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MINING STATISTICS.

DECEMBER, 1906.

OUTPUT OF GOLD FOR DECEMBER, 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.
		Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.
Kimberley ...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	...	...	...	...
	Nullagine ...	...	...	...	...
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	...	...	...
Ashburton ...	...	...	...	...	...
Gascoyne ...	...	...	29·83	...	29·83
Peak Hill ...	...	...	...	...	...
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	...	780·04	...	780·04
	Black Range ...	...	4,190·14	4,190·14	8,273·69
	...	...	4,083·55	4,083·55	
	Cue ...	988·76	561·82	1,550·58	...
Murchison ...	Nannine ...	112·53	4,019·99	4,132·52	15,319·67
	Day Dawn ...	3,585·92	5,332·78	8,918·70	
	Mt. Magnet ...	...	717·87	717·87	
Yalgoo ...	...	...	172·27	...	172·27
	Mt. Morgans ...	...	393·68	393·68	...
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Malcolm ...	1,294·81	3,882·82	5,177·63	11,349·33
	Mt. Margaret ...	...	5,778·02	5,778·02	
	Menzies ...	...	2,201·44	2,201·44	
	Ularring ...	...	1,336·99	1,336·99	
North Coolgardie ...	Niagara ...	...	3,327·28	3,327·28	7,113·46
	Yerilla ...	...	247·75	247·75	
	...	...	1,754·64	...	
Broad Arrow ...	...	...	2,107·66	2,107·66	...
North-East Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	...	...	...	2,107·66
	Bulong ...	...	...	...
	Kurnalpi ...	...	...	...
East Coolgardie ...	...	29,598·61	59,800·17	...	89,398·78
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	...	4,511·14	4,511·14	4,564·12
	Kumanalling ...	...	52·98	52·98	
Yilgarn ...	...	...	2,452·55	...	2,452·55
Dundas ...	...	118·18	1,186·26	...	1,304·44
Phillips River ...	...	562·17	784·10	...	1,346·27
Donnybrook ...	...	...	...	...	...
State generally ...	...	209·05	20·92	...	229·97
Total ...		†36,470·03	109,726·69	...	146,196·72

† In addition were exported 5,916·01 fine ozs., included in Mint Returns.

Value.—146,196·72ozs. fine, at £4 4s. 11·45d. per oz. = £621,004 3s. 10½d.

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

Country.	In Bullion.	In Ore.	Total.
	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.
United Kingdom ...	34,517·71	...	34,517·71
Victoria ...	1,781·64	...	1,781·64
Germany ...	170·68	...	170·68
India ...	5,916·01	...	5,916·01
Total ...	42,386·04	...	42,386·04

TOTAL OUTPUT OF GOLD BULLION ENTERED FOR EXPORT AND RECEIVED AT THE PERTH BRANCH OF THE ROYAL EACH 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 for 1906+ and overall.

Table with 13 columns: Year, d Yalgoo, e Mt. Margaret, a North Coolgardie, f Broad Arrow. Rows include years 1886-1905 and totals for 1906+ and overall.

Table with 13 columns: Year, h Dundas, i Phillips River, j Donnybrook, Goldfields Generally. Rows include years 1886-1905 and totals for 1903+ and overall.

† To 31st December. 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 31ST DECEMBER, 1906, SHOWING, IN FINE OUNCES, THE QUANTITY OBTAINED 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	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.
1887	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1888	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1889	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1890	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,846-83	...	1,846-83
1892	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,789-19	...	21,789-19
1893	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18,974-77	...	18,974-77
1894	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,365-54	...	47,365-54
1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	58,575-66	...	58,575-66
1896	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63,769-17	...	63,769-17
1897	...	...	...	4,571-38	...	4,571-38	8,457-34	...	8,457-34	74,154-67	...	74,154-67
1898	...	...	...	12,288-93	...	12,288-93	35,393-19	...	35,393-19	83,794-22	...	83,794-22
1899	297-96	76-63	374-59	14,064-24	14,558-64	28,622-88	33,826-08	3,361-95	37,188-03	61,586-09	22,074-71	83,660-80
1900	...	77-02	77-02	9,528-14	16,119-79	25,647-93	33,545-54	28,671-55	52,217-09	53,815-70	43,423-77	97,239-47
1901	6-59	16-82	23-41	231-85	19,352-44	19,584-29	29,780-63	40,557-07	70,337-70	92,149-56	38,996-10	131,145-66
1902	...	107-29	107-29	85-93	28,044-55	28,130-48	25,450-63	53,583-10	79,633-73	141,731-91	40,926-08	182,657-99
1903	...	30-76	30-76	203-60	29,395-32	29,598-92	21,878-06	65,334-05	87,212-11	154,012-88	54,348-53	208,361-41
1904	...	10-95	10-95	...	17,475-33	17,475-33	21,296-85	64,550-36	85,347-21	165,232-67	52,633-16	217,915-83
1905	...	21-34	21-34	125-01	13,371-75	13,496-76	1,361-68	89,249-93	90,611-61	131,656-36	92,742-05	224,398-41
Total	304-55	346-81	651-36	41,099-08	138,317-82	179,416-90	200,990-00	345,308-01	545,238-01	1,170,455-22	345,194-40	1,515,649-62
1906 †	...	78-73	78-73	...	2,038-62	2,038-62	140-68	95,168-89	95,309-57	79,172-69	109,936-80	189,109-49
Total	304-55	419-54	724-09	41,099-08	140,356-44	181,455-52	201,130-68	440,476-90	641,607-58	1,249,627-91	455,131-20	1,704,759-11

Year.	e NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE.			e EAST COOLGARDIE.			g COOLGARDIE.			YILGARN.		
	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Export.	Mint.	Total.
1886	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.
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	...	...	...	...	...	...	94,227-58	...	94,227-58	28,178-81	...	28,178-81
1895	...	...	...	...	...	...	111,919-21	...	111,919-21	17,666-25	...	17,666-25
1896	3,679-63	...	3,679-63	76,297-42	...	76,297-42	61,848-03	...	61,848-03	14,819-20	...	14,819-20
1897	29,437-40	...	29,437-40	268,411-95	...	268,411-95	93,312-00	...	93,312-00	16,097-78	...	16,097-78
1898	112,039-58	...	112,039-58	402,847-31	...	402,847-31	113,816-75	...	113,816-75	10,463-35	...	10,463-35
1899	57,674-82	14,940-55	72,615-37	796,636-63	29,567-58	826,204-21	101,589-22	24,700-89	126,290-11	6,919-11	8,114-60	15,033-71
1900	10,400-57	36,233-90	46,634-47	600,328-29	125,105-24	725,433-53	60,988-33	46,167-62	107,155-95	688-47	25,623-83	26,317-30
1901	6,798-56	39,024-18	45,822-74	698,042-56	238,840-93	936,883-49	9,584-35	70,720-21	80,304-56	49-15	26,677-85	26,727-00
1902	549-07	46,316-67	46,865-74	460,462-26	546,964-68	1,007,426-94	2,872-61	80,887-85	83,760-46	3-31	22,232-80	22,236-11
1903	4,308-99	36,145-75	40,454-74	570,447-27	580,790-97	1,151,238-24	7,318-63	69,681-38	77,000-01	...	22,761-00	22,761-00
1904	55-09	33,262-10	33,317-19	555,016-48	584,579-88	1,139,596-36	1,100-07	61,073-11	62,173-18	28-87	29,965-37	29,994-24
1905	2,187-11	40,220-19	42,407-30	479,254-37	613,103-20	1,092,357-57	177-80	62,066-34	62,244-14	...	25,291-11	25,291-11
Total	227,130-82	246,143-34	473,274-16	4,907,804-54	2,718,952-48	7,626,737-02	658,754-58	415,297-40	1,074,051-98	196,828-65	160,671-56	357,500-21
1906 †	1,590-31	30,943-82	32,534-13	454,645-84	612,546-81	1,067,192-65	103-78	60,474-81	60,578-59	...	25,570-77	25,570-77
Total	228,721-13	277,087-16	505,808-29	5,362,450-38	3,331,499-29	8,693,949-67	658,858-36	475,772-21	1,134,630-57	196,828-65	186,242-33	383,070-98

Year.	GRAND TOTAL.			
	Export.	Mint.	Total.	Value.
1886	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	£ s. d.
1887	270-17	...	270-17	1,147 12 24
1888	4,359-37	...	4,359-37	18,517 8 6½
1889	3,124-82	...	3,124-82	13,273 7 10
1890	13,859-52	...	13,859-52	58,371 9 11½
1891	20,402-42	...	20,402-42	86,663 19 5½
1892	27,116-14	...	27,116-14	115,182 0 10
1893	53,271-65	...	53,271-65	226,283 11 8½
1894	99,202-50	...	99,202-50	421,385 8 3½
1895	185,298-73	...	185,298-73	787,098 19 6
1896	207,110-20	...	207,110-20	879,748 4 2½
1897	251,618-69	...	251,618-69	1,068,808 5 2
1898	603,846-44	...	603,846-44	2,564,976 12 9½
1899	939,489-49	...	939,489-49	3,990,697 13 10
1899	1,283,360-25	187,244-41	1,470,604-66	6,246,731 10 7½
1900	894,387-27	519,923-59	1,414,310-86	6,007,610 13 4½
1901	923,686-96	779,729-56	1,703,416-52	7,235,653 9 1
1902	707,039-75	1,163,997-60	1,871,037-35	7,947,661 9 7½
1903	833,685-78	1,231,115-62	2,064,801-40	8,770,718 17 0½
1904	810,616-04	1,173,614-03	1,983,230-07	8,424,225 17 3½
1905	655,089-88	1,300,226-00	1,955,315-88	8,305,653 18 5½
Total	8,516,836-07	6,354,859-81	14,871,696-33	63,170,910 10 2½
1906 †	562,250-59	1,232,296-01	1,794,546-60	7,622,749 8 7
TOTAL	9,079,086-66	7,587,146-82	16,666,233-43	70,793,659 18 9½

† To 31st December. 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 31ST DECEMBER, 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 ¹ / ₂	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 ¹ / ₂
<i>1st January to 31st March ...</i>	191,148·54	284,741·01	475,889·55	2,021,450 6 4 ¹ / ₂	177,433·95	302,968·95	480,402·90	2,040,621 16 2 ¹ / ₂	149,738·72	302,627·54	452,366·26	1,921,529 14 8
APRIL	88,396·06	92,603·28	180,999·34	768,836 6 6 ¹ / ₂	64,553·14	107,583·01	172,136·15	731,187 17 9 ³ / ₄	47,759·22	104,457·26	152,216·48	646,574 10 2
MAY	58,680·69	101,599·36	160,280·05	680,826 7 6 ¹ / ₂	47,413·38	110,271·90	157,685·28	669,804 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 ¹ / ₂	48,850·54	106,299·29	155,149·83	659,034 11 9	39,893·26	103,366·30	143,259·56	608,527 18 7 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 ¹ / ₂	285,012·79	619,850·62	904,863·41	3,843,615 9 0 ¹ / ₂
JULY	69,317·58	91,400·76	160,718·34	682,688 2 3 ¹ / ₂	57,415·76	108,585·09	166,000·85	705,126 15 9 ³ / ₄	43,764·18	106,098·07	149,862·25	636,574 7 6
AUGUST	71,063·11	97,369·28	168,432·39	715,455 6 3 ¹ / ₂	55,370·49	119,310·65	174,681·14	741,998 6 4 ¹ / ₂	64,657·27	92,253·07	156,910·34	666,512 15 2
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	50,893·24	83,127·13	134,020·37	569,282 6 11 ¹ / ₂
<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 ¹ / ₂	444,327·48	901,328·89	1,345,656·37	5,715,984 18 7 ¹ / ₂
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 ¹ / ₂	45,208·56	111,326·85	156,535·41	664,920 3 1 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	36,244·52	109,913·58	146,158·10	620,840 2 11
DECEMBER	58,254·63	106,817·14	165,071·77	701,180 6 2 ¹ / ₂	46,404·75	115,686·09	162,090·84	688,518 2 5 ³ / ₄	36,470·03	109,723·69	146,196·72	621,004 3 10 ¹ / ₂
Total	810,616·04	1,172,614·03	1,983,230·07	8,424,225 17 3 ³ / ₄	655,089·88	1,300,226·00	1,955,315·88	8,305,653 18 5 ¹ / ₂	562,250·59	1,232,296·01	1,794,546·60	7,622,749 8 7

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

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.				PRODUCTION.					Value of Gold 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.	
PILBARRA GOLDFIELD—continued.																
NULLAGINE DISTRICT—continued.																
20-mile Sandy	Q.C. 232	Federation ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1-90	...	15-36	March sd. 10-50 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 242	Mountain Maid ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5-74	...	23-80	March sd. 20-50 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 328	Goodwin's ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6-68	...	12-60	April sd. 45 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 333	Central ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9-30	...	47-80	March sd. 16-50 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 339	Horseshoe ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3-80	...	16-14	April sd. 20 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 340	Wexford ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1-80	...	24-70	April sd. 6 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 342	Wonder Why ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1-30	...	15-78	April sd. 7 tons.
Do. ...	Q.C. 350	Why Not ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14-00	22-68	137-60	
Do. ...	Q.C. 357	Central ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11-00	22-78	176-00	
Do. ...	Λ9718	State Battery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...		Men employed	6	14	10	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		From District generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Sundry parcels treated at State Battery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50-46	...	23-82	sl. 180 tons.
		Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19-36	...	...	...	...	...	...
		TOTAL	116	37	40	...	11	...	...	19-36	...	204-50	633-49	...	...	...

