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Western Australian Goldfields.

MINING STATISTICS.

JUNE, 1906.

OUTPUT OF GOLD FOR JUNE, 1906.

FROM RETURNS FURNISHED BY H.M. CUSTOMS AND THE ROYAL MINT.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	Gold exported.	Gold received at Mint.	TOTAL GOLD EXPORTED AND RECEIVED AT MINT.	
				District.	Goldfield.
Kimberley ... ..	...	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.
Pilbarra	Marble Bar ... ..	...	38·62	...	38·62
West Pilbarra	Nullagine ... ..	...	...	...	...
Ashburton ... ..	...	...	3·85	...	3·85
Gascoyne ... ..	...	...	6·19	...	6·19
Peak Hill ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
East Murchison	Lawlers ... ..	...	10·89	...	10·89
...	Black Range ... ..	...	2,769·93	2,769·93	5,866·93
...	Cue	682·72	3,097·00	1,604·45	...
Murchison	Nannine	43·55	921·73	1,674·75	15,555·45
...	Day Dawn	6,419·98	1,631·20	11,424·27	...
...	Mt. Magnet ... ..	...	5,004·29	851·98	...
Yalgoo ... ..	...	...	180·47	...	180·47
Mt. Margaret	Mt. Morgans ... ..	...	180·47	2,305·65	...
...	Mt. Malcolm	1,006·42	2,305·65	2,305·65	12,686·62
...	Mt. Margaret	195·40	7,163·64	8,170·06	...
...	Menzies ... ..	...	2,015·51	2,210·91	...
North Coolgardie	Ularring ... ..	...	2,454·04	2,454·04	...
...	Niagara ... ..	...	2,752·21	2,752·21	9,097·09
...	Yerilla ... ..	...	3,783·14	3,783·14	...
Broad Arrow ... ..	...	...	107·70	107·70	...
North-East Coolgardie	Kanowna ... ..	...	1,412·75	...	1,412·75
...	Bulong ... ..	...	2,317·15	2,317·15	...
...	Kurnalpi ... ..	...	352·01	352·01	2,669·16
East Coolgardie ... ..	...	31,431·01	...	...	86,158·43
Coolgardie	Coolgardie ... ..	...	54,727·42	5,367·97	...
...	Kunanalling ... ..	...	5,367·97	5,367·97	5,380·86
Yilgarn ... ..	...	...	12·89	12·89	...
Dundas ... ..	...	...	1,554·71	...	1,554·71
Phillips River ... ..	...	114·18	2,403·64	...	2,517·82
Donnybrook ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Goldfields generally ... ..	...	...	119·72	...	119·72
Total ... ..	...	+ 39,893·26	103,366·30	...	143,259·56

† In addition were exported 7,200·03 fine ozs., included in Mint Returns.

Value.—143,259·56ozs. fine, at £4 4s. 11·45d. per oz. = £608,527 18s. 7½d.

Summary of Exports of Gold, showing Countries to which consigned.

Country.	In Bullion.	In Ore.	Total.
United Kingdom	Fine ozs. 39,079·18	Fine ozs. ...	Fine ozs. 39,079·18
Victoria	840·45	...	840·45
Germany ... ..	...	56·50	56·50
India	7,117·16	...	7,117·16
Total	47,036·79	56·50	47,093·29

TOTAL OUTPUT OF GOLD BULLION ENTERED FOR EXPORT AND RECEIVED AT THE PERTH BRANCH OF THE ROYAL YEAR FROM THE RESPECTIVE GOLDFIELDS,

Table with 13 columns: Year, Kimberley (Export, Mint, Total), Pilbarra (Export, Mint, Total), a West Pilbarra (Export, Mint, Total), Ashburton (Export, Mint, Total). Rows include years 1886-1905 and totals.

Table with 13 columns: Year, d Yalgoo (Export, Mint, Total), c Mt. Margaret (Export, Mint, Total), e North Coolgardie (Export, Mint, Total), Broad Arrow (Export, Mint, Total). Rows include years 1886-1905 and totals.

Table with 13 columns: Year, h Dundas (Export, Mint, Total), i Phillips River (Export, Mint, Total), j Donnybrook (Export, Mint, Total), Goldfields Generally (Export, Mint, Total). Rows include years 1886-1905 and totals.

+ To 30th June. a. Prior to 1st May, 1893, included with Pilbarra. d. Prior to 1st April, 1897, included with Murchison. e. From 1st August, 1897. e. Prior to 1st May, 1896, included with Coolgardie. f. From 1st September, 1897. h. Prior to 1893 included with Yilgarn, i. Prior to 1902 included in Goldfields generally. j. From 1st March, 1899.

MINT, FROM 1ST JANUARY, 1886, TO 30TH JUNE, 1906, SHOWING, IN FINE OUNCES, THE QUANTITY OBTAINED EACH AND THE TOTAL ANNUAL VALUE.

Year.	b GASCoyNE.			c PEAK HILL.			c EAST MURCHISON.			MURCHISON.		
	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.
1886
1887
1888
1889
1890
1891
1892	1,846.83	...	1,846.83
1893	21,789.19	...	21,789.19
1894	18,974.77	...	18,974.77
1895	47,365.54	...	47,365.54
1896	58,575.66	...	58,575.66
1897	63,769.17	...	63,769.17
1898	74,154.67	...	74,154.67
1899	83,794.22	...	83,794.22
1900	61,586.09	22,074.71	83,660.80
1901	52,217.09	43,423.77	95,640.86
1902	70,337.70	58,996.10	131,145.66
1903	92,149.56	40,926.08	132,675.99
1904	141,731.91	54,348.53	196,080.44
1905	154,019.88	52,683.16	206,703.04
Total	304.55	340.81	645.36	41,099.08	138,317.82	179,416.90	230,990.00	345,308.01	546,298.01	1,170,455.22	345,194.40	1,515,649.62
1906 †	...	31.57	31.57	...	902.93	902.93	...	42,215.34	42,215.34	43,611.73	51,581.20	95,192.93
Total	304.55	372.38	676.93	41,099.08	139,220.75	180,319.83	200,990.00	387,523.35	588,513.35	1,214,066.95	396,775.60	1,610,842.55

Year.	c NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE.			c EAST COOLGARDIE.			g COOLGARDIE.			YILGARN.		
	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.
1886
1887
1888
1889	1,662.61	...	1,662.61
1890	2,036.99	...	2,036.99
1891	11,480.61	...	11,480.61
1892	18,973.91	...	18,973.91
1893	67,760.73	...	67,760.73
1894	28,178.31	...	28,178.31
1895	17,666.25	...	17,666.25
1896	14,819.20	...	14,819.20
1897	16,097.78	...	16,097.78
1898	10,463.35	...	10,463.35
1899	8,114.60	...	8,114.60
1900	25,628.83	...	25,628.83
1901	26,677.85	...	26,677.85
1902	22,232.80	...	22,232.80
1903	22,761.00	...	22,761.00
1904	29,965.37	...	29,965.37
1905	25,291.11	...	25,291.11
Total	227,130.82	246,143.34	473,274.16	4,907,804.54	2,718,952.48	7,626,757.02	658,754.58	415,297.40	1,074,051.98	196,828.65	160,671.56	357,500.21
1906 †	1,590.31	17,008.50	18,598.81	223,102.26	317,177.18	540,279.44	103.78	30,237.69	30,341.47	...	12,916.62	12,916.62
Total	228,721.13	263,151.84	491,872.97	5,130,906.80	3,036,129.66	8,167,036.46	658,858.36	445,535.09	1,104,393.45	196,828.65	173,588.18	370,416.83

Year.	GRAND TOTAL.			
	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Value.
1886	£ 1.147 12 2/4
1887	£ 4.359 37 8 6/4
1888	£ 3.124 82 7 10
1889	£ 13.859 52 58 871 9 11 1/2
1890	£ 20.402 42 86 663 19 5 1/2
1891	£ 27.116 14 115 182 0 10
1892	£ 53.271 65 226 283 11 8 1/2
1893	£ 99.202 50 421 385 8 8 1/2
1894	£ 185.298 73 787 098 19 6
1895	£ 207.110 20 879 748 4 2 1/2
1896	£ 251.618 69 1,068 808 5 2
1897	£ 603.846 44 2,564 976 12 9 1/2
1898	£ 939.489 49 3,990 697 13 10
1899	£ 1,283.360 25 4,773 957 13 7 1/2
1900	£ 894.387 27 3,148 765 13 4 1/2
1901	£ 923.686 96 3,061 372 9 1
1902	£ 707.039 75 2,380 076 9 7 1/2
1903	£ 833.685 78 2,864 361 17 0 1/2
1904	£ 810.616 04 2,824 225 17 3 1/2
1905	£ 655.089 88 2,190 266 18 5 1/2
Total	8,516,836.07	6,354,850.81	14,871,686.88	£ 63,170,910 10 2 1/2
1906 †	285,012.79	619,850.62	904,863.41	£ 3,843,615 9 0 1/2
TOTAL	8,801,848.86	6,974,701.43	15,776,550.29	£ 67,014,525 19 3

† To 30th June. b. Prior to March, 1899, included with Ashburton. c. From 1st August, 1897. e. Prior to 1st May, 1896, included with Coolgardie. g. Declared 5th April, 1894, to which date included with Yilgarn.

COMPARATIVE RETURN OF GOLD BULLION ENTERED FOR EXPORT AND RECEIVED AT THE PERTH BRANCH OF THE ROYAL MINT, FROM 1ST JANUARY, 1904,
TO 30TH JUNE, 1906, SHOWING IN FINE OUNCES THE QUANTITY RECORDED EACH MONTH, AND ITS VALUE.

MONTHS AND QUARTERS.	1904.				1905.				1906.			
	EXPORT.	MINT.	TOTAL.	VALUE.	EXPORT.	MINT.	TOTAL.	VALUE.	EXPORT.	MINT.	TOTAL.	VALUE.
JANUARY	fine ozs. 77,217·72	fine ozs. 99,435·55	fine ozs. 176,653·27	£ s. d. 750,375 7 10 ³ / ₄	fine ozs. 67,945·50	fine ozs. 97,506·90	fine ozs. 165,452·40	£ s. d. 702,797 2 5 ³ / ₄	fine ozs. 40,909·09	fine ozs. 113,455·95	fine ozs. 154,365·04	£ s. d. 655,701 0 2 ³ / ₄
FEBRUARY	69,738·89	92,662·78	162,401·67	689,838 8 11	57,212·61	96,820·25	154,032·86	654,290 0 0	49,456·20	92,970·40	142,426·60	604,989 14 10
MARCH	44,191·93	92,642·68	136,834·61	581,236 9 6 ³ / ₄	52,275·84	108,641·80	160,917·64	683,534 13 8 ³ / ₄	59,373·43	96,201·19	155,574·62	660,838 19 7 ³ / ₄
<i>1st January to 31st March ...</i>	191,148·54	284,741·01	475,889·55	2,021,450 6 4 ³ / ₄	177,433·95	302,968·95	480,402·90	2,040,621 16 2 ³ / ₄	149,738·72	302,627·54	452,366·26	1,921,529 14 8
APRIL	88,296·06	92,603·28	180,999·34	768,836 6 6 ³ / ₄	64,553·14	107,583·01	172,136·15	781,187 17 9 ³ / ₄	47,759·22	104,457·26	152,216·48	646,574 10 ¹ / ₂
MAY	58,680·69	101,599·36	160,280·05	680,826 7 6 ³ / ₄	47,413·38	110,271·90	157,685·28	669,801 9 10 ³ / ₄	47,621·59	109,399·52	157,021·11	666,983 5 7
JUNE	70,173·95	97,272·36	167,446·31	711,266 14 3 ³ / ₄	48,850·54	106,299·29	155,149·83	659,034 11 9	39,893·26	103,366·30	143,259·56	608,527 ¹ / ₂
<i>1st January to 30th June ...</i>	408,399·24	576,216·01	984,615·25	4,182,379 14 8 ³ / ₄	338,251·01	627,123·15	965,374·16	4,100,648 15 7 ³ / ₄	285,012·79	619,850·62	904,863·41	3,843,615 9 0 ¹ / ₂
JULY	69,317·53	91,400·76	160,718·34	682,688 2 3 ³ / ₄	57,415·76	108,585·09	166,000·85	705,126 15 9 ³ / ₄				
AUGUST	71,063·11	97,369·28	168,432·39	715,455 6 3 ³ / ₄	55,370·49	119,310·65	174,681·14	741,998 6 4 ³ / ₄				
SEPTEMBER	67,058·42	98,793·28	165,851·70	704,493 4 10	52,589·55	110,707·86	163,297·41	693,643 6 1 ³ / ₄				
<i>1st January to 30th September</i>	615,838·35	863,779·33	1,479,617·68	6,285,016 8 2	503,626·81	965,726·75	1,469,353·56	6,241,417 3 11 ³ / ₄				
OCTOBER	76,517·54	98,090·10	174,607·64	741,686 2 2 ³ / ₄	47,313·32	113,309·36	160,622·68	682,281 15 6 ³ / ₄				
NOVEMBER	60,005·52	103,927·46	163,932·98	696,343 0 9	57,745·00	105,503·80	163,248·80	693,436 16 6				
DECEMBER	58,254·63	106,817·14	165,071·77	701,180 6 2 ³ / ₄	46,404·75	115,686·09	162,090·84	688,518 2 5 ³ / ₄				
Total	810,616·04	1,172,614·03	1,983,230·07	8,424,225 17 3³/₄	655,089·88	1,300,226·00	1,955,315·88	8,305,653 18 5¹/₂				

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EXPLANATORY.

