   | —     | 1.6   | 2.1   | —     | 1.8   | —     | 1.4   | 1.7   | 2.0   |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium                                       | —     | —     | —     | 21.1  | 11.0  | 6.0   | 3.3   | 8.4   | 6.3   |
| Denmark                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | 1.5   |
| France                                        | 18.3  | 15.7  | —     | 17.4  | 28.3  | —     | —     | 1.6   | 3.7   |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | 9.5   | 26.4  | 36.6  | 17.1  | 19.9  |
| Holland                                       | —     | —     | —     | 2.4   | 1.9   | 7.8   | 9.8   | 8.3   | 6.7   |
| Italy                                         | 7.1   | 5.7   | 3.8   | 4.9   | 12.2  | 2.2   | —     | 3.1   | 3.2   |
| Norway                                        | —     | —     | 3.2   | —     | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russia in Asia                                | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| South America                                 | —     | 1.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Spain                                         | 4.0   | —     | 14.0  | 1.5   | 4.6   | 1.4   | 10.6  | 5.9   | 2.6   |
| Sweden                                        | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.8   | 2.8   | 8.4   | 11.9  |
| Switzerland                                   | 2.3   | —     | —     | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America                      | 4.4   | 10.6  | 33.0  | 3.2   | 1.0   | 1.7   | 2.6   | 4.0   | —     |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.2   | 1.6   | —     | 1.1   | 1.7   | 2.0   | 2.3   | 1.2   | .7    |

TABLE No. 35.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Cinnamon Quills (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 18.1  | 12.1  | 32.4  | 20.9  | 8.0   | 2.0   | 3.0   | 10.0  | 9.6   |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia                                     | 1.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| British India                                 | —     | —     | 1.1   | 3.4   | 1.2   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Egypt                                         | —     | —     | 2.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Hong Kong                                     | 5.2   | 6.9   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| America—                                      |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Central America                               | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 2.7   | 7.5   | 10.0  |
| South America                                 | 4.3   | 1.9   | 10.1  | 1.3   | 1.7   | 3.3   | 4.4   | 3.0   | 1.5   |
| United States of America                      | 28.4  | 67.0  | 23.9  | 30.4  | 54.4  | 34.2  | 39.7  | 35.4  | 35.6  |
| Other Foreign Countries in America            | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 5.9   | 3.8   | —     | —     |
| Belgium                                       | —     | —     | —     | 17.2  | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.6   | 2.1   | 2.5   |
| Chile                                         | —     | —     | 5.0   | 1.1   | —     | —     | 2.1   | 2.5   | —     |
| France                                        | 9.0   | 3.9   | 11.2  | 8.0   | 3.4   | —     | 1.6   | 1.7   | 2.0   |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | 8.7   | 20.6  | 10.8  | 6.7   | 18.1  | —     |
| Holland                                       | —     | —     | —     | 2.8   | 1.7   | 1.3   | 1.5   | —     | 1.8   |
| Italy                                         | 9.7   | 4.1   | 8.0   | 2.0   | 4.4   | 2.9   | 6.8   | 5.2   | 3.5   |
| Norway                                        | —     | —     | 1.6   | 2.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Spain                                         | 21.1  | 1.5   | 3.0   | 8.8   | 11.4  | 24.0  | 18.8  | 22.1  | 12.8  |
| Switzerland                                   | 1.0   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.9   | 2.6   | 1.8   | 2.2   | 3.2   | 3.0   | 2.9   | 2.7   | 2.7   |

#### Sub-section 6.—Citronella Oil.

#### PAGE 69, Prices.

Prices in 1919 ranged from 68 to 73 cents per pound in May; 70 to 75 cents in March and in June; 75 to 80 cents in January and in August; 80 to 85 cents in September; 85 to 90 cents in November; and 95 cents to Re. 1 in December.

Opening with 95 cents in January, 1920, prices advanced to Re. 1.15 in the same month and fluctuated between 85 cents and Re. 1.15 in the next two months. They further advanced to Re. 1.35 in April and to Re. 1.55 in May. Then a decline set in, the maximum prices fetched

going down to Re. 1·50 in June, Re. 1·40 in July, Re. 1·10 in August and September, Re. 1 in October, 95 cents in November, and 92 cents in December. The market did not fall below 85 cents at any time of the year, for the most part of which—March to September—it stood at or above Re. 1.

The chief feature in 1921 was the comparatively steady state of the market. Throughout the greater portion of the year prices fluctuated between the more or less narrow limits of 70 and 80 cents, but in December there was a decided advance, the prices jumping up to 90 to 95 cents.

The market opened with 92 cents in January, 1922, and rose to Re. 1·21 in the same month, and further to Re. 1·28 in March. Prices ranged between Re. 1·17 and Re. 1·22 in April and went down in June to Re. 1·07 to Re. 1·12. Recovering in July, the market steadily advanced and stood at prices varying from Re. 1·39 to Re. 1·55 in September, Re. 1·40 to Re. 1·56 in November, and Re. 1·50 to Re. 1·60 in December. But for the slight set back in June, the prices that ruled during the year were high, and this led to the planting up of fresh areas.

An appreciable rise in the prices took place during the course of the year 1923. The minimum prices fetched ranged from Re. 1·55 to Rs. 2·40, and the maximum from Re. 1·60 to Rs. 2·44. The market did not fall below Rs. 2 in the months of February, July, October, November, and December. Except in the months of January, March, May, and June the maximum prices stood at or above Rs. 2·10, the highest price obtained for the year having been in November, namely, Rs. 2·44.

In 1924 the minimum prices fetched each month ranged between Re. 1·60 and Rs. 2·20 and the maximum prices between Re. 1·90 and Rs. 2·45. The market did not fall below Rs. 2 between March and June.

The average annual shippers' buying prices from 1913 were:—1913, 99 cents per lb.; 1914, 89 cents; 1915, 80 cents; 1916, 87 cents; 1917, 59 cents; 1918, 60 cents; 1919, 80 cents; 1920, Re. 1·10; 1921, 77 cents; 1922, Re. 1·30; 1923, Rs. 2·09; 1924, Rs. 2·03.

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TABLE No. 36.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Citronella Oil (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 13.)

| Year. | Quantity.<br>lb. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year. | Quantity.<br>lb. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|------------------|---------------|-------|------------------|---------------|
| 1909  | 1,551,140        | 1,133,383     | 1917  | 1,197,507        | 1,173,164     |
| 1910  | 1,763,134        | 1,241,312     | 1918  | 1,030,167        | 875,060       |
| 1911  | 1,533,744        | 1,079,475     | 1919  | 992,850          | 896,243       |
| 1912  | 1,487,276        | 1,190,100     | 1920  | 1,022,809        | 1,141,528     |
| 1913  | 1,640,705        | 1,652,712     | 1921  | 1,160,555        | 1,093,817     |
| 1914  | 1,443,550        | 1,378,519     | 1922  | 1,290,889        | 1,638,242     |
| 1915  | 1,698,684        | 1,499,034     | 1923  | 1,121,271        | 2,130,283     |
| 1916  | 1,366,014        | 1,297,843     | 1924  | 1,433,381        | 2,941,291     |

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TABLE No. 37.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Citronella Oil (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom                                | 30·2  | 23·4  | 27·7  | 27·0  | 23·4  | 20·1  | 23·8  | 34·7  | 38·0  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia                                     | 7·1   | 10·2  | 12·3  | 3·9   | 9·6   | 8·0   | 6·8   | 3·7   | 4·6   |
| British India                                 | 1·4   | 2·2   | 5·8   | 7·6   | 3·8   | 4·7   | 2·3   | 1·4   | 2·3   |
| Natal                                         | 1·2   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| China                                         | 2·3   | —     | 3·8   | 2·4   | 4·4   | 5·6   | —     | —     | —     |
| France                                        | 6·0   | —     | —     | 14·2  | 5·7   | —     | —     | 4·2   | 5·1   |
| Germany                                       | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 4·7   | 2·1   | 1·5   | 4·4   |
| Holland                                       | —     | —     | —     | 3·2   | 1·2   | —     | 1·1   | 1·1   | —     |
| Italy                                         | —     | —     | —     | 2·3   | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1·9   |
| Japan                                         | 1·5   | 3·1   | 8·7   | —     | —     | 5·0   | —     | —     | 1·4   |
| United States of America                      | 49·0  | 59·6  | 39·5  | 38·1  | 47·8  | 50·3  | 58·7  | 50·5  | 39·9  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1·3   | 1·6   | 2·2   | 1·3   | 4·0   | 1·6   | 5·3   | 2·8   | 2·3   |

## Sub-section 7. Tobacco.

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TABLE No. 38.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Tobacco (Ceylon Produce).

| Year. | Manufactured<br>Cigars.<br>lb. | Other.<br>lb. | Unmanufactured<br>Tobacco.<br>lb. | Total<br>Value.<br>Rs. |
|-------|--------------------------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1910  | —                              | —             | 1,543,021                         | 374,284                |
| 1911  | 705                            | 56            | 4,088,324                         | 879,631                |
| 1912  | 741                            | 590           | 4,482,072                         | 885,755                |
| 1913  | 7                              | —             | 4,273,188                         | 858,979                |
| 1914  | —                              | —             | 4,821,224                         | 966,278                |
| 1915  | 14                             | —             | 3,118,321                         | 581,569                |
| 1916  | 2,291                          | —             | 2,734,060                         | 493,905                |
| 1917  | 14,950                         | —             | 3,442,814                         | 661,002                |
| 1918  | 13,398                         | —             | 4,786,824                         | 887,161                |
| 1919  | 16,632                         | —             | 1,739,392                         | 671,573                |
| 1920  | 18,613                         | —             | 3,590,474                         | 793,272                |
| 1921  | 11,366                         | 1,234         | 2,411,419                         | 614,129                |
| 1922  | 5,640                          | 434           | 4,334,595                         | 971,746                |
| 1923  | 8,027                          | 54            | 2,951,094                         | 735,186                |
| 1924  | 16,782                         | —             | 4,158,880                         | 985,656                |
|       | 12,894                         | 10            | —                                 | —                      |

Over 99 per cent. of the unmanufactured leaf goes to British India and nearly all the rest of it is sent to the Straits Settlements. About 98 per cent. of the manufactured tobacco is sent to the Maldives Islands, the rest going to United Kingdom, Aden, British India, and Egypt.

## Sub-section 8.—Cardamoms.

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TABLE No. 39.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Cardamoms (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 13.)

| Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1909 .. | 7,332 ..          | 797,818       | 1917 .. | 3,369 ..          | 369,309       |
| 1910 .. | 5,843 ..          | 680,873       | 1918 .. | 3,549 ..          | 304,706       |
| 1911 .. | 5,025 ..          | 670,682       | 1919 .. | 4,870 ..          | 908,500       |
| 1912 .. | 4,846 ..          | 820,150       | 1920 .. | 3,754 ..          | 493,438       |
| 1913 .. | 4,051 ..          | 932,353       | 1921 .. | 4,512 ..          | 516,530       |
| 1914 .. | 3,496 ..          | 707,885       | 1922 .. | 4,096 ..          | 549,669       |
| 1915 .. | 5,190 ..          | 839,431       | 1923 .. | 2,784 ..          | 563,557       |
| 1916 .. | 3,901 ..          | 501,889       | 1924 .. | 2,665 ..          | 696,927       |

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TABLE No. 40.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Cardamoms (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                             | 46.1  | 9.8   | 4.7   | 73.2  | 35.9  | 23.8  | 22.8  | 38.6  | 55.8  |
| British Colonies :—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| British India ..                              | 25.0  | 45.1  | 46.2  | 1.8   | 19.1  | 31.8  | 45.3  | 16.0  | 7.5   |
| Burma ..                                      | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | —     | —     |
| Egypt ..                                      | 1.8   | 2.1   | 4.8   | 1.4   | 6.0   | 7.0   | 7.0   | 13.3  | 7.0   |
| Straits Settlements ..                        | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.4   | —     |
| Foreign Countries :—                          |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| France ..                                     | 4.6   | 1.3   | —     | —     | 2.3   | 1.2   | —     | 2.2   | —     |
| Germany ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | 4.7   | 1.4   | —     | 1.8   | 6.5   |
| Japan ..                                      | —     | 1.1   | 1.6   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Norway ..                                     | —     | —     | 5.8   | 5.7   | 1.2   | 5.5   | 3.1   | 6.4   | 2.8   |
| Sweden ..                                     | —     | —     | —     | 1.8   | 7.6   | —     | —     | 1.8   | 3.5   |
| Turkey in Asia ..                             | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.4   | —     |
| United States of America ..                   | 19.9  | 39.0  | 32.5  | 12.4  | 20.9  | 26.0  | 15.2  | 12.1  | 13.3  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 2.6   | 1.6   | 4.3   | 3.6   | 2.4   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 1.3   | 3.6   |

PAGE 74, Paragraph on "Prices."

Selling prices in 1919 ranged from Rs. 2 to Rs. 3.60 per pound bleached, 83 cents to Re. 1.82 green dried, representing a substantial profit on the cost of production of 65 to 75 cents bleached and 50 to 55 cents green dried. But, in 1920, after opening with a fair demand, the market showed little business during the year, and the demand during 1921 was very weak.

In 1922, bleached was in better demand than green dried, and the supplies were small. Opening at Re. 1.50 and Re. 1, the prices advanced to Re. 1.90 and Re. 1.25, respectively, and, after fluctuating at these points, they further advanced and stood at Rs. 2.25 and Re. 1.50, respectively, when the year came to a close.

As the supplies were small, competition was very keen and firm prices ruled throughout the year 1923. During the first half of the year, bleached fetched prices varying from Rs. 2.50 to Rs. 2.80 and green dried from Rs. 2.10 to Rs. 2.50. In July, August, and September the market was dull, but thereafter it was firm till the end of the year and better business was done, the prices of bleached reaching Rs. 3 and of green dried Rs. 2.80.

In 1924, the prices ranged from Rs. 2.50 at the beginning of the year to Rs. 3.60 to Rs. 3.80 at the end of the year. Green dried was in better demand than bleached and fetched higher prices. The average price realized this year, viz., Rs. 2.92, was the highest on record for a good many years.

The average annual shippers' buying prices in certain years were :— 1913, Rs. 2.78 per lb.; 1914, Rs. 2.01; 1915, Re. 1.28; 1916, 95 cents; 1917, 71 cents; 1919, Re. 1.88; 1920, Re. 1.44; 1921, Re. 1.22; 1922, Re. 1.54; 1923, Rs. 2.41; 1924, Rs. 2.92.

## Sub-section 9.—Arecanuts.

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TABLE No. 41.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Arecanuts (Ceylon Produce).

| Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1909 .. | 149,647 ..        | 2,378,476     | 1917 .. | 154,000 ..        | 2,954,001     |
| 1910 .. | 137,896 ..        | 2,697,550     | 1918 .. | 214,780 ..        | 3,801,682     |
| 1911 .. | 116,517 ..        | 2,423,015     | 1919 .. | 150,457 ..        | 3,059,158     |
| 1912 .. | 115,891 ..        | 2,824,690     | 1920 .. | 124,048 ..        | 2,923,822     |
| 1913 .. | 102,055 ..        | 3,039,133     | 1921 .. | 131,045 ..        | 3,303,073     |
| 1914 .. | 93,200 ..         | 1,798,439     | 1922 .. | 133,531 ..        | 3,331,148     |
| 1915 .. | 171,854 ..        | 3,345,711     | 1923 .. | 160,578 ..        | 3,544,212     |
| 1916 .. | 123,205 ..        | 2,801,520     | 1924 .. | 130,904 ..        | 3,294,961     |

Arecanuts are generally exported to India and the Maldives Islands, about 96 per cent. going to the former (British India, about 93.6 per cent.) and about 3 per cent. to the latter.