‡ In addition to the above, there are:—At Nullagine, 12 diggers.—Total, 12 diggers.

WEST PILBARRA GOLDFIELD.

Lower Nicol	106, etc.	Ninety-nine leases ... ..	...	...	...	pr. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	1	1	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Station Peak	117	Pilgrims Rest ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		From Goldfield generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14-71	...	...	...	...	...	...
		TOTAL	13	5	20	1	...	...	...	14-71	...	...	...	...	...	...

‡ In addition to the above, there are:—At Lower Nicol, 11 diggers; at Pilbarra, 5 diggers; at Roebourne, 20 diggers; at Station Peak, 6 diggers; at Whim Creek, 35 diggers.—Total, 77 diggers.

ASHBURTON GOLDFIELD.

		From Goldfield generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9-79	...	...	...	...	...	...
		TOTAL	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9-79	...	...	...	...	...	...

‡ There are 4 diggers.

PEAK HILL GOLDFIELD.

Peak Hill ...	3r	Atlantic No. 1 North ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28-00	15-96	...	...
Do. ...	310r	Oversight ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30-00	50-98	...	...
Do. ...	315r	Undersight ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75-00	80-72	...	...
Do. ...	1r etc.	Peak Hill Goldfield, Ltd. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20-00	54-84	...	...
		Men employed	85	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,965-00	362-17	...	...
		From Goldfield generally—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40-70	3-54	...	...	27-98	15-40	...
		TOTAL	188	49	50	2	12	9	...	40-70	3-54	3,150-00	608-74	15-40	164-18	...

‡ In addition to the above, there are:—At Horseshoe, 6 diggers; at Peak Hill, 4 diggers.—Total, 10 diggers.

EAST MURCHISON GOLDFIELD.

LAWLERS DISTRICT.

Cork Tree ...	(557)	(Enterprise) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kathleen Valley	113, etc.	Nil Desperandum leases ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56-24	4-50 sd. 1,060 tons.
Do. ...	...	Westralian Gold Recovery Syndicate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	382, etc.	Yellow Aster G.M. Co., Ltd. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	14	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lake Darlot	182	Amazon ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	119-00	296-98	...
Do. ...	919	Blue Spec ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53-00	30-51	...
Do. ...	Λ7864	State Battery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	633, etc.	Zangbar leases ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	45	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lawlers ...	532, etc.	Brilliant leases ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	(714)	(British-American Alliance)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	M.A. 24	Cinderella Battery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	900	Dobra Scrica ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90-00	101-89	...

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.			V. Inc. f Gold 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.	
EAST MURCHISON GOLDFIELD—continued.																
LAWLERS DISTRICT—continued.																
Lawlers	922	King Edward										15-00	17-00			
Do.	M.A. 11	Lawlers Public Battery			10		4									
Do.	(15, etc.)	(Leinster leases)			*10		*8									
Do.	846	Leviathan										20-00	7-33			
Do.	37, etc.	London and Western Australian Exploration Co., Ltd.			40	6.1	8					7,900-00	1,310-25		14-08	† Decrease 1 o.c. sd. 2,380 tons. For 4th quarter.
Do.	908	Vivien Gem										27-00	27-78			
Do.	521, etc.	Vivien G.M. Co., Ltd.			20	†	8	1				2,690-00	622-86		19-61	† Decrease 2 o.c. sd. 1,784 tons. For 4th quarter.
Do.		Men employed	150	150												
Sir Samuel	24, etc.	Bellevue Proprietary, Ltd.			49											
Do.	M.A. 17	Condor Cyanide Works					8									
Do.	338	Vanguard			5		5					208-00	43-25		17-50	
Do.		Men employed	65	95												
Wiluna	(797)	(Auckland)					pr.1									
Do.	170	Black Swan: Gwalia Consolidated, Ltd.			20		4									
Do.	140	Golden Age			20	pr.1	5									
Do.	542, etc.	Gwalia Consolidated, Ltd.			10	†	†13	†4								† 3 vats, 1 filter press increase, and 1 o.c. decrease.
Do.	(674)	(Highland Mary)					*5									
Do.	(837)	(Lady Wiluna)						{ 2 } { 41 }								
Do.	M.A. 23	Lake Way Goldfield, 1899, Ltd.			10											
Do.	137	Monarch of the East			10	†	3									† Decrease 1 pr.
Do.	A9909	State Battery			{ 10											
Do.		Uiquilart and Hayes' Cyanide Plant					†6									† Increase 2 vats.
Do.		Men employed	55	100												
From District generally—																
Sundry parcels treated at Condor Cyanide Works													37-55			
Sundry parcels treated at Fremantle Smelter, Ltd.													139-90			
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers									3-79							
TOTAL			1329	426	270	3	98	5	3-79			11,122-50	3,005-51	152-54	22-95	

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Kathleen Valley, 4 diggers; at Lake Darlot, 20 diggers; at Lawlers, 25 diggers; at Wiluna, 20 diggers.—Total, 69 diggers.

BLACK RANGE DISTRICT.

Berrigrin	163B	Belfast										14-00	41-49			
Do.	129B	Golden Spur										45-00	12-92		24-39	
Do.	109B	Hawthorne										145-00	116-29		68-13	
Do.	133B	Reply			5		4									
Do.	113	Stranger										22-00	28-49		110-02	
Do.	279B	Woodley's										27-00	40-65		127-90	
Do.		Men employed	30	40												
Maninga	203B	Havilah			†10							107-00	446-34			† Increase.
Do.	53B	Maninga Marley			19							441-00	393-00		75-70	
Do.	P.A. 117B	(Shireffs, G. W.)										12-00	5-08		35-96	
Do.	P.A. 124B	(Thomas, W. R.)										10-00	13-64		115-88	
Do.		Men employed	80	70												
Montagu	135B	Montagu Boulder										141-00	84-31		50-80	
Do.	M.A. 5B	El Dorado Custom Mill					†1									
Do.		Men employed	20	10												
Nungarra	22B	Koinoor										65-00	447-28			
Do.	286B	Late Seddon										58-00	38-45		56-32	
Do.	M.A. 4B	Nungarra Metallurgical Works...														† 5 vats removed.
Do.	P.A. 112B	(Solomon, M.)										25-00	6-05		20-56	
Do.	P.A. 129B	(Cotton, J.)										19-00	14-92		66-71	
Do.	P.A. 138B	(Belcher, E. M.)										8-00	11-19		118-83	
Do.	A9768	State Battery			11		6									
Do.		Men employed	140	50												
Sandstone	4B, etc.	Adelaide leases										931-50	1,417-89		120-32	
Do.													226-16		41-01	sd. 468-50 tons.
Do.													268-39			† Extras.
Do.	5B	Black Range			10		6									
Do.	74B	Undamnted East: Oroya Black Range, Ltd.										450-00	337-58		63-73	
Do.	P.A. 103B	(McLean and McRae)										17-00	15-76		68-76	
Do.	Crown Lands	(Murray, P. C.)										45-00	4-72		8-91	
Do.		Men employed	100	120												
From District generally—																
Sundry parcels treated at State Battery, Nungarra													237-00		47-06	sd. 420 tons.
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers									111-91							
TOTAL			1370	290	46	1	16		111-91			2,592-50	4,208-29		128-44	

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Berrigrin, 10 diggers; at Maninga Marley, 50 diggers; at Montagu, 6 diggers; at Nungarra, 40 diggers; at Sandstone, 80 diggers.—Total, 186 diggers.

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.					Value of Gold 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.			
MURCHISON GOLDFIELD—continued.																	
MOUNT MAGNET DISTRICT—continued.																	
Mt. Magnet	696M	Sidar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	167-00	50-61	...	...
Do.	806M	Tucker Bag	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2-21	...	...	...
Do.	9769	State Battery	...	...	10	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	P.A. 60M	(Laurie, T.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33-00	4-33	...	...
Do.	P.A. 82M	(McNamara, P. J.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21-00	9-51	...	...
Do.	P.A. 57M	(Peryman, J.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25-00	13-75	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	90	53	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moyagee	L.C. 117M	(McPadyen, H.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38-00	25-68	...	...
Do.	(766M)	(Ophir)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			From District generally—														
			Sundry parcels treated at New Chum Cyanide Works												sd. 535 tons.		
			Sundry parcels treated at State Battery, Boogardie												sd. 357 tons.		
			Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers														
TOTAL			101	76	85	2	34	...	1-68	4-80	2,113-503	827-03	33-24		

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Blackman's Rush, 12 diggers; at Boogardie, 3 diggers; at Mt. Magnet, 5 diggers.—Total, 20 diggers.

YALGOO GOLDFIELD.

Field's Find	441, etc.	Field's Reward G.Ms., Ltd.	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	5	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gullewa	170/1, 174	Monarch leases	...	...	10	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	34, etc.	Phoenix G.Ms., Ltd.	...	...	10	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pinyalling	392	Golden Eagle	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	P.A. 119	(Gloster, A. B.)	...	...	...	pr. 1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rothesay	{ 192, etc. }	(Woodley's G.Ms., Ltd.)	...	...	20	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	{ R.C. 4 }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yalgoo	495	Ivanhoe: Ivanhoe G.M. Co., N.L., Yalgoo	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	518	Ivanhoe Extended: Ivanhoe G.M. Co., N.L., Yalgoo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25-00	14-03	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Yuin	{ 409, etc. }	Royal Standard leases	...	...	10	...	†	...	...	...	506-00	194-91	...	...	November
Do.	{ M.A. 8 }	(Braund and Gill)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	540-00	214-68	...	...	† 4 vats decrease
Do.	P.A. 139	Men employed	13	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	60-00	17-89	...	...	...
Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL			123	26	80	1	11	...	...	...	1,131-00	441-51	...	...	33-16

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Field's Find, 2 diggers; at Yalgoo, 6 diggers; at Yuin, 4 diggers.—Total, 12 diggers.

MOUNT MARGARET GOLDFIELD.

MOUNT MORGANS DISTRICT.

Australia United	244F	Bow Bells	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19-42	...	...	sd. 20-75 tons.
Do.	187F	Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65-50	31-84	...	...	sd. 40 tons.
Do.	95F	Lurline	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9-28	7-91	...	...	sd. 6 tons.
Do.	1F	Princess Iris	...	...	20	...	10	...	...	...	300-00	153-52	...	...	sd. 324 tons.
Do.	...	Men employed	28	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Federation Well	124F	Homeward Bound	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63-00	49-19	...	...	sd. 140 tons.
Do.	P.A. 159F	(McCaw, A. D.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46-50	18-79	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	4	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Korong	...	Men employed	7	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Margaret	66F	Mt. Morven	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mt. Morgans	M.A. 3F	Hamblin's Battery	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	8F	Millionaire, Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	97F	Ramornie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	220-00	118-07	...	...	† Decrease, o.c.
Do.	5F, etc.	Westralia Mt. Morgans G.Ms. Co., Ltd.	...	...	60	...	36	...	...	...	5,820-00	656-53	...	...	2, and 1 filter press
Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	sd. 1,897 tons.
Do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	214-35	...	...	sd. 3,481 tons.
Do.	7F	Westralia Mt. Morgans G.Ms. Co., Ltd. (Guest's Battery)	...	...	20	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	104	156	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Murrin	208F	Alex Junior	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	93-00	86-91	...	...	sd. 70 tons.
Do.	195F	Elbe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	303-00	271-18	...	...	...
Do.	189F	Malcolm Mines, Ltd.	...	...	30	...	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Decrease, 4 vats.
Do.	200	Princess Alix	...	...	5	...	7	...	...	...	12-00	13-97	...	...	...
Do.	193F, etc.	Proprietary Extended leases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	sd. 280 tons.
Do.	...	Men employed	16	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Increase, 1 vat.
Redcastle	133F	Castlemaine	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8-00	22-83	...	...	...
Do.	241F	Transit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12-00	33-12	...	...	...
Do.	P.A. 106F	Parry's Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	...	Men employed	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
			From District generally—														
			Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers														
TOTAL			163	233	160	...	89	2	2-51	...	6,952-28	2,410-93	...	...	29-46

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Australia United, 8 diggers; at Federation Well, 2 diggers; at Korong, 1 digger; at Mt. Margaret, 5 diggers; at Mt. Morgans, 13 diggers; at Murrin Murrin, 10 diggers; at Redcastle, 3 diggers.—Total, 42 diggers.