1. In the tables, the nineteen goldfields and the four mineral fields of the State are arranged according to their geographical position, commencing, in the first instance, with Kimberley in the North, and terminating with Donnybrook in the South-West; and in the second, with Northampton and Yandanooka in the West, and the Collie and Greenbushes also in the South-West. Seven goldfields are subdivided into twenty districts, and in such cases, that district in which the Warden has his headquarters is placed first in the return. The mining centres have been shown in alphabetical order under the heading of their respective goldfields, mineral fields, and districts, and, finally, the groups of mines which make up the mining centres have been similarly arranged.

2. These returns represent all treatments reported to Mining Registrars as completed during the month; but, as Regulations 195 and 196 allow ten days in which to declare such results, the gold production of the State cannot be ascertained under at least twenty days after the end of each month, when the totals of each district will be announced, followed at a few days' interval by full details.

3. During the last week of each month the holders of leases and registered claims, as well as the managers of public crushing plants, will receive from the Mining Registrar of the district,—

(a.) Two copies of Schedule 54(A.) or 55(A.), according as they may be applicable to machinery areas, leases, or registered claims.

(b.) One addressed envelope, fully prepaid by means of postage stamps, in which the return is to be forwarded to the Mining Registrar.

From this, it will be gathered that all cost to the lessees and managers has been avoided, and the labour of completing the returns has been reduced to a minimum.

4. One of the principal intentions of Regulation 196 being to credit each district with the amount of gold won therefrom, managers of gold-extracting plants, when taking delivery of ore for treatment, are requested to insist upon the locality, from which such ore was derived, being furnished. As the results from ore so treated should be in the hands of the Mining Registrar of the district from which it was obtained on the tenth day of each month, it behoves all managers to post the return as many days before that date as it will occupy in transit.

5. The differences between the table headed "Total Production of Gold, etc." and the "Output of Gold" (Customs and Mint combined), are to be accounted for by the fact that the exportation of gold started, practically, with the inception of the industry; whereas the mode of collecting returns adopted by the Mines Department is the outcome of a system established some few years ago. Up to that date, therefore, no good basis for an exact comparison can be found. As to the discrepancy which exists at present, the assumption is that the whole of the gold won from the ground is not reported to the Department.

6. Notification will be gladly received by the Statist, Department of Mines, Perth, of any omissions that may occur or corrections that may be necessary, the object of the Department being to arrive at an accurate estimate of the minerals produced in Western Australia.

EXPLANATION OF SIGNS AND ABBREVIATIONS.

Gf. Goldfield.	<i>pr.</i> Prospecting battery.
Mf. Mineral field.	<i>b.</i> Ball mill.
D. District.	<i>k.</i> Krupp mill.
G.M.L. Gold Mining Lease.	<i>g.</i> Griffin mill.
M.L. Mineral Lease.	<i>h.</i> Huntington mill.
P.P.C. Private Property Claim.	<i>sf.</i> Salford mill.
P.P.L. Private Property Lease.	<i>t.</i> Tremain mill.
R.L. Reward Lease.	<i>f.</i> Flint mill.
A.T.M. Authority to mine.	<i>o.c.</i> Other crusher.
A.C. Alluvial Claim.	<i>p.</i> Puddler.
A.Q.C. Amalgamated Quartz Claim.	<i>A.</i> Agitating vats.
E.A.C. Extended Alluvial Claim.	<i>con.</i> Concentrates.
Q.C. Quartz Claim.	<i>cy.</i> Cyanide process.
R.C. Reward Claim.	<i>sd.</i> Sands.
M.A. Machinery Area.	<i>sl.</i> Slimes.
P.A. Prospecting Area.	<i>pl.</i> Plates.
T.A. Tailings Area.	¶ Extras (magnettings, skimmings, etc.).
W.R. Water Right.	* Not working.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOLDFIELDS.

RETURN OF CRUSHINGS AND OTHER TREATMENTS OF ORE COMPLETED DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1906.

(Reported under Regulations 195 and 196 of "The Mining Act, 1904.")

NOTE.—As inaccuracies occur in some of the returns furnished by registered lessees and holders, these figures are subject to revision; such corrections as may be necessary being shown in later Statistics, and in the Annual Report of the Department of Mines.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.					Value per ton of ore treated.	REMARKS.
			Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Alluvial.	Dollied and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.	Silver.			
										Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	tons.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	shillings	
KIMBERLEY GOLDFIELD.																
Ruby Creek	61, M.A. 9	Ruby Queen...	...	...	20											
The Brockman	141 A.C., M.A. 8	Mt. Bradley Tunnelling Claim...	...	...	25	h. 1										
The Mary	M.A. 15	Mary River Works	...	...	5											
		From Goldfield generally—	...	...										
		Alluvial	...	...						10'45						
		TOTAL	...	...	50	1				10'45						

‡ There are:—At Dry Creek, 3 diggers; at Hall's Creek, 1 digger; at The Brockman, 6 diggers; at The Mary, 1 digger.—Total, 11 diggers.

PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.

MARBLE BAR DISTRICT.

Bamboo Cr'k	161	Bulletin	...	...	10	...	3									
Do.	...	Men employed	...	2	2											
Lullaroo...	R.C. 112	British Exploration of Australasia, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	10									+ 10 head on ground.
Do.	...	Men employed	...	1												
Marble Bar	615	British Exploration of Australasia, Ltd.	...	...	5	t.1										
Do.	M.A. 30	Ironclad Cyanide Works	...	...			3	1								
Do.	...	Men employed	...	18	10											
Talga Talga	...	Men employed	...	8												
Warrawoona	505, etc.	British Exploration of Australasia, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	10									
Do.	M.A. 18	Klondyke Battery	...	...	...	...	5									
Do.	M.A. 27	Salgash Public Crushing Co.	...	...	...	...	15									
Do.	...	Men employed	...	6	2											
Wyman's Well	...	Men employed	...	2	1											
Yandicoogina	625	Elsie Abandoned	...	...	...	pr.1	2									+ 3 stamps worked by windmill.
Do.	M.A. 26	Lady Adelaide Battery	...	...	...	...	10	4								
Do.	...	Men employed	...	4	3											
		TOTAL	...	141	18	55	2	22	1							

‡ In addition to the above there are about 30 diggers.

NULLAGINE DISTRICT.

Mosquito Cr.	95L	Bell Exploration Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	4						35			
Do.	79L	Galtee More	...	...	...	...							105'00	89'09		72'00
Do.	M.A. 6L	Royer's Public Crushing Syndicate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	2	8											
Nullagine	Q.C. 243L	All Nation's Extended	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				33'50	90'34		
Do.	106L	Barton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...							+ 5 head more on ground.
Do.	...	Men employed	...	4	18											
20-mile Sandy	A9718	State Battery	...	...	...	...	10	3								
Do.	...	Men employed	...	5	16											
		From District generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15'87						
		Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		TOTAL	...	111	43	40	...	11	...	15'87			138'50	179'78		110'26

‡ In addition to the above there are:—At Mosquito Creek, 3 diggers; at Nullagine, 7 diggers.—Total, 10 diggers.

WEST PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.

Lower Nicol Station Peak	106, etc. 117/8	Ninety-nine leases	...	...	...	...	pr. 1						80'00	67'56			April.
Do.	...	Pilgrims Rest leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				60'00	42'54			May.
Do.	...	Men employed	...	4	5												
		From Goldfield generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	97'00							April.
		Alluvial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40'47							May.
		TOTAL	...	14	5	20	1	...	...	137'47			140'00	110'10			66'80

‡ In addition to the above, there are about 37 diggers.

ASHBURTON GOLDFIELD.

From Goldfield generally—										22'03						
Alluvial	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22'03						

‡ There are 9 diggers.

JUNE GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.				Value per ton of ore treated.	REMARKS.
			Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Alumina.	Dollied and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.	Silver.		
										Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	tons.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	shillings.
NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—continued.															
KANOWNA DISTRICT—continued.															
Kanowna	P.A. 198x	(Guani, M. J.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15.00	2.07	...	11.72
Do.	L.C. 205x	(Malcolm and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41.00	13.77	...	9.85
Do.	L.C. Unreg.	(Mallon and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10.00	2.31	...	19.62
Do.	L.C. Unreg.	(Simpson and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9.00	2.82	...	13.30
Do.	Q.C. 61x	Campbell's Works	...	...	...	p. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 45x	Donnan's Works	...	...	...	pr. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	E.A.C. 342x	Irving's Works	...	...	...	p. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 47x	Mallon's Works	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 39x	Mudlark Works	...	...	...	p. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Q.C. 57x	Norton's Works	...	...	...	{ 16	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 19x	(Middleton's Cyanide Works)	...	...	...	{ 10	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 15x	Old Cement Works (Martin's)	...	...	...	pr. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	(Middleton's Cyanide Works)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Sims and Son's Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	145	284	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mulgarrrie	...	Men employed	7	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From District generally—															
Sundry parcels treated at Koh-i-Noor Works															
Sundry parcels treated at Middleton's Cyanide Works															
Sundry parcels treated at Venture Cyanide Syndicate Works															
LEASES AND QUARTZ CLAIMS															
From District generally—															
Sundry parcels of cement (reported by owners)															
§ Cement treated (not reported by owners)—															
At Old Cement Works															
At Donnan's Works															
At Mudlark Works															
At Norton's Works															
At Robinson's Works															
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers															
TOTAL			† 238	337	196	10	65	2	253.42	10.21	4,069.75	3,341.56	68.03	60.26	

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Gambier, 60 diggers; at Gindalbie, 6 diggers; at Kanowna, 38 diggers.—Total 104 diggers. § Does not represent the total monthly treatments at these Works.

BULONG DISTRICT.