## Sub-section 10.—Ceylon Minerals.

## Plumbago.

PAGE 76, Paragraph on "Prices and Grades."

Since 1919 prices have been nominal, there being practically no buyers. The majority of the mines were closed in 1920 and still remain closed.

There was a little better demand for lump during 1924. Prices for all grades were higher during the latter part of the year.

The average annual shippers' buying prices from 1911 for large and ordinary lumps were:—1911, Rs. 366.59 per ton; 1912, Rs. 376.11; 1913, Rs. 441.72; 1914, Rs. 418.91; 1915, Rs. 541.25; 1916, Rs. 73.61; 1917, Rs. 825; 1918, Rs. 428.42; 1919, Rs. 435.65; 1920 grade XB, Rs. 333.68; grade B, Rs. 263.04; grade BE, Rs. 185.20; 1921, grade XB, Rs. 304.50; grade B, Rs. 234.75; grade BE, Rs. 172.50; 1922 grade XB, Rs. 269.39; grade B, Rs. 203.78; grade BE, Rs. 142.86; 1923 grade XB, Rs. 227.70; grade B, Rs. 175.30; grade BE, Rs. 127.10; 1924, grade XB, Rs. 208.24; grade B, Rs. 157.94; grade BE, Rs. 111.33.

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TABLE No. 42.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Plumbago (Ceylon Produce).

(See Diagram No. 13.)

| Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1909 .. | 643,853           | 9,879,722     | 1917 .. | 523,940           | 21,797,398    |
| 1910 .. | 630,551           | 7,944,943     | 1918 .. | 304,340           | 4,840,880     |
| 1911 .. | 538,973           | 6,656,317     | 1919 .. | 133,428           | 1,732,080     |
| 1912 .. | 654,650           | 8,346,787     | 1920 .. | 184,100           | 2,100,114     |
| 1913 .. | 570,807           | 9,047,290     | 1921 .. | 86,996            | 757,917       |
| 1914 .. | 284,562           | 4,254,201     | 1922 .. | 216,999           | 1,631,087     |
| 1915 .. | 436,351           | 7,919,770     | 1923 .. | 213,383           | 1,548,877     |
| 1916 .. | 668,214           | 22,494,943    | 1924 .. | 193,017           | 1,329,125     |

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TABLE No. 43.—Annual Distribution by Countries of the Quantities of the Export Trade in Plumbago (shown as Percentages of the Total Annual Exports thereof).

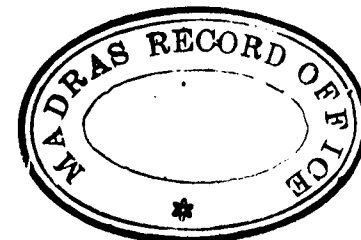
| Country.                                      | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom ..                             | 16.7  | 17.8  | 42.0  | 33.9  | 20.1  | 7.6   | 9.7   | 11.0  | 14.6  |
| British Colonies:—                            |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Australia ..                                  | —     | 1.2   | 1.9   | 2.2   | 5.4   | 9.3   | 3.5   | 5.2   | 4.3   |
| British India ..                              | —     | —     | 1.9   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 4.2   | 2.4   | 3.1   | 2.8   |
| Foreign Countries:—                           |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| Belgium ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | 1.0   | 2.3   | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| France ..                                     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 4.1   |
| Germany ..                                    | —     | —     | —     | —     | 1.7   | 16.6  | 8.8   | 9.5   | 25.5  |
| Italy ..                                      | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 8.7   | —     | 1.1   |
| Japan ..                                      | —     | —     | —     | 1.2   | 3.6   | 10.9  | —     | 8.5   | 10.0  |
| Russia in Europe ..                           | 6.1   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| United States of America ..                   | 75.4  | 80.0  | 53.7  | 59.9  | 65.1  | 49.5  | 64.6  | 61.5  | 35.1  |
| Others (each generally less than 1 per cent.) | 1.8   | 1.0   | .5    | .6    | .4    | 2.0   | 2.2   | 1.3   | 2.5   |

## Other Economic Minerals.

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TABLE No. 43a.—Quantity and Value of the Exports of Mica (Ceylon Produce).

| Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Year.   | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|---------|-------------------|---------------|
| 1910 .. | 68                | 2,235         | 1918 .. | 124               | 24,525        |
| 1911 .. | —                 | —             | 1919 .. | 167               | 23,036        |
| 1912 .. | —                 | —             | 1920 .. | 296               | 36,523        |
| 1913 .. | 39                | 3,800         | 1921 .. | 92                | 15,103        |
| 1914 .. | 184               | 21,930        | 1922 .. | 20                | 4,050         |
| 1915 .. | 229               | 29,800        | 1923 .. | 17                | 2,630         |
| 1916 .. | 506               | 41,117        | 1924 .. | —                 | —             |
| 1917 .. | —                 | —             |         |                   |               |



## Sub-section 11.—Foodstuffs.

## Rice and Paddy.

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TABLE No. 44.—Quantity and Value of the Imports of Rice and Paddy from India (including Burma) for each Calendar Year since 1909.

| Year.   | Rice.             |               | Paddy.            |               |
|---------|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|---------------|
|         | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. | Quantity.<br>Cwt. | Value.<br>Rs. |
| 1909 .. | 4,805,033         | 30,706,252    | 719,943           | 2,477,650     |
| 1910 .. | 6,066,305         | 40,010,787    | 830,023           | 2,818,121     |
| 1911 .. | 6,649,347         | 43,599,486    | 697,168           | 2,299,316     |
| 1912 .. | 6,876,647         | 45,171,476    | 608,449           | 1,993,083     |
| 1913 .. | 6,759,747         | 44,573,929    | 525,499           | 1,742,432     |
| 1914 .. | 5,954,488         | 40,770,771    | 550,538           | 1,845,630     |
| 1915 .. | 5,623,204         | 38,477,625    | 559,042           | 1,850,382     |
| 1916 .. | 6,890,307         | 51,505,232    | 748,725           | 2,507,657     |
| 1917 .. | 7,267,248         | 55,525,713    | 782,062           | 2,593,853     |
| 1918 .. | 6,462,102         | 52,720,525    | 542,758           | 1,780,590     |
| 1919 .. | 4,764,631         | 57,213,136    | 751,500           | 2,483,002     |
| 1920 .. | 5,788,101         | 91,661,113    | 437,072           | 1,584,672     |
| 1921 .. | 5,507,935         | 65,265,389    | 906,935           | 3,172,512     |
| 1922 .. | 7,040,355         | 87,403,142    | 629,994           | 2,818,809     |
| 1923 .. | 7,374,055         | 82,876,587    | 723,973           | 3,661,770     |
| 1924 .. | 7,479,715         | 76,315,538    | 505,672           | 2,665,147     |

## Sub-section 12.—Salt.

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TABLE No. 45.—Quantity of Salt produced in Ceylon.

| Year.   | Jaffna District. |         |         | Puttalam District. |         |         |
|---------|------------------|---------|---------|--------------------|---------|---------|
|         | Elephant Pass.   | Other.  | Total.  | Palavi.            | Other.  | Total.  |
|         | Cwt.             | Cwt.    | Cwt.    | Cwt.               | Cwt.    | Cwt.    |
| 1912 .. | —                | 115,043 | 115,043 | —                  | 211     | 211     |
| 1913 .. | —                | 43,624  | 43,624  | —                  | 144,667 | 144,667 |
| 1914 .. | —                | 91,109  | 91,109  | —                  | 378,973 | 378,973 |
| 1915 .. | —                | 31,812  | 31,812  | —                  | 140,220 | 140,220 |
| 1916 .. | —                | 35,216  | 35,216  | —                  | 154,337 | 154,337 |
| 1917 .. | —                | 79,424  | 79,424  | —                  | 278,065 | 278,065 |
| 1918 .. | —                | 114,234 | 114,234 | —                  | 722,584 | 722,584 |
| 1919 .. | —                | 75,204  | 75,204  | —                  | 45,334  | 45,334  |
| 1920 .. | —                | 99,871  | 99,871  | —                  | —       | —       |
| 1921 .. | 1,188            | 37,252  | 38,440  | 20,010             | 98,866  | 118,876 |
| 1922 .. | 30,000           | 62,220  | 92,220  | 51,000             | 419,302 | 470,302 |
| 1923 .. | 112,100          | 46,520  | 158,620 | 40,450             | 237,098 | 280,637 |
| 1924 .. | 144,375          | 29,522  | 173,897 | 2,742              | 8,622*  | 11,364  |

\* Estimated.

TABLE No. 45.—Quantity of Salt produced in Ceylon—contd.

| Year.   | Mullaitivu. | Trincomalee. | Hambantota. | Grand Total. |
|---------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
|         | Cwt.        | Cwt.         | Cwt.        | Cwt.         |
| 1912 .. | 6,365       | 43,344       | 93,579      | 258,542      |
| 1913 .. | 11,670      | 56,942       | 6,888       | 263,791      |
| 1914 .. | —           | 65,362       | 144,429     | 679,873      |
| 1915 .. | —           | 63,669       | 104,359     | 340,060      |
| 1916 .. | 7,739       | —            | 155,244     | 352,536      |
| 1917 .. | 1,981       | 49,754       | 102,067     | 511,291      |
| 1918 .. | —           | 141,103      | 227,191     | 1,205,162    |
| 1919 .. | 2,522       | 9,786        | 300,502     | 433,348      |
| 1920 .. | 1,100       | 64,271       | 166,244     | 331,486      |
| 1921 .. | —           | 18,024       | 136,335     | 311,675      |
| 1922 .. | 4,446       | 74,618       | 280,380     | 921,966      |
| 1923 .. | —           | 79,476       | 63,889      | 582,622      |
| 1924 .. | —           | —            | —           | 185,261      |

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## Sub-section 13.—Fisheries.

TABLE No. 46.—Value of the Imports of Fish Goods into Ceylon.

| Year.   | Fish, Cured or Salted. | Fish, Frozen. | Fish, Maldiva. | Fish Manure. |           | Fish Oil. | Fish, Tinned. | Total.     |
|---------|------------------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|------------|
|         |                        |               |                | Guano.       | Other.    |           |               |            |
|         | Rs.                    | Rs.           | Rs.            | Rs.          | Rs.       | Rs.       | Rs.           | Rs.        |
| 1909 .. | 1,596,389              | —             | 2,425,107      | 8,695        | 595,047   | 1,783     | 104,907       | 4,731,878  |
| 1910 .. | 2,102,160              | —             | 2,146,957      | 6,508        | 607,186   | 2,068     | 86,687        | 4,951,516  |
| 1911 .. | 2,172,062              | —             | 2,166,046      | 17,956       | 1,077,073 | 948       | 135,177       | 5,570,162  |
| 1912 .. | 1,874,893              | —             | 2,353,797      | 140,595      | 757,113   | 5,507     | 149,636       | 5,281,541  |
| 1913 .. | 2,233,382              | —             | 2,234,343      | 358,275      | 1,167,697 | 1,213     | 166,661       | 6,161,561  |
| 1914 .. | 1,595,696              | —             | 2,083,642      | 316,395      | 262,756   | 2,433     | 152,078       | 4,413,000  |
| 1915 .. | 1,068,592              | —             | 2,268,908      | 6,740        | 223,690   | 1,845     | 147,437       | 4,617,512  |
| 1916 .. | 2,102,004              | —             | 2,380,766      | 196,369      | 713,898   | 3,738     | 184,468       | 5,581,153  |
| 1917 .. | 1,854,871              | —             | 2,266,387      | 165,906      | 502,959   | 2,100     | 80,345        | 4,872,566  |
| 1918 .. | 1,971,548              | —             | 2,491,577      | 777,806      | 1,067,351 | 840       | 62,386        | 6,371,128  |
| 1919 .. | 1,721,350              | —             | 2,535,189      | 1,967,961    | 1,338,411 | 4,635     | 79,956        | 6,737,980  |
| 1920 .. | 1,978,379              | 9,072         | 2,128,070      | 1,446,696    | 1,357,278 | 2,775     | 230,147       | 8,047,863  |
| 1921 .. | 4,168,708              | 11,877        | 2,535,189      | 1,967,961    | 1,338,411 | 2,775     | 97,495        | 7,767,887  |
| 1922 .. | 3,904,548              | 34,721        | 2,889,440      | 230,279      | 370,738   | 2,105     | 131,882       | 9,423,671  |
| 1923 .. | 3,863,476              | 34,721        | 3,711,457      | 1,061,345    | 599,515   | 3,147     | 197,103       | 10,570,619 |
| 1924 .. | 8,756,124              | 39,990        | 4,197,278      | 1,476,107    | 799,039   | 2,895     | 187,157       | 10,166,955 |

## Section 5.—Currency and Exchange.

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| From |          | Buying Rate. | Selling Rate. | Telegraphic Transfer Rate. |
|------|----------|--------------|---------------|----------------------------|
|      |          | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| June | 24, 1922 | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 9/16      | 1 3 17/32                  |
| Do.  | 26, do.  | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do.  | 27, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do.  | 29, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 30, do.  | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| July | 3, do.   | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 4, do.   | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 5, do.   | 1 3 27/32    | 1 3 11/16     | 1 3 21/32                  |
| Do.  | 7, do.   | 1 3 27/32    | 1 3 23/32     | 1 3 11/16                  |
| Do.  | 8, do.   | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 13, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do.  | 14, do.  | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do.  | 17, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do.  | 18, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 19, do.  | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do.  | 22, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do.  | 25, do.  | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |

| From             | Buying Rate. | Selling Rate. | Telegraphic Transfer Rate. |
|------------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------------|
|                  | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| August 1, 1922   | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 11/16     | 1 3 21/32                  |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 9/16      | 1 3 17/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 3 21/32    | 1 3 17/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 15/32                  |
| September 2, do. | 1 3 21/32    | 1 3 9/16      | 1 3 17/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 9/16      | 1 3 17/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 3 21/32    | 1 3 17/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 3 21/32    | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 15/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 15/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.      | 1 3 21/32    | 1 3 17/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| October 2, do.   | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 9/16      | 1 3 17/32                  |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 3 11/16    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 3 23/32    | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 19/32                  |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 19/32     | 1 3 9/16                   |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 19/32                  |
| November 4, do.  | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 21/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 3 25/32    | 1 3 11/16     | 1 3 21/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 3 13/16    | 1 3 11/16     | 1 3 21/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 3 27/32    | 1 3 23/32     | 1 3 11/16                  |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 3 1/2      | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 23/32                  |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 3 15/16    | 1 3 13/16     | 1 3 25/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 4 1/32     | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 27/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 4 1/32     | 1 3 29/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| December 1, do.  | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 2, do.       | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 29/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 4          | 1 3 1/2       | 1 3 27/32                  |

| From             | Buying Rate. | Selling Rate. | Telegraphic Transfer Rate. |
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|                  | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| December 8, 1922 | 1 4 1/32     | 1 3 29/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 4 1/32     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 4 1/32     | 1 3 29/32     | 1 3 1/2                    |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 4 1/16     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4                        |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| January 3, 1923  | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 4 7/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 4 11/32    | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 4 13/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 19/32     | 1 4 9/16                   |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 1/32                   |
| Do. 26, do.      | 1 5 5/32     | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 27, do.      | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 4 23/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 15/32                  |
| February 2, do.  | 1 4 9/16     | 1 4 5/16      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 4 9/16     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 5/16                   |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 4 17/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 4 15/32    | 1 4 5/16      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 11/32     | 1 4 5/16                   |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 4 15/32    | 1 4 5/16      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 4 7/16     | 1 4 9/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4                        |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| March 2, do.     | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 4 7/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |