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Table with columns: Mining Centre, Number of Lease, Claim, or Area, Registered Name of Company or Lease, Men Employed (Above Ground, Under Ground), Plant (Stamps, Other Mills, Leaching Vats, Filter Presses), Production (Alluvial, Dollied and Specimens, Ore treated, Gold therefrom, Silver), Value of Gold per ton of ore treated, Remarks. Includes sub-sections NORTH-EAST COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD and KANOWNA DISTRICT.

† In addition to the above, there are:—At Gambier, 50 diggers; at Gindalbie, 6 diggers; at Kanowna, 30 diggers.—Total, 86 diggers. § Does not represent the total monthly treatments at these works.

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.			Value of Gold per ton of ore treated.	REMARKS.	
			Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Allyval.	Dollied and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.			Silver.
										Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	tons.	Fine ozs.	Fine ozs.	shillings.
COOLGARDIE GOLDFIELD—continued.															
COOLGARDIE DISTRICT—continued.															
Coolgardie...	4260	W.A. Mint	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9'00	1'53	...	14'42
Do. ...	4272	Welcome	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46'00	12'94	...	23'92
Do. ...	P.A. 161	(Church and Simpson)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10'00	6'84	...	58'08
Do. ...	P.A. 174	(Francis, T. C.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14'00	2'32	...	14'08
Do. ...	P.A. 168	(Matthews, J. H.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18'00	15'21	...	71'75
Do. ...	P.A. 186	(Wakefield, R.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14'00	34'89	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	180	170	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gnarlbine ...	(3838)	(Prince of Wales G.M. Co., Ltd.)	...	...	10	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Higginsville ...	4217	Harp of Erin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60'00	13'39	...	19'00
Do. ...	4253	Hidden Secret North	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60'00	60'72	...	75'83
Do. ...	4270	Shoe	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2'06	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	4184, etc.	Sons of Erin G.M. Co., N.L.	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	300'00	239'75	...	67'92
Do. ...	P.A. 188	(G. Roscol)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42'00	38'52	...	77'92
Do. ...	...	Men employed	35	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46'00	16'07	...	29'67
Londonderry ...	3834	Cheapside	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60'00	19'97	...	28'25
Do. ...	(4049)	(Londonderry G.M., Ltd.)	...	...	†	...	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	4	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mungari ...	...	Men employed	4	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Red Hill ...	3408	Boomer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22'89	...	...
Do. ...	3404, etc.	Red Hill Westralia G.M.s., Ltd.	...	...	†	...	†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	4	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Widgie-mooltha ...	M.A. 63	(Highgate Works)	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	7497	State Battery	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	9'00	90'89	...	...
Do. ...	4028	Flinders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	10	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From District generally—															
Sundry parcels treated at Fremantle Smelter, Ltd.															
Sundry parcels treated Lady Robinson Battery															
Sundry parcels treated at Moss' Cyanide Works															
Sundry parcels treated at Red Hill, Westralia Battery, Higginsville															
Sundry parcels treated at State Battery, Coolgardie															
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers															
TOTAL ... † 354 620 314 ... 144 2 11'54 80'72 7,073'00 3,354'43 74'88 40'30															

† In addition to the above, there are about 75 diggers.

KUNANALLING DISTRICT.

Balgarrie ...	M.A. 13s	Hepburn's Cyaniding Works	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Stanley Battery	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	10	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Carbine ...	33s	Carbine	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	15	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dunnsville ...	17s	North Coolgardie G.M.s., Ltd.	...	...	10	...	†6	...	...	...	...	...	16'88	...	8'42
Do. ...	...	Men employed	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jourdie Hills ...	774s	Jaudie Central	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	35'00	12'56	...	30'50
Do. ...	369s	Jourdie Hills G.M. Co., Ltd.	...	...	10	...	10	...	...	...	...	43'00	99'84	...	197'25
Do. ...	...	Men employed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36'00	24'87	...	58'67
Do. ...	514s	Pride of Jaudie North	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	36'00	19'35	...	13'92
Do. ...	P.A. 79s	(Gatley, C.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50'00	31'83	...	54'00
Do. ...	P.A. 81s	(Taylor, G.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24'25	20'02	...	70'17
Do. ...	...	Men employed	20	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9'50	18'33	...	163'92
Kintore ...	M.A. 14s	(Berliner and Besta)	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	734/5s	Great Cement Proprietary, Ltd.	...	...	20	...	8	...	...	...	...	31'75	76'12	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed	12	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37'25	...	7'00
25-Mile ...	696s	Blue Bell	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	(646s)	(Bow's No. 1)	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	111s	Emu	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60'85	21'00	...	29'17
Do. ...	757s	Inkermann	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	60'00	126'73	...	179'42
Do. ...	79s	Premier G.M. Co., N.L.	...	...	†	†	†14	†	...	...	...	...	5'41	...	...
Do. ...	586s	Shamrock	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8'22	...	...
Do. ...	645s	Star of Fremantle	...	...	10	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	P.A. 95s	(Hiddilston, H. C. S.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17'50	10'42	...	50'58
Do. ...	P.A. 91s	(Miller and O'Connor)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24'50	53'22	...	184'50
Do. ...	...	Men employed	15	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ... 182 115 95 ... 49 ... 428'35 673'42 ... 133'56															

† In addition to the above, there are about 70 diggers.

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.					Value of Gold 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.	
YILGARN GOLDFIELD.																
Blackbourne Greenmount	503, etc.	Men employed Greenmount Mines, Ltd.	1	2	10		6					1,562'00	253'70		13'79	
Do.	550	Sunbeam			5		3					85'00	14'00		7'79	sd. 1,160 tons. For 4th quarter.
Do.	536	Transvaal			20		8					1,500'00	25'78		10'95	sd. 200 tons.
Do.	744	Southern Cross Boulder										160'00	32'13		6'11	sd. 1,500 tons. For 4th quarter.
Do.	P.A. 76	(Jones and Party)										28'00	9'95		30'18	
Do.	(19, etc.)	Men employed (Hope's Hill G.M. Co., Ltd.)	70	70	†	†	†									†Decrease, 30 stps, 3 Grif-in mills, 12 vats.
Do.	T.A. 24, etc.	Hope's Hill Slimes Plant (Venture Syndicate)					tp. 2		1				157'55		7'80	sl. 1,715 tons. †Increase 2 puddlers.
Do.		Men employed	10													
Jacoletti	490, etc.	Jacoletti G.Ms., Ltd.	15	13	*10		*4									
Do.		Men employed	13													
Kennyville	570, etc.	Northern Blocks Syndicate, Ltd.			10							1,050'00	262'40		20'42	
Do.		Men employed	16	32												
Mt. Jackson	212, etc.	Mt. Jackson G.Ms., Ltd.			10		7					638'00	284'03		37'82	
Do.		Men employed	28	29									79'70		7'37	sd. 918 tons.
Parker's Range	T.A. 13	Andre's Cyanide Works					*6									
Do.	508	Australia			5		†					70'00	60'97		74'00	†Decrease vats 6
Do.	520	Blue Hill			5		†									†Decrease, 10 stps., 8 vats.
Do.	(T.A. 9)	Brimage's Battery			†		†									
Do.	751	Eli Ess Dee										28'00	28'61		93'48	
Do.	668	Gordon Highlander								14'37						
Do.	665	Never Never			10		12									
Do.		Men employed	30	35												
Southern Cross	29, etc.	British and Foreign Development Syndicate, Ltd.			30		6					476'00	198'96		35'50	
Do.		Brown Hill											110'19		7'42	sd. 1,260 tons.
Do.	738	Central Extended										100'00	22'90		19'55	
Do.	749	Fraser South Extended G.M. Co., Ltd.			†		†			20'54						November.
Do.	256, etc.	Fraser South Extended G.M. Co., Ltd.														†Decrease 20 stamps 5 vats
Do.	552, etc.	Haddon leases			10		10					18'00	1'14		5'38	
Do.	P.A. 75	(Turner and party)										15'00	4'12		23'33	
Do.	P.A. 46	(Jamieson and party)														
Do.		Men employed	47	50												
Do.		From Goldfield generally—Sundry parcels treated at Fremantle Smelting Works											13'64			Nov. † Extras.
													45'24			† Extras.
													11'46			For 4th quarter.
		TOTAL	†217	231	125	2	66	1		34'91	5,668'00	1,910'44	78'96	28'64		

† In addition to the above, there are about 6 diggers.

DUNDAS GOLDFIELD.

Buldania	(T.A. 21)	Liquid Gem Cyaniding Works					†										†Decrease, 3 vats removed.
Do.	(M.A. 28)	Pathway Battery					sf. *1										
Do.		Men employed	1	2													
Dundas		Men employed		1													
Norseman	T.A. 20	Amalgamated Tailings Syndicate				p. 1	6										
Do.	(M.A. 30)	Break-o'-Day Battery				*10	*4										
Do.	42, etc.	Cumberland G.M. Co., N.L.			10		8					658'00	589'31		76'00		
Do.		Esperanza No. 2											43'11		7'62	sd. 480 tons.	
Do.	966	Hampton Plains Estate, Ltd.			†		†					106'00	220'40		175'00	†10 stamps being erected.	
Do.	938, etc.	Hampton Plains Estate, Ltd.														3 vats purchased from Norseman G. Mines, Ltd.	
Do.	908	Iris										8'00	6'10		63'09		
Do.	956	Kirkpatrick West										23'00	59'53				
Do.	757	Lady Jean										8'50	7'84		78'42		
Do.		Lady Mary G.M. Co., (N.L.)			20		5						6'39			†Extras.	
Do.	961	Little Gladys										4'33					
Do.	978	Mararoa Crushing and Cyaniding Works			10		4										
Do.	M.A. 18	Mararoa Crushing and Cyaniding Works															
Do.	852, etc.	Mararoa leases			†							350'00	161'39		39'16	†10 stamps being erected.	
Do.		Mararoa leases											143'00		22'75	sd. 530 tons. Treated at Mararoa Crushing and Cyaniding Works.	
Do.	(18, etc.)	(Norseman G.Ms., Ltd.)			†		†									†10 stamps in course of removal to Mararoa G.M.Co., N.L., and 3 vats to Hampton Plains Estate, Ltd. 9 vats now included in Royal Tailings Syndicate.	

DECEMBER GOLD YIELD—continued.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.					Value of Gold 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.		
DUNDAS GOLDFIELD—continued.																
Man ...	903	O.K. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	106, etc.	Princess Royal G.M. Co., N.L. ...	...	...	30	...	10	2	...	...	37·50	31·28	...	70·69	
Do. ...	106, T.A. 22 and 23	Royal Tailings Syndicate ...	...	...	...	...	43	...	...	...	575·00	116·97	87·71	17·33	For 4th quarter. 110 on G.M. Lease 906 not working. †9 Increase.
Do. ...	634, etc.	Princess Royal North G.M. Co., N.L. ...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	State Battery ...	...	...	10	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Increase, 41 vat
Do. ...	849	St Patrick ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36·00	83·42	...	197·50	
Do. ...	989	Surprise ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16·50	18·68	...	96·11	
Do. ...	949	Venture No. 2 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	126·00	129·06	...	87·02	
Do. ...	(88)	(Three Colonies) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	990	Viking No. 1. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	28·50	91·99	...	
Do. ...	986	Vini Vidi Vici ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24·34	3·00	13·73	...	
Do. ...	P.A. 168	(Eatt and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14·50	3·53	...	20·68
Do. ...	P.A. 159	(Evans and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·00	8·42	...	17·50
Do. ...	P.A. 143	(McGonigal and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·50	3·90	...	28·67
Do. ...	P.A. 133	(Mills and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12·50	1·36	...	9·23
Do. ...	P.A. 162	(Rawlings and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57·00	9·53	...	14·00
Do. ...	P.A. 146	(Thrupp and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·50	6·12	...	45·25
Do. ...	P.A. 169	(Wooding and party) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8·50	7·72	...	77·24
Do. ...	...	Men employed ...	121	167	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From Goldfield generally—			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sundry parcels treated at Amalgamated Tailings Syndicate Works			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·36	...	11·62	sl. 295 tons.
Sundry parcels treated at State Battery			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	104·13	...	...	sd. 501·50 tons.
Reported by Banks and Gold Dealers			...	...	...	...	...	...	11·30	...	...	...	83·45	...	For 4th quarter
TOTAL ...			122	170	100	3	65	3	11·30	28·67	2,131·50	1,907·27	171·16	76·02		

† In addition to the above, there are about 33 diggers.