Bulong	862y	Golden West	...	...	† 5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Increase.
Do.	835y, etc.	Green Harp leases	...	...	...	7.1	...	...	...	...	182.00	82.62	...	...	...
Do.	1009y	Little Wonder	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18.50	14.98	...	...	...
Do.	979y	Queen Margaret Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.50	3.19	...	...	...	Tributers.
Do.	9x, etc.	Queen Margaret G.M. Co., Ltd.	...	...	20	o.c. 2	2	...	...	...	290.00	283.06	...	...	...	sd. 60 tons.
Do.	...	Men employed	43	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	{ 34.03	8.91	...	...	...	Tributers.
Do.	...	Berry's Public Battery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.00	41.40	...	...	...	sd. 60 tons.
Randalls	W.R. 24y	State Battery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Increase.
Do.	Λ 9535	Men employed	3	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sudden Jerk	985y	Black Cat	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6.41	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taurus	Q.C. 329y	(Stokes and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.00	10.29	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From District generally—																
Sundry parcels treated at Berry's Public Battery																
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers																
TOTAL			147	90	45	3	11	...	25.89	40.44	499.00	507.02	...	86.32		

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Balagundi, 25 diggers; at Black Hills, 6 diggers; at Bulong, 40 diggers; at Mt. Monger, 75 diggers; at Randall's, 6 diggers; at Taurus, 10 diggers.—Total, 162 diggers.

KURNALPI DISTRICT.

Kurnalpi	{ 280k, M.A. 2k }	Billy Billy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	10	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mulgabbie	M.A. 3k	Glover's Works	...	...	...	pr. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	266k	Ironclad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.88	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	9	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From District generally—																
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers																
TOTAL			119	16	5	1	...	...	19.51	3.88	...	...	...	...	...	...

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Kurnalpi, 5 diggers; at Mulgabbie, 6 diggers.—Total, 11 diggers.

JUNE GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.				PRODUCTION.					Value per ton of ore treated.	REMARKS.		
			Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Alluvial.	Dolled and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.	Silver.				
										Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	tons.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	shillings.		
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—continued.																	
KUNANALLING DISTRICT—continued.																	
25-Mile Do.	696s, 727s 646s, etc.	Blue Bell leases Bow's leases	...	...	5 10	...	...	...	...	...	...	77-00 114-00	8-65 10-53 12-72	...	9-50 7-92	...	¶ Slags and scaling plates.
Do.	726s 79s	Nil Desperandum Premier G.M. Co., N.L.	...	...	25	6	2	11	1	...	...	9-00	2-98	12-34	28-17	...	¶ Slags, 49 tons.
Do.	645s 603s	Star of Fremantle Sydney Mint	...	...	10	...	...	4	...	...	41-55	96-00	34-87	...	30-83	...	May.
Do.	...	Men employed From District generally— Sundry parcels treated at Hepburn's Cyaniding Works	...	30	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	184-39	...	...	...	sd. 2,300 tons.
		TOTAL	...	114	165	135	3	49	1	...	41-55	1,236-15	902-64	12-34	62-02	...	

‡ In addition to the above there are about 45 diggers.

YILGARN GOLDFIELD.

Blackbourne Do.	671	Blackbourne Men employed	...	2	3	41-00	9-95	...	20-61	...	
Greenmount Do.	503, etc.	Greenmount Mines, N.L.	...	...	10	...	6	...	...	...	...	1,200-00	208-80	...	14-78	sd. 725 tons.
Do.	565	Royal George	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104-00	29-49	...	24-08	...
Do.	550	Sunbeam	...	...	5	...	3	...	...	...	...	68-00	12-00	...	14-99	...
Do.	536	Transvaal	...	...	20	...	8	...	...	...	...	1,850-00	25-42	...	7-19	sd. 300 tons.
Do.	...	Men employed	...	75	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	196-01	...	9-00	sd. 1,200 tons.
Hope's Hill Do.	19, etc. T.A. 18	Hope's Hill G.M. Co., Ltd. Hope's Hill Slimes Plant (Venture Syndicate)	...	...	...	*30	*g.3	*12	1	...	...	...	128-38	...	9-08	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	10	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jacoletti Do.	717	Eveless Eden	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	220-00	99-33	...	38-35	...
Do.	490, etc.	Jacoletti G.Ms., Ltd.	...	...	10	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	714	Marvel Loch	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	176-00	83-07	...	40-09	...
Do.	P.A. 57	(McDonnell and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11-30	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	26	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kennyville Do.	570	Northern Blocks Syndicate	...	...	28	39	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Jackson Do.	212, etc.	Mt. Jackson G.Ms., Ltd.	...	...	...	*10	...	*7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	9	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Parker's Range Do.	(T.A. 13)	Andre's Cyanide Works	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	508	Australia	...	...	...	5	...	6	...	...	...	50-00	31-42	...	53-33	...
Do.	520	Blue Hill	...	...	...	5	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	(T.A. 9)	Brimage's Battery	...	...	...	*10	...	*8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	665, etc.	Never Never	...	...	...	†	...	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	25	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Southern Cross Do.	13, etc.	British and Foreign Development Syndicate, Ltd.	...	...	30	...	6	...	...	...	...	637-00	201-34	...	26-85	...
Do.	256, etc.	Fraser South Extended G.M. Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	*20	...	*5	...	...	...	...	84-88	...	7-12	sd. 1,000 tons.
Do.	552, etc.	Haddon leases	...	...	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	487-00	39-27	...	6-89	...
Do.	...	Reward	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93-44	...	10-44	sd. 760 tons.
Do.	529	(Bird and party)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18-00	9-45	...	44-60	...
Do.	P.A. 61	State Battery	...	...	...	*10	...	*3	...	...	...	11-50	3-41	...	25-19	...
Do.	A8901	Men employed	...	55	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	From Goldfield generally— Sundry parcels treated at Fremantle Smelting Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5-64	44-22	...	...	...
		TOTAL	...	230	223	185	3	88	1	...	11-30	4,868-14	1,404-10	...	24-50	...	

‡ In addition to the above, there about 10 diggers.

DUNDAS GOLDFIELD.

Buldania Do.	969	Northern Ajax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16-00	14-31	...	76-00	...
Do.	M.A. 28	Pathway Battery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dundas Do.	...	Men employed	...	4	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Norseman Do.	950	Amalgamated Tailings Syndicate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	M.A. 30	Break-o'-Day Battery	...	...	...	*10	...	*4	...	...	...	7-00	4-99	...	60-50	...
Do.	921	Break-o'-Day	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	621-00	553-94	...	76-04	...
Do.	42, etc.	Cumberland G.M. Co., N.L.	...	...	10	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	41-03	...	6-95	sd. 500 tons.
Do.	(84)	(Desirable No. 1)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38-10	...	8-00	sd. 405 tons.
Do.	963	Desirable G.M. Syndicate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52-00	44-29	...	72-14	...
Do.	961, etc.	Lady Mary G.M. Co., N.L.	...	...	20	...	5	...	...	...	...	278-00	133-00	...	40-50	...
Do.	856	Lucky Call	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25-00	15-36	...	52-21	...
Do.	M.A. 18	Mararoa Crushing and Cyaniding Works	...	...	10	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	18, etc.	Norseman G.Ms., Ltd.	...	...	10	†	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	935	O.K. East	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	89-00	48-39	...	45-50	† 2 Ball mills removed.

GENERAL RETURN SHOWING, FOR EACH GOLDFIELD AND DISTRICT, MEN EMPLOYED, PARTICULARS OF PLANT, PRODUCTION in fine ounces OF ALLUVIAL, DOLLIED, AND SPECIMEN GOLD; AND THE QUANTITIES OF ORE TREATED AND FINE GOLD THEREFROM, FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1906, WITH THE FINE SILVER REPORTED DURING THE SECOND QUARTER OF 1906.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	MEN EMPLOYED.		Dig- gers.	PLANT.				PRODUCTION.						Value of gold per ton of ore treated.
		Above Ground.	Under Ground.		Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Alluvial.	Dollied and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.	Gold from all sources.	Fine Silver. (Quarterly.)	
											tons (2,240lbs.).				shillings.
Kimberley	...	...	...	11	50	1	...	...	fine ozs. 10·45	...	...	...	...	10·45	...
Pilbarra	Marble Bar	41	18	30	55	2	22	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	Nullagine	11	42	10	40	...	11	...	15·87	...	138·50	179·78	195·65	...	110·26
W. Pilbarra	...	4	5	37	20	1	...	...	137·47	...	140·00	110·10	247·57	...	66·80
Ashburton	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	22·03	...	...	...	22·03	...	...
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	13	7	18	50	5	12	9	...	31	136·00	61·63	61·94	...	38·50
E. Murchison	Lawlers	453	438	55	270	11	93	4	...	...	15,833·82	5,702·84	5,702·84	1,203·19	30·60
Do.	Black Range	350	180	120	36	1	22	...	...	...	2,152·25	3,898·93	3,898·93	...	153·90
Murchison	Cue	166	200	11	105	1	38	...	41·25	...	2,214·00	1,505·39	1,546·64	44·07	57·76
Do.	Nannine	128	163	120	199	2	47	...	133·64	38·18	2,876·64	2,342·17	2,513·99	...	69·16
Do.	Day Dawn	340	390	12	165	...	50	6	...	7·83	18,834·00	10,753·66	10,761·49	5,186·99	48·50
Do.	Mt. Magnet	102	68	6	105	2	35	...	13·10	1·88	1,548·00	982·97	997·95	36·20	53·94
Yalgoo	...	42	49	21	75	1	15	...	...	...	771·00	354·36	354·36	...	39·04
Mt. Margaret	Mt. Morgans	196	250	46	166	2	85	3	1·53	103·03	7,356·50	3,082·12	3,186·68	6·00	35·58
Do.	Mt. Malcolm	452	555	37	255	2	100	2	...	...	16,458·00	7,293·73	7,293·73	1,152·18	37·64
Do.	Mt. Margaret	390	340	40	192	5	82	2	...	89·46	6,761·00	3,702·32	3,791·78	251·48	46·52
N. Coolgardie	Menzies	223	351	10	155	2	65	3	...	20·39	3,761·00	3,202·49	3,222·88	118·57	72·34
Do.	Ularring	159	268	46	80	1	56	2	...	...	3,095·00	3,106·36	3,106·36	710·61	85·26
Do.	Niagara	204	310	26	125	1	65	3	7·04	4·06	10,479·50	3,183·19	3,194·29	687·89	25·80
Do.	Yerilla	142	174	33	60	2	56	...	...	...	1,944·00	1,557·77	1,557·77	...	68·06
Broad Arrow	...	85	140	102	175	2	49	...	252·84	...	2,473·95	1,381·09	1,633·93	...	47·42
N.E. Coolgardie	Kanowna	238	387	104	196	10	65	2	223·42	10·21	4,875·50	3,458·64	3,692·27	68·03	60·26
Do.	Bulong	47	90	162	45	3	11	...	25·89	40·44	499·00	507·02	573·35	...	86·32
Do.	Kurnalpi	19	16	11	5	1	...	...	19·51	3·88	...	...	23·39	...	...
E. Coolgardie	...	2,591	3,360	30	675	123	412	123	74·85	260·36	123,142·00	81,482·32	81,817·53	29,915·24	56·21
Coolgardie	Coolgardie	439	761	130	329	...	162	2	...	10·42	10,464·69	5,223·19	5,233·61	8·42	42·40
Do.	Kunanalling	114	165	45	135	3	49	1	...	41·55	1,236·15	902·64	944·19	12·34	62·02
Yilgarn	...	230	223	10	185	3	88	1	...	11·30	4,868·14	1,404·10	1,415·40	...	24·50
Dundas	...	128	207	30	110	3	67	3	3·14	41·13	1,957·50	1,721·38	1,765·65	833·92	74·70
Phillips River	...	47	59	...	40	2	5	...	...	...	...	2·44	2·44	...	...
Donnybrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From Goldfields generally	...	166	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	7,520	9,216	1,322	4,098	196	1,762	167	982·03	684·43	244,016·14	147,102·63	148,769·09	40,235·13	51·21