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|                | s. d.              | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| March 13, 1923 | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 14, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 23, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4                        |
| Do. 26, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 27, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| April 5, do.   | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 14, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 16, do.    | 1 4 9/32           | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 27, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| May 1, do.     | 1 4 5/16           | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 2, do.     | 1 4 9/32           | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 4, do.     | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 5, do.     | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 8, do.     | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 9, do.     | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 11, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 12, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 18, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 21, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 23, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 24, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 25, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 28, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| June 1, do.    | 1 4 5/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 4, do.     | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 7, do.     | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 9, do.     | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 14, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 16, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 20, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 21, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 22, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 23, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 27, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 28, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 29, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 30, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| July 3, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 4, do.     | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 5, do.     | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 6, do.     | 1 4 5/16           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 7, do.     | 1 4 9/32           | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 14, do.    | 1 4 1/2            | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 16, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 18, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 19, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 21, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 23, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 26, do.    | 1 4 7/32           | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 30, do.    | 1 4 3/16           | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 31, do.    | 1 4 5/32 to 4 3/16 | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/16                   |

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|                  | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| August 1, 1923   | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 2, do.       | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4           | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4                        |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4           | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 29/32                  |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 15/16     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 28, do.      | 1 4 3/32     | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 15/16                  |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 3 31/32     | 1 3 31/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4                        |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 4 5/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| September 1, do. | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/32      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 4 3/16     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/32                   |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 4 7/32     | 1 4 1/16      | 1 4 1/16                   |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 4 7/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 4 7/32     | 1 4 3/32      | 1 4 3/32                   |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 4 9/32     | 1 4 5/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 5/32                   |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 4 11/32    | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 3/16                   |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 7/16     | 1 4 5/16      | 1 4 5/16                   |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 4 7/16     | 1 4 9/32      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 3/16      | 1 4 3/16                   |
| Do. 26, do.      | 1 4 11/32    | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 27, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 28, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 3/16                   |
| October 1, do.   | 1 4 11/32    | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 7/32                   |
| Do. 2, do.       | 1 4 5/16     | 1 4 7/32      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 4 13/32    | 1 4 9/32      | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 4 13/32    | 1 4 9/32      | 1 4 9/32                   |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 4 13/32    | 1 4 9/32      | 1 4 5/16                   |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 4 7/16     | 1 4 5/16      | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 4 15/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 4 15/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 11/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 4 15/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 15/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 4 19/32    | 1 4 17/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 17/32                  |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 4 11/16    | 1 4 17/32     | 11(42)24                   |

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|          |          | s. d.        | s. d.         | Transfer Rate. |
|          |          |              |               | s. d.          |
| October  | 23, 1923 | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 18/32     | 1 4 19/32      |
| Do.      | 24, do.  | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16      |
| Do.      | 25, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 26, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32      |
| Do.      | 29, do.  | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 13/16      |
| Do.      | 30, do.  | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 31, do.  | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32      |
| November | 1, do.   | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 2, do.   | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16      |
| Do.      | 5, do.   | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 9/16      | 1 4 9/16       |
| Do.      | 6, do.   | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 8, do.   | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16      |
| Do.      | 9, do.   | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32      |
| Do.      | 10, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 12, do.  | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 13/16      |
| Do.      | 13, do.  | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 27/32      |
| Do.      | 14, do.  | 1 5          | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32      |
| Do.      | 15, do.  | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 13/16      |
| Do.      | 16, do.  | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 17, do.  | 1 5          | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 19, do.  | 1 5 5/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 20, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 21, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 22, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 29/32      |
| Do.      | 23, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 24, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 5           | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 26, do.  | 1 5 3/16     | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 1/32       |
| Do.      | 27, do.  | 1 5 3/16     | 1 5 3/32      | 1 5 1/16       |
| Do.      | 28, do.  | 1 5 7/32     | 1 5 3/32      | 1 5 3/32       |
| Do.      | 29, do.  | 1 5 7/32     | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 1/16       |
| Do.      | 30, do.  | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| December | 1, do.   | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 7/32      | 1 5 7/32       |
| Do.      | 3, do.   | 1 5 13/32    | 1 5 9/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 4, do.   | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 9/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 5, do.   | 1 5 5/16     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 6, do.   | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 7, do.   | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/32      | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 8, do.   | 1 5 3/32     | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 29/32      |
| Do.      | 10, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 15/16 to  | 1 4 15/16 to   |
| Do.      | 11, do.  | 1 5 7/32     | 1 5 3/32      | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 12, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 5 1/16       |
| Do.      | 15, do.  | 1 5 5/32 to  | 1 5           | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 17, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 18, do.  | 1 5 5/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 19, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 4 15/16      |
| Do.      | 20, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 21, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 3/32       |
| Do.      | 22, do.  | 1 5 5/16     | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 28, do.  | 1 5 13/32    | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 29, do.  | 1 5 13/32    | 1 5 9/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 31, do.  | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 3/32       |

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|          |         | s. d.        | s. d.         | Transfer Rate. |
|          |         |              |               | s. d.          |
| January  | 3, 1924 | 1 5 5/16     | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 4, do.  | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 7, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 7/32      | 1 5 3/16       |
| Do.      | 8, do.  | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 9, do.  | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 10, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 3/32      | 1 5 1/16       |
| Do.      | 11, do. | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 15/16      |
| Do.      | 12, do. | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 3/32      | 1 5 1/16       |
| Do.      | 15, do. | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 16, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 18, do. | 1 5 5/16     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 19, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 21, do. | 1 5 5/16     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 22, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 1/2        |
| Do.      | 23, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 3/16       |
| Do.      | 24, do. | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 3/16      | 1 5 5/32       |
| Do.      | 28, do. | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 5/32      | 1 5 3/16       |
| Do.      | 29, do. | 1 5 9/32     | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 3/32       |
| Do.      | 31, do. | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 3/32      | 1 5 1/16       |
| February | 2, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 1/32       |
| Do.      | 4, do.  | 1 5 3/16     | 1 5 1/32      | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 5, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 6, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 15/16      |
| Do.      | 7, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 23/32      |
| Do.      | 8, do.  | 1 5          | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 11, do. | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 12, do. | 1 5          | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 13/16      |
| Do.      | 13, do. | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 13/16      |
| Do.      | 14, do. | 1 5 1/16     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32      |
| Do.      | 15, do. | 1 5 1/2      | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 15/16      |
| Do.      | 16, do. | 1 5 3/16     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 18, do. | 1 5 3/16     | 1 5 1/32      | 1 5            |
| Do.      | 19, do. | 1 5 5/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32      |
| Do.      | 20, do. | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 15/16     | 1 4 29/32      |
| Do.      | 21, do. | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32      |
| Do.      | 22, do. | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 23, do. | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 25, do. | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 1/2        |
| Do.      | 26, do. | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32      |
| Do.      | 27, do. | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16      |
| Do.      | 28, do. | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 21/32      |
| Do.      | 29, do. | 1 4 23/32    | 1 4 9/16      | 1 4 9/16       |
| March    | 1, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 15/32     | 1 4 15/32      |
| Do.      | 3, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 15/32     | 1 4 15/32      |
| Do.      | 4, do.  | 1 4 11/16    | 1 4 9/16      | 1 4 17/32      |
| Do.      | 5, do.  | 1 4 23/32    | 1 4 19/32     | 1 4 9/16       |
| Do.      | 6, do.  | 1 4 23/32    | 1 4 19/32     | 1 4 19/32      |
| Do.      | 7, do.  | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 19/32      |
| Do.      | 8, do.  | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16      |
| Do.      | 10, do. | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32      |
| Do.      | 11, do. | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16      |

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|                 | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| March 12, 1924. | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 13, do.     | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.     | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 15, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 20, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 24, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 26, do.     | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 28, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 29, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 31, do.     | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| April 1, do.    | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 2, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 21/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 5, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 21/32                  |
| Do. 7, do.      | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 11/16     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 9, do.      | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 10, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 11, do.     | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.     | 1 4 27/32    | 1 4 23/32 to  | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.     | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 16, do.     | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.     | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 25/32 to  | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.     | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 24, do.     | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 25, do.     | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.     | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 29/32                  |
| Do. 28, do.     | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.     | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 13/16                  |
| May 1, do.      | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 2, do.      | 1 4 25/32    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 11/16                  |
| Do. 6, do.      | 1 4 13/16    | 1 4 23/32     | 1 4 23/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.      | 1 4 1/2      | 1 4 25/32     | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 9, do.      | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 13/16                  |
| Do. 12, do.     | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 25/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.     | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 13/16                  |
| Do. 14, do.     | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 15, do.     | 1 5          | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 16, do.     | 1 4 29/32    | 1 4 13/16     | 1 4 13/16                  |
| Do. 17, do.     | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 27/32     | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.     | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32 to               |
| Do. 22, do.     | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 24, do.     | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32 to               |
| Do. 26, do.     | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 30, do.     | 1 4 31/32 to | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 31, do.     | 1 5          | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 1/2                    |

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|              | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| June 2, 1924 | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.   | 1 4 15/16    | 1 4 1/2       | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.   | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 6, do.   | 1 4 31/32    | 1 4 1/2 to    | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 7, do.   | 1 4 31/32 to | 1 4 1/2 to    | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 9, do.   | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 10, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 15/16     | 1 4 29/32                  |
| Do. 11, do.  | 1 5          | 1 4 29/32     | 1 4 1/2                    |
| Do. 12, do.  | 1 5          | 1 4 15/16     | 1 4 29/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.  | 1 5 1/32     | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 15/16                  |
| Do. 16, do.  | 1 5 1/16     | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.  | 1 5 1/16 to  | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 1/32                   |
| Do. 19, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 20, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.  | 1 5 1/16     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 23, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 24, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 5                        |
| Do. 26, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 27, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 5                        |
| Do. 28, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| July 1, do.  | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 5                        |
| Do. 3, do.   | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.   | 1 5 1/16     | 1 4 31/32     | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.   | 1 5 1/16     | 1 4 31/32 to  | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 7, do.   | 1 5 1/16     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.   | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 9, do.   | 1 5 3/32     | 1 5           | 1 5                        |
| Do. 11, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5           | 1 5                        |
| Do. 12, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/32      | 1 5 1/32                   |
| Do. 14, do.  | 1 5 5/32     | 1 5 1/32      | 1 5 1/32                   |
| Do. 15, do.  | 1 5 7/32     | 1 5 1/16      | 1 5 3/32                   |
| Do. 17, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 3/16                   |
| Do. 18, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 7/32      | 1 5 3/16                   |
| Do. 19, do.  | 1 5 11/32    | 1 5 7/32      | 1 5 7/32                   |
| Do. 22, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 5/16                   |
| Do. 23, do.  | 1 5 1/2      | 1 5 11/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 24, do.  | 1 5 19/32    | 1 5 13/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 25, do.  | 1 5 17/32    | 1 5 11/32 to  | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.  | 1 5 7/16     | 1 5 9/32 to   | 1 5 9/32                   |
| Do. 28, do.  | 1 5 15/32    | 1 5 11/32     | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.  | 1 5 9/16     | 1 5 13/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 31, do.  | 1 5 19/32    | 1 5 7/16 to   | 1 5 7/16                   |

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|                  | s. d.                | s. d.                  | s. d.                      |
| August 1, 1924   | 1 5 19/32            | 1 5 15/32              | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 2, do.       | 1 5 19/32            | 1 5 15/32              | 1 5 15/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 15/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 5 21/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 5 19/32            | 1 5 15/32              | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 5 17/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 5 17/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 5 11/32            | 1 5 3/16               | 1 5 5/32                   |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 5 3/16             | 1 5                    | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 5 1/16             | 1 4 7/8                | 1 4 27/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 5                  | 1 4 27/32 to 1 4 13/16 | 1 4 13/16                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 5 5/32             | 1 4 31/32 to 1 5       | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 to 1 4 31/32       | 1 4 31/32                  |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 5 3/16             | 1 5 1/32               | 1 5                        |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/16               | 1 5 1/16                   |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 3/32               | 1 5 3/32                   |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 5 13/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 9/32               | 1 5 9/32                   |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 5 15/32            | 1 5 5/16               | 1 5 7/32                   |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 5 13/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 25, do.      | 1 5 1/2 to 1 5 13/32 | 1 5 9/32               | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 26, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 27, do.      | 1 5 11/32            | 1 5 7/32               | 1 5 3/16                   |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 7/32                   |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2 to 1 5 9/32    | 1 5 1/2                    |
| September 1, do. | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 7/32                   |
| Do. 2, do.       | 1 5 13/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 9/32                   |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 5 7/16             | 1 5 5/16               | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 5 7/16             | 1 5 11/32              | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 11/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 5 17/32            | 1 5 13/32              | 1 5 13/32                  |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 13/32              | 1 5 13/32                  |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 5 9/16             | 1 5 7/16 or 1 5 15/32  | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 5 9/16             | 1 5 7/16 to 1 5 15/32  | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 5 17/32            | 1 5 7/16               | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 5 9/16             | 1 5 7/16               | 1 5 7/16                   |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 5 9/16             | 1 5 15/32              | 1 5 15/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 15/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.      | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 17/32              | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 5 11/16            | 1 5 9/16               | 1 5 9/16                   |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 5 23/32            | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 19/32                  |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 5 25/32            | 1 5 21/32              | 1 5 21/32                  |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 5 13/16            | 1 5 11/16              | 1 5 21/32                  |

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|                    | s. d.                | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| September 25, 1924 | 1 5 13/16            | 1 5 23/32     | 1 5 11/16                  |
| Do. 26, do.        | 1 5 25/32            | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 27, do.        | 1 5 25/32            | 1 5 21/32     | 1 5 21/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.        | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 30, do.        | 1 5 27/32            | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 23/32                  |
| October 1, do.     | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 25/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 2, do.         | 1 5 29/32            | 1 5 25/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 3, do.         | 1 5 31/32            | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 27/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.         | 1 6 1/16             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 6, do.         | 1 6 1/16             | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 7, do.         | 1 6 3/16             | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 8, do.         | 1 6 9/32             | 1 6 5/32      | 1 6 1/2                    |
| Do. 9, do.         | 1 6 7/16             | 1 6 9/32      | 1 6 1/2                    |
| Do. 10, do.        | 1 6 13/32            | 1 6 1/2       | 1 6 7/32                   |
| Do. 11, do.        | 1 6 9/32             | 1 6 3/32      | 1 6 1/16                   |
| Do. 13, do.        | 1 6 3/16             | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 14, do.        | 1 6 3/32             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 16, do.        | 1 6 3/32             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 18, do.        | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6 1/2       | 1 6 3/32                   |
| Do. 20, do.        | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6 1/2       | 1 6 1/2                    |
| Do. 21, do.        | 1 6 7/32             | 1 6 1/2       | 1 6 3/32                   |
| Do. 22, do.        | 1 6 3/16             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 23, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 24, do.        | 1 6 3/16             | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 25, do.        | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.        | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 30, do.        | 1 6 3/16             | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 31, do.        | 1 6 3/16 to 1 6 5/32 | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| November 1, do.    | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 3, do.         | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.         | 1 6 3/32             | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.         | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 6, do.         | 1 6 3/32             | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 7, do.         | 1 6 1/16             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.         | 1 6 1/32             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 10, do.        | 1 6                  | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 27/32                  |
| Do. 11, do.        | 1 5 15/16            | 1 5 25/32     | 1 5 25/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.        | 1 5 1/2              | 1 5 23/32     | 1 5 11/16                  |
| Do. 13, do.        | 1 5 15/16            | 1 5 13/16     | 1 5 25/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.        | 1 6                  | 1 5 29/32     | 1 5 13/16                  |
| Do. 15, do.        | 1 5 31/32            | 1 5 27/32     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 18, do.        | 1 6                  | 1 5 29/32     | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.        | 1 6 1/16             | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 21, do.        | 1 6 3/32             | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 22, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 24, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 25, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |
| Do. 26, do.        | 1 6 5/32             | 1 6 1/16      | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 28, do.        | 1 6 1/2              | 1 6 1/32      | 1 6                        |