PHILLIPS RIVER GOLDFIELD.

Mining Centre.	Number of Lease, Claim, or Area.	REGISTERED NAME OF COMPANY OR LEASE.	MEN EMPLOYED.		PLANT.					PRODUCTION.					COPPER ORE. Tons	REMARKS.
			Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Stamps.	Other Mills.	Leaching Vats.	Filter Presses.	Alluvial.	Dollied and Specimens.	Ore treated.	Gold therefrom.	Silver.			
dip ...	81	Harbour View North	89
Do. ...	98	Hillsborough ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	41·00	84·80	...	1·44	
Do. ...	M.L. 237	Mosaic ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1·19	...	1·67	
Do. ...	M.L.s. 52, 94	Ravensthorpe G.M. Syndicate, N.L. ...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	69·94	...	For 4th Quarter
Do. ...	M.L. 60	Red, White, and Blue ...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	† Extras.
Do. ...	120	Try Again ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9·50	7·10	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed ...	35	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Purchas	W.R. 18	Mount Purchas Prospecting Plant	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed ...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Desmond	M.L. 109	Mt. Desmond: Phillips River Gold and Copper Co., Ltd.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	63·42	...	...	484·72
Ravensthorpe	82	Gilbert Gold Mine, Ltd. ...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	M.L. 202	Grafter ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	(21)	(Lucy) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	M.L. 175	Mt. Benson: (Phillips River Gold and Copper Co., Ltd.)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·90	...	...	84·50
Do. ...	M.L. 15	Mt. Cattlin ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	387·33	...	...	1,263·76
Do. ...	119	New Maori Queen ...	...	...	10	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed ...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ...			143	63	40	2	5	...	...	...	50·50	599·78	69·94	...	

† In addition to the above, there are 4 diggers.

FROM STATE GENERALLY.

Man ...	...	Fremantle Smelter, Ltd. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do. ...	...	Men employed ...	170	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sundry parcels treated at Fremantle Smelters			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40·39	...	317·41	...	† Extras.
Sundry parcels treated at Rasmussen's Works, Kalgoorlie			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	75·80	...	...	...	For 4th quarter.
Sundry parcels treated at Eureka Battery, Blackboy Hill			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3·44	...	...	...	† Extras.
			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15·54	...	...	...	March, 1904, tonnage not known.
			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31·25	...	...	...	April, 1904, tonnage not known.
			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	June, 1906, tonnage not known.
TOTAL ...			170	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	166·42	317·41	...	...

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 DECEMBER, 1906, WITH THE FINE SILVER REPORTED DURING THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1906.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	MEN EMPLOYED.		Diggers.	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.)
									fine ozs.	fine ozs.	tons (2,240lbs.).	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	fine ozs.	shillings.
Kimberley	...	...	...	13	50	1	...	...	17.42	...	...	...	17.42	...	...
Pilbarra	Marble Bar	34	28	22	55	2	20	1	26.48	14.53	20.00	74.30	115.31	...	...
Do.	Nullagine	16	37	12	40	...	11	...	19.36	...	204.50	633.49	652.85	...	...
W. Pilbarra	...	3	5	77	20	1	...	...	14.71	...	...	...	14.71	...	...
Ashburton	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	9.79	...	...	...	9.79	...	...
Gascoyne	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill	...	88	49	10	50	2	12	9	40.70	3.54	3,150.00	608.74	652.98	15.40	164.18
E. Murchison	Lawlers	329	426	69	270	3	98	5	3.79	...	11,122.50	3,005.51	3,009.30	552.54	22.96
Do.	Black Range	370	290	186	46	1	16	...	111.91	...	2,582.50	4,208.29	4,320.20	...	128.44
Murchison	Cue	178	219	7	100	1	39	...	19.84	...	1,886.00	1,734.03	1,753.87	45.39	78.11
Do.	Nannine	131	160	105	209	2	43	1	43.77	73.00	1,592.00	1,455.71	1,572.48	...	77.68
Do.	Day Dawn	323	418	22	165	...	44	6	8.38	...	19,477.00	8,601.80	8,610.18	4,220.09	37.52
Do.	Mt. Magnet	101	76	20	85	2	34	...	1.68	4.80	2,113.50	827.03	833.51	...	33.24
Yalgoo	...	23	26	12	80	1	11	...	...	...	1,131.00	441.51	...	...	33.16
Mt. Margaret	Mt. Morgans	163	238	42	160	...	89	2	2.51	...	6,952.28	2,410.93	2,413.44	...	29.46
Do.	Mt. Malcolm	485	597	36	250	2	109	2	...	21.27	17,187.25	7,563.42	7,584.69	1,016.20	37.38
Do.	Mt. Margaret	415	375	40	185	5	80	6	...	...	8,195.00	5,010.92	5,010.92	405.17	51.94
N. Coolgardie	Menzies	223	286	4	173	...	57	3	...	31.42	4,158.00	3,167.38	3,198.80	58.89	64.72
Do.	Ularring	137	250	49	75	1	50	2	...	14.81	2,559.00	2,294.89	2,309.70	324.90	76.18
Do.	Niagara	220	303	18	125	1	63	2	7.94	...	9,419.37	2,078.86	2,086.80	374.36	187.50
Do.	Yerilla	146	207	37	60	2	46	...	...	...	1,184.00	1,005.73	1,005.73	...	72.14
Broad Arrow	...	80	149	110	205	3	81	...	66.81	65.51	2,574.83	1,793.01	1,925.33	7.09	58.14
N.E. Coolgardie	Kanowna	241	387	86	194	7	67	2	87.66	197.98	3,834.00	3,487.29	3,772.93	222.34	77.28
Do.	Bulong	38	90	101	45	2	15	...	13.18	.94	167.00	549.22	563.34	...	...
Do.	Kurnalpi	20	16	20	5	2	...	...	131.84	...	4.00	81.50	213.34	1.27	...
E. Coolgardie	...	2,622	3,266	30	695	106	408	122	118.94	174.43	133,200.59	82,548.51	82,841.88	26,749.22	52.65
Coolgardie	Coolgardie	354	620	75	314	...	144	2	11.54	80.72	7,073.00	3,354.43	3,446.69	74.88	40.30
Do.	Kunaling	82	115	70	95	...	49	...	...	...	428.35	673.42	673.42	...	133.56
Yilgarn	...	217	231	6	125	2	66	1	...	34.91	5,668.00	1,910.44	1,945.35	78.96	28.64
Dundas	...	122	170	33	100	3	65	3	11.30	28.67	2,131.50	1,907.27	1,947.24	171.16	76.02
Phillips River	...	43	63	4	40	2	5	...	...	...	50.50	599.78	599.78	69.94	...
Donnybrook	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
From State generally	...	170	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	166.42	166.42	317.41	...
Total	Total	7,374	9,097	1,320	4,016	158	1,722	169	769.55	746.53	248,065.67	142,193.83	143,709.91	34,705.21	48.70

COMPARATIVE SUMMARY OF AVERAGE NUMBER OF MEN EMPLOYED AND DIGGERS ENGAGED IN MINING.

Mineral.	1904.				Diggers.	1905.				Diggers.	1906.			
	Men employed.			Diggers.		Men employed.			Diggers.		Men employed.			Diggers.
	Above.	Under.	Total.			Above.	Under.	Total.			Above.	Under.	Total.	
Gold	7,926	8,922	16,848	1,956	7,758	9,074	16,832	1,550	7,444	9,164	16,608	1,318		
Tin	232	52	284	...	410	69	479	...	764	126	890	...		
Copper	89	80	169	...	73	52	125	...	118	178	296	...		
Coal	75	283	358	...	90	261	351	...	71	236	307	...		
Tantalite	5	...	5	...	10	...	10	...		
Total	8,322	9,337	17,659	1,956	8,336	9,456	17,792	1,550	8,407	9,704	18,111	1,318		

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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.
Timberley ...	...	...	17.42	...	15.68	...	10.45	...	13.07	...	14.81	...	10.45	...	81.88
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	...	47.50	{ 410.70	{ 15.68	{ 423.28	{ 10.45	{ 168.98	{ 13.07	{ 22.85	{ 14.81	{ 195.65	{ 195.65	{ 1,025.81	{ 81.88
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
Vest Pilbarra ...	...	...	44.85	...	...	...	231.66	...	...	...	...	...	247.57	...	524.08
Shburton ...	...	...	29.19	...	18.08	...	20.34	...	23.54	...	22.88	...	22.03	...	136.06
Tascoyne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill ...	...	...	212.33	...	...	...	30.59	...	9.06	...	190.44	...	61.94	...	504.36
Last Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	5,024.33	...	{ 4,521.35	{ 5,677.74	{ 4,331.91	{ 7,257.79	{ 5,109.26	{ 9.06	{ 6,624.10	{ 190.44	{ 5,702.84	{ 61.94	{ 31,313.79	{ 504.36
Do ...	Black Range	1,069.91	{ 6,094.24	{ 1,156.39	{ 5,677.74	{ 2,925.88	{ 7,257.79	{ 2,221.63	{ 9.06	{ 2,637.60	{ 9,261.70	{ 3,898.93	{ 9,601.77	{ 13,910.34	{ 45,224.13
Murchison ...	Cue ...	2,143.34	...	{ 1,575.21	{ 16,634.97	{ 2,311.30	{ 16,072.11	{ 1,920.69	{ 15,768.48	{ 1,392.99	{ 13,920.19	{ 1,546.64	{ 15,820.07	{ 10,890.17	{ 93,556.79
Do ...	Nannine ...	622.46	{ 15,340.97	{ 2,862.84	{ 16,634.97	{ 1,101.07	{ 16,072.11	{ 2,081.96	{ 15,768.48	{ 1,164.28	{ 13,920.19	{ 2,513.99	{ 15,820.07	{ 10,346.60	{ 93,556.79
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	{ 7,125.53	{ 2,652.96	{ 4,450.91	{ 2,459.51	{ 260.56	{ 2,622.48	{ 3,186.68	{ 3,186.68	{ 14,161.66	{ 1,835.74	
Do ...	Mt. Malcolm	8,532.10	{ 12,357.56	{ 9,237.37	{ 14,286.52	{ 9,236.50	{ 15,482.42	{ 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	{ 15,482.42	{ 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	{ 16,634.97	{ 2,157.49	{ 16,072.11	{ 3,420.98	{ 15,768.48	{ 2,375.03	{ 13,920.19	{ 3,222.88	{ 15,820.07	{ 15,398.02	{ 93,556.79
Do ...	Ularring ...	1,726.82	{ 7,767.95	{ 1,949.60	{ 16,634.97	{ 1,956.98	{ 16,072.11	{ 1,848.62	{ 15,768.48	{ 2,622.78	{ 13,920.19	{ 3,106.36	{ 15,820.07	{ 13,211.16	{ 93,556.79
Do ...	Niagara ...	3,182.44	{ 7,767.95	{ 2,845.53	{ 16,634.97	{ 3,627.04	{ 16,072.11	{ 3,209.00	{ 15,768.48	{ 3,343.85	{ 13,920.19	{ 3,194.29	{ 15,820.07	{ 19,402.15	{ 93,556.79
Do ...	Yerilla ...	846.80	{ 7,767.95	{ 2,117.37	{ 16,634.97	{ 1,418.36	{ 16,072.11	{ 409.56	{ 15,768.48	{ 1,601.75	{ 13,920.19	{ 1,557.77	{ 15,820.07	{ 7,951.61	{ 93,556.79
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	{ 1,651.11	{ 2,858.99	{ 1,418.38	{ 3,213.59	{ 1,669.83	{ 3,272.14	{ 1,640.11	{ 3,692.27	{ 1,633.93	{ 18,297.52	{ 9,544.77
Do ...	Bulong ...	349.43	{ 2,639.53	{ 375.04	{ 1,651.11	{ 247.83	{ 1,418.38	{ 657.74	{ 1,669.83	{ 491.58	{ 1,640.11	{ 573.35	{ 1,633.93	{ 2,694.97	{ 21,127.84
Do ...	Kurnalpi ...	45.23	{ 2,639.53	{ 21.61	{ 1,651.11	{ 12.47	{ 1,418.38	{ 22.67	{ 1,669.83	{ 9.98	{ 1,640.11	{ 23.39	{ 1,633.93	{ 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 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State 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		£607,271		£630,318		£606,640		£620,070		£631,931		£3,676,206	

* To 30th June.