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MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF GOLD, IN FINE OUNCES, SHOWING THE QUANTITY REPORTED TO THE MINES DEPARTMENT, AND THE STERLING VALUE THEREOF.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		* TOTAL.	
		District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.
Kimberley ...	...	...	17-42	...	15-68	...	10-45	...	13-07	...	14-81	...	10-45	...	81-88
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	...	47-50	{ 410-70 }	{ 508-57 }	{ 423-28 }	{ 1,358-76 }	{ 168-98 }	{ 297-50 }	{ 22-85 }	{ 493-09 }	{ 195-65 }	{ 195-65 }	{ 1,025-81 }	{ 2,901-07 }
Do. ...	Nullagine ...	47-50	47-50	{ 97-87 }	508-57	{ 935-48 }	1,358-76	{ 128-52 }	297-50	{ 470-24 }	493-09	{ 195-65 }	195-65	{ 1,875-26 }	2,901-07
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	44-85	...	...	...	231-66	...	...	...	...	...	247-57	...	524-08
Ashburton ...	...	...	29-19	...	18-08	...	20-34	...	23-54	...	22-88	...	22-03	...	136-06
Gascoyne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill ...	...	...	212-33	...	...	...	30-59	...	9-06	...	190-44	...	61-94	...	504-36
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	5,024-33	6,094-24	{ 4,521-35 }	{ 5,677-74 }	{ 4,331-91 }	{ 7,257-79 }	{ 5,109-26 }	{ 7,330-89 }	{ 6,624-10 }	{ 9,261-70 }	{ 5,702-84 }	{ 9,601-77 }	{ 31,313-79 }	{ 45,224-13 }
Do. ...	Black Range	1,069-91	6,094-24	{ 1,156-39 }	5,677-74	{ 2,925-88 }	7,257-79	{ 2,221-63 }	7,330-89	{ 2,637-60 }	9,261-70	{ 3,898-93 }	9,601-77	{ 13,910-34 }	45,224-13
Murchison ...	Cue ...	2,143-34	...	{ 1,375-21 }	...	{ 2,311-30 }	...	{ 1,920-69 }	...	{ 1,392-99 }	...	{ 1,546-64 }	...	{ 10,890-17 }	...
Do. ...	Nannine ...	622-46	...	{ 2,862-84 }	...	{ 1,101-07 }	...	{ 2,081-96 }	...	{ 1,164-28 }	...	{ 2,513-99 }	...	{ 10,346-60 }	...
Do. ...	Day Dawn ...	11,963-39	{ 15,340-97 }	{ 10,812-29 }	{ 16,634-97 }	{ 10,765-06 }	{ 16,072-11 }	{ 10,633-51 }	{ 15,768-48 }	{ 10,674-34 }	{ 13,920-19 }	{ 10,761-49 }	{ 15,820-07 }	{ 65,610-08 }	{ 93,556-79 }
Do. ...	Mt. Magnet ...	611-78	{ 15,340-97 }	{ 1,384-63 }	16,634-97	{ 1,894-68 }	16,072-11	{ 1,132-32 }	15,768-48	{ 688-58 }	13,920-19	{ 997-95 }	15,820-07	{ 6,709-94 }	93,556-79
Yalgoo ...	...	...	57-38	...	712-53	...	450-91	...	260-56	...	...	...	354-36	...	1,835-74
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Morgans	1,364-61	...	{ 1,875-42 }	...	{ 2,652-96 }	...	{ 2,459-51 }	...	{ 2,622-48 }	...	{ 3,186-68 }	...	{ 14,161-66 }	...
Do. ...	Mt. Malcolm	8,532-10	{ 12,357-56 }	{ 9,237-37 }	{ 14,286-52 }	{ 9,236-50 }	{ 15,182-42 }	{ 8,252-17 }	{ 13,554-68 }	{ 8,020-66 }	{ 13,231-03 }	{ 7,293-73 }	{ 14,272-19 }	{ 50,572-53 }	{ 83,184-40 }
Do. ...	Mt. Margaret	2,460-85	{ 12,357-56 }	{ 3,173-73 }	14,286-52	{ 3,592-96 }	15,182-42	{ 2,843-00 }	13,554-68	{ 2,587-89 }	13,231-03	{ 3,791-78 }	14,272-19	{ 18,450-21 }	83,184-40
North Coolgardie...	Menzies ...	2,011-89	...	{ 2,209-75 }	...	{ 2,157-49 }	...	{ 3,420-98 }	...	{ 2,375-03 }	...	{ 3,222-88 }	...	{ 15,398-02 }	...
Do. ...	Ularring ...	1,726-82	{ 7,767-95 }	{ 1,949-60 }	{ 9,122-25 }	{ 1,956-98 }	{ 9,159-87 }	{ 1,848-62 }	{ 8,888-16 }	{ 2,622-78 }	{ 9,943-41 }	{ 3,106-36 }	{ 11,081-30 }	{ 13,211-16 }	{ 55,962-94 }
Do. ...	Niagara ...	3,182-44	{ 7,767-95 }	{ 2,845-53 }	9,122-25	{ 3,627-04 }	9,159-87	{ 3,209-00 }	8,888-16	{ 3,343-85 }	9,943-41	{ 3,194-29 }	11,081-30	{ 19,402-15 }	55,962-94
Do. ...	Yerilla ...	846-80	{ 7,767-95 }	{ 2,117-37 }	9,122-25	{ 1,418-36 }	9,159-87	{ 409-56 }	8,888-16	{ 1,601-75 }	9,943-41	{ 1,557-77 }	11,081-30	{ 7,951-61 }	55,962-94
Broad Arrow	...	...	1,531-41	...	1,651-11	...	1,418-38	...	1,669-83	...	1,640-11	...	1,633-93	...	9,544-77
N.E. Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	2,244-87	...	{ 3,015-66 }	...	{ 2,858-99 }	...	{ 3,213-59 }	...	{ 3,272-14 }	...	{ 3,692-27 }	...	{ 18,297-52 }	...
Do. ...	Bulong ...	349-43	{ 2,639-53 }	{ 375-04 }	{ 3,412-31 }	{ 247-83 }	{ 3,119-29 }	{ 657-74 }	{ 3,894-00 }	{ 491-58 }	{ 3,773-70 }	{ 573-35 }	{ 4,289-01 }	{ 2,694-97 }	{ 21,127-84 }
Do. ...	Kurnalpi ...	45-23	{ 2,639-53 }	{ 21-61 }	3,412-31	{ 12-47 }	3,119-29	{ 22-67 }	3,894-00	{ 9-98 }	3,773-70	{ 23-39 }	4,289-01	{ 135-35 }	21,127-84
East Coolgardie ...	...	...	84,712-79	...	80,258-02	...	82,997-13	...	81,636-20	...	82,994-15	...	81,817-53	...	494,415-82
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	2,328-39	{ 2,934-01 }	{ 5,882-54 }	{ 6,723-47 }	{ 5,438-85 }	{ 6,019-27 }	{ 4,853-68 }	{ 5,190-86 }	{ 5,721-77 }	{ 6,300-76 }	{ 5,233-61 }	{ 6,177-80 }	{ 29,453-84 }	{ 33,346-17 }
Do. ...	Kunanalling	605-62	{ 2,934-01 }	{ 840-93 }	6,723-47	{ 580-42 }	6,019-27	{ 337-18 }	5,190-86	{ 578-99 }	6,300-76	{ 944-19 }	6,177-80	{ 3,887-33 }	33,346-17
Yilgarn ...	...	...	1,411-42	...	1,751-37	...	2,551-30	...	2,503-73	...	1,891-14	...	1,415-40	...	11,524-36
Dundas ...	...	...	1,233-91	...	1,734-52	...	1,890-80	...	1,722-04	...	2,290-85	...	1,765-65	...	10,637-77
Phillips River	...	...	105-49	...	456-49	...	318-18	...	52-53	...	8-53	...	2-44	...	943-66
Donnybrook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Goldfields generally ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	Fine ounces ...	...	136,537-95	...	142,963-63	...	148,389-25	...	142,815-13	...	145,976-79	...	148,769-09	...	865,451-84
	Sterling value	£579,976	£579,976	£607,271	£607,271	£630,318	£630,318	£606,640	£606,640	£620,070	£620,070	£631,931	£631,931	£3,676,206	£3,676,206

* To 30th June.

TOTAL PRODUCTION OF GOLD, IN FINE OUNCES, AS REPORTED TO THE MINES DEPARTMENT, TO 30TH JUNE, 1906.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	* 1906.		1905.		1904.		1903.		1902.		1901.	
		District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.
Kimberley ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	1,025·81	81·88	4,534·25	496·14	3,129·37	205·84	4,787·33	644·54	4,501·02	301·71	3,636·77	262·25
Do. ...	Nullagine ...	1,875·26	2,901·07	6,939·58	11,473·83	4,900·28	8,029·65	4,782·71	9,570·04	6,101·10	10,602·12	5,435·68	9,072·45
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	524·08	...	801·14	...	3,427·71	...	5,100·48	...	1,910·42	...	198·73
Ashburton ...	...	...	136·06	...	207·53	...	509·96	...	903·94	...	926·66	...	938·04
Gascoyne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85·10
Peak Hill ...	...	...	504·36	...	13,586·87	...	14,113·57	...	31,750·17	...	35,297·81	...	18,607·23
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	31,313·79	45,224·13	68,232·52	84,926·28	82,404·53	93,590·92	86,565·13	87,273·05	76,134·74	76,326·88	65,533·58	65,547·42
Do. ...	Black Range ...	13,910·34	...	16,693·76	...	11,186·39	...	712·92	...	192·14	...	13·84	...
Murchison ...	Cue ...	10,890·17	...	15,125·05	...	15,286·71	...	20,688·78	...	21,016·82	...	18,755·54	...
Do. ...	Nannine ...	10,346·60	93,556·79	18,549·17	206,734·88	18,668·31	214,403·13	19,947·48	204,181·85	19,329·49	172,914·32	17,690·99	123,865·85
Do. ...	Day Dawn ...	65,610·08	...	161,507·28	...	161,163·51	...	136,768·68	...	102,030·80	...	57,867·95	...
Do. ...	Mt. Magnet ...	6,709·94	...	11,553·38	...	19,284·60	...	26,776·91	...	30,537·21	...	29,551·37	...
Yalgoo ...	...	...	1,835·74	...	4,742·77	...	2,353·41	...	3,138·35	...	5,198·89	...	8,351·30
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Morgans ...	14,161·66	...	25,877·33	...	45,230·33	...	59,517·40	...	51,092·42	...	41,607·09	...
Do. ...	Mt. Malcolm ...	50,572·53	83,184·40	105,897·45	188,712·21	94,300·27	183,523·25	83,529·04	182,763·92	78,171·96	186,818·98	84,278·40	165,243·01
Do. ...	Mt. Margaret ...	18,450·21	...	56,937·43	...	43,992·65	...	39,717·48	...	57,554·60	...	39,357·52	...
North Coolgardie ...	Menzies ...	15,398·02	...	41,895·33	...	37,100·73	...	52,870·58	...	50,168·26	...	51,568·02	...
Do. ...	Ularring ...	13,211·16	55,962·94	43,387·07	148,771·00	21,769·41	145,064·61	19,142·55	162,139·18	25,766·96	154,233·37	17,821·18	121,974·00
Do. ...	Niagara ...	19,402·15	...	45,520·17	...	67,230·33	...	77,013·02	...	69,877·50	...	42,146·08	...
Do. ...	Yerilla ...	7,951·61	...	17,968·43	...	18,964·14	...	13,113·03	...	8,425·65	...	10,438·72	...
Broad Arrow ...	...	...	9,544·77	...	18,583·66	...	22,180·19	...	26,021·17	...	17,092·95	...	29,885·18
N.E. Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	18,297·52	...	42,341·66	...	38,648·56	...	40,554·03	...	39,497·86	...	35,318·30	...
Do. ...	Bulong ...	2,694·97	21,127·84	9,772·88	52,947·26	11,155·38	50,955·01	13,180·06	54,459·08	16,849·50	57,627·45	17,445·04	55,583·21
Do. ...	Kurnalpi ...	135·35	...	832·72	...	1,151·07	...	724·99	...	1,280·09	...	2,819·87	...
East Coolgardie ...	...	...	494,415·82	...	997,193·02	...	1,050,922·89	...	1,062,898·06	...	941,436·40	...	856,748·86
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	29,458·84	...	54,499·04	...	53,505·01	...	58,692·50	...	65,002·37	...	59,973·11	...
Do. ...	Kunanalling ...	3,887·33	33,346·17	9,165·23	63,664·27	9,694·75	63,199·76	12,593·09	71,285·59	9,500·59	74,502·96	13,110·37	73,083·48
Yilgarn ...	...	...	11,524·36	...	19,291·42	...	25,508·64	...	19,276·71	...	20,066·81	...	21,925·95
Dundas ...	...	...	10,637·77	...	25,960·95	...	31,830·27	...	33,845·76	...	23,579·34	...	29,843·03
Phillips River ...	...	...	943·66	...	2,563·26	...	4,018·63	...	7,050·73	...	7,441·30	...	665·83
Donnybrook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53·21	...	61·36	...	3·54
Goldfields generally ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	108·93
TOTAL {	Fine Ounces ...	...	865,451·84	...	1,840,656·49	...	1,913,835·44	...	1,962,360·83	...	1,791,344·73	...	1,581,993·39
	Sterling Value	£3,676,206	£7,818,612	£3,129,456	£3,335,579	£7,609,149	£6,719,881						

* To 30th June.