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| s. d.            | s. d.        | s. d.                  | s. d.                      |
| December 2, 1924 | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 3, do.       | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/16                   |
| Do. 4, do.       | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6 1/32               | 1 6                        |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/32               | 1 6                        |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 11, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6                    | 1 6                        |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/32               | 1 6                        |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 6 3/16     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 22, do.      | 1 6 7/32     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/16                   |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 6 3/16     | 1 6 3/32               | 1 6 1/16                   |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 6 9/32     | 1 6 3/32               | 1 6 1/16                   |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6 5/32               | 1 6 1/2                    |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6 5/32               | 1 6 1/2                    |
| January 3, 1925  | 1 6 3/16     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 8, do.       | 1 6 5/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 9, do.       | 1 6 1/2      | 1 6 1/16               | 1 6 1/32                   |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 6                    | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 6          | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 15, do.      | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 27/32                  |
| Do. 16, do.      | 1 6          | 1 5 29/32 to 1 5 15/16 | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 5 31/32    | 1 5 29/32              | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 6          | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 27/32                  |
| Do. 20, do.      | 1 6          | 1 5 1/2                | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 23, do.      | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 29/32              | 1 5 1/2                    |
| Do. 24, do.      | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 29/32              | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 5 15/16              | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 27, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 5 15/16              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 28, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 29, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 31, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 5 15/16              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| February 4, do.  | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 15/16              | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 5, do.       | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 15/16              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 6, do.       | 1 6 3/32     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 7, do.       | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 10, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 13, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 14, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 6                        |
| Do. 17, do.      | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6                    | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 19, do.      | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 31/32              | 1 5 15/16                  |

| From              | Buying Rate. | Selling Rate. | Telegraphic Transfer Rate. |
|-------------------|--------------|---------------|----------------------------|
| s. d.             | s. d.        | s. d.         | s. d.                      |
| February 20, 1925 | 1 6 1/16     | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 25, do.       | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.       | 1 6 1/16     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 28, do.       | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| March 2, do.      | 1 6 1/16     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 3, do.        | 1 6 3/32     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 4, do.        | 1 6 1/16     | 1 6           | 1 5 31/32                  |
| Do. 12, do.       | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 31/32     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 14, do.       | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 15/16                  |
| Do. 24, do.       | 1 6 1/32     | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 26, do.       | 1 6          | 1 5 15/16     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 28, do.       | 1 6          | 1 5 29/32     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 30, do.       | 1 5 31/32    | 1 5 29/32     | 1 5 29/32                  |
| Do. 31, do.       | 1 5 15/16    | 1 5 1/2       | 1 5 27/32                  |

## PAGE 106.—Currency.

The amount of notes in circulation on September 30, 1924, was—

|                   | Rs.        |
|-------------------|------------|
| 1,000-rupee notes | 5,931,000  |
| 100-rupee notes   | 3,136,200  |
| 50-rupee notes    | 4,055,575  |
| 10-rupee notes    | 15,900,370 |
| 5-rupee notes     | 11,479,340 |
| 2-rupee notes     | 3,131,728  |
| 1-rupee notes     | 3,367,812  |
| Total             | 47,002,025 |

The amount of coin of each denomination issued for circulation, and not thereafter withdrawn from circulation was—

|                 | Rs.       | Rs.        |
|-----------------|-----------|------------|
| Silver coins :— |           |            |
| 50-cent pieces  | 4,050,000 |            |
| 25-cent pieces  | 2,908,750 |            |
| 10-cent pieces  | 2,932,461 | 9,889,211  |
| Nickel coins :— |           |            |
| 5-cent pieces   |           | 634,800    |
| Copper coins :— |           |            |
| 1-cent pieces   | 865,737   |            |
| 1/2-cent pieces | 318,068   | 1,183,805  |
| Total           |           | 11,707,816 |

# SECTION 8.—SHIPPING AND HARBOUR FACILITIES AND CHARGES.

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## Passage Fares.

|                             |    |    |              |
|-----------------------------|----|----|--------------|
| Colombo-London :—           |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £62 to £90   |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £50 to £80   |
| Colombo-Sydney :—           |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £55          |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £32          |
| Colombo-Melbourne :—        |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £53          |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £30          |
| Colombo-Durban :—           |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £23          |
| Colombo-Singapore :—        |    |    |              |
| 1st class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £22          |
| 2nd class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £12          |
| Colombo-Hong Kong :—        |    |    |              |
| 1st class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £36          |
| 2nd class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £20          |
| Colombo-Yokohama :—         |    |    |              |
| 1st class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £46          |
| 2nd class single by P. & O. | .. | .. | £28          |
| Colombo-Bombay :—           |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £10          |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £7           |
| Colombo-Calcutta :—         |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £10          |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £8           |
| Colombo-Rangoon :—          |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | Rs. 180      |
| Colombo-Port Said :—        |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £41 to £72   |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £34 to £48   |
| Colombo-Marseilles :—       |    |    |              |
| 1st class single            | .. | .. | £58 to £82   |
| 2nd class single            | .. | .. | £47 to £58   |
| Colombo-Boston and New York | .. | .. | £100 and £90 |

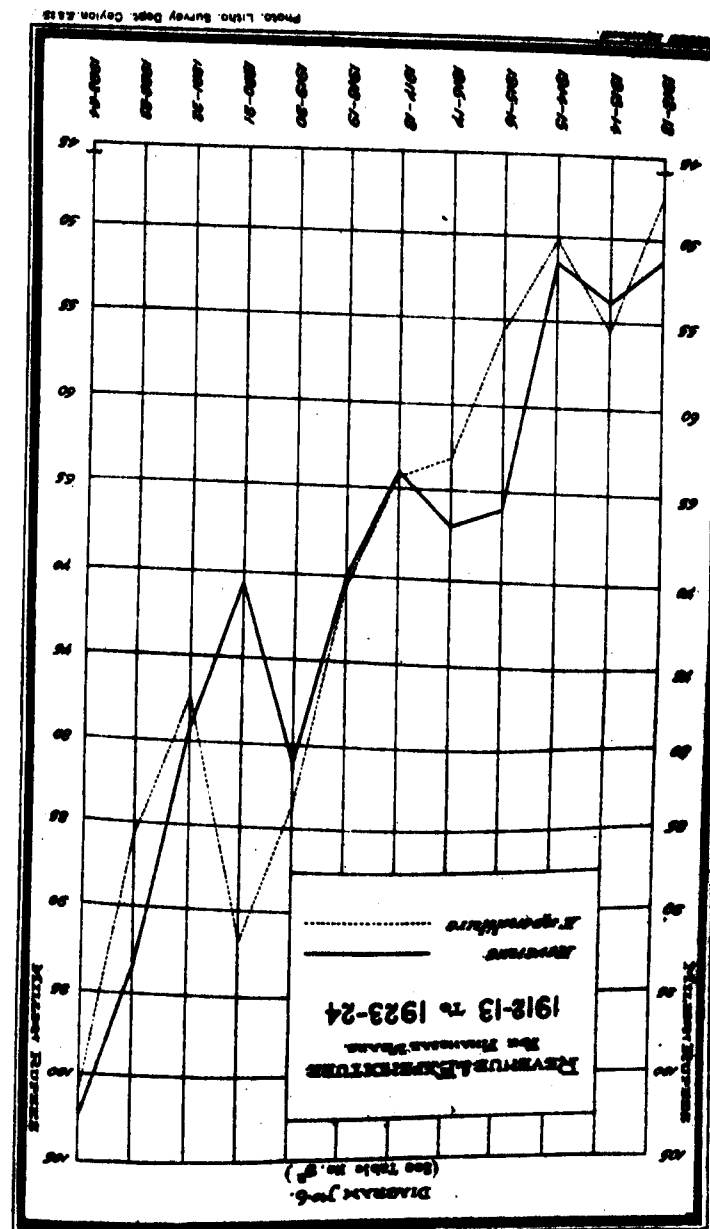


TABLE No. 46b.—Rates of Freight to Countries other than the United Kingdom, 1920-1925—contd.

| Country.                                                      | October, 1923. |           | January, 1924. |           | April, 1924. |           | July, 1924. |           | October, 1924. |           | January, 1925. |           | April, 1925. |           |
|---------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
|                                                               | s.             | d.        | s.             | d.        | s.           | d.        | s.          | d.        | s.             | d.        | s.             | d.        | s.           | d.        |
| Antwerp, Amsterdam, Rotterdam, Hamburg, and Bremen .. per ton | 13             | 6         | 13             | 6         | 13           | 6         | 18          | 6         | 18             | 6         | 23             | 6         | 23           | 6         |
| Belra, Delagoa Bay, and Durban .. do.                         | 35             | 0         | 35             | 0         | 40           | 0         | 45          | 0         | 45             | 0         | 45             | 0         | 46           | 8         |
| Brisbane (direct) .. do.                                      | Rs. 52         | c. Rs. 72 | c. Rs. 52      | c. Rs. 72 | c. Rs. 52    | c. Rs. 72 | c. Rs. 52   | c. Rs. 72 | c. Rs. 52      | c. Rs. 72 | —              | —         | —            | —         |
| Christiania and South Swedish Ports .. do.                    | 13             | 6         | 13             | 6         | 13           | 6         | 18          | 6         | 18             | 6         | 23             | 6         | 23           | 6         |
| East London, Algoa Bay, Port Elizabeth .. do.                 | 40             | 0         | 40             | 0         | 45           | 0         | 50          | 0         | 50             | 0         | 50             | 0         | 50           | 0         |
| Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney* .. do.            | Rs. 40         | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40      | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40    | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40   | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40      | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40      | c. Rs. 60 | c. Rs. 40    | c. Rs. 60 |
| Italian Ports .. do.                                          | 13             | 6         | 13             | 6         | 13           | 6         | 18          | 6         | 18             | 6         | 23             | 6         | 23           | 6         |
| Marseilles .. do.                                             | 35             | 0         | 35             | 0         | 40           | 0         | 45          | 0         | 45             | 0         | 45             | 0         | 45           | 0         |
| Mossel Bay, Cape Town .. do.                                  | 35             | 0         | 35             | 0         | 40           | 0         | 45          | 0         | 45             | 0         | 45             | 0         | 45           | 0         |
| New York, Boston, Philadelphia (direct) .. do.                | 72             | 10        | 72             | 10        | 72           | 10        | 72          | 10        | 72             | 10        | 72             | 10        | 72           | 10        |
| Ports South of Durban .. do.                                  | 20             | 0         | 30             | 0         | 35           | 0         | 35          | 0         | 35             | 0         | 40             | 0         | 40           | 0         |

\* And Brisbane, from January, 1925.

## Section 10.—Internal Communications.

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## Sub-section 1.—Railways.

TABLE No. 47.—Main Results of the Working of the Ceylon Government Railways, 1920-21 to 1923-24.

| Particulars.                                                                       | 1920-21.      |               | 1921-22.    |             | 1922-23.    |             | 1923-24.    |             |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                                                                                    | Rs.           |               | Rs.         |             | Rs.         |             | Rs.         |             |
| Total capital outlay ..                                                            | 149,224,077   | 152,750,716   | 152,750,716 | 156,269,364 | 156,269,364 | 160,369,876 | 160,369,876 | 160,369,876 |
| Gross earnings ..                                                                  | 20,415,816    | 21,923,238    | 21,923,238  | 24,597,590  | 24,597,590  | 27,188,145  | 27,188,145  | 27,188,145  |
| Total working expenses* ..                                                         | 14,828,998    | 14,658,972    | 14,658,972  | 16,108,248  | 16,108,248  | 17,614,067  | 17,614,067  | 17,614,067  |
| Nett revenue† ..                                                                   | 5,586,817     | 7,264,266     | 7,264,266   | 8,489,342   | 8,489,342   | 9,574,078   | 9,574,078   | 9,574,078   |
| Percentage of nett revenue on total capital outlay ..                              | 3.74 p.c.     | 4.76 p.c.     | 4.76 p.c.   | 5.43 p.c.   | 5.43 p.c.   | 5.97 p.c.   | 5.97 p.c.   | 5.97 p.c.   |
| Gross receipts from ordinary passengers and season tickets ..                      | Rs. 9,332,067 | Rs. 9,634,671 | 9,634,671   | 10,016,578  | 10,016,578  | 10,845,632  | 10,845,632  | 10,845,632  |
| Gross receipts from parcels, goods, &c. ..                                         | 11,083,749    | 12,288,567    | 12,288,567  | 14,581,012  | 14,581,012  | 16,342,513  | 16,342,513  | 16,342,513  |
| Free traffic (excluding that for Railway Department) included in gross receipts .. | 3,531,326     | 2,018,295     | 2,018,295   | 2,232,062   | 2,232,062   | 2,329,224   | 2,329,224   | 2,329,224   |

\* Maintenance and renewal of way and works and of rolling stock, locomotive running expenses, traffic expenses, general charges (including pensions and gratuities), and motor service.

† That is, "Gross earnings" less "Total working expenses."

PAGE 133, for last paragraph read :—

**Further Information.**

Full details can be obtained from the following publications :—

Pocket Time and Fare Tables, obtainable at all railway stations, cost 10 cents ; Indo-Ceylon Coaching Pamphlet, cost 50 cents ; Indo-Ceylon Goods Pamphlet, cost 75 cents ; Cave's "The Ceylon Government Railway," cost Re. 1.50 ; or by verbal inquiry at the railway stations or offices.

**Sub-section 4.—Round-the-Island Steamers.**

PAGE 143, Paragraph 1.

For the maintenance of this service, the Government pays annually a sum of £5,750 sterling by way of subsidy, and a sum of Rs. 5,750 by way of compensation for the Port and Harbour Dues payable by the Company.

**Section 11.—Postal, Telegraph, and Telephone Service.**

PAGE 146, for paragraph 1 read :—

The Postal, Telegraph, and Telephone Service is highly organized. There are 7,426 miles of Telegraph wire (including Telephone Trunk and Junction lines and Railway Telegraph wires), and 23,057 miles of Telephone wire for subscribers' circuits, of which 20,027 are laid underground (excluding private estate lines), 205 Post Offices (excluding the General Post Office, which does all kinds of Postal and Telegraph business, and the Central Telegraph Office, which does only Telegraph business), 206 (including the General Post Office) for money and postal

orders and postal savings bank business, 178 (including the General Post Office and the Central Telegraph Office) for Telegraph business, and 74 (including the General Post Office and the Central Telegraph Office) Telephone Call Offices.

**Section 12.—Law.**

**Sub-section 14.—Labour.**

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Ordinance No. 1 of 1923 amends the law with regard to Indian immigrant labourers. The Ordinance creates a Department of Indian Immigrant Labour under the Controller of Indian Immigrant Labour, whose duty it is to carry out the provisions of the Ordinance and the measures adopted for the encouragement of the introduction of immigrant labourers into the Colony. Under the provisions of this Ordinance and of the Indian Emigration Act, No. VII. of 1922, the supervision of recruiting unskilled labourers in India for Ceylon is supervised by an Emigration Commissioner, who is empowered to issue licenses to persons entitling them to act as emigration agents for the purpose of assisting Indian immigrant labourers to emigrate to Ceylon. The Ordinance provides that immigrant labourers on arrival in Ceylon until they reach their place of employment are to remain under the care and protection of the Department of Indian Immigrant Labour. The Department makes all necessary and proper arrangements, free of charge to the labourer, for his reception by his employer, and all expenses in respect of recruitment, accommodation, subsistence, and transport are paid out of the Immigration Fund. No contract of service between an employer and an Indian immigrant labourer shall be deemed to be for a period longer than one month from the making of such contract, and any contract of service entered into before such immigrant labourer leaves India for any longer period shall be void and of no effect whatsoever. The Governor in Executive Council is empowered to make regulations for all purposes connected with the carrying out of the provisions of the Ordinance.