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MONTHLY PRODUCTION OF GOLD, IN FINE OUNCES, ETC.—continued.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		* TOTAL.	
		District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.
		ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.	ozs.
Kimberley ...	...	...	8·71	...	25·48	...	8·71	...	13·07	...	10·45	...	17·42	...	165·72
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	608·11	779·23	37·13	49·04	38·02	186·35	266·89	425·66	165·70	602·39	115·31	768·16	2,256·97	5,711·90
Do. ...	Nullagine ...	171·12	...	11·91	...	148·33	...	158·77	...	436·69	...	652·85	...	3,454·93	...
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	28·79	...	44·84	...	26·22	...	28·38	...	82·14	...	14·71	...	749·16
Ashburton ...	...	...	38·41	...	30·51	...	23·54	...	20·34	...	19·59	...	9·79	...	278·24
Gascoyne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Hill ...	...	...	13·42	...	163·77	...	250·82	...	101·52	...	321·33	...	652·98	...	2,008·20
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	4,442·59	6,830·06	6,086·31	9,232·99	5,412·92	8,782·92	4,045·65	4,045·65	10,086·29	14,326·24	3,009·30	7,329·50	60,351·20	95,771·49
Do. ...	Black Range	2,387·47	...	3,146·68	...	3,370·00	...	4,045·65	...	4,239·95	...	4,320·20	...	35,420·29	...
Murchison ...	Cue ...	1,736·14	...	700·71	...	1,169·07	...	1,335·41	...	751·74	...	1,753·87	...	18,337·11	...
Do. ...	Nannine ...	3,346·42	16,768·90	2,720·99	14,898·24	2,962·04	15,719·92	3,578·98	15,869·46	2,044·57	12,812·47	1,572·48	12,770·04	26,572·48	182,395·82
Do. ...	Day Dawn ...	10,555·04	...	10,707·04	...	10,269·37	...	9,273·46	...	9,022·41	...	8,610·18	...	124,047·58	...
Do. ...	Mt. Magnet ...	1,131·30	...	769·50	...	1,319·44	...	1,681·61	...	993·75	...	833·51	...	13,439·05	...
Galgoe ...	...	...	316·91	...	527·69	...	893·02	...	115·64	...	319·68	...	441·51	...	4,450·19
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Morgans	1,859·64	...	2,610·22	...	2,139·50	...	2,243·54	...	4,778·54	...	2,413·44	...	30,206·54	...
Do. ...	Mt. Malcolm	7,591·27	12,571·41	6,840·58	13,224·85	7,066·82	12,142·45	7,369·22	12,514·27	7,069·95	17,612·51	7,584·69	15,009·05	94,095·06	166,258·94
Do. ...	Mt. Margaret	3,120·50	...	3,774·05	...	2,936·13	...	2,901·51	...	5,764·02	...	5,010·92	...	41,957·34	...
North Coolgardie ...	Menzies ...	3,676·90	...	2,943·97	...	2,341·97	...	2,584·64	...	3,093·56	...	3,198·80	...	33,237·86	...
Do. ...	Ularring ...	2,120·92	9,242·02	1,960·24	9,513·33	2,184·56	9,719·13	1,664·12	8,701·51	1,759·43	9,217·08	2,309·70	8,601·03	25,210·13	110,957·04
Do. ...	Niagara ...	2,876·50	...	2,901·11	...	3,673·21	...	3,462·31	...	3,016·81	...	2,086·80	...	37,418·89	...
Do. ...	Yerilla ...	567·70	...	1,708·01	...	1,519·39	...	990·44	...	1,347·28	...	1,005·73	...	15,090·16	...
Road Arrow ...	...	...	1,794·95	...	1,516·02	...	1,971·50	...	1,715·53	...	3,042·51	...	1,925·33	...	21,510·61
E. Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	3,648·52	...	2,799·66	...	2,308·82	...	2,994·48	...	3,445·94	...	3,772·93	...	37,267·87	...
Do. ...	Bulong ...	503·86	4,299·49	647·07	3,473·75	1,001·03	3,330·24	368·61	3,442·76	695·75	4,349·68	563·34	4,549·61	6,474·63	44,573·37
Do. ...	Kurnalpi ...	147·11	...	27·02	...	20·39	...	79·67	...	207·99	...	213·34	...	830·87	...
East Coolgardie ...	...	...	84,291·22	...	81,744·79	...	81,844·93	...	82,591·49	...	81,627·11	...	82,841·88	...	989,357·24
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	4,059·07	4,429·16	5,574·04	6,126·69	4,182·79	5,654·11	4,659·48	5,332·65	4,390·20	5,021·29	3,446·69	4,120·11	55,771·11	64,030·18
Do. ...	Kunanalling	370·09	...	552·65	...	1,471·32	...	673·17	...	631·09	...	673·42	...	8,259·07	...
Ilgarn ...	...	...	1,357·33	...	2,325·85	...	1,996·31	...	1,978·11	...	2,419·44	...	1,945·35	...	23,546·75
Andas ...	...	...	2,033·37	...	1,514·11	...	1,492·36	...	1,602·55	...	1,207·44	...	1,947·24	...	20,434·84
Phillips River ...	...	...	76·02	...	117·73	...	270·00	...	271·19	...	501·51	...	599·78	...	2,779·89
Mynybrook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
State generally ...	...	...	59·16	...	...	...	328·32	...	557·73	...	204·08	...	166·42	...	1,315·71
TOTAL {	Fine ounces ...	...	144,938·56	...	144,529·68	...	144,640·85	...	139,327·51	...	153,696·94	...	143,709·91	...	1,736,295·29
	Sterling value	£615,660	£613,923	£614,395	£591,826	£652,863	£610,441	£7,375,314							

* To 31st December.

TOTAL PRODUCTION OF GOLD, IN FINE OUNCES, AS REPORTED TO THE MINES DEPARTMENT, TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1906.

GOLDFIELD.	DISTRICT.	* 1906.		1905.		1904.		1903.		1902.		1901.	
		District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.	District.	Goldfield.
Kimberley ...	...	...	165 ⁷²	...	496 ¹⁴	...	205 ⁸⁴	...	644 ⁵⁴	...	301 ⁷¹	...	262 ²⁵
Pilbarra ...	Marble Bar ...	2,256 ⁹⁷	5,711 ⁹⁰	4,534 ²⁵	11,473 ⁸³	3,129 ³⁷	8,029 ⁶⁵	4,787 ³³	9,570 ⁰⁴	4,501 ⁰²	10,602 ¹²	3,636 ⁷⁷	9,072 ⁴⁵
Do. ...	Nullagine ...	3,454 ⁹³		6,939 ⁵⁸		4,900 ²⁸		4,782 ⁷¹		6,101 ¹⁰		5,435 ⁶⁸	
West Pilbarra ...	...	...	749 ¹⁶	...	801 ¹⁴	...	3,427 ⁷¹	...	5,100 ⁴⁸	...	1,910 ⁴²	...	198 ⁷³
Ashburton ...	...	...	278 ²⁴	...	207 ⁵³	...	509 ⁹⁶	...	903 ⁹⁴	...	926 ⁶⁶	...	938 ⁰⁴
Gascoyne ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	85 ¹⁰
Peak Hill ...	...	...	2,008 ²⁰	...	13,586 ⁸⁷	...	14,113 ⁵⁷	...	31,750 ¹⁷	...	35,297 ⁸¹	...	18,607 ²³
East Murchison ...	Lawlers ...	60,351 ²⁰	95,771 ⁴⁹	68,232 ⁵²	84,926 ²³	82,404 ⁵³	93,590 ⁹²	86,565 ¹³	87,278 ⁰⁵	76,134 ⁷⁴	76,326 ⁸⁸	65,533 ⁵⁸	65,547 ⁴²
Do. ...	Black Range ...	35,420 ²⁹		16,693 ⁷⁶		11,186 ³⁹		712 ⁹²		13 ⁸⁴			
Murchison ...	Cue ...	18,337 ¹¹	182,395 ⁸²	15,125 ⁰⁵	206,734 ⁸⁸	15,286 ⁷¹	214,403 ¹³	20,688 ⁷⁸	204,181 ⁸⁵	21,016 ⁸²	172,914 ³²	18,755 ⁵⁴	123,865 ⁸⁵
Do. ...	Nannine ...	26,572 ⁰⁸		18,549 ¹⁷		18,668 ³¹		19,947 ⁴⁸		17,690 ⁹⁹			
Do. ...	Day Dawn ...	124,047 ⁵⁸	182,395 ⁸²	161,507 ²⁸	206,734 ⁸⁸	161,163 ⁵¹	214,403 ¹³	136,768 ⁶⁸	204,181 ⁸⁵	102,030 ⁸⁰	172,914 ³²	57,867 ⁹⁵	123,865 ⁸⁵
Do. ...	Mt. Magnet ...	13,439 ⁰⁵		11,553 ³⁸		19,284 ⁶⁰		26,776 ⁹¹		29,551 ³⁷			
Yalgoo ...	...	...	4,450 ¹⁹	...	4,742 ⁷⁷	...	2,353 ⁴¹	...	3,138 ³⁵	...	5,198 ⁸⁹	...	8,351 ³⁰
Mt. Margaret ...	Mt. Morgans ...	30,206 ⁵⁴	166,258 ⁹⁴	25,877 ³³	188,712 ²¹	45,230 ³³	183,523 ²⁵	59,517 ⁴⁰	182,763 ⁹²	51,092 ⁴²	186,818 ⁹⁸	41,607 ⁰⁹	165,243 ⁰¹
Do. ...	Mt. Malcolm ...	94,095 ⁰⁶		105,897 ⁴⁵		94,300 ²⁷		83,529 ⁰⁴		84,278 ⁴⁰			
Do. ...	Mt. Margaret ...	41,957 ³⁴	110,957 ⁰⁴	56,937 ⁴³	148,771 ⁰⁰	43,992 ⁶⁵	145,064 ⁶¹	39,717 ⁴⁸	162,139 ¹⁸	57,554 ⁶⁰	154,238 ³⁷	39,357 ⁵²	121,974 ⁰⁰
North Coolgardie ...	Menzies ...	33,237 ⁸⁶		41,895 ³³		37,100 ⁷³		52,870 ⁵⁸		51,568 ⁰²			
Do. ...	Ularring ...	25,210 ¹³	110,957 ⁰⁴	43,387 ⁰⁷	148,771 ⁰⁰	21,769 ⁴¹	145,064 ⁶¹	19,142 ⁵⁵	162,139 ¹⁸	25,766 ⁹⁶	154,238 ³⁷	17,821 ¹⁸	121,974 ⁰⁰
Do. ...	Niagara ...	37,418 ⁸⁹		45,520 ¹⁷		67,230 ³³		77,013 ⁰²		42,146 ⁰⁸			
Do. ...	Yerilla ...	15,090 ¹⁶	21,510 ⁶¹	17,968 ⁴³	18,583 ⁶⁶	18,964 ¹⁴	22,180 ¹⁹	13,113 ⁰³	26,021 ¹⁷	8,425 ⁶⁵	17,092 ⁹⁵	10,438 ⁷²	29,885 ¹⁸
Broad Arrow	
N.E. Coolgardie ...	Kanowna ...	37,267 ⁸⁷	44,573 ³⁷	42,341 ⁶⁶	52,947 ²⁶	38,648 ⁵⁶	50,955 ⁰¹	40,554 ⁰³	54,459 ⁰⁸	39,497 ⁸⁶	57,627 ⁴⁵	35,318 ³⁰	55,583 ²¹
Do. ...	Bulong ...	6,474 ⁶³		9,772 ⁸⁸		11,155 ³⁸		13,180 ⁰⁶		16,849 ⁵⁰			
Do. ...	Kurnalpi ...	830 ⁸⁷	989,357 ²⁴	832 ⁷²	997,193 ⁰²	1,151 ⁰⁷	1,050,922 ⁸⁹	724 ⁹⁹	1,062,898 ⁰⁶	1,280 ⁰⁹	941,436 ⁴⁰	2,819 ⁸⁷	856,748 ⁸⁶
East Coolgardie	
Coolgardie ...	Coolgardie ...	55,771 ¹¹	64,030 ¹⁸	54,499 ⁰⁴	63,664 ²⁷	53,505 ⁰¹	63,199 ⁷⁶	58,692 ⁵⁰	71,285 ⁵⁹	65,002 ³⁷	74,502 ⁹⁶	59,973 ¹¹	73,083 ⁴⁸
Do. ...	Kunanalling ...	8,259 ⁰⁷		9,165 ²³		9,694 ⁷⁵		12,593 ⁰⁹		9,500 ⁵⁹			
Yilgarn ...	...	...	23,546 ⁷⁵	...	19,291 ⁴²	...	25,508 ⁶⁴	...	19,276 ⁷¹	...	20,066 ⁸¹	...	21,925 ⁹⁵
Dundas ...	...	...	20,434 ⁸⁴	...	25,960 ⁹⁵	...	31,830 ²⁷	...	33,845 ⁷⁶	...	28,579 ³⁴	...	29,843 ⁰³
Phillips River ...	...	...	2,779 ⁸⁹	...	2,563 ²⁶	...	4,016 ⁶³	...	7,050 ⁷³	...	7,441 ³⁰	...	665 ⁸³
Donnybrook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	53 ²¹	...	61 ³⁶	...	3 ⁵⁴
State generally ...	...	...	1,315 ⁷¹	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	108 ⁹³
TOTAL {	Fine Ounces	1,736,295 ²⁹	...	1,840,656 ⁴⁹	...	1,913,835 ⁴⁴	...	1,962,360 ⁸³	...	1,791,344 ⁷³	...	1,581,993 ³⁹
	Sterling Value	£7,375,314		£7,818,612		£8,129,456		£8,335,579		£7,609,149		£6,719,881	