TOTAL PRODUCTION OF GOLD, ETC.—continued.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	1900.		1899.		1898.		PREVIOUS TO 1898.		TOTAL TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1905.		* TOTAL TO DATE.	
		District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.
Kimberley ...	...	...	504.21	...	804.06	...	402.44	...	11,895.98	...	15,517.17	...	15,599.05
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	10,168.33	14,507.02	11,856.46	17,357.03	9,339.65	12,746.05	26,012.42	25,093.93	77,965.60	121,452.12	78,991.41	124,353.19
Do.	Nullagine ...	4,338.69		5,500.57		3,406.40		2,081.51		43,486.52		45,361.78	
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	779.48	...	1,639.63	...	296.37	...	1,054.57	...	15,258.53	...	15,732.61
Ashburton ...	...	...	1,493.56	...	1,572.00	...	474.35	...	277.03	...	7,303.07	...	7,439.13
Gascoyne ...	...	...	64.86	...	330.63	...	12.29	...	12.39	...	505.27	...	505.27
Peak Hill ...	...	...	25,175.67	...	30,532.24	...	14,319.60	...	20,926.48	...	204,359.64	...	204,864.00
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	56,440.60	56,532.25	39,558.51	39,620.88	31,896.53	31,909.95	21,390.60	21,390.60	528,156.74	557,123.23	559,470.53	602,347.36
Do.	Black Range ...	91.65		62.37		13.42		...		28,966.49		42,876.83	
Murchison ...	Cue ...	18,383.98	93,833.87	21,869.47	71,209.25	22,037.29	70,306.71	41,354.54	180,879.36	194,518.18	1,338,329.22	205,408.35	1,431,836.01
Do.	Nannine ...	25,913.18		16,301.86		19,344.18		27,082.39		182,827.05		193,173.65	
Do.	Day Dawn ...	12,413.87		11,331.86		12,249.64		68,311.79		723,645.38		789,255.46	
Do.	Mt. Magnet ...	37,122.84		21,706.06		16,675.60		44,130.64		237,338.61		244,048.55	
Yalgoo ...	...	...		...		...		...		...		...
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Morgans ...	31,819.52	126,855.11	14,652.97	70,254.54	8,641.76	42,121.24	3,670.40	23,572.32	282,109.22	1,169,864.58	296,270.88	1,253,048.98
Do.	Mt. Malcolm ...	77,235.19		46,399.13		29,638.28		18,938.72		618,388.44		668,960.97	
Do.	Mt. Margaret ...	17,800.40		9,202.44		3,841.20		963.20		269,366.92		287,817.13	
North Coolgardie ...	Menzies ...	47,103.26	91,368.29	58,536.52	100,631.51	46,758.96	62,692.53	66,937.12	74,555.57	452,988.78	1,061,455.06	468,336.80	1,117,418.00
Do.	Ularring... ..	11,641.47		10,199.16		3,709.08		665.46		154,102.34		167,313.50	
Do.	Niagara ...	25,013.63		22,703.15		8,112.48		693.16		358,309.52		377,711.67	
Do.	Yerilla ...	7,629.93		9,192.68		4,112.01		6,259.83		96,104.42		104,056.03	
Broad Arrow ...	...	...	43,438.91	...	40,615.81	...	25,005.93	...	20,875.89	...	243,699.69	...	253,244.46
N.E. Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	33,127.32	58,484.12	63,881.85	94,744.72	136,717.64	152,690.22	34,975.00	44,600.95	470,062.22	622,092.02	488,359.74	643,219.86
Do.	Bulong ...	17,129.11		27,367.87		14,191.28		9,202.04		136,293.16		138,988.13	
Do.	Kurnalpi ...	3,227.69		3,495.00		1,781.30		423.91		15,736.64		15,871.99	
East Coolgardie ...	...	...	657,863.87	...	799,464.46	...	400,457.41	...	422,273.62	...	7,189,258.59	...	7,683,674.41
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	70,702.09	90,009.59	89,081.78	110,359.36	68,722.90	89,613.88	101,202.49	124,335.06	621,381.29	760,053.95	650,840.13	793,400.12
Do.	Kumanalling ...	19,307.50		21,277.58		20,890.98		23,132.57		138,672.66		142,559.99	
Yilgarn ...	...	...	24,353.94	...	14,151.16	...	10,094.40	...	89,846.01	...	244,515.04	...	256,039.40
Dundas ...	...	...	34,036.83	...	37,839.28	...	32,469.59	...	20,778.89	...	275,183.94	...	285,821.71
Phillips River ...	...	...	36.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,774.47	...	22,718.13
Donnybrook ...	...	...	339.95	...	370.27	...	13.43	...	...	...	841.76	...	841.76
Goldfields generally ...	...	...	128.46	...	1,151.91	...	...	...	...	...	1,389.30	...	1,389.30
TOTAL	Fine Ounces ...	...	1,328,620.71	...	1,443,321.12	...	948,564.42	...	1,094,791.44	...	13,905,488.57	...	14,770,940.41
	Sterling Value	£5,643,622	£6,130,838	£4,029,246	£4,650,378	£59,066,761	£62,742,967						

* To 30th June, 1906.

MINERALS OTHER THAN GOLD.

GENERAL RETURN OF ORE AND MINERALS, OTHER THAN GOLD, SHOWING THE QUANTITY PRODUCED AND THE VALUE THEREOF, AS REPORTED TO THE MINES DEPARTMENT FROM THE RESPECTIVE GOLDFIELDS AND MINERAL FIELDS DURING 1906 AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

Period.	BLACK TIN.											
	GREENBUSHES MF.				MARBLE BAR D.				TOTAL.			
	Quantity.			Value.	Quantity.			Value.	Quantity.			Value.
	Lode.	Stream.	Total.		Lode.	Stream.	Total.		Lode.	Stream.	Total.	
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	tons.	tons.	tons.	£
1899 ...	...	...	1,590·33	66,108	...	...	75·45	4,419	...	...	1,665·78	70,527
1900 ...	...	...	277·32	21,658	...	...	57·50	3,612	...	...	334·82	25,270
1901 ...	...	...	435·62	29,528	...	...	387·87	27,174	...	...	823·49	56,702
1902 ...	...	...	321·34	18,852	...	...	412·98	21,148	...	...	734·32	40,000
1903 ...	...	...	403·21	24,680	...	...	216·35	15,103	...	...	619·56	39,783
1904 ...	...	...	524·94	34,362	...	...	292·11	21,528	...	...	817·05	55,890
1905 ...	...	...	533·64	34,462	...	...	320·86	24,355	...	...	854·50	58,817
1905 ...	...	...	643·52	52,960	...	...	435·74	33,880	...	...	1,079·26	86,840
Total ...	...	...	4,729·92	282,610	...	...	2,198·86	151,219	...	...	6,928·78	433,829
1906—January ...	75	43·78	44·53	4,313	...	...	..	...	75	43·78	44·53	4,313
February ...	...	66·55	66·55	6,086	...	...	...	...	...	66·55	66·55	6,086
March ...	81	55·89	56·70	5,456	5·00	82·80	87·80	8,544	5·81	138·69	144·50	14,000
April ...	...	57·35	57·35	5,465	4·00	62·15	66·15	6,930	4·00	119·50	123·50	12,395
May ...	3·23	72·17	75·40	7,869	2·20	53·74	55·94	6,560	5·43	125·91	131·34	14,429
June ...	1·79	59·71	61·50	6,114	2·00	25	2·25	236	3·79	59·96	63·75	6,350
Total ...	6·58	355·45	5,091·95	317,913	13·20	193·94	2,411·00	173,489	19·78	554·39	7,502·95	491,402

Period.	TANTALITE.											
	GREENBUSHES MF.				MARBLE BAR D.				TOTAL.			
	Quantity.			Value.	Quantity.			Value.	Quantity.			Value.
	Lode.	Stream.	Total.		Lode.	Stream.	Total.		Lode.	Stream.	Total.	
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	tons.	tons.	tons.	£
1899
1900
1901
1902
1903
1904
1905	2·34	1,590	...	...	70·95	8,925	...	...	73·29	10,515
Total	2·34	1,590	...	...	70·95	8,925	...	...	73·29	10,515
1906—January
February
March	1·30	6·35	7·65	1,025	1·30	6·35	7·65	1,025
April	50	1·80	2·30	295	50	1·80	2·30	295
May
June	1·30	1·30	480	...	1·30	1·30	480
Total	2·34	1,590	1·80	9·45	82·20	10,725	1·80	9·45	84·54	12,315

MINERALS OTHER THAN GOLD, ETC.—continued.

Period.	COPPER ORE.										COPPER ORE.	
	Day Dawn D.		Mt. Morgans D.		Northampton Mf.		Phillips River Gf.		West Pilbarra Gf.		Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£
1899 ...	...	...	273·00	4,338	136·00	2,122	...	...	7,018·00	55,270	7,018·00	55,270
1900 ...	5·15	91	4,539·00	30,718	...	...	34·00	725	2,555·00	29,478	2,964·00	35,938
1901 ...	10·50	76	7,660·00	40,738	38·50	277	1,089·14	12,918	1,605·00	12,139	6,183·15	43,673
1902 ...	...	...	1,954·00	6,852	...	...	308·25	1,238	...	...	2,262·25	8,090
1903 ...	...	...	18,965·00	45,557	...	...	1,561·33	10,984	...	...	20,526·33	56,541
1904 ...	...	...	500·00	900	...	...	3,468·89	24,280	...	...	3,968·89	25,180
1905 ...	...	...	60·00	674	...	...	2,329·04	15,592	...	...	2,389·04	16,266
Total ...	15·65	167	33,951·00	129,777	174·50	2,399	8,790·65	65,737	12,340·00	112,778	55,271·80	310,858
1906—January ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29·85	396	...	...	29·85	396
February ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	77·65	771	...	...	77·65	771
March ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	165·37	1,855	...	...	165·37	1,855
April ...	...	...	11·53	163	...	...	208·46	1,693	...	...	219·99	1,856
May ...	...	...	102·67	1,053	...	...	† 125·84	1,144	...	...	† 228·51	2,197
June ...	...	...	2,205·67	8,568	...	...	139·59	1,015	...	...	2,345·26	9,583
Total ...	15·65	167	36,270·87	139,561	174·50	2,399	9,537·41	72,611	12,340·00	112,778	58,338·43	327,516

† Revised.