Ordinance No. 6 of 1923 provides for the carrying out of conventions adopted by the International Labour Organization of the League of Nations concerning the night work of women and young persons employed in industry and the fixing of a minimum wage for admission of children to industrial employment and to employment at sec.

**Restriction on the employment of women, young persons, and children.**

## TRADE STATISTICS.

TABLE No. 48.—Quantities and Value\* of Principal Articles (including Bullion and Specie) Imported.

| Principal Articles.      | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.     | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.     | 1924.     |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Apparel (made up) ..     | 89,284    | 62,028    | 128,015   | 89,730    | 95,632    | 78,413    | 204,021   | 93,781    | 122,985   | 138,077   | 167,316   |
| Beer, ale, and other     | 132,557   | 132,396   | 170,803   | 86,271    | 68,019    | 52,167    | 116,779   | 70,821    | 102,856   | 95,417    | 133,201   |
| Malt liquors ..          | 21,690    | 23,355    | 23,144    | 19,016    | 20,432    | 14,661    | 30,911    | 24,716    | 30,122    | 23,462    | 27,531    |
| Cakes, shooks, and       |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| saves ..                 | 13,659    | 22,438    | 32,534    | 10,255    | 87,672    | 66,418    | 25,789    | 20,943    | 18,825    | 5,755     | 6,423     |
| Coal and coke† ..        | 706,435   | 729,083   | 696,044   | 396,517   | 275,055   | 736,132   | 809,141   | 715,714   | 582,344   | 545,813   | 675,588   |
| Cotton twist and yarn    | 839,600   | 884,407   | 1,118,181 | 792,424   | 857,296   | 2,338,076 | 2,049,408 | 2,023,960 | 1,483,800 | 1,128,122 | 1,271,799 |
| Cotton manufactures ..   | 13,888    | 18,346    | 12,234    | 16,492    | 16,656    | 18,455    | 22,761    | 13,823    | 20,424    | 13,389    | 8,691     |
| Lace and net ..          | 16,655    | 12,713    | 22,223    | 11,118    | 10,698    | 6,045     | 28,461    | 6,460     | 11,491    | 11,245    | 11,002    |
| Piece goods :—           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Bleached ..              | 270,470   | 154,521   | 151,394   | 261,126   | 295,185   | 219,706   | 512,411   | 345,929   | 373,279   | 449,370   | 374,647   |
| Dyed ..                  | 307,868   | 239,760   | 334,447   | 386,059   | 472,899   | 608,010   | 910,968   | 823,392   | 592,413   | 753,915   | 819,034   |
| Gray ..                  | 61,498    | 63,601    | 41,664    | 57,264    | 82,112    | 64,325    | 84,164    | 114,548   | 110,360   | 143,980   | 112,298   |
| Muslin ..                | 2,837     | 897       | 2,176     | 1,152     | 2,133     | 1,594     | 5,238     | 6,480     | 5,163     | 4,887     | 1,116     |
| Printed ..               | 93,340    | 62,384    | 148,056   | 139,305   | 100,802   | 140,952   | 243,405   | 187,255   | 176,735   | 187,750   | 199,879   |
| Other ..                 | 76,394    | 40,790    | 84,501    | 96,682    | 98,491    | 113,509   | 287,058   | 121,905   | 68,659    | 37,356    | 38,650    |
| Thread ..                | 16,919    | 23,083    | 49,167    | 10,181    | 55,012    | 18,218    | 54,248    | 41,514    | 59,261    | 48,681    | 57,515    |
| Outlery and hardware     | 250,126   | 115,634   | 162,542   | 123,525   | 201,223   | 197,736   | 217,556   | 244,254   | 228,665   | 253,665   | 36,820    |
| Curry stuffs ..          | 199,579   | 216,373   | 209,547   | 147,229   | 139,373   | 145,371   | 183,556   | 268,724   | 250,332   | 388,133   | 364,583   |
| Other ..                 | 146,540   | 165,345   | 157,304   | 147,229   | 243,505   | 214,411   | 245,448   | 266,244   | 264,372   | 284,050   | 301,398   |
| Fish, cured or salted .. | 198,038   | 233,119   | 257,344   | 123,658   | 131,437   | 114,757   | 131,559   | 277,914   | 260,303   | 257,565   | 250,408   |
| Grain and pulse :—       |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |           |
| Paddy ..                 | 550,538   | 559,042   | 748,725   | 782,062   | 542,762   | 751,300   | 437,072   | 906,935   | 629,996   | 723,973   | 503,672   |
| Rice ..                  | 123,042   | 123,359   | 157,177   | 172,924   | 118,707   | 165,333   | 105,645   | 187,923   | 244,118   | 177,010   | 177,010   |
| Other ..                 | 7,400,689 | 7,173,924 | 8,073,964 | 7,754,121 | 6,472,152 | 5,342,575 | 5,789,730 | 7,209,157 | 7,423,831 | 7,519,186 | 7,519,186 |
| Other, including flour £ | 288,000   | 269,482   | 283,568   | 238,384   | 187,482   | 731,507   | 936,845   | 382,584   | 486,725   | 485,596   | 491,982   |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† Including "bunker coal" and patent fuel in all years.

TABLE No. 48.—Quantities and Value\* of Principal Articles (including Bullion and Specie) Imported—contd.

| Principal Articles.      | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.      | 1919.      | 1920.      | 1921.      | 1922.      | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|--------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Haberdashery ..          | 147,548   | 113,175   | 181,111   | 172,833   | 165,128    | 183,648    | 200,971    | 153,107    | 149,184    | 88,287     | 102,418    |
| Iron, galvanized :—      |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| tens ..                  | 1,918     | 290       | 569       | 82        | 240        | 74         | 512        | 175        | 656        | 932        | 1,527      |
| Barbed wire ..           | 24,275    | 4,562     | 14,194    | 1,400     | 10,001     | 2,593      | 17,720     | 4,993      | 15,430     | 19,444     | 28,681     |
| Other kinds ..           | 5,235     | 4,062     | 2,857     | 1,195     | 1,176      | 1,665      | 3,656      | 648        | 2,668      | 5,929      | 8,301      |
| Live stock :—            |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Horned cattle ..         | 17,814    | 10,568    | 9,200     | 5,781     | 5,218      | 9,831      | 12,155     | 15,884     | 12,758     | 8,841      | 7,731      |
| Sheep and goats ..       | 25,778    | 14,781    | 12,583    | 11,399    | 14,714     | 17,174     | 24,790     | 34,561     | 32,187     | 18,807     | 16,365     |
| Machinery and mill       | 97,786    | 69,893    | 84,660    | 73,563    | 69,225     | 68,157     | 57,675     | 58,940     | 58,951     | 62,857     | 71,421     |
| work (including          | 35,609    | 23,235    | 56,455    | 49,043    | 44,150     | 45,438     | 38,450     | 37,971     | 39,301     | 41,904     | 47,614     |
| sewing machines) ..      |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Manures (including       |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| poonaac used as          |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| manure) ..               |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Oil :—                   |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Kerosine ..              | 5,188,153 | 5,675,959 | 4,960,786 | 4,298,547 | 3,612,695  | 5,290,046  | 5,110,852  | 4,313,828  | 7,092,990  | 5,841,059  | 4,698,161  |
| Liquid fuel ..           | 133,357   | 197,987   | 228,185   | 204,767   | 167,913    | 270,580    | 289,586    | 251,381    | 430,231    | 353,982    | 283,866    |
| Onions ..                | 35,362    | 7,514,182 | 4,965,184 | 6,654,306 | 11,813,381 | 14,783,621 | 19,089,632 | 17,488,725 | 25,799,002 | 32,179,572 | 42,332,068 |
| Optum ..                 | 284,371   | 257,947   | 317,086   | 270,095   | 191,384    | 419,727    | 372,167    | 384,248    | 497,830    | 598,437    | 771,602    |
| Poonac (excluding        | 58,913    | 50,256    | 63,417    | 58,419    | 54,123     | 48,968     | 59,950     | 146,840    | 166,583    | 361,409    | 394,393    |
| cascar and rape seed     | 9,600     | 10,165    | 8,609     | 12,929    | 13,571     | 12,067     | 20,267     | 19,467     | 16,007     | 18,068     | 210,443    |
| poonaac used as          | 8,777     |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| manure) ..               |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Potatoes ..              | 473,981   | 435,026   | 479,600   | 444,886   | 340,630    | 327,924    | 338,255    | 356,718    | 368,680    | 373,483    | 384,572    |
| Railway plant and        | 126,390   | 115,046   | 127,894   | 118,636   | 93,248     | 87,180     | 90,292     | 160,733    | 172,117    | 248,116    | 205,178    |
| materials ..             | 143,604   | 102,195   | 107,543   | 98,171    | 77,459     | 55,223     | 84,717     | 95,389     | 123,482    | 154,038    | 186,743    |
| Seeds, plants, and roots | 56,105    | 34,590    | 36,395    | 33,731    | 25,858     | 18,727     | 48,033     | 78,616     | 98,153     | 100,164    | 115,449    |
| Silk and satin manu-     | 84,886    | 104,841   | 51,832    | 29,605    | 9,821      | 50,717     | 124,477    | 375,882    | 25,438     | 11,408     | 44,965     |
| factures ..              | 43,038    | 50,297    | 41,568    | 26,065    | 27,036     | 22,209     | 20,566     | 36,036     | 47,404     | 45,475     | 40,324     |
| Spirits :—               |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| Brandy ..                | 42,991    | 38,529    | 56,271    | 35,222    | 43,539     | 73,932     | 83,626     | 71,785     | 120,278    | 98,407     | 140,070    |
| Gin ..                   | 72,601    | 40,638    | 52,330    | 17,327    | 10,928     | 15,725     | 27,909     | 24,177     | 24,332     | 35,049     | 50,706     |
| Whisky ..                | 32,808    | 23,085    | 32,235    | 13,695    | 12,026     | 17,453     | 25,485     | 31,612     | 24,289     | 25,512     | 30,364     |
| Other ..                 | 137,866   | 76,085    | 88,966    | 25,441    | 10,062     | 15,268     | 47,797     | 31,005     | 52,790     | 72,310     | 99,218     |
| Bullion ..               | 33,256    | 20,866    | 31,429    | 12,508    | 9,505      | 11,366     | 31,070     | 23,137     | 35,366     | 43,834     | 57,206     |
| Specie ..                | 104,759   | 105,581   | 115,251   | 59,945    | 34,777     | 66,002     | 76,002     | 67,065     | 68,768     | 71,328     | 66,969     |
| Other ..                 | 47,041    | 51,184    | 63,053    | 48,951    | 63,248     | 39,180     | 74,567     | 84,801     | 86,917     | 86,544     | 83,168     |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

TABLE No. 18.—Quantities and Value\* of Principal Articles (including Bullock and Specie) Imported—contd.

| Principal Articles.         | 1914.        | 1915.   | 1916.   | 1917.   | 1918.   | 1919.   | 1920.     | 1921.   | 1922.   | 1923.   | 1924.   |
|-----------------------------|--------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| <b>Sugar:—</b>              |              |         |         |         |         |         |           |         |         |         |         |
| Raw and refined             | cwt. 479,952 | 439,660 | 368,364 | 365,452 | 358,980 | 390,208 | 289,639   | 399,747 | 571,078 | 553,191 | 691,294 |
| Palm and jagerry            | £ 343,800    | 439,909 | 458,501 | 490,705 | 458,709 | 490,705 | 624,686   | 704,125 | 51,217  | 51,217  | 51,217  |
| Tea chests                  | cwt. 23,283  | 28,102  | 180,560 | 40,686  | 54,209  | 59,470  | 68,286    | 27,812  | 735,624 | 819,678 | 988,994 |
| Tea lead                    | £ 7,755      | 9,369   | 60,186  | 13,563  | 18,737  | 18,737  | 18,145    | 122,659 | 163,828 | 238,047 | 277,191 |
| Tobacco:—                   | £ 1,620      | 1,259   | 273,453 | 358,599 | 108,361 | 182,580 | 723       | 291     | 614     | 917     | 883     |
| Opium                       | £ 40,830     | 34,816  | 1,259   | 270     | 10,951  | 10,037  | 27,331    | 11,667  | 25,940  | 89,608  | 41,785  |
| Opium                       | £ 22,809     | 22,890  | 31,019  | 36,418  | 33,900  | 11,820  | 12,196    | 9,485   | 8,990   | 7,326   | 7,272   |
| Opium                       | £ 5,131      | 4,638   | 6,444   | 7,645   | 7,218   | 3,764   | 4,228     | 3,575   | 4,007   | 3,266   | 3,147   |
| Opium                       | £ 318,904    | 214,840 | 329,105 | 313,761 | 338,931 | 144,971 | 416,258   | 319,456 | 341,165 | 307,763 | 420,259 |
| Opium                       | £ 65,206     | 45,694  | 71,177  | 67,790  | 88,401  | 32,683  | 123,163   | 145,035 | 140,590 | 112,500 | 132,038 |
| Opium                       | £ 46,930     | 24,684  | 29,322  | 18,135  | 20,280  | 13,751  | 39,448    | 35,739  | 53,305  | 58,109  | 61,079  |
| Opium                       | £ 5,385      | 3,073   | 4,253   | 2,634   | 3,178   | 1,937   | 7,772     | 10,929  | 14,392  | 15,825  | 17,802  |
| Opium                       | £ 23,271     | 23,230  | 36,029  | 31,202  | 20,335  | 17,854  | 43,749    | 27,985  | 24,991  | 49,991  | 62,415  |
| Opium                       | £ 24,518     | 16,529  | 23,191  | 15,371  | 17,306  | 21,908  | 37,298    | 21,094  | 30,609  | 26,817  | 29,767  |
| Opium                       | £ 62,676     | 76,577  | 57,945  | 52,817  | 114,115 | 48,125  | 93,862    | 41,736  | 45,330  | 48,251  | 60,453  |
| Opium                       | £ 42,708     | 20,606  | 33,820  | 31,965  | 28,745  | 22,574  | 76,667    | 37,973  | 45,561  | 63,525  | 73,250  |
| <b>Bullock and specie:—</b> |              |         |         |         |         |         |           |         |         |         |         |
| Bullock                     | £ 34,079     | 25,887  | 98,110  | 6,500   | —       | —       | 11,495    | 4,141   | 10,448  | 12,330  | 24,104  |
| Opium                       | £ 150,930    | 24,269  | 29,251  | 6,929   | 1,328   | 221,836 | 2,233,241 | 29,333  | 53,400  | 154,007 | 226,998 |
| Opium                       | £ 167,044    | 291,616 | 539,426 | 61,121  | —       | 4,561   | 376,861   | 47,903  | 33,333  | 124,147 | 409,600 |

Total value of all articles imported (including bullock and specie) ..