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TOTAL PRODUCTION OF GOLD, IN FINE OUNCES, 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	...	15,682.89
Pilbarra	Marble Bar	10,168.33	14,507.02	11,856.46	17,357.03	9,339.65	12,746.05	26,012.42	28,093.93	77,965.60	121,452.12	80,222.57	127,164.02
Do.	Nullagine	4,338.69		5,500.57		3,406.40		2,081.51		43,486.52		46,941.45	
West Pilbarra	...	...	779.48	...	1,689.63	...	296.37	...	1,054.57	...	15,253.53	...	16,007.69
Ashburton	...	...	1,493.56	...	1,572.00	...	474.35	...	277.03	...	7,303.07	...	7,581.31
Gascoyne	...	...	64.86	...	330.63	...	12.29	...	12.39	...	505.27	...	505.27
Peak Hill	...	...	25,175.67	...	30,582.24	...	14,319.60	...	20,926.48	...	204,359.64	...	206,367.84
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	588,507.94	652,894.72
Do.	Black Range	91.65		62.37		13.42		...		28,966.49		64,386.78	
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	212,855.29	1,520,725.04
Do.	Nannine	25,913.18		16,301.86		19,344.18		...		27,082.39		182,827.05	
Do.	Day Dawn	12,413.87		11,331.86		12,249.64		...		68,311.79		723,645.38	
Do.	Mt. Magnet	37,122.84		21,706.06		16,675.60		...		44,130.64		237,338.61	
Yalgoo		8,794.00		...		10,572.38		...		2,938.03	
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	312,315.76	1,338,123.52
Do.	Mt. Malcolm	77,235.19		46,399.13		29,638.28		...		18,938.72		618,388.44	
Do.	Mt. Margaret	17,800.40		9,202.44		3,841.20		...		963.20		269,366.92	
North Coolgardie	Menzies	47,103.26	91,388.29	58,536.52	106,631.51	46,758.96	62,692.53	66,937.12	74,555.57	452,938.78	1,061,455.06	486,176.64	1,172,412.10
Do.	Ullaring...	11,641.47		10,199.16		3,709.08		...		665.46		154,102.34	
Do.	Niagara	25,013.63		22,703.15		8,112.48		...		693.16		358,309.52	
Do.	Yerilla	7,629.93		9,192.68		4,112.01		...		6,259.83		96,104.42	
Broad Arrow	...	...	43,438.91	...	40,615.81	...	25,005.93	...	20,875.89	...	243,699.69	...	265,210.30
N.E. Coolgardie	Kanowna	38,127.32	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	507,330.09	666,665.39
Do.	Bulong	17,129.11		27,367.87		14,191.28		...		9,202.04		136,293.16	
Do.	Kurnalpi	3,227.69		3,495.00		1,781.30		...		423.91		15,786.64	
East Coolgardie	...	...	657,863.87	...	799,464.46	...	400,457.41	...	422,273.62	...	7,189,258.59	...	8,178,615.83
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	677,152.40	824,084.13
Do.	Kunanalling	19,307.50		21,277.58		20,890.98		...		23,132.57		138,672.66	
Yilgarn	...	...	24,353.94	...	14,151.16	...	10,094.40	...	89,846.01	...	244,515.04	...	268,061.79
Dundas	...	...	34,036.83	...	37,839.28	...	32,469.59	...	20,778.89	...	275,183.94	...	295,618.78
Phillips River	...	...	36.72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21,774.47	...	24,554.36
Donnybrook	...	...	339.95	...	370.27	...	13.43	...	...	...	841.76	...	841.76
State generally	...	...	128.46	...	1,151.91	...	...	...	...	...	1,389.30	...	2,705.01
TOTAL	Fine Ounces	...	1,328,620.71	...	1,443,321.12	...	948,564.42	...	1,094,791.44	...	13,905,488.57	...	15,641,783.86
	Sterling Value	£5,643,622		£6,130,338		£4,029,246		£4,650,378		£59,066,761		£66,422,075	

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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
1899 ...	...	...	277·32	21,658	...	...	57·50	3,612	...	...	334·82	25,270
1900 ...	...	...	435·62	29,528	...	...	337·87	27,174	...	...	823·49	56,702
1901 ...	...	...	321·34	18,852	...	...	412·98	21,148	...	...	734·32	40,000
1902 ...	...	...	403·21	24,680	...	...	216·35	15,103	...	...	619·56	39,783
1903 ...	...	...	524·94	34,362	...	...	292·11	21,528	...	...	817·05	55,890
1904 ...	...	...	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--June	6·58	355·45	362·03	35,303	13·20	198·94	212·14	22,270	19·78	554·39	574·17	57,573
July ...	1·70	58·90	60·60	5,920	1·80	111·42	113·22	11,998	3·50	170·32	173·82	17,918
August ...	1·45	91·90	93·35	9,513	2·00	63·10	65·10	7,064	3·45	155·00	158·45	16,607
September ...	5·07	56·93	62·00	6,390	6·12	64·25	70·37	7,736	11·19	121·18	132·37	14,126
October ...	4·05	75·30	79·35	8,585	8·12	70·75	78·87	9,095	12·17	146·05	158·22	17,680
November ...	3·85	53·30	57·15	5,916	2·95	81·70	84·65	9,950	6·80	135·00	141·80	15,866
December ...	3·48	65·32	68·80	7,568	2·40	84·90	87·30	10,306	5·88	150·22	156·10	17,874
1906 (Twelve months)	26·18	757·10	783·28	79,195	36·59	675·06	711·65	78,449	62·77	1,432·16	1,494·93	157,644
Total ...	26·18	757·10	5,513·20	361,805	36·59	675·06	2,910·51	229,668	62·77	1,432·16	8,423·71	591,473

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--June	1·80	9·45	11·25	1,800	1·80	9·45	11·25	1,800
July	2·00	2·00	600	...	2·00	2·00	600
August
September	150	...	...	...	150
October
November
December	94	...	...	...	94
1906 (Twelve months)	1·80	12·85	14·65	2,644	1·80	12·85	14·65	2,644
Total	2·34	1,590	1·80	12·85	35·60	11,569	1·80	12·85	37·94	13,159

Period.	COPPER ORE.									
	Day Dawn D.		Menzies D.		Mt. Morgans D.		Nannine D.		Northampton MF.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£
1899
1900
1901
1902
1903
1904
1905
Total
1906—January--June
July
August
September
October
November
December	4·70	33	407·85	3,653	133·50	2,816
1906 (Twelve months)	4·70	33	4,361·05	21,934	133·50	2,816
Total	4·70	33	33,312·05	151,711	133·50	2,816

MINERALS OTHER THAN GOLD, ETC.—continued.

Period.	COPPER ORE—continued.								COPPER ORE.	
	Phillips River Gf.		West Pilbarra Gf.		Yalgoo Goldfield.		State Generally.		Total.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Previous to 1899 ...	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£	tons.	£
1899 ...	...	...	7,018'00	55,270	...	...	...	...	7,018'00	55,270
1900 ...	...	...	2,555'00	29,478	...	...	...	...	2,964'00	35,938
1901 ...	34'00	725	1,605'00	12,139	...	...	...	...	6,183'15	43,673
1902 ...	1,089'14	12,918	1,162'00	15,891	...	...	...	...	9,960'14	69,900
1903 ...	308'25	1,238	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,262'25	8,090
1904 ...	1,561'33	10,984	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,526'33	56,541
1905 ...	3,468'89	24,280	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,968'89	25,180
1905 ...	2,329'04	15,592	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,389'04	16,266
Total ...	8,790'65	65,737	12,340'00	112,778	...	...	...	...	55,271'80	310,858
1906—January—June	746'76	6,874	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,963'96	15,605
July ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	520'00	2,150
August ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	216'00	1,200
September ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	250'00	1,200
October ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	350'00	2,500
November ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400'00	2,500
December ...	2,138'24	18,396	...	...	31'91	91	13'50	193	2,729'70	25,182
1906 (Twelve months)	2,885'00	25,270	...	...	31'91	91	13'50	193	7,429'66	50,337
Total ...	11,675'65	91,007	12,340'00	112,778	31'91	91	13'50	193	62,701'46	361,195

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
1899 ...	...	...	12,852'00	8,939	12,852'00	8,939	82'75	912	...	...	54,336'00	25,951
1900 ...	...	...	12,251'00	9,258	12,251'00	9,258	268'00	533	...	...	118,410'10	54,835
1901 ...	...	...	20,569'00	13,246	20,569'00	13,246	...	...	21'05	152	117,835'80	68,561
1902 ...	...	...	4,800'00	2,040	4,800'00	2,040	...	...	35'85	277	140,883'90	86,188
1903 ...	...	...	220'00	88	220'00	88	...	...	...	...	133,426'62	69,128
1904 ...	...	...	1,441'50	577	1,441'50	577	...	...	...	...	138,550'04	67,174
1905 ...	...	...	3,212'60	1,285	3,212'60	1,285	...	...	...	...	127,364'06	55,312
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—June	...	...	337'62	135	337'62	135	...	...	...	...	70,820'28	27,572
July ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,920'30	5,378
August ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,584'17	5,642
September ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,340'40	5,133
October ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13,270'11	5,100
November ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12,994'91	4,970
December ...	...	...	942'25	377	942'25	377	...	...	...	...	10,825'10	4,203
1906 (Twelve months)	...	...	1,279'87	512	1,279'87	512	...	...	...	...	149,755'27	57,998
Total ...	100'00	300	56,625'97	35,945	56,725'97	36,245	350'75	1,445	56'90	429	984,069'79	486,908

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
1899	17,593'00	2,838	17,593'00	2,838	*	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
1906—January—June	3,969'63	843	3,969'63	843
July
August
September	2,261'00	349	2,261'00	349
October
November
December	3,241'65	499	3,241'65	499
1906 (Twelve months)	9,472'28	1,691	9,472'28	1,691
Total	2,548'85	1,607	87,554'93	15,301	90,103'78	16,908

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.