Period.	IRONSTONE.						LEAD ORE.		SILVER-LEAD ORE.		COAL.	
	West Pilbarra Gf.		State generally.		Total.		Northampton Mf.		Ashburton Gf.		Collie River Coal Mf.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£
1899 ...	100·00	300	...	...	100·00	300	...	...	...	...	3,508·00	1,761
1900 ...	...	...	12,852·00	8,939	12,852·00	8,939	82·75	912	...	...	54,336·00	25,951
1901 ...	...	...	20,569·00	13,246	20,569·00	13,246	268·00	533	...	...	118,410·10	54,835
1902 ...	...	...	4,800·00	2,040	4,800·00	2,040	...	...	21·05	152	117,835·80	68,561
1903 ...	...	...	220·00	88	220·00	88	...	...	35·85	277	140,883·90	86,188
1904 ...	...	...	1,441·50	577	1,441·50	577	...	...	...	...	133,426·62	69,128
1905 ...	...	...	3,212·60	1,285	3,212·60	1,285	...	...	...	...	138,550·04	67,174
Total ...	100·00	300	55,346·10	35,433	55,446·10	35,733	350·75	1,445	56·90	429	834,314·52	428,910
1906—January ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,417·83	3,776
February ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,606·85	4,090
March ...	...	...	151·62	61	151·62	61	...	...	...	...	12,646·00	4,912
April ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,265·73	4,769
May ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,765·77	5,316
June ...	...	...	186·00	74	186·00	74	...	...	...	...	12,118·10	4,709
Total ...	100·00	300	55,683·72	35,568	55,783·72	35,868	350·75	1,445	56·90	429	905,134·80	456,482

Period.	LIMESTONE.						DIAMONDS.	
	Yilgarn Gf.		State generally.		Total.		Nullagine D.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	carats.	£
1899	*	24
1900	269·85	273	15,657·00	3,321	15,926·85	3,594	...
1901	1,642·00	919	16,568·00	3,429	18,210·00	4,348	...
1902	535·00	340	4,545·35	1,000	5,080·35	1,340	...
1903	102·00	75	1,177·50	103	1,279·50	178	...
1904	13,397·20	1,699	13,397·20	1,699	...
1905	9,144·60	1,220	9,144·60	1,220	...
Total	2,548·85	1,607	78,082·65	13,610	80,631·50	15,217	24
1906—January
February
March	467·63	303	467·63	303	...	...
April
May
June	3,502·00	540	3,502·00	540	...	...
Total	2,548·85	1,607	82,052·28	14,453	84,601·13	16,060	24

NOTE.—As the collection of Statistics of Minerals other than Gold commenced during 1899, the total Production from the different localities can only be approximately estimated by the Customs Records, the latest available returns of which are to be found in Table XX., pages 192-195 of the Annual Mining Statistics of the Department of Mines for the year 1905. * Weight unknown.

MINERALS OTHER THAN GOLD.

RETURN SHOWING THE QUANTITY AND VALUE OF ORE AND MINERALS, AS REPORTED TO THE MINES DEPARTMENT, FROM MINES PRODUCING MINERALS DURING 1906.

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GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, W.A.

[Aug. 20, 1906.

Year.	Month.	Locality.	Number of Lease or Claim.	Registered Name of Mine or Holder.	Average number of Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
						tons	£	tons	£		
BLACK TIN.											
GREENBUSHES MINERAL FIELD.											
1906	January	Greenbushes	...	...	...	...	...	...	44.53	4,313	
Do	February	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	66.55	6,086	
Do	March	do	...	...	170	136	...	...	56.70	5,456	
Do	April	do	35, etc.	Westralian Stannaries, Ltd.	...	...	4.00	400			
Do	do	do	147	Haphazard	...	...	.16	16			
Do	do	do	296, etc.	Central	...	...	8.50	796			
Do	do	do	357, etc.	Consolidated Tin Sluicing and Mining Co., N.L.	...	...	3.75	300			March.
Do	do	do	361, etc.	Baronia	...	...	1.40	140			
Do	do	do	375	Glasgow	...	...	.30	28			
Do	do	do	383	Great Wonder	...	...	.36	36			
Do	do	do	219A C	Elliott and Hille	...	...	.15	12			
Do	do	do	315 C	Nash, E. R.	...	...	1.35	130			
Do	do	do	318 C	Johnston and Blakeney	...	...	.19	18			
Do	do	do	608 C	Bonanza Tin Syndicate	...	...	1.75	180			
Do	do	do	671 C	Marshal, M. S.	...	...	2.80	261			March.
Do	do	do	700 C	Ratray, Jas.	...	...	2.70	261			
Do	do	do	710 C	Wilkes, Thomas	...	...	.10	9			
Do	do	do	726 C	Booth and Dowdall	...	...	2.75	275			
Do	do	do	730 C	Kreitmayer, A. B.	...	...	.40	40			
Do	do	do	738 C	Sullivan, W., and party	...	...	1.65	181			
Do	do	do	743 C	Blakeney and others	...	...	2.05	200			
Do	do	do	744 C	Teede and McGowan	...	...	1.10	99			
Do	do	do	746 C	Jones and Marsh	...	...	5.50	500			
Do	do	do	748 C	Pidduck, H.	...	...	.15	15			
Do	do	do	750 C	Johnston, W.	...	...	.70	70			
Do	do	do	750 C	Johnston, W.	...	...	.32	32			
Do	do	do	762 C	Rankin and Robinson	...	...	3.25	330			
Do	do	do	764 C	Robinson, E. R.	...	...	1.75	150			
Do	do	do	Loc. 289, 290	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others	...	...	1.00	100			
Do	do	do	...	Unreported by owners	...	...	6.60	630			
Do	do	do	...	...	...	...	2.62	256			
Do	May	do	35, etc.	Westralian Stannaries, Ltd.	...	...	3.50	360			
Do	do	do	147	Haphazard	...	...	.40	40			
Do	do	do	244, etc.	Mt. Pleasant	...	...	1.45	155			
Do	do	do	296, etc.	Central	...	...	9.75	1,137			
Do	do	do	337, etc.	Gladstone	...	...	1.15	120			
Do	do	do	356	Cornwall	...	...	† 1.70	185			† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	357, etc.	Consolidated Tin Sluicing and Mining Co., N.L.	...	...	6.50	650			
Do	do	do	361, etc.	Baronia	...	...	.20	21			
Do	do	do	374	Lost and Found	...	...	† .65	78			† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	388	Dixie	...	...	† .10	8			† Lode tin.
								57.35	5,465		

Return showing the Quantity and Value of Ore and Minerals, &c reported to the Mines Department, from Mines producing Minerals during 1906—continued.

Year.	Month.	Locality.	Number of Lease or Claim.	Registered Name of Mine or Holder.	Average number of Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
BLACK TIN—continued.											
GREENBUSHES MINERAL FIELD—continued.											
1906	May	Greenbushes	400	Old Sport			† 40	40	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	401	Nil Desperandum			† 21	21	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	219A C	Elliott and Hille			3 50	350			
Do	do	do	315 C	Nash, E. R.			05	5			
Do	do	do	318 C	Johnston and Blakeney			2 25	225			
Do	do	do	608 C	Bonanza Tin Syndicate			1 45	154			
Do	do	do	671 C	Marshal, M. S.			10	11			
Do	do	do	700 C	Rattray, J.			3 25	334			
Do	do	do	726 C	Booth and Dowdall			75	82			
Do	do	do	730 C	Kreitmayer, A. B.			2 40	240			
Do	do	do	738 C	Sullivan, W., and party			10	12			
							75	75			
Do	do	do	743 C	Blakeney and others			4 45	450			
Do	do	do	746 C	Jones and Marsh			40	39			
Do	do	do	750 C	Johnston, W.			3 25	325			
Do	do	do	752 C	Lamb and Noy			35	39			
Do	do	do	760 C	Nickel and Kramer			60	60			
Do	do	do	764 C	Robinson, E. R.			37	37			
Do	do	do	766 C	Richards and party			35	32			
Do	do	do	767 C	Wurld and Baker			1 10	122			
Do	do	do	770 C	Pratt and Warren			25	27			
Do	do	do	Loc. 289,290	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others			14 50	1,500			
Do	do	do	...	Unreported by owners			8 40	858			
							† 17	17	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	M.A. 14	Birmingham and Dermer			† 60	60	...	...	† Slags.
									75 40	7,869	
Do	June	do	35, etc.	Westralian Stannaries, Ltd.			2 80	285			
Do	do	do	244, etc.	Mt. Pleasant			1 25	125			
Do	do	do	296, etc.	Central			3 95	424			
Do	do	do	337, etc.	Gladstone			75	74			
Do	do	do	356	Cornwall			† 22	22	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	357, etc.	Consolidated Tin Sluicing and Mining Co. (N.L.)			5 00	440			
Do	do	do	361, etc.	Baronia			1 10	108			
Do	do	do	369	Enterprise			40	34			
Do	do	do	375	Glasgow			† 50	50	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	388	Dixie			† 07	7	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	219A C	Elliott and Hille			1 70	150			
Do	do	do	315 C	Nash, E. R.			20	18			
Do	do	do	318 C	Johnston and Blakeney			2 50	270			
Do	do	do	535 C	Canobi and Robson			25	21			
Do	do	do	608 C	Bonanza Tin Syndicate			2 90	269			
Do	do	do	648 C	Mahoney, E. and J.			25	25			

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.			
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
						tons	£	tons	£			
BLACK TIN—continued.												
GREENBUSHES MINERAL FIELD—continued.												
1906	June	Greenbushes	670 C	Dews, Thos.			30	31				
Do	do	do	700 C	Rattray, James			2.05	196				
Do	do	do	705 C	Cole, J. T.			20	20				
Do	do	do	710 C	Wilkes, Thomas			1.10	100				
Do	do	do	726 C	Booth and Dowdall			20	22				
Do	do	do	741 C	Scott and McKay			25	25				
Do	do	do	743 C	Blakeney and others			3.10	300				
Do	do	do	744 C	Teede and McGowan			25	25				
Do	do	do	746 C	Jones and others			3.20	330				
Do	do	do	748 C	Pidduck, H. A.			55	50				
Do	do	do	750 C	Johnston, W.			1.35	140				
Do	do	do	752 C	Lamb and Noy			60	63				
Do	do	do	753 C, etc.	Coleman and Mays			1.00	110				
Do	do	do	758 C	Webb and Walker			10	11				
Do	do	do	764 C	Robinson, E. R.			90	85				
Do	do	do	766 C	Richards, G., and others			55	56				
Do	do	do	767 C	Wurlod and Baker			25	25				
Do	do	do	Loc. 289, 290	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others			10.40	1,070				
Do	do	do	...	Unreported by owners			10.31	1,033				
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	232	110	1.00	100			† Lode Tin.	
							Total	...	61.50	6,114		
												35,303
MARBLE BAR DISTRICT.												
1906	January	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	February	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	March	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	April	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	409	...	3.90	390	87.80	8,544	March.	
Do	do	Moolyella	A.C. 6	(McDonald and party)	...	...	5.50	660	...	...	March.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	...	7.00	750	...	...	March.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	...	22.65	2,250	...	...	March.
Do	do	Wodgina	84	Mt. Cassiterite	...	...	16.85	1,770	...	...	March. †Lode Tin.
Do	do	do	77	Stanum	...	...	2.00	220	...	...	†Lode Tin.
Do	do	do	...	...	...	...	2.00	260	...	...	...
Do	do	do	...	...	...	...	1.00	130	66.15	6,930	...
Do	May	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	...	...	16.84	2,016	...	...	...
Do	do	Moolyella	A.C. 6	(McDonald and party)	...	...	7.25	870	...	...	...
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	29.65	3,399	
Do	do	Wodgina	93	Cassiterite North	2.20	275	55.94	6,560	April. †Lode Tin.	