11,797,810 11,220,128 14,664,327 12,343,681 11,340,112 16,181,313 24,661,813 17,470,261 18,782,112 19,471,319 28,321,299

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

TABLE No. 49.—Quantities and Value\* of Principal Articles of Domestic and Other Produce (including Bullock and Specie) Exported.

| Principal Articles.                         | 1914.        | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.     | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.     | 1924.     |
|---------------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| <b>Aracanats</b> ..                         | cwt. 93,200  | 171,854   | 123,205   | 154,000   | 214,780   | 150,498   | 124,048   | 131,045   | 133,531   | 160,578   | 130,904   |
| <b>Cardamoms</b> ..                         | cwt. 119,896 | 223,047   | 186,768   | 196,933   | 253,445   | 203,952   | 194,921   | 220,205   | 222,077   | 236,281   | 212,464   |
| <b>Cinchona bark</b> ..                     | £ 53,543     | 55,960    | 33,460    | 3,369     | 3,549     | 4,874     | 3,754     | 4,512     | 4,096     | 37,784    | 42,665    |
| <b>Cinnamon</b> ..                          | £ 4,141      | 20,393    | 9,173     | 9,696     | 20,314    | 60,591    | 32,896    | 34,485    | 36,645    | 37,574    | 46,462    |
| <b>Coal, coke, and iron</b> ..              | £ 36,431     | 57,607    | 44,758    | 29,716    | 61        | 206       | 1,436     | 182,581   | 103,152   | 9,512     | 70,000    |
| <b>Coal, coke, and iron</b> ..              | £ 107,778    | 133,179   | 83,713    | 64,518    | 89,967    | 246,394   | 143,141   | 119,677   | 132,845   | 139,794   | 185,668   |
| <b>Coal, coke, and iron</b> ..              | £ 54,632     | 83,483    | 73,245    | 72,607    | 73,528    | 58,894    | 54,397    | 62,245    | 83,211    | 60,904    | 60,351    |
| <b>Coconuts, fresh</b> ..                   | £ 137,529    | 208,598   | 188,337   | 130,337   | 154,811   | 208,378   | 187,687   | 134,590   | 209,600   | 149,083   | 164,274   |
| <b>Coconuts, de-alcated</b> ..              | £ 59,523     | 33,721    | 27,860    | 21,398    | 28,120    | 19,508    | 64,941    | 157,464   | 191,482   | 89,236    | 166,606   |
| <b>Coffee</b> ..                            | £ 311,864    | 349,009   | 306,149   | 272,045   | 203,366   | 675,060   | 518,735   | 870,315   | 768,218   | 818,783   | 871,341   |
| <b>Plantation</b> ..                        | £ 522,577    | 576,458   | 580,362   | 654,067   | 345,302   | 1,661,878 | 1,231,984 | 1,773,493 | 1,343,946 | 1,514,423 | 1,464,246 |
| <b>Wild</b> ..                              | £ 207        | 88        | 30        | 53        | 27        | 458       | 143       | 1,565     | 645       | 51        | 75        |
| <b>Wild</b> ..                              | £ 1,139      | 327       | 115       | 203       | 103       | 1,756     | 280       | 3,066     | 1,264     | 246       | 330       |
| <b>Oil, and manu- factures there- of</b> .. | £ 189,207    | 143,443   | 123,405   | 137,311   | 98,572    | 992,850   | 1,022,809 | 1,160,555 | 1,299,899 | 1,121,271 | 1,432,381 |
| <b>Copra</b> ..                             | £ 1,411,847  | 1,208,579 | 1,309,639 | 1,078,704 | 1,272,821 | 1,759,524 | 1,357,870 | 1,367,431 | 1,686,589 | 1,015,465 | 1,789,189 |
| <b>Kapok</b> ..                             | £ 1,549,861  | 1,177,223 | 1,457,897 | 881,933   | 866,896   | 1,757,156 | 1,893,683 | 1,629,271 | 1,927,271 | 1,086,213 | 2,087,213 |
| <b>Oil</b> ..                               | £ 2,315      | 3,339     | 7,332     | 2,351     | 2,494     | 5,906     | 4,957     | 6,397     | 741,328   | 759,904   | 702,240   |
| <b>Oil</b> ..                               | £ 1,443,550  | 1,698,684 | 1,368,014 | 1,197,567 | 1,093,167 | 992,850   | 1,022,809 | 1,160,555 | 1,299,899 | 1,121,271 | 1,432,381 |
| <b>Opium</b> ..                             | £ 91,901     | 99,936    | 86,523    | 78,311    | 53,337    | 59,750    | 76,102    | 72,921    | 109,216   | 142,019   | 196,086   |
| <b>Coconut</b> ..                           | £ 486,286    | 501,510   | 323,017   | 494,088   | 627,481   | 675,999   | 507,527   | 484,724   | 654,636   | 480,543   | 543,683   |
| <b>Pinabago</b> ..                          | £ 892,821    | 863,935   | 585,645   | 672,045   | 1,044,171 | 1,711,639 | 1,354,307 | 1,001,633 | 994,999   | 929,032   | 1,056,119 |
| <b>Pinabago</b> ..                          | £ 284,562    | 436,351   | 668,216   | 533,946   | 364,340   | 133,128   | 184,100   | 86,996    | 216,999   | 213,999   | 193,017   |
| <b>Pinabago</b> ..                          | £ 283,613    | 527,985   | 1,499,667 | 1,453,160 | 323,709   | 115,472   | 140,008   | 50,528    | 108,739   | 103,258   | 89,606    |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† The quantities and value of "banker coal" shipped by steamers are not included in the figures given in the above table.

TABLE No. 49.—Quantities and Value\* of Principal Articles of Domestic and Other Produce (including Bullion and Specie) Exported—contd.

| Principal Articles.                                                       | 1914.       | 1915.       | 1916.       | 1917.       | 1918.       | 1919.       | 1920.       | 1921.       | 1922.       | 1923.       | 1924.       |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Poonac .. cwt.                                                            | 211,563     | 219,292     | 80,792      | 43,927      | 14,027      | 87,345      | 92,452      | 167,018     | 115,505     | 116,823     | 157,541     |
| .. £                                                                      | 60,361      | 66,423      | 24,903      | 10,298      | 3,298       | 34,518      | 39,077      | 61,968      | 51,093      | 40,711      | 63,216      |
| Rubber .. cwt.                                                            | 333,459     | 460,060     | 522,365     | 676,620     | 454,774     | 948,132     | 831,851     | 820,970     | 979,517     | 799,442     | 799,969     |
| Skins of all .. cwt.                                                      | 4,117,458   | 5,360,793   | 7,442,487   | 9,153,145   | 4,567,168   | 9,248,749   | 6,272,709   | 3,584,952   | 3,969,127   | 5,251,881   | 4,595,989   |
| Kinds .. cwt.                                                             | 1,012       | 8,619       | 10,144      | 11,237      | 11,306      | 13,212      | 13,971      | 9,502       | 11,825      | 10,092      | 12,207      |
| Spirits: Arrack .. gals.                                                  | 42,616      | 33,588      | 43,180      | 60,968      | 61,216      | 71,842      | 70,925      | 44,140      | 54,416      | 51,637      | 50,148      |
| .. £                                                                      | 198         | 198         | 43,180      | 4,932       | 18,796      | 27,569      | 36,059      | 30,885      | 22,297      | 13,088      | 7,585       |
| Tea .. lb.                                                                | 193,583,642 | 215,632,727 | 203,256,347 | 195,231,522 | 180,817,744 | 208,560,043 | 184,770,231 | 161,610,966 | 171,807,581 | 181,906,184 | 204,931,217 |
| .. £                                                                      | 5,981,732   | 8,163,855   | 7,017,764   | 6,377,565   | 5,545,077   | 7,766,809   | 5,385,436   | 7,513,846   | 9,735,763   | 12,376,822  | 14,331,054  |
| Tobacco, un- .. cwt.                                                      | 43,047      | 27,850      | 24,411      | 30,763      | 42,293      | 15,530      | 32,058      | 21,531      | 38,702      | 26,403      | 37,133      |
| manufactured .. cwt.                                                      | 64,417      | 38,765      | 32,198      | 43,551      | 58,301      | 43,940      | 51,876      | 40,541      | 64,351      | 48,350      | 65,033      |
| Wood and timber .. cwt.                                                   | 13,137      | 8,479       | 8,140       | 10,088      | 18,628      | 13,734      | 30,397      | 53,265      | 15,186      | 14,553      | 18,869      |
| Bullion and specie:—                                                      |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |             |
| Bullion .. £                                                              | 733         | 433         | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           |
| Specie .. £                                                               | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           |
| Gold .. £                                                                 | —           | —           | —           | —           | —           | 180         | 522,219     | —           | —           | —           | —           |
| Silver .. £                                                               | 67,347      | 80          | 2,350       | 60,000      | 125,633     | 120,567     | —           | —           | 2,000       | 10,900      | 9,333       |
| Total value of all articles exported (including bullion and specie) .. £† | 14,624,936  | 19,235,145  | 19,936,917  | 20,462,991  | 14,268,923  | 24,476,499  | 18,119,639  | 17,106,634  | 19,352,214  | 22,412,250  | 25,701,161  |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† The quantities and value of "bunker coal" shipped by steamers are not included in the figures given in the above table.

TABLE No. 50.—Total Value\* of Imports (including Bullion and Specie) into Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries.

| Principal Countries of Production.             | 1913.     | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.      | 1920.      | 1921.      | 1922.      | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| United Kingdom                                 | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          |
| British Overseas Dominions and Protectorates:— |           |           |           |           |           |           |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| India ..                                       | 6,124,400 | 4,938,201 | 5,535,679 | 7,549,885 | 6,064,610 | 6,824,032 | 8,670,403  | 11,963,227 | 8,312,467  | 9,604,138  | 9,657,989  | 9,746,140  |
| Ceylon ..                                      | —         | —         | —         | 3,530     | 68,682    | 27,058    | 9,868      | 38,111     | 9,774      | 9,433      | 16,620     | 10,725     |
| Maldives ..                                    | 7,283     | 39,055    | 28,861    | 483       | 29        | 3         | —          | 44         | 21         | 41,650     | 26,552     | 27,526     |
| Straits Settlements ..                         | 147,423   | 139,549   | 151,238   | 158,206   | 150,142   | 159,435   | 143,937    | 164,987    | 183,565    | 240,498    | 270,368    | 263,555    |
| Hong Kong ..                                   | 759,418   | 1,028,938 | 1,135,983 | 1,132,644 | 962,080   | 454,226   | 608,408    | 483,001    | 470,474    | 292,366    | 244,288    | 269,392    |
| Commonwealth of Australia ..                   | 113,060   | 89,022    | 107,441   | 120,821   | 57,714    | 50,551    | 124,379    | 123,692    | 100,172    | 96,879     | 85,202     | 120,768    |
| Dominion of New Zealand ..                     | 250,910   | 231,010   | 125,422   | 149,805   | 93,773    | 87,393    | 278,537    | 421,107    | 428,552    | 393,167    | 718,820    | 492,604    |
| Dominion of Canada ..                          | 4,961     | 4,213     | 2,700     | 2,047     | 7,500     | 4,310     | 4,138      | 3,876      | 5,997      | 1,304      | 969        | 91         |
| Other British Possessions in Africa ..         | —         | 224       | 187       | 1,670     | 89        | 1,398     | 5,379      | 68,773     | 47,605     | 24,344     | 104,697    | 115,650    |
| Other British Possessions in Asia ..           | 134,572   | 109,605   | 129,056   | 93,974    | 97,896    | 513,913   | 412,696    | 155,123    | 776,228    | 602,673    | 378,331    | 518,343    |
| Oversea Dominions and Protectorates ..         | 14,599    | 11,743    | 4,267     | 2,777     | 2,235     | 2,068     | 5,303      | 5,237      | 26,165     | 24,616     | 25,083     | 19,872     |
| Total Overseas Dominions and Protectorates     | 7,556,627 | 6,639,560 | 7,238,380 | 9,214,842 | 8,304,690 | 8,124,317 | 10,263,068 | 13,427,168 | 10,361,020 | 11,331,068 | 11,523,919 | 11,564,668 |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† British East Africa, Cape Colony, Natal, Transvaal, and other British Possessions, excluding Egypt and Mauritius.

TABLE No. 50.—Total Value\* of Imports (including Bullion and Specie) into Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries—contd.

| Principal Countries of Production.              | 1913.      | 1914.      | 1915.      | 1916.      | 1917.      | 1918.      | 1919.      | 1920.      | 1921.      | 1922.      | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|-------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Foreign Countries—                              | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          |
| Austria ..                                      | 87,849     | 21,377     | 2,384      | 45,019     | 11,613     | 5          | 35,515     | 23,378     | 16,149     | 9,844      | 120,379    | 215,779    |
| Belgium ..                                      | 23,023     | 26,964     | 31,718     | 40,438     | 40,304     | 41,649     | 12,871     | 44,204     | 43,057     | 45,796     | 40,806     | 41,027     |
| Denmark ..                                      | 401,500    | 286,552    | 30,168     | 2,838      | 2,838      | 9          | 181        | 57,503     | 97,566     | 246,528    | 263,461    | 361,777    |
| France ..                                       | 89,740     | 98,143     | 87,742     | 109,653    | 74,648     | 30,973     | 54,919     | 208,325    | 183,953    | 210,760    | 297,577    | 273,177    |
| Germany ..                                      | 217,523    | 171,886    | 240,708    | 217,382    | 150,023    | 159,337    | 457,927    | 437,304    | 528,565    | 501,155    | 631,012    | 723,072    |
| Holland ..                                      | 63,245     | 52,411     | 61,859     | 180,997    | 200,003    | 142,840    | 400,253    | 354,480    | 27,022     | 429,392    | 518,165    | 586,511    |
| Italy ..                                        | 115,346    | 91,330     | 6,291      | 8,205      | 44,091     | 365        | 21,267     | 114,455    | 27,554     | 69,693     | 116,318    | 178,927    |
| Japan ..                                        | 98,108     | 96,093     | 69,398     | 72,660     | 44,668     | 51,247     | 106,328    | 183,973    | 129,400    | 145,613    | 111,226    | 137,345    |
| Portugal ..                                     | 43,437     | 54,648     | 45,489     | 56,149     | 34,011     | 50,796     | 5,688      | 16,596     | 7,324      | 47,022     | 99,106     | 98,095     |
| Spain ..                                        | 4,179      | 5,241      | 3,424      | 6,151      | 2,579      | 2,600      | 8,248      | 10,250     | 5,086      | 8,721      | 6,806      | 13,142     |
| Sweden ..                                       | 66,636     | 53,024     | 23,049     | 32,261     | 16,179     | 8,694      | 11,011     | 76,751     | 77,836     | 90,444     | 96,765     | 133,161    |
| Switzerland ..                                  | 62,803     | 69,091     | 1,767      | 1,916      | 109        | 13         | 8          | 2,036      | 3,516      | 3,622      | 7,625      | 25,680     |
| U.S.A. ..                                       | 31,654     | 24,841     | 37,085     | 52,248     | 19,832     | 10,578     | 23,897     | 88,094     | 33,633     | 33,419     | 61,188     | 127,442    |
| China ..                                        | 47,506     | 61,047     | 82,058     | 79,069     | 12,384     | 10,850     | 82,243     | 109,121    | 53,324     | 33,977     | 48,181     | 42,629     |
| India ..                                        | 273,943    | 196,408    | 351,756    | 608,996    | 669,396    | 608,854    | 558,798    | 446,153    | 273,225    | 343,380    | 363,165    | 428,345    |
| Other Foreign Countries ..                      | 46,497     | 125,862    | 85,159     | 67,966     | 43,399     | 23,992     | 627,645    | 53,806     | 79,110     | 93,865     | 16,481     | 21,624     |
| United States ..                                | 158,911    | 152,514    | 322,014    | 515,690    | 372,001    | 376,734    | 758,319    | 2,853,003  | 477,381    | 446,295    | 430,943    | 612,020    |
| Other Foreign Countries ..                      | 40,865     | 137,208    | 149,281    | 210,092    | 156,045    | 296,904    | 493,448    | 367,732    | 432,399    | 361,676    | 495,447    | 539,583    |
| Total Foreign Countries ..                      | 1,872,785  | 1,724,635  | 1,601,348  | 2,307,748  | 1,863,129  | 1,815,831  | 3,658,854  | 5,470,578  | 2,746,140  | 3,313,402  | 3,724,651  | 4,607,336  |
| Total Imports (including bullion and specie) .. | 13,300,306 | 11,397,819 | 11,329,736 | 14,698,737 | 12,343,693 | 11,840,112 | 16,132,961 | 24,061,512 | 17,470,261 | 18,182,713 | 19,471,319 | 20,831,896 |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† The figures are inclusive of all foreign possessions in India, whether French or otherwise.