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	...	...	...	...	...	...	57.35	5,465	
Do	May	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	75.40	7,869	
Do	June	do	...	...	232	110	...	...	61.50	6,114	
Do	July	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	60.60	5,920	
Do	August	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	93.35	9,513	
Do	September	do	...	...	305	103	...	...	62.00	6,390	
Do	October	do	35, etc.	Greenbushes Development Co., Ltd.	...	...	2.50	257	...	...
Do	do	do	244, etc.	Mt. Pleasant	...	...	.75	80	...	...
Do	do	do	296, etc.	Central	...	...	2.25	248	...	...
Do	do	do	300	South Cornwall	...	...	†.55	60	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	337, etc.	Gladstone	...	...	.18	20	...	...
Do	do	do	356	Cornwall	...	...	† 1.10	115	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	361, etc.	Baronia	...	...	.60	66	...	...
Do	do	do	375	Glasgow	...	...	†.10	10	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	387	Stanhope	...	...	1.40	162	...	...
Do	do	do	388	Dixie	...	...	†.60	80	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	401	Nil Desperandum	...	...	†.17	22	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	410	Tairua	...	...	†.33	35	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	219A C	Elliott and Hille	...	...	.90	98	...	...
Do	do	do	315 C	Nash, E. R.	...	...	.25	25	...	...
Do	do	do	318 C	Johnston and Blakeney	...	...	2.75	300	...	...
Do	do	do	535 C	Canobi and Robson	...	...	.17	16	...	...
Do	do	do	573 C	Johnson, John	...	...	.25	29	...	...
Do	do	do	670 C	Dews, Thomas	...	...	.15	15	...	...
Do	do	do	705 C	Cole, J. T.	...	...	1.50	150	...	...
Do	do	do	726 C	Dowdall, Thomas	...	...	.18	19	...	...
Do	do	do	738 C	Sullivan, W.	...	...	.60	56	...	...
Do	do	do	743 C	Blakeney and others	...	...	3.00	315	...	...
Do	do	do	746 C	Johnstone, W. X.	...	...	1.20	120	...	...
Do	do	do	760 C	Nickel and Kramer	...	...	2.15	255	...	...
Do	do	do	762 C	Rankin and Robinson	...	...	3.10	300	...	...
Do	do	do	764 C	Robinson, E. R.	...	...	.75	80	...	...
Do	do	do	766 C	Richards and others	...	...	.18	16	...	...
Do	do	do	775 C	Portwood, J.	...	...	2.20	220	...	...
Do	do	do	789 C	Waddingham, G. and A.	...	...	.45	47	...	...
Do	do	do	802 C	Auhl and Mitchell	...	...	.80	84	...	...
Do	do	do	Loc. 288, 290	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others	3.70	390	
Do	do	do	...	Unreported by owners	{ † 1.20	133	† Lode tin.
							{ 43.34	4,762	
								79.35	8,585		

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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	...	November	...	Greenbushes	...	35, etc.	Greenbushes Development Co., Ltd.	...	...	1.05	113				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	73, 233, 271	King Tin Leases	...	...	.75	75				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	296, etc.	Central	...	...	5.40	627				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	300	South Cornwall	...	...	† .65	77	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	356	Cornwall	...	...	† .45	50	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	357, etc.	Consolidated Tin Sluicing and Mining Co., N.L.	...	...	3.90	342				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	361, etc.	Baronia	...	...	.70	75				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	374	Lost and Found	...	...	† .50	60	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	382	Dreamland	...	...	† .35	43	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	387	Stanhope	...	...	1.25	140				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	388	Dixie	...	...	† .55	67	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	393	Lost and Found North	...	...	† .60	72	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	400	Old Sport	...	...	.05	5				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	410	Tairua	...	...	† .30	35	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	422	Cornwall Extended	...	...	† .25	25	...	...		† Lode tin.
Do	...	do	...	do	...	219A C	Elliott and Hille	...	...	1.50	180				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	318 C	Johnston and Blakeney	...	...	2.70	348				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	535 C	Canobi and Robson	...	...	.60	60	...	...		October.
										.50	55				
										.35	35				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	608 C	Bonanza Tin Syndicate	...	...	1.75	200				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	671 C	Marshall, M. T.	...	...	.15	12				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	700, etc.	Ratray, J.	...	...	8.25	800	...	...		October.
										7.00	700				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	726 C	Dowdall, Thomas	...	...	.25	28				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	746 C	Johnston, W., and others	...	...	1.70	175				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	748 C	Smith, W. O.	...	...	.15	15				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	750 C	Johnston, W.	...	...	.35	37				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	752 C	Lamb and Noy	...	...	1.00	94				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	764 C	Robinson, E. R.	...	...	.45	42				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	766 C	Richards and Henry	...	...	.60	60				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	775 C	Portwood, J.	...	...	2.90	232				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	778 C	Tuck and Struthers	...	...	.60	56				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	788 C	Ryan, J.	...	...	.25	20				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	789 C	Waddingham, G. and A.	...	...	.30	30				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	801 C	Astle and Blakeney	...	...	.40	40				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	802 C	Auhl and Mitchell	...	...	.25	25				
Do	...	do	...	do	...	Loc. 289, 290	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others	7.50	750				
Do	...	do	...	do	Unreported by owners	† .20	24		† Lode tin.
										.70	92				
												57.15			5,916

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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	December	Greenbushes	35, etc.	Greenbushes Development Co., Ltd.	...	...	374	422			
Do	do	do	73, etc.	King Tin Leases	...	...	150	180			
Do	do	do	296, etc.	Central	...	...	581	690			
Do	do	do	300	South Cornwall	...	...	† 90	90	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	356	Cornwall	...	...	† 60	74	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	357, etc.	Consolidated Tin Sluicing and Mining Co. (N.L.)	...	...	100	110			
Do	do	do	361, etc.	Baronia	...	...	50	55			
Do	do	do	374	Lost and Found	...	...	† 50	65	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	387	Stanhope	...	...	50	50			
Do	do	do	388	Dixie	...	...	† 25	30	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	393	Lost and Found North	...	...	† 13	13	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	400	Old Sport	...	...	† 15	15	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	401	Nil Desperandum	...	...	† 15	15	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	410	Tairua	...	...	† 40	45	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	219A C	Elliott and Hille	...	...	130	150			
Do	do	do	315 C	Nash, E. R.	...	...	18	21			
Do	do	do	318 C	Johnston, W.	...	...	115	140			
Do	do	do	535 C	Canobie and Robson	...	...	12	10			
Do	do	do	608 C	Bonanza Tin Syndicate	...	...	150	138			
Do	do	do	695 C	Fox, E.	...	...	† 10	10	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	700 C, etc.	Rattray, J.	...	...	155	151			
Do	do	do	705 C	Cole, J. T.	...	...	135	125			
Do	do	do	706 C	Gladstone	...	...	85	85			
Do	do	do	710 C	Wilkes, T.	...	...	20	24			
Do	do	do	726 C	Dowdall, Thomas	...	...	35	35			
Do	do	do	746 C	Johnston, W., and others	...	...	170	175			
Do	do	do	748 C	Smith, W. O.	...	...	07	8			
Do	do	do	750 C	Johnston, W.	...	...	20	20			
Do	do	do	752 C	Lamb and Noy	...	...	150	126			
Do	do	do	762 C	Rankin and Robinson	...	...	90	85	...	...	November.
Do	do	do	764 C	Robinson, E. R.	...	...	120	125			
Do	do	do	775 C	Portwood, J.	...	...	85	95			
Do	do	do	781 C	Hill, C.	...	...	275	271			
Do	do	do	788 C	Ryan, J.	...	...	35	35			
Do	do	do	789 C	Waddingham, G. and A.	...	...	20	22			
Do	do	do	792 C	Harrison and McEwin	...	...	02	2			
Do	do	do	801 C	Astle and Blakeney	...	...	45	44			
Do	do	do	802 C	Auhl and Mitchell	...	...	200	220			
Do	do	do	Loc. 289, 290	Auhl and Mitchell	...	...	20	21			
Do	do	do	...	(Freehold ground) Clarth and others	...	...	1225	1,354			
Do	do	do	...	Unreported by owners	...	...	† 30	39	...	...	† Lode tin.
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	...	...	359	156			
							Total		...	6880	7,568	
							Total		...	78328	79,195	

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. MARBLE BAR DISTRICT.												
1906	January	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	February	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	March	...	...	...	409	...	...	87.80	8,544	...	...
Do	April	...	...	...	...	...	...	66.15	6,930	...	...
Do	May	...	...	...	...	...	...	55.94	6,560	...	...
Do	June	...	...	...	438	...	...	2.25	236	...	...
Do	July	...	...	...	...	...	...	113.22	11,998	...	...
Do	August	...	...	...	...	...	...	65.10	7,094	...	...
Do	September	...	...	...	566	...	...	70.37	7,736	...	...
Do	October	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	...	10.70	1,286	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Moolyella	A.C. 6	(McDonald and party)	...	13.00	1,560	...	...	...	...
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	46.00	5,198	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Wodgina	88	Chamberlain...	...	+35	60	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	84	Mt. Cassiterite	...	+2.10	252	...	...	...	September. +Lode tin.
Do	do	do	93	Mt. Cassiterite North	...	+2.95	384	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	89	Tinstone	...	+97	87	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	Q.C. 7	(Marshall and party)	...	+1.60	160	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	+15	18	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	1.05	90	...	...	78.87	9,095
Do	November	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	...	18.90	2,191	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Moolyella	A.C. 6	(McDonald and party)	...	18.00	2,160	...	...	...	...
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	44.80	5,251	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Wodgina	85	Commonwealth	...	+2.95	348	...	...	84.65	9,950
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	...	...	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	December	Cooglegong	...	From Tinfield generally	...	14.40	1,703	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Moolyella	A.C. 6	(McDonald and party)	...	24.50	2,930	...	...	...	...
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	46.00	5,442	...	...	...	...
Do	do	Wodgina	84	Mount Cassiterite	...	+1.25	150	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	93	Mt. Cassiterite North	...	+1.15	81	...	...	...	+Lode tin.
Do	do	do	...	From Tinfield generally	...	95	...	...	...	87.30	10,306
Total								711.65	78,449	

TANTALITE. MARBLE BAR DISTRICT.												
1906	January	Wodgina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	February	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	March	do	...	...	...	12	...	7.65	1,025	...	...
Do	April	do	...	...	...	...	...	2.30	295	...	...
Do	May	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	June	do	...	...	...	12	...	1.30	480	...	...
Do	July	do	...	...	...	...	...	2.00	600	...	...
Do	August	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	September	do	...	...	...	10	...	.50	150	...	...
Do	October	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	November	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do	December	do	...	From District generally	90	94	
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	...	7	90	94	
Total								14.65	2,644	

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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	£		
COPPER ORE.											
MENZIES DISTRICT.											
1906	December	Goongarrie	M.L. 13z	Providence Copper Mining Syndicate, Ltd.	...	...	4.70	33	...	...	RETURNED Metallic Copper.
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	3	...	...	...	...	...	June, 42 tons
							Total	...	4.70	33	
MOUNT MORGANS DISTRICT.											
1906	April	Mt. Margaret	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.53	163	2.40 tons
Do	May	Murrin Murrin	...	...	...	...	...	...	102.67	1,053	20.70 "
Do	June	Anaconda	...	...	14	10	...	...	2,103.00	7,515	110.25 "
Do	July	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	520.00	2,150	36.75 "
Do	August	do	...	...	...	...	...	...	216.00	1,200	42.00 "
Do	September	do	...	...	31	10	...	...	250.00	1,200	43.00 "
Do	October	do	4F, 5F	Mt. Malcolm Copper Mine	...	...	350.00	2,500	...	...	82.00 "
Do	November	do	4F, 5F	do do	...	...	400.00	2,500	...	...	104.00 "
Do	December	do	6F	Murrin Murrin Nangaroo	...	...	7.85	153	...	...	1.57 "
Do	do	do	4F, 5F	West Australian Copper Co., Ltd.	...	...	400.00	3,500	...	...	132.00 "
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	47	24	...	...	1,157.85	8,653	
							Total	...	4,361.05	21,934	
NANNINE DISTRICT.											
1906	December	Gabanintha	M.L. 4N	Lady Alma	...	...	6.50	135	...	...	Sept., 1.50 tons.
Do	do	do	G.M.L. 379N, etc.	Mountain View leases	127.00	2,681	38.10 "
Do	do	do	...	Men employed	1	2	133.50	2,816	
							Total	...	133.50	2,816	

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Year.	Month.	Locality.	Number of Lease or Claim.	Registered Name of Mine or Holder.	Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
COPPER ORE—continued.											
PHILLIPS RIVER GOLDFIELD.											
										RETURNED	
1906	January								29·85	396	5·46 tons Metallic Copper.
Do	February								77·65	771	10·85 " " "
Do	March				73	84			165·37	1,855	30·08 " " "
Do	April								208·46	1,693	22·07 " " "
Do	May								125·84	1,144	14·86 " " "
Do	June				110	114			139·59	1,015	13·10 " " "
Do	July										
Do	August										
Do	September				89	210					
Do	October										
Do	November										
Do	December	Kundip	G.M.L. 99	Alice Mary			4·95	56			·58 " " "
Do	do	do	266	Fairlie			·84	13			·13 " " "
Do	do	do	G.M.L. 81	Harbour View North			1·44	28			·28 " " "
Do	do	do	206	Hecla			15·09	213			2·18 " " "
Do	do	do	108	Mt. Stennett			30·30	299			3·10 " " "
Do	do	do	237	Mosaic			1·67	19			·19 " " "
Do	do	do		Men employed	15	25					
Do	do	Mt. Desmond	232	Addie			5·13	95			1·01 " " "
Do	do	do	109	Mt. Desmond: Phillips River Gold and Copper Co., Ltd.			484·72	5,920			60·22 " " "
Do	do	do	199	P.L.P.			13·80	212			2·22 " " "
Do	do	do	P.A. 33	(Winter and Love)			8·38	192			2·01 " " "
Do	do	do		Men employed	15	25					
Do	do	Ravensthorpe	205	Ballarat			54·81	744			7·64 " " "
Do	do	do	210	Great Oversight			15·06	179			1·88 " " "
Do	do	do	116	Last Chance			74·53	1,177			12·50 " " "
Do	do	do	200	Last Chance Proprietary			20·85	196			2·09 " " "
Do	do	do	175	Mt. Benson: Phillips River Gold and Copper Co., Ltd.			84·50	876			9·01 " " "
Do	do	do	15	Mt. Cattlin			1,263·76	7,646			80·26 " " "
Do	do	do	204	New Moon			15·97	173			1·77 " " "
Do	do	do	115	Sunset			17·11	128			1·32 " " "
Do	do	do	114	Surprise			23·00	203			2·14 " " "
Do	do	do	221	Who Can Tell			1·45	15			·16 " " "
Do	do	do	P.A. 44	(Newton, A. B.)			·88	12			·13 " " "
Do	do	do		Men employed	75	200					
								Total	2,138·24	18,396	
									2,385·00	25,270	