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
BLACK TIN—continued.											
MARBLE BAR DISTRICT—continued.											
1906	June	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	70	...	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Moolyella	...	From Tinfield generally	264	...	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Old Shaw	...	From Tinfield generally	24	...	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Wodgina	84	Mt. Cassiterite	...	...	†2·00	210	...	...	May. †Lode Tin.
Do	do	do	77	Stanum	...	...	·25	26	...	...	May.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	80	...	...	...	2·25	236	
				Total	...	...	...	...	212·14	22,270	
TANTALITE.											
MARBLE BAR DISTRICT.											
1906	January	Wodgina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	February	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	March	do	...	...	12	...	...	...	7·65	1,025	
Do	April	do	86, 87	H.M. and Anchorite	...	...	†·50	150	...	...	† Lode.
Do	do	do	Unreg.	Unreported by owners	...	...	1·80	145	...	2·30	295
Do	June	do	86, 87	H.M. and Anchorite	...	...	1·30	480	...	...
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	12	...	...	...	1·30	480	
				Total	...	...	...	...	11·25	1,800	
COPPER ORE.											
MOUNT MORGANS DISTRICT.											
1906	June	Anaconda	4F, 5F	Mt. Malcolm Copper Mine	...	...	715·00	2,345	...	...	Returned Metallic Copper.
							360·00	1,339	...	...	June, 1905, 50·00 tons
							460·00	1,711	...	...	Sept., 1905, 15·84 "
							568·00	2,120	...	...	Dec., 1905, 20·24 "
Do	do	Murrin Murrin	6F	Murrin Murrin Nangaroo	...	...	27·00	307	...	...	April, 1906, 24·17 "
							13·12	120	...	...	July, 1905, 6·60 "
							22·00	218	...	...	Sept., 1905, 2·55 "
							22·60	238	...	...	Dec., 1905, 4·15 "
							17·95	170	Jan., 1906, 4·25 "
Do	do	Men employed	14	10	2,205·67	8,568	Mar., 1906 3·15 "
				Total	2,205·67	8,568	

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
COPPER ORE—continued.											
PHILLIPS RIVER GOLDFIELD.											
1906	January	...	...	...	...	...	...	29.85	396	5.46	RETURNED tons Metallic Copper.
Do	February	...	...	...	...	...	...	77.65	771	10.85	" " "
Do	March	...	...	...	...	73	84	165.37	1,855	30.08	" " "
Do	April	Kundip	...	184	Christmas Gift	...	...	1.43	16	.22	" " "
Do	do	do	...	206	Hecla	...	...	3.77	33	.46	" " "
Do	do	do	...	242	Lone Star	...	...	3.90	32	.42	" " "
Do	do	do	...	52, 94	Ravensthorpe G.M. Syndicate, N.L.	...	...	2.03	29	.38	" " "
Do	do	Mt. Desmond	...	95, etc.	Phillips River Options Synd., N.L.	...	...	29.74	338	4.43	" " "
Do	do	do	...	(234)	(Resurrection)	...	...	1.10	7	.10	" " "
Do	do	Ravensthorpe	...	215	Birthday	...	...	.81	9	.12	" " "
Do	do	do	...	124	Emily Hale	...	...	5.32	56	.73	" " "
Do	do	do	...	116	Last Chance	...	...	31.39	411	5.30	" " "
Do	do	do	...	227	Last Chance Extended	...	...	2.55	27	.34	" " "
Do	do	do	...	204	New Moon	...	...	7.74	58	.76	" " "
Do	do	do	...	114	Surprise	...	...	96.69	562	7.30	" " "
Do	do	do	...	115	Sunset	...	...	21.99	115	1.51	" " "
Do	May	Kundip	...	G.M.L. 99	Alice May	...	...	3.07	29	.38	" " "
Do	do	do	...	108	Mt. Stennett	...	...	16.72	126	1.61	" " "
Do	do	Mt. Desmond	...	95, etc.	Phillips River Options Synd., N.L.	...	...	42.51	353	4.55	" " "
Do	do	Ravensthorpe	...	238	Blue Spec	...	...	5.52	63	.82	" " "
Do	do	do	...	210	Great Oversight	...	...	4.17	20	.26	" " "
Do	do	do	...	116	Last Chance	...	...	31.67	393	5.15	" " "
Do	do	do	...	200	Last Chance Proprietary	...	...	12.72	107	1.40	" " "
Do	do	do	...	P.A. 28	(Miers and Rodgers)	...	...	9.46	53	.69	" " "
Do	June	Mt. Desmond	...	95, etc.	Phillips River Option Synd., N.L.	...	...	92.86	789	† 125.84	† Revised.
Do	do	do	...	124	Emily Hale	...	...	9.82	45	10.18	" " "
Do	do	do	...	202	Grafter	...	...	8.79	44	.58	" " "
Do	do	do	...	175	Mt. Benson	...	...	13.37	60	.57	" " "
Do	do	do	...	114	Surprise	...	...	14.75	77	.78	" " "
Do	do	do	...	...	Men employed	†110	114	...	...	.99	" " "
								139.59	1,015	† Includes 18 at Govt. Smelter.	
Total								...	...	746.76	6,874
IRONSTONE.											
† STATE GENERALLY.											
1906	March	Clackline	...	...	...	...	...	151.62	61	...	For quarter ended 31/3/1906.
Do.	June	do.	...	...	...	...	...	186.00	74	...	For quarter ended 30/6/1906.
Total								337.62	135
Total								337.62	135

† Ore flux received by the Fremantle Smelter, Ltd.

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
COAL.											
COLLIE RIVER MINERAL FIELD.											
1903	...	Collie	...	197, etc.	Cardiff Coal Mining Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	23,548.62	10,325
1904	...	do	...	...	do do	...	...	...	...	46,879.64	22,235
1905	...	do	...	...	do do	...	...	...	...	30,392.89	14,059
										100,821.15	46,619
1906	January	do	...	...	do do	16	61	1,513.48	572		
Do	February	do	...	...	do do	15	51	1,526.44	559		
Do	March	do	...	...	do do	12	39	2,195.00	802		
Do	April	do	...	...	do do	14	53	2,215.70	825		
Do	May	do	...	...	do do	14	54	2,457.49	874		
Do	June	do	...	...	do do	14	54	2,241.84	784		
										12,149.95	4,416
Total										112,971.10	51,035
1903	...	do	...	151, etc.	Collie-Boulder Coal Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	5,866.00	3,017
1904	...	do	...	...	do do	...	...	...	...	434.50	111
1905	...	do	...	...	do do	...	...	...	...	29,122.86	10,302
										35,423.36	13,430
1906	January	do	...	...	do do	17	52	1,770.80	709		
Do	February	do	...	...	do do	16	58	2,568.80	898		
Do	March	do	...	...	do do	18	62	2,772.00	970		
Do	April	do	...	...	do do	17	61	2,718.70	951		
Do	May	do	...	...	do do	16	60	3,217.80	1,126		
Do	June	do	...	...	do do	19	63	2,294.28	803		
										15,342.38	5,457
Total										50,765.74	18,887
1904	...	do	...	244, etc. (104, etc.)	Collie Co-operative Collieries, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	634.90	334
1905	...	do	...	...	do do	...	...	...	...	18,556.31	8,664
										19,191.21	8,998
1906	January	do	...	...	do do	12	28	2,058.55	798		
Do	February	do	...	...	do do	11	30	2,121.61	822		
Do	March	do	...	...	do do	13	32	2,256.00	874		
Do	April	do	...	...	do do	13	34	2,340.33	907		
Do	May	do	do do	13	39	2,597.48	1,006		
Do	June	do	do do	15	38	2,515.98	975		
										13,889.95	5,382
Total										,081.16	14,380

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
						tons	£	tons	£		
COAL—continued.											
COLLIE RIVER MINERAL FIELD—continued.											
Previous to 1899	...	Collie	85-100	Collie Proprietary Coalfields of W.A., Ltd. (No. 2 Pit)	...	...	...	...	350·00	184	
1899	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	4,909·00	2,518	
1900	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	23,420·40	11,325	
1901	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	54,805·00	33,122	
1902	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	67,904·00	42,152	
1903	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	29,782·00	16,844	
1904	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	59,086·00	29,078	
1905	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	35,865·00	16,482	
									276,121·40	151,705	
1906	January	do	...	do	63	3,380·00	1,408				
Do	February	do	...	do	84	4,390·00	1,811				
Do	March	do	...	do	86	5,423·00	2,266				
Do	April	do	...	do	85	4,991·00	2,086				
Do	May	do	...	do	84	5,493·00	2,310				
Do	June	do	...	do	82	5,066·00	2,147				
									23,743·00	12,028	
Total									304,864·40	163,733	
Previous to 1899	...	do	88 (part of)	Collie Proprietary Coalfields of W.A., Ltd. (No. 1 Pit), late Westralian Wallsend Colliery	...	...	...	...	258·00	127	
1899	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	49,427·00	23,433	
1900	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	88,341·55	40,429	
1901	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	50,263·80	28,702	
1902	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	72,353·20	43,664	
1903	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	71,602·00	37,652	
1904	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	31,515·00	15,416	
1905	...	do	...	do	...	...	...	...	13,427·00	5,805	
									377,187·55	195,228	
1906	January	do	...	do	24	695·00	289				
Do	February	do	...	do	20	12	...				
Do	March	do	...	do	20	12	...				
Do	April	do	...	do	20	12	...				
Do	May	do	...	do	24	12	...				
Do	June	do	...	do	25	12	...				
									695·00	289	
Total									377,882·55	195,517	

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					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.			
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
				tons	£	tons	£					
LIMESTONE.												
+ STATE GENERALLY.												
1906	...	March	...	Fremantle	467.63	303	For quarter ended 31/3/06.
Do.	...	June	...	do.	3,502.00	540	
								Total	...	3,969.63	843	

† Ore flux received by the Fremantle Smelter, Ltd.

RETURN OF GOLD BULLION RECEIVED AT THE PERTH BRANCH OF THE ROYAL MINT, FROM MAY, 1899, TO THE 30TH JUNE, 1906, SHOWING, IN GROSS OUNCES, THE QUANTITY OBTAINED FROM THE RESPECTIVE GOLDFIELDS AND OTHER COUNTRIES, AND THE ACTUAL VALUE THEREOF.

Year.	Month.	Kimberley.	Pilbarra.	West Pilbarra.	Ashburton.	Gascoyne.	Peak Hill.	East Murchison.	Murchison.	Yalgoo.	Mt. Margaret.	North Coolgardie.	Broad Arrow.	North-East Coolgardie.
		ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.
1899	...	308.45	529.80	...	281.80	85.65	16,274.00	3,758.07	24,675.64	5,190.05	16,911.54	44,779.38	8,508.50	16,700.90
1900	...	644.02	7,493.88	137.33	474.26	86.10	18,019.08	32,049.74	48,540.12	8,851.52	67,748.45	88,688.14	14,376.10	40,503.12
1901	...	663.37	11,279.93	394.38	55.42	18.56	21,351.67	44,746.88	43,024.65	9,191.01	126,703.91	135,493.31	18,829.13	43,055.63
1902	...	439.93	10,706.03	3,284.37	...	124.86	32,637.17	62,357.98	47,628.18	5,116.94	144,663.12	182,543.06	15,903.42	53,901.58
1903	...	511.75	14,217.53	6,481.58	135.30	36.29	34,684.27	77,089.29	64,127.18	1,687.99	143,006.49	197,229.08	21,528.20	42,649.25
1904	...	37.69	8,293.58	5,170.06	150.73	13.10	20,909.99	77,237.31	63,037.71	3,345.82	143,453.51	166,939.82	24,721.53	39,799.55
1905	...	656.34	16,053.42	1,400.46	50.54	25.65	16,075.36	107,295.17	111,493.34	5,469.06	184,178.87	175,057.14	18,394.17	48,352.22
	Total	3,261.55	68,574.17	16,868.18	1,148.05	390.21	159,951.54	404,534.44	402,526.82	38,852.39	831,665.89	990,729.93	122,256.05	284,962.25
1906	January	590.86	16.18	...	105.19	...	760.56	9,370.49	11,974.39	534.62	13,747.58	11,835.52	1,398.03	4,960.42
	February	30.85	286.15	...	28.72	...	...	5,128.05	10,952.94	1,801.93	11,553.78	8,680.11	1,531.99	2,608.90
	March	...	174.61	...	...	...	290.48	7,431.75	8,936.69	174.96	13,194.96	11,648.32	1,356.38	3,499.32
	April	53.54	...	...	1.98	38.27	30.29	7,154.00	10,452.23	217.51	14,753.22	12,914.29	1,344.99	3,042.25
	May	23.75	3,234.88	451.18	...	...	...	14,977.07	10,016.61	254.71	12,226.83	11,888.23	1,486.31	3,271.18
	June	46.82	...	4.67	7.50	...	...	7,111.86	10,193.59	218.76	13,921.81	11,027.45	1,712.53	3,235.54
	Total	4,007.37	72,285.99	17,324.03	1,291.44	428.48	161,046.07	455,707.66	465,053.27	42,054.88	911,064.07	1,058,723.85	131,086.28	305,579.86