TABLE No. 51.—Total Value\* of Exports of Domestic and Other Produce (including Bullion and Specie) from Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries.

| Principal Countries.                            | 1913.     | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.      | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|-------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| United Kingdom ..                               | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £          | £         | £         | £         | £          | £          |
| British India ..                                | 7,040,850 | 7,703,922 | 9,804,121 | 8,781,215 | 8,098,340 | 6,068,422 | 10,309,435 | 8,244,031 | 7,906,480 | 9,184,671 | 10,913,694 | 11,488,152 |
| British Overseas Possessions and Protectorates— |           |           |           |           |           |           |            |           |           |           |            |            |
| India ..                                        | 605,140   | 414,742   | 568,992   | 706,696   | 1,372,252 | 1,790,269 | 1,682,690  | 990,576   | 743,345   | 631,776   | 718,107    | 812,570    |
| Malta ..                                        | —†        | —†        | 171,087   | 240,330   | 156,577   | 349,826   | 315,256    | 258,749   | 223,351   | 287,489   | 489,702    | 470,649    |
| Maldives Islands ..                             | 2,860     | 71,222    | 5,036     | 5,649     | 5,251     | 10,192    | 4,190      | 11,587    | 11,399    | 22,585    | 17,294     | 25,254     |
| British Somaliland ..                           | 15,852    | 13,287    | 13,564    | 18,364    | 23,895    | 21,584    | 17,622     | 20,929    | 15,013    | 26,490    | 36,948     | 84,574     |
| British Borneo ..                               | 76,907    | 53,146    | 76,596    | 63,216    | 88,292    | 84,645    | 120,113    | 132,338   | 164,147   | 195,672   | 130,715    | 114,208    |
| Hong Kong ..                                    | 9,249     | 23,149    | 11,492    | 64,534    | 49,778    | 23,566    | 9,998      | 11,179    | 9,114     | 15,760    | 19,651     | 21,258     |
| Commonwealth of Australia ..                    | 775,083   | 841,541   | 1,002,146 | 884,021   | 1,000,508 | 1,239,768 | 658,135    | 622,825   | 806,477   | 894,700   | 856,044    | 1,232,216  |
| Dominion of New Zealand ..                      | 164,948   | 229,636   | 247,395   | 190,366   | 225,120   | 94,699    | 85,160     | 201,329   | 241,507   | 337,100   | 455,459    | 428,528    |
| Dominion of Canada ..                           | 251,980   | 277,213   | 300,176   | 169,376   | 623,192   | 796,316   | 437,389    | 305,229   | 291,494   | 462,741   | 594,448    | 616,928    |
| Other British Possessions in Africa† ..         | 89,403    | 89,427    | 138,831   | 124,389   | 181,598   | 228,038   | 212,514    | 160,540   | 265,858   | 401,575   | 509,573    | 553,546    |
| Other British Possessions in Asia ..            | 3,800     | 3,098     | 5,096     | 5,677     | 114       | 20,741    | 1,849      | 1,830     | 137       | 539       | 4,608      | 5,602      |
| Other British Possessions in Oceania ..         | 16,491    | 16,186    | 21,610    | 29,454    | 129,768   | 123,796   | 34,272     | 27,477    | 25,278    | 42,418    | 159,429    | 371,284    |
| Total British India and Protectorates ..        | 2,014,752 | 2,028,696 | 2,561,993 | 2,603,692 | 3,853,331 | 4,789,440 | 3,578,568  | 2,753,568 | 2,802,120 | 3,248,845 | 3,991,978  | 4,687,676  |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† British East Africa, Cape Colony, Natal, Transvaal, and other British Possessions, excluding Egypt and Mauritius.

‡ Shown under "Foreign Countries."

TABLE No. 51.—Total Value\* of Exports of Domestic and Other Produce (including Bullion and Specie) from Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries—contd.

| Principal Countries.                          | 1913.     | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.      | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.     | 1924.     |
|-----------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Foreign Countries—                            | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         | £          | £         | £         | £         | £         | £         |
| Russia                                        | 905,364   | 627,298   | 1,078,931 | 1,170,798 | 529,589   | 4,775     | 25,479     | 292,360   | 354,367   | 132       | 33        | 8,987     |
| Denmark                                       | 38,341    | 167,929   | 378,740   | 268,965   | 74,387    | —         | 391,177    | 268,434   | 675,271   | 308,254   | 260,504   | 691,070   |
| Germany                                       | 1,517,254 | 782,301   | —         | —         | —         | —         | 4,484      | 268,434   | 498,105   | 738,448   | 620,521   | 1,122,414 |
| Holland                                       | 38,166    | 100,451   | 167,289   | —         | 97,872    | —         | 327,518    | 908,617   | 180,649   | 298,890   | 196,512   | 367,732   |
| Belgium                                       | 733,846   | 446,014   | —         | —         | —         | —         | 508,058    | 367,776   | 180,649   | 221,213   | 217,603   | 301,945   |
| France                                        | 59,664    | 82,682    | 163,910   | 965,632   | 511,241   | 276,430   | 545,413    | 296,762   | 98,876    | 141,176   | 237,382   | 237,336   |
| Spain†                                        | 16,626    | 14,418    | 6,098     | 6,403     | 4,543     | 2,520     | 8,049      | 522,656   | 17,063    | 12,500    | 13,579    | 18,163    |
| Italy                                         | 32,718    | 35,582    | 40,400    | 24,013    | 3,821     | 3,380     | 26,413     | 21,871    | 49,329    | 43,135    | 69,907    | 56,530    |
| Austria-Hungary                               | 28,595    | 13,460    | 9,774     | 33,156    | 77,140    | 73,773    | 124,779    | 121,802   | 316,166   | 632,958   | 360,642   | 647,530   |
| Egypt                                         | 99,979    | 119,970   | —         | —         | —         | —         | —          | —         | 63        | 127       | —         | 2,660     |
| China                                         | 37,653    | 46,742    | 256,132   | 332,668   | 147,712   | 48,732    | 23,952     | 7,331     | 8,726     | 8,140     | 10,526    | 11,865    |
| Japan                                         | 255,742   | 184,745   | —         | —         | —         | —         | —          | —         | 80,331    | 78,805    | 120,871   | 131,056   |
| United States of America                      | 60,753    | 45,099    | 36,844    | 63,577    | 67,922    | 82,021    | 50,272     | 65,028    | 80,331    | 78,805    | 120,871   | 131,056   |
| Other Foreign Countries                       | 2,579,494 | 2,096,088 | 3,508,634 | 5,571,214 | 6,814,455 | 2,575,907 | 8,204,102  | 4,131,350 | 3,760,110 | 4,444,396 | 5,532,011 | 4,991,187 |
| Total Foreign Countries                       | 197,573   | 129,598   | 212,303   | 115,343   | 183,636   | 283,520   | 342,779    | 416,316   | 369,039   | 490,524   | 867,488   | 936,854   |
| Total Exports (including Bullion and Specie)‡ | 6,601,968 | 4,892,377 | 5,859,063 | 8,552,769 | 8,511,325 | 3,351,038 | 10,582,475 | 7,422,077 | 6,398,095 | 7,418,698 | 8,507,579 | 9,522,333 |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† The figures are inclusive of all foreign possessions in India, whether French or otherwise.

‡ Excluding the value of ships stores and postal articles.

TABLE No. 52.—Value\* of the Total Trade of Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries.

| Principal Countries.                               | 1913.      | 1914.      | 1915.      | 1916.      | 1917.      | 1918.      | 1919.      | 1920.      | 1921.      | 1922.      | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|----------------------------------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| United Kingdom                                     | 10,920,825 | 11,137,538 | 12,194,130 | 11,927,353 | 10,273,612 | 7,977,396  | 12,568,824 | 13,408,097 | 12,269,699 | 13,322,916 | 15,137,443 | 16,118,056 |
| British Overseas Dominions and Protectorates:—     |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| India                                              | 6,729,540  | 5,402,943  | 6,104,671  | 8,255,581  | 8,336,865  | 8,620,301  | 10,352,493 | 12,962,803 | 9,060,812  | 10,235,914 | 10,376,096 | 10,558,710 |
| Egypt                                              | 11,143     | 110,277    | 33,897     | 243,860    | 225,259    | 376,884    | 325,144    | 296,860    | 233,125    | 296,922    | 506,322    | 481,374    |
| Mauritius                                          | 163,275    | 152,836    | 164,802    | 176,580    | 174,037    | 181,019    | 161,559    | 185,916    | 198,758    | 266,978    | 307,317    | 298,129    |
| Straits Settlements                                | 836,325    | 1,085,084  | 1,212,581  | 1,195,860  | 950,362    | 538,871    | 728,521    | 615,339    | 634,622    | 488,039    | 375,002    | 383,590    |
| Hong Kong                                          | 122,308    | 112,171    | 118,933    | 165,355    | 107,492    | 74,117     | 134,377    | 134,861    | 109,286    | 112,639    | 104,852    | 142,057    |
| Commonwealth of Australia                          | 1,025,943  | 1,072,551  | 1,127,570  | 1,033,826  | 1,094,276  | 1,327,161  | 956,672    | 1,043,932  | 1,235,028  | 1,217,867  | 1,574,864  | 1,728,819  |
| Dominion of New Zealand                            | 171,809    | 224,839    | 250,095    | 192,413    | 229,629    | 99,009     | 89,298     | 206,205    | 247,504    | 338,404    | 456,428    | 428,619    |
| Canada                                             | 251,980    | 277,437    | 300,363    | 171,046    | 623,281    | 797,624    | 442,768    | 374,002    | 339,099    | 487,085    | 699,145    | 732,579    |
| Other British Possessions in Africa                | 223,976    | 199,032    | 267,887    | 218,368    | 279,424    | 741,251    | 625,210    | 315,663    | 1,042,086  | 1,004,248  | 887,904    | 1,071,890  |
| Other British Overseas Dominions and Protectorates | 35,080     | 31,026     | 30,913     | 37,908     | 132,117    | 146,625    | 41,424     | 34,544     | 51,579     | 67,573     | 189,120    | 394,819    |
| Total British Overseas Dominions and Protectorates | 9,571,379  | 8,668,196  | 9,800,343  | 11,716,932 | 12,158,011 | 13,913,757 | 13,841,656 | 16,180,766 | 13,633,129 | 14,579,914 | 15,520,897 | 16,272,388 |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† British East Africa, Cape Colony, Natal, Swaziland, and other British Possessions, excluding Egypt and Mauritius.

‡ Shown under "Other Foreign Countries."

TABLE No. 52.—Value\* of the Total Trade of Ceylon, distinguishing Principal Countries—contd.

| Principal Countries.        | 1913.      | 1914.      | 1915.      | 1916.      | 1917.      | 1918.      | 1919.      | 1920.      | 1921.      | 1922.      | 1923.      | 1924.      |
|-----------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Foreign Countries:—         | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          | £          |
| Russia ..                   | 993,213    | 648,675    | 1,081,815  | 1,215,817  | 541,202    | 4,780      | 60,994     | 23,379     | 16,149     | 9,976      | 120,412    | 224,765    |
| Germany ..                  | 1,918,754  | 1,049,853  | 20,168     | 2,831      | 4,615      | 9          | 4,615      | 325,937    | 772,857    | 984,976    | 823,982    | 1,494,101  |
| Holland ..                  | 127,906    | 109,594    | 235,031    | 109,652    | 172,521    | 30,973     | 382,437    | 1,116,942  | 682,059    | 509,650    | 494,089    | 640,909    |
| Belgium ..                  | 849,192    | 537,344    | 6,299      | 8,205      | 691        | 362        | 529,625    | 482,231    | 208,234    | 200,905    | 333,920    | 480,871    |
| France ..                   | 157,772    | 176,775    | 233,308    | 1,036,292  | 555,339    | 327,677    | 651,741    | 480,635    | 228,276    | 226,789    | 348,607    | 364,681    |
| French Posses- sions ..     | 60,063     | 69,046     | 51,537     | 62,552     | 38,554     | 53,315     | 13,737     | 539,251    | 24,396     | 59,521     | 112,684    | 116,268    |
| Spain ..                    | 36,897     | 40,823     | 43,824     | 50,164     | 6,260      | 5,980      | 34,661     | 32,161     | 54,415     | 51,856     | 76,713     | 69,673     |
| Italy ..                    | 95,231     | 66,464     | 32,823     | 65,417     | 93,319     | 82,469     | 136,790    | 198,523    | 394,001    | 723,402    | 457,408    | 780,691    |
| Austria ..                  | 162,782    | 189,041    | 1,767      | 1,916      | 109        | 12         | 8          | 5,509      | 3,579      | 3,749      | 7,425      | 28,340     |
| China ..                    | 303,248    | 245,792    | 338,180    | 411,737    | 159,103    | 59,582     | 106,305    | 116,752    | 62,049     | 42,118     | 68,707     | 54,494     |
| Japan ..                    | 334,606    | 241,502    | 388,600    | 672,575    | 737,316    | 690,875    | 609,056    | 531,596    | 363,557    | 424,186    | 484,036    | 556,402    |
| United States of America .. | 2,738,605  | 2,248,602  | 3,830,648  | 6,086,904  | 7,186,456  | 2,932,641  | 8,962,421  | 6,964,553  | 4,227,491  | 4,890,691  | 5,962,954  | 5,603,307  |
| Other Foreign Countries ..  | 696,394    | 883,441    | 1,196,851  | 1,154,455  | 883,729    | 958,214    | 2,749,937  | 2,065,196  | 2,117,196  | 2,454,280  | 2,891,091  | 3,725,186  |
| Total Foreign Countries ..  | 8,474,753  | 6,617,012  | 7,460,411  | 10,860,517 | 10,374,454 | 5,166,899  | 14,241,329 | 12,892,655 | 9,144,239  | 10,732,096 | 12,232,228 | 14,132,668 |
| Total Trade ..              | 20,906,966 | 20,422,746 | 29,464,281 | 34,504,904 | 32,906,978 | 26,669,824 | 46,651,812 | 42,481,940 | 24,517,975 | 26,634,929 | 42,890,509 | 46,523,650 |

\* Rate of conversion = Rs. 15 to the £ sterling.

† The figures are inclusive of all foreign possessions in India, whether French or otherwise.