Year.	Month.	East Coolgardie.	Coolgardie.	Yilgarn.	Dundas.	* Phillips River.	Donnybrook.	Goldfields generally.	Total.				Grand Total.			
									Western Australia.		Other Countries.		Quantity.	Actual Value.		
									Quantity.	Actual Value.	Quantity.	Actual Value.				
		ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	£	s.	d.	ozs.	£	s.	d.	
1899	...	33,051.33	27,611.24	9,070.70	473.63	...	196.17	904.39	209,306.24	762,546	11	6	103.46	336	18	3
1900	...	139,845.60	51,607.26	28,648.51	31,583.20	...	265.55	1,620.93	531,132.91	2,096,212	14	2	17.49	44	15	7
1901	...	263,514.75	78,026.07	29,433.84	32,825.75	...	4.64	1,667.79	860,280.69	3,033,311	0	4	92.25	297	5	8
1902	...	636,536.52	94,134.17	25,873.68	31,088.91	5,146.80	67.08	2,461.98	1,354,615.78	4,791,303	18	1	16.27	38	10	2
1903	...	685,289.82	82,218.79	26,856.28	40,006.39	6,420.79	97.52	3,350.32	1,452,624.11	5,139,852	11	9	294.78	703	14	10
1904	...	699,475.35	73,076.66	35,854.87	37,508.11	2,450.03	...	1,608.47	1,403,083.89	4,955,870	9	0	263.05	614	11	9
1905	...	737,065.14	74,615.36	30,404.65	32,953.56	1,753.32	...	1,821.99	1,563,115.76	5,475,841	2	10	525.80	1,491	0	7
	Total	3,194,778.51	481,289.55	186,142.53	206,439.55	15,770.94	630.96	13,435.87	7,424,209.38	26,254,938	7	8	1,313.10	3,526	16	10
1906	January	71,267.52	6,127.24	2,554.72	2,271.89	...	...	15.49	137,530.70	488,196	4	9	117.50	205	15	0
	February	61,081.76	4,744.45	2,443.92	1,684.85	...	...	139.82	112,693.22	398,699	9	3	30.60	50	11	7
	March	58,631.23	6,402.73	2,543.89	2,219.41	...	...	109.84	116,614.57	416,419	1	6	30.56	50	4	7
	April	63,506.82	6,581.34	3,517.78	2,219.04	790.42	...	4.56	126,622.53	447,855	8	1	8.37	29	11	10
	May	63,652.87	6,275.55	2,712.54	1,910.87	3.48	...	227.46	132,613.52	474,700	5	8	27.85	85	5	6
	June	66,340.29	6,522.65	1,884.61	2,913.68	...	...	145.12	125,300.08	448,848	8	3	23.37	36	10	5
	Total	3,579,259.00	517,943.51	201,799.99	219,659.29	16,564.84	630.96	14,078.16	8,175,589.00	28,928,857	5	2	1,551.35	3,984	15	9

* Prior to 1902 included in Goldfields generally.

ROYAL MINT, PERTH BRANCH.

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A circular can be obtained from the Deputy Master of the Mint giving all necessary information for intending depositors, conditions of the Escort Service, Coining Regulations, etc., etc.

An Escort Service is provided by the Police Department for parcels of all sizes. The consignor pays for the carriage by coach or train, but the escort charges are collected by the Mint.

Forms for use in connection with gold sent to the Mint by post or under Police escort can be obtained at the Mint.

Charges for Assaying, Refining, and Coinage.

Gross Weight of Deposit in ounces.	Mint Charge.	Gross Weight of Deposit in ounces.	Mint Charge.	Gross Weight of Deposit in ounces.	Mint Charge.
Up to and including—	£ s. d.	Up to and including—	£ s. d.	Up to and including—	£ s. d.
24	0 5 0	400	4 3 4	1,300	10 4 2
30	0 6 3	410	4 5 5	1,400	10 16 8
40	0 8 4	420	4 7 6	1,500	11 9 2
50	0 10 5	430	4 9 7	1,600	12 1 8
60	0 12 6	440	4 11 8	1,700	12 14 2
70	0 14 7	450	4 13 9	1,800	13 6 8
80	0 16 8	460	4 15 10	1,900	13 19 2
90	0 18 9	470	4 17 11	2,000	14 11 8
100	1 0 10	480	5 0 0	2,100	15 4 2
110	1 2 11	490	5 2 1	2,200	15 16 8
120	1 5 0	500	5 4 2	2,300	16 9 2
130	1 7 1	520	5 6 8	2,400	17 1 8
140	1 9 2	540	5 9 2	2,500	17 14 2
150	1 11 3	560	5 11 8	2,600	18 6 8
160	1 13 4	580	5 14 2	2,700	18 19 2
170	1 15 5	600	5 16 8	2,800	19 11 8
180	1 17 6	620	5 19 2	2,900	20 4 2
190	1 19 7	640	6 1 8	3,000	20 16 8
200	2 1 8	660	6 4 2	3,100	21 9 2
210	2 3 9	680	6 6 8	3,200	22 1 8
220	2 5 10	700	6 9 2	3,300	22 14 2
230	2 7 11	720	6 11 8	3,400	23 6 8
240	2 10 0	740	6 14 2	3,500	23 19 2
250	2 12 1	760	6 16 8	3,600	24 11 8
260	2 14 2	780	6 19 2	3,700	25 4 2
270	2 16 3	800	7 1 8	3,800	25 16 8
280	2 18 4	820	7 4 2	3,900	26 9 2
290	3 0 5	840	7 6 8	4,000	27 1 8
300	3 2 6	860	7 9 2	4,100	27 14 2
310	3 4 7	880	7 11 8	4,200	28 6 8
320	3 6 8	900	7 14 2	4,300	28 19 2
330	3 8 9	920	7 16 8	4,400	29 11 8
340	3 10 10	940	7 19 2	4,500	30 4 2
350	3 12 11	960	8 1 8	4,600	30 16 8
360	3 15 0	980	8 4 2	4,700	31 9 2
370	3 17 1	1,000	8 6 8	4,800	32 1 8
380	3 19 2	1,100	8 19 2	4,900	32 14 2
390	4 1 3	1,200	9 11 8	5,000	33 6 8

For every additional 100ozs. the charge is increased by 12s. 6d.

NOTE.—Additional charges (see Regulation No. 6) are collected when base metals in a deposit exceed 2 per cent. of its weight.

The following table illustrates the operation of these charges in case of gold of the value of £3 17s. 10½d. an ounce:—

Weight of Deposit.	Rate of Charge per ounce.	Amount of Charge.	Net Value of Deposit.
Ozs.	d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
50	2·5	0 10 5	194 3 4
100	2·5	1 0 10	388 6 8
600	2·3	5 16 8	2,330 8 4
1,000	2·0	8 6 8	3,885 8 4
5,000	1·6	33 6 8	19,435 8 4
10,000	1·55	64 11 8	38,872 18 4

NOTE.—From 1st July, 1905, a proportion of silver in deposits of gold is paid for by the Mint as follows:—

In deposits under 1,000ozs. gross : all silver in excess of 8 per cent. of the weight of the deposit after melting.

“ from 1,000 „ to 5,000 „ „ 6 „ „ „ „

“ „ 5,000 „ „ 10,000 „ „ 5 „ „ „ „

“ „ 10,000ozs. upwards „ „ 4 „ „ „ „

he rate at which payment for silver is made is liable to fluctuation. The present price is 2s. 6d. an oz. fine.

GOLD ESCORT SERVICE.

Table of Rates fixed by the Commissioner of Police.

From	To	Period.	Rate per Ounce.	Remarks.
Abbotts	Nannine	Monthly ...	d. 1	
Australia United Mine	Malcolm	Do. ...	1½	
Burbanks	Coolgardie	Fortnightly	0½	
Burtville	Malcolm	Monthly ...	0½	Not less than 1,000ozs.
Do.	Laverton	Every two months	...	Actual cost: 19s. 3d.
Coolgardie	Perth	Fortnightly	0½	On all gold for the Mint.
Cork Tree	Lawlers	Monthly ...	1	Or if escort is specially provided, cost £4 6s. 6d.
Cosmopolitan Proprietary, Ltd. ...	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	1	
Cue	Geraldton	Do. ...	1	
Field's Find	Yalgoo	Do. ...	2	
Geraldton	Perth	Do. ...	2	
Kalgoorlie	Do.	Fortnightly	0½	Special for Mint only.
Kanowna	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	0½	
Kathleen Valley	Lawlers	Monthly ...	0½	
King of the Hills	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	2	
Laverton	Malcolm	Do. ...	0½	Not less than 2,900ozs.
Lawlers	Leonora or Malcolm	Do. ...	1½	4,000ozs. to 4,500ozs.
Do.	Do. do.	Do. ...	1½	Exceeding 4,500ozs.
Leinster G.M. Co.	Lawlers ... ..	...	...	Actual cost: £2 10s. 4d.
Mt. Sir Samuel	Do.	Do. ...	0½	Not less than 1,600ozs.
Malcolm	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	0½	Not less than 7,800ozs.
Morgans	Malcolm	Do. ...	0½	Not less than 4,300ozs.
Munara Gully	Nannine	Do. ...	0½	
Nannine	Cue	Do. ...	1	Under 2,000ozs.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	0½	2,000ozs. to 3,000ozs.
Norseman	Coolgardie	Do. ...	2	
Peak Hill	Nannine	Do. ...	2½	2,000ozs. and not exceeding 2,500ozs.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	2	2,500ozs. and not exceeding 3,000ozs.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	1¾	Over 3,000ozs.
Ravensthorpe	Hopetoun	Do. ...	...	Under 500 ozs.: Actual cost.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	1½	Not less than 500ozs.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	0½	Not less than 1,000ozs.
Wiluna	Malcolm	Do. ...	3½	Not less than 2,000ozs.
Yalgoo	Geraldton	Do. ...	0½	
Yerilla	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	1½	

Rates for carriage of gold on Government Railways:—

	Distance not over—								
	25 miles.	50 miles.	100 miles.	150 miles.	200 miles.	250 miles.	300 miles.	350 miles.	
Gold dust and bullion per 100ozs. ...	s. d. 1 0	s. d. 2 0	s. d. 3 0	s. d. 3 9	s. d. 4 6	s. d. 5 0	s. d. 5 6	s. d. 6 0	

6d. per 100ozs. for every additional 50 miles, or part thereof.

NOTE.—A special reduction of 25 per cent. is made for all gold dust or bullion consigned to the Perth Mint.

To find the value per ounce of gold sent from a mine to the Mint.—Divide the standard gold by the weight before melting, and multiply the result by £3 17s. 10½d. For instance, supposing the Mint return to show:—

Weight before melting ... ..	...	...	...	Ozs. 47·41
Standard gold ... ..	...	...	...	38·19

The calculation would be as follows:—

4741)3819·0(·805	·805 × £3 17s. 10½d. =
3792·8	·805 × £3·894
	·805
26200	19470
23705	311520
2495	£3·134(670)
	20
	s. 2·680
	12
	d. 8·160 = £3 2s. 8d., value per ounce of gold as produced from the mine.

20th April, 1906.

J. F. CAMPBELL,
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