TABLE No. 57.—Tonnage of Vessels (in Ballast) cleared at Ports in the Island (excluding Warships and Transports, Coasting Vessels, and Vessels calling only to Coal.)

| Nationality of Vessels. | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.   | 1918.   | 1919.     | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.     | 1924.     |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| United Kingdom ..       | 1,968,340 | 1,278,858 | 1,358,371 | 610,495 | 613,774 | 2,739,137 | 624,699   | 1,837,428 | 994,207   | 591,156   | 918,572   |
| Colonial ..             | 53,066    | 174,088   | 62,994    | 53,703  | 60,140  | 67,632    | 37,437    | 35,729    | —         | 38,674    | 33,707    |
| Maldivian* ..           | 8,920     | 8,763     | 8,366     | 4,769   | —       | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| American ..             | —         | 11,745    | 4,379     | —       | —       | 53,411    | 11,834    | —         | 14,837    | 4,670     | 19,697    |
| Austrian ..             | 137,764   | 1,860     | —         | —       | —       | 10,896    | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Belgian ..              | —         | —         | —         | 1,314   | —       | 6,532     | 3,761     | 3,871     | —         | —         | —         |
| Chinese ..              | —         | —         | —         | 2,008   | —       | 27,759    | 3,773     | 4,735     | —         | 8,699     | 11,524    |
| Danish ..               | 4,620     | 11,371    | 12,642    | 39,748  | 239     | 227,395   | 204,003   | 197,820   | 150,078   | 117,171   | 166,274   |
| French ..               | 316,885   | 278,176   | 99,161    | 86,398  | 85,206  | 127,284   | 40,532    | 31,055    | 44,272    | 64,901    | 104,871   |
| German ..               | 187,871   | 107,135   | 154,537   | —       | 23,044  | —         | —         | 42,220    | 108,118   | 116,308   | 94,045    |
| Greek ..                | 178,597   | —         | —         | —       | —       | 39,538    | —         | 1,881     | —         | —         | —         |
| Italian ..              | 12,351    | 2,489     | 1,939     | 1,937   | —       | 89,389    | —         | 33,308    | 13,582    | 15,158    | 28,772    |
| Japanese ..             | 33,673    | 26,645    | 23,547    | 27,632  | 2,494   | 89,389    | 25,126    | 66,597    | 16,519    | 13,049    | 17,823    |
| Korwegian ..            | 78,335    | 107,232   | 37,968    | 44,172  | 40,758  | 530,392   | 70,335    | 66,597    | 16,519    | 13,049    | 17,823    |
| Norwegian ..            | 20,213    | 31,959    | 79,797    | 23,371  | 34,000  | 123,602   | 22,869    | 13,404    | 36,312    | 27,323    | 31,710    |
| Panamanian ..           | —         | —         | —         | —       | —       | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Portuguese ..           | —         | —         | —         | —       | —       | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Rumanian ..             | —         | —         | 1,453     | —       | —       | 5,853     | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Russian ..              | 3,328     | —         | —         | —       | —       | 28,352    | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Siamese ..              | —         | —         | —         | —       | —       | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Spanish ..              | 5,812     | 2,190     | 13,727    | 3,771   | 22,648  | 31,092    | —         | 2,087     | —         | —         | 2,196     |
| Swedish ..              | —         | 13,408    | 17,016    | 12,126  | 13,790  | 39,316    | 9,095     | 22,715    | 24,462    | 8,679     | 22,539    |
| Total ..                | 3,038,576 | 2,046,904 | 1,880,916 | 914,269 | 966,167 | 4,147,570 | 1,053,514 | 2,296,848 | 1,143,733 | 1,005,793 | 1,415,199 |

\* Included with Colonial Vessels from 1918.

APPENDIX IV.  
SHIPPING STATISTICS.

TABLE No. 58.—Tonnage of Vessels (with Cargoes) cleared at Ports in the Island (excluding Warships and Transports, Coasting Vessels, and Vessels calling only to Coal).

| Nationality of Vessels. | 1914.     | 1915.     | 1916.     | 1917.     | 1918.     | 1919.     | 1920.     | 1921.     | 1922.     | 1923.     | 1924.     |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| United Kingdom          | 2,612,388 | 2,241,183 | 1,984,580 | 1,593,384 | 1,779,010 | 3,718,910 | 3,105,283 | 2,607,215 | 3,852,596 | 4,474,332 | 4,740,172 |
| Colonial                | 26,003    | 80,063    | 25,386    | 36,325    | 35,678    | 34,466    | 37,638    | 45,319    | 42,650    | 48,776    | 41,587    |
| Maldivian*              | 6,035     | 5,217     | 5,289     | 8,300     | 8,559     | 9,683     | 190,977   | 136,948   | 94,630    | 70,411    | 177,846   |
| American                | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Austrian                | 88,202    | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Belgian                 | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Chinese                 | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Danish                  | 41,020    | 25,878    | 18,052    | 2,346     | 9,070     | 5,314     | 10,320    | 15,125    | 38,176    | 34,354    | 42,497    |
| Dutch                   | 120,821   | 24,103    | 22,327    | 8,727     | 0,338     | 4,182     | 246,460   | 402,793   | 608,281   | 594,814   | 644,504   |
| French                  | 215,704   | 212,076   | 195,267   | 134,365   | 152,470   | 190,492   | 397,484   | 350,310   | 412,858   | 497,209   | 571,066   |
| German                  | 428,293   | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | 30,633    | 173,240   | 273,063   | 423,026   |
| Greek                   | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Italian                 | 18,676    | 13,808    | 20,619    | 6,432     | 7,440     | 4,197     | 179,170   | 137,254   | 152,152   | 196,208   | 259,632   |
| Japanese                | 367,323   | 463,310   | 303,529   | 17,549    | 42,028    | 45,488    | 620,954   | 575,038   | 683,533   | 757,872   | 772,907   |
| Norwegian               | 2,227     | 31,214    | 26,168    | 31,049    | 39,427    | 42,182    | 50,033    | 26,398    | 49,759    | 70,307    | 67,144    |
| Portuguese              | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Russian                 | 95,272    | 13,614    | 5,319     | 2,875     | 4,633     | 6,130     | 836       | 2,404     | —         | —         | —         |
| Siamese                 | 8,222     | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         | —         |
| Spanish                 | 57,486    | 63,103    | 39,901    | 8,468     | 4,576     | 9,398     | 26,316    | 28,187    | 37,402    | 33,095    | 34,916    |
| Swedish                 | 7,312     | 17,364    | 15,832    | 6,744     | 16,015    | 18,025    | 22,231    | 31,887    | 31,281    | 52,637    | 32,617    |
|                         | 4,088,592 | 3,205,933 | 2,677,771 | 2,151,181 | 2,410,586 | 4,699,657 | 4,902,085 | 4,389,531 | 6,170,573 | 7,103,198 | 7,815,697 |

\* Included with Colonial Vessels from 1918.

TABLE No. 59.—Number of Vessels (in Ballast) cleared at Ports in the Island.

| Nationality of Vessels. | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom          | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   |
| Colonial                | 1,059 | 410   | 740   | 265   | 190   | 989   | 252   | 214   | 281   | 180   | 300   |
| Maldivian*              | 644   | 1,096 | 850   | 728   | 745   | 538   | 352   | 346   | 399   | 289   | 335   |
| American                | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Austrian                | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Belgian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Chinese                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Danish                  | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Dutch                   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| French                  | 87    | 75    | 36    | 15    | 27    | 64    | 57    | 45    | 38    | 33    | 40    |
| German                  | 52    | 30    | 34    | 22    | 5     | 33    | 10    | 9     | 10    | 16    | 15    |
| Greek                   | 41    | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 12    | 28    | 32    | 24    |
| Italian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Japanese                | 12    | 13    | 8     | 9     | —     | 15    | —     | 1     | —     | —     | —     |
| Norwegian               | 25    | 33    | 17    | 34    | 1     | 28    | 8     | 9     | 4     | 5     | 9     |
| Panamanian              | 24    | 39    | 64    | 31    | 16    | 207   | 25    | 28    | 5     | 3     | 4     |
| Portuguese              | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 8     | 20    | 20    | 20    |
| Roumanian               | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Siamese                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Spanish                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Swedish                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
|                         | 2,070 | 1,783 | 1,889 | 1,156 | 1,023 | 2,002 | 730   | 686   | 707   | 686   | 814   |

TABLE No. 60.—Number of Vessels (with Cargoes) cleared at Ports in the Island.

| Nationality of Vessels. | 1914. | 1915. | 1916. | 1917. | 1918. | 1919. | 1920. | 1921. | 1922. | 1923. | 1924. |
|-------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| United Kingdom          | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   | No.   |
| Colonial                | 782   | 691   | 930   | 1,114 | 1,186 | 1,173 | 1,154 | 1,252 | 1,224 | 1,402 | 1,443 |
| Maldivian*              | 356   | 618   | 373   | 464   | 540   | 432   | 506   | 485   | 479   | 487   | 425   |
| American                | 48    | 41    | 41    | 58    | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Austrian                | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Belgian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Chinese                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Danish                  | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Dutch                   | 14    | 10    | 3     | —     | 7     | 2     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| French                  | 33    | 8     | 7     | 1     | —     | 7     | 15    | 10    | 19    | 10    | 15    |
| German                  | 64    | 61    | 46    | 38    | 27    | 39    | 96    | 87    | 141   | 136   | 148   |
| Greek                   | 108   | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 76    | 89    | 104   | 118   |
| Italian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | 8     | 44    | 66    | 108   |
| Japanese                | 7     | 5     | 7     | 3     | 4     | 2     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Norwegian               | 80    | 106   | 85    | 84    | 99    | 157   | 170   | 144   | 161   | 170   | 169   |
| Portuguese              | 1     | 15    | 14    | 26    | 28    | 31    | 33    | 17    | 24    | 36    | 31    |
| Roumanian               | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Russian                 | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Siamese                 | 86    | 10    | 3     | 4     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Spanish                 | 1     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     | —     |
| Swedish                 | 24    | 27    | 16    | 4     | 3     | 4     | 11    | 12    | 12    | 14    | 15    |
|                         | 3     | 7     | 6     | 6     | 6     | 6     | 7     | 7     | 8     | 15    | 9     |
|                         | 1,586 | 1,594 | 1,545 | 1,816 | 1,932 | 1,900 | 2,156 | 2,175 | 2,262 | 2,509 | 2,580 |

\* Included with Colonial Vessels from 1918.

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| Year. | Steamers (excluding those which only called to Coal) |           | Steamers which called to Coal. |           | Sailing Vessels. |        | Total. |            |
|-------|------------------------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|------------------|--------|--------|------------|
|       | No.                                                  | Tons.     | No.                            | Tons.     | No.              | Tons.  | No.    | Tons.      |
| 1910  | 2,278                                                | 6,900,473 | 709                            | 1,909,823 | 352              | 36,888 | 3,339  | 8,847,184  |
| 1911  | 2,254                                                | 7,036,625 | 679                            | 1,844,990 | 366              | 38,031 | 3,299  | 8,920,552  |
| 1912  | 2,284                                                | 7,311,379 | 780                            | 2,021,943 | 353              | 37,521 | 3,307  | 9,370,843  |
| 1913  | 2,385                                                | 7,679,348 | 644                            | 1,796,545 | 331              | 34,639 | 3,310  | 9,510,533  |
| 1914  | 2,027                                                | 6,718,485 | 609                            | 1,713,617 | 308              | 35,027 | 2,942  | 8,467,129  |
| 1915  | 1,498                                                | 4,839,812 | 647                            | 1,916,070 | 289              | 32,003 | 2,425  | 6,787,891  |
| 1916  | 1,277                                                | 4,183,182 | 729                            | 1,988,156 | 296              | 32,136 | 2,302  | 6,203,474  |
| 1917  | 1,914                                                | 2,745,992 | 345                            | 862,940   | 318              | 37,318 | 1,577  | 3,646,256  |
| 1918  | 1,867                                                | 3,017,609 | 503                            | 1,376,224 | 420              | 48,217 | 1,937  | 4,442,050  |
| 1919  | 1,691                                                | 4,518,575 | 1,176                          | 4,085,068 | 329              | 45,452 | 2,872  | 8,649,097  |
| 1920  | 1,691                                                | 5,842,957 | 966                            | 3,167,931 | 329              | 38,228 | 2,886  | 8,849,116  |
| 1921  | 1,754                                                | 6,360,759 | 638                            | 2,203,198 | 260              | 32,753 | 2,489  | 8,596,373  |
| 1922  | 1,897                                                | 6,984,128 | 453                            | 1,398,869 | 256              | 33,376 | 2,463  | 8,416,373  |
| 1923  | 2,122                                                | 7,693,948 | 384                            | 1,274,619 | 282              | 38,073 | 2,568  | 9,006,640  |
| 1924  | 2,122                                                | 8,788,562 | 364                            | 1,188,674 | 286              | 36,715 | 2,778  | 10,013,951 |

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MUNICIPAL, URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL, LOCAL BOARD,  
BOARD OF IMPROVEMENT, AND SANITARY  
BOARD TOWNS.

MUNICIPAL TOWNS.—Colombo, Kandy, and Galle.

URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL TOWNS.—Colombo District : Negombo ; Kalutara District : Kalutara and Panadura ; Matale District : Matale ; Matara District : Matara ; Jaffna District : Jaffna ; Puttalam District : Chilaw ; and Ratnapura District : Ratnapura.

LOCAL BOARD TOWNS.—Colombo District : Minuwangoda and Moratuwa ; Kandy District : Gampola, Hatton-Dikoya, and Nawalapitiya ; Batticaloa District : Batticaloa ; Trincomalee District : Trincomalee ; Kurunegala District : Kurunegala ; Puttalam District : Puttalam ; Anuradhapura District : Anuradhapura ; Badulla District : Badulla and Bandarawela ; and Kegalla District : Kegalla.

BOARD OF IMPROVEMENT TOWN.—Nuwara Eliya District : Nuwara Eliya.

SANITARY BOARD TOWNS.—Colombo District : Avissawella, Cotta, Divulapitiya, Egoda Kolonnawa, Gampaha, Hanwella Ihala, Homagama, Ja-ela, Kandana, Kelaniya, Kirillapone-Nugegoda, Kochchikade, Kosgama Pahala, Mirigama, Mount Lavinia-Dehiwala, Padukka, Peliyagoda-Gangaboda, Piliyandara, Pugoda, Puwakpitiya, Siduwa, Veyangoda, Waga, Wattala-Mahole, and Welikada-Nawala ; Kalutara District : Agalawatta, Alutgama, Beruwala, Horana, Pahala Neboda, Tebuwana, and Wadduwa ; Kandy District : Bogawantalawa, Galaha, Huluganga, Kadugannawa, Maskeliya, Mayilapitiya, Norwood, Panwila, Pussellawa, Teldeniya, Ulapane, and Wattagama ; Matale District : Aluwihare, Dambulla, Kawdupelella, Madawala, Palapatwela, and Rattota ; Nuwara Eliya District : Agradatana, Dimbula, Hanguranketa, Kandapola, Kotagala, Lindula, Nanu-oya, Padiyapelella, Pundalu-oya, Ragala, Talawakele, and Tillicoultry ; Galle District : Ambalangoda, Dodanduwa, and Hikkaduwa ; Matara District : Dondra and Weligama ; Hambantota District : Beliatta Bazaar, Hambantota, and Tangalla ; Jaffna District : Kayts, Point Pedro, and Valvedditurai ; Mannar District : Erukkalampiddi, Mannar, Pesalai, Talaimannar, and Vidat-tativu ; Mullaitivu District : Mullaitivu and Chavakaduwa ; Batticaloa District : Eravur, Kalmunai, Kattakudi, Kuruppu, and Saramanturai ; Kurunegala District : Kuliyapitiya and Polgahawela ; Puttalam District : Kalpitiya, Madampe, Marawila, Nattandiya, and Udappu ; Badulla District : Haldummulla, Hantale, Koslanda, Lunugala, Passara, and Welimada ; Ratnapura District : Balangoda, Dola, Dumbara, Kahawatta, Kendangamulla, Kuruwita, Opanake, Pelmadulla, Rakwana, and Welandura ; and Kegalla District : Dehiwila, Pabukana, and Yatiyantota.

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