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Year.	Month.	Locality.	Number of Lease or Claim.	Registered Name of Mine or Holder.	Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.		
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
				tons	£	tons	£				
COPPER ORE—continued.											
YALGOO GOLDFIELD.											
1906	December	Wadgingarra	M.L. 6	Olive Queen	1	2	31.91	91	RETURNED Metallic Copper. 98 tons.
Do.	do.	do.	...	Men employed	...	...	...	...	31.91	91
							Total	...	31.91	91	
STATE GENERALLY.											
1906	December	* Twin Peaks	P.A. 105H	(Tibbits, W. H.)	4.15	64	RETURNED Metallic Copper. April '83 tons. Sept. '74 tons. Nov. '70 tons.
					...	...	4.35	64	...	...
					...	...	5.00	65	...	...
							Total	...	13.50	193	
							Total	...	13.50	193	
IRONSTONE.											
† STATE GENERALLY.											
1906	March	Clackline	151.62	61	For quarter ended 31/3/1906. For quarter ended 30/6/1906. For quarter ended 30/9/1906. For quarter ended 31/12/1906
Do.	June	do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	186.00	74
Do.	September	do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do.	December	do.	...	...	...	...	942.25	377	...	...
							Total	...	942.25	377	
							Total	...	1,279.87	512	

* Situate in the Western Division, near the boundary of Yalgoo Goldfield, outside any proclaimed field.

† Ore flux received by the Fremantle Smelter, Ltd.

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Year.	Month.	Locality.	Number of Lease or Claim.	Registered Name of Mine or Holder.	Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.	
					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	46,879·64	22,235	
1905	...	do	do	30,392·89	14,059	
1906	January	do	do	16	61	1,513·48	572	100,821·15	46,619	
Do	February	do	...	...	do	15	51	1,526·44	559	
Do	March	do	...	...	do	12	39	2,195·00	802	
Do	April	do	...	...	do	14	53	2,215·70	825	
Do	May	do	...	...	do	14	54	2,457·49	874	
Do	June	do	...	...	do	14	54	2,241·84	784	
Do	July	do	...	...	do	15	51	2,851·05	1,007	
Do	August	do	...	...	do	14	55	2,950·41	1,049	
Do	September	do	...	...	do	14	50	2,445·59	851	
Do	October	do	...	...	do	13	48	2,616·60	958	
Do	November	do	...	...	do	12	51	2,680·75	979	
Do	December	do	...	...	do	15	40	1,794·00	680	
Total										27,488·35	9,940	
Total										123,309·50	56,559	
1903	...	do	...	151, etc.	Collie-Boulder Coal Co., Ltd.	5,866·00	3,017	
1904	...	do	do	434·50	111	
1905	...	do	do	29,122·86	10,302	
1906	January	do	do	17	52	1,770·80	709	35,423·36	13,430	
Do	February	do	...	...	do	16	58	2,568·80	898	
Do	March	do	...	...	do	18	62	2,772·00	970	
Do	April	do	...	...	do	17	61	2,718·70	951	
Do	May	do	...	...	do	16	60	3,217·80	1,126	
Do	June	do	...	...	do	19	63	2,294·28	803	
Do	July	do	...	...	do	21	61	3,672·50	1,285	
Do	August	do	...	...	do	21	65	3,629·00	1,270	
Do	September	do	...	...	do	21	62	3,329·46	1,165	
Do	October	do	...	...	do	21	62	4,153·60	1,453	
Do	November	do	...	...	do	21	63	3,421·30	1,189	
Do	December	do	...	...	do	18	63	2,541·10	890	
Total										36,089·34	12,709	
Total										71,512·70	26,139	

Return showing the Quantity and Value of Ore and Minerals, as 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.	Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.	
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.			
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
						tons	£	tons	£			
COAL—continued.												
COLLIE RIVER MINERAL FIELD—continued.												
1904	...	Collie	...	244, etc. (104, etc.)	Collie Co-operative Collieries, Ltd.	634.90	334	
1905	...	do	do do	18,556.31	8,664	
1906	January	do	do do	12	28	2,058.55	798	19,191.21	8,998	
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	
Do	July	do	...	...	do do	15	31	2,000.75	775	
Do	August	do	...	...	do do	15	31	2,241.76	869	
Do	September	do	...	...	do do	15	32	2,452.35	950	
Do	October	do	...	...	do do	15	32	2,447.91	949	
Do	November	do	...	...	do do	17	37	2,884.86	1,118	
Do	December	do	...	...	do do	15	38	2,304.00	893	
Total										28,221.58	10,936	
Total										47,412.79	19,934	
Previous to 1899	...	do	...	85-100	Collie Proprietary Coalfields of W.A., Ltd. (No. 2 Pit)	350.00	184	
1899	...	do	do do	4,909.00	2,518	
1900	...	do	do do	23,420.40	11,325	
1901	...	do	do do	54,805.00	33,122	
1902	...	do	do do	67,904.00	42,152	
1903	...	do	do do	29,782.00	16,844	
1904	...	do	do do	59,086.00	29,078	
1905	...	do	do do	35,865.00	16,482	
1906	January	do	do do	...	63	3,380.00	1,408.	276,121.40	151,705	
Do	February	do	...	...	do do	...	84	4,390.00	1,811	
Do	March	do	...	...	do do	...	86	5,423.00	2,266	
Do	April	do	...	...	do do	...	85	4,991.00	2,086	
Do	May	do	...	...	do do	...	84	5,493.00	2,310	
Do	June	do	...	...	do do	...	82	5,066.00	2,147	
Do	July	do	...	...	do do	...	73	4,750.00	2,035	
Do	August	do	...	...	do do	...	73	4,757.00	2,026	
Do	September	do	...	...	do do	...	73	3,987.00	1,690	
Do	October	do	...	...	do do	...	73	2,805.00	1,204	
Do	November	do	...	...	do do	...	50	2,438.00	1,024	
Do	December	do	...	...	do do	...	50	3,266.00	1,358	
Total										50,746.00	21,365	
Total										326,867.40	173,070	

Return showing the Quantity and Value of Ore and Minerals, as 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.	Men employed.		Production.				Remarks.	
					Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Details.		Totals.			
							Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
				tons	£	tons	£					
COAL—continued.												
COLLIE RIVER MINERAL FIELD—continued.												
Previous to 1899	...	Collie	...	SS (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	
1903	January	do	...	...	do	24	30	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	...	...	
Do	July	do	...	...	do	26	21	646'00	276			
Do	August	do	...	...	do	26	21	1,006'00	428			
Do	September	do	...	...	do	26	21	1,126'00	477			
Do	October	do	...	...	do	26	21	1,247'00	536			
Do	November	do	do	25	20	1,570'00	660			
Do	December	do	do	25	20	920'00	382			
										7,210'00	3,048	
Total										384,397'55	198,276	

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† STATE GENERALLY.

1906	March	Fremantle	467'63	303	For quarter ended 31/3/06.
Do.	June	do.	3,502'00	540	For quarter ended 30/6/06.
Do.	September	do.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,261'00	349	For quarter ended 30/9/06.
Do.	December	do.	...	...	...	...	...	3,241'65	499	...	...	For quarter ended 31/12/06.
										3,241'65	499	
Total										9,472'28	1,691	

† 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 31ST DECEMBER, 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	8,503.50	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	148,006.49	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-June	745.82	3,711.82	455.85	143.39	38.27	1,094.53	51,173.22	62,526.45	3,202.49	79,398.18	67,993.92	8,830.23	20,617.61
	July	...	14.76	...	19.80	...	429.02	14,462.14	10,704.17	374.97	15,724.08	12,263.64	2,174.20	2,932.16
	August	20.18	...	...	5.11	5.45	2.10	6,375.90	11,873.60	693.98	15,586.44	10,522.31	1,706.00	3,905.77
	September	...	17.35	...	...	...	...	9,585.55	11,340.30	686.86	11,372.16	11,118.67	1,127.17	2,613.30
	October	...	10.07	...	...	15.55	...	13,104.21	11,695.06	571.44	17,286.28	10,095.26	2,144.33	2,507.98
	November	19.23	2,253.79	459.78	...	...	...	10,632.88	12,236.60	130.80	14,542.45	10,167.91	2,306.53	2,378.20
	December	...	...	...	...	36.16	945.56	10,029.32	12,888.61	208.83	12,188.04	8,622.89	2,126.97	2,554.89
1906	(Twelve months)	785.23	6,007.79	915.63	168.30	95.43	2,471.21	115,363.22	133,264.79	5,919.37	166,097.63	130,784.60	20,415.43	37,509.91
	Total	4,046.78	74,581.96	17,783.81	1,316.35	485.64	162,422.75	519,897.66	535,791.61	44,771.76	997,763.52	1,121,514.53	142,671.48	322,472.16

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.	Quantity.	Actual Value.				
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	209,409.70	762,883 9 9		
1900	...	139,845.60	51,607.26	28,648.51	31,583.20	...	265.55	1,620.93	581,132.91	2,096,212 14 2	17.49	44 15 7	581,200.40	2,096,257 9 9		
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	860,372.94	3,033,608 6 0		
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	1,354,632.05	4,791,342 8 3		
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	1,452,918.89	5,140,556 6 7		
1904	...	699,475.35	73,076.66	35,854.87	37,508.11	2,450.03	...	1,608.47	1,403,033.89	4,955,870 9 0	263.05	614 11 9	1,403,346.94	4,956,485 0 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	1,563,641.56	5,477,332 3 5		
	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	7,425,522.48	26,258,465 4 6		
1906	January-June	384,480.49	36,653.96	15,657.46	13,219.74	793.90	...	642.29	751,379.62	2,673,918 17 6	238.25	457 18 11	751,617.87	2,674,376 16 5		
	July	58,714.47	6,273.78	2,238.18	2,230.49	...	...	55.65	128,611.51	454,461 0 7	81.07	243 18 10	128,692.58	454,704 19 5
	August	50,599.87	5,536.94	2,407.81	2,500.07	...	...	87.15	111,838.68	398,799 10 7	4.27	11 19 1	111,832.95	398,811 9 8
	September	45,021.41	5,456.88	2,295.17	22.44	...	...	109.00	100,765.26	363,260 7 4	17.94	54 5 7	100,784.20	363,314 12 11
	October	64,752.09	6,738.01	2,633.30	3,390.59	...	...	5.65	134,949.82	484,190 3 4	48.16	134 2 0	134,997.98	484,324 5 4
	November	66,468.21	7,115.07	2,791.87	1,683.34	...	...	...	133,236.66	480,214 0 3	20.60	59 3 8	133,257.26	480,273 3 11
	December	72,489.45	5,532.60	2,972.97	1,437.98	950.48	...	25.36	133,010.11	475,401 12 6	3.57	13 7 11	133,013.68	475,415 0 5		
1906	(Twelve months)	742,525.99	73,307.24	30,996.76	24,484.65	1,744.38	...	925.10	1,493,733.66	5,330,245 12 1	413.86	974 16 0	1,494,196.52	5,331,220 8 1		
	Total	3,937,304.50	554,596.79	217,139.29	230,924.20	17,515.32	630.96	14,360.97	8,917,992.04	31,585,183 19 9	1,726.96	4,501 12 10	8,919,719.00	31,589,685 12 7		

* Prior to 1902 included in Goldfields generally.

MAR. 18, 1907. GOVERNMENT GAZETTE, W.A. 933

ROYAL MINT, PERTH BRANCH.

Subject to the Regulations, any person may deposit gold at the Mint in his own name. Those who cannot attend personally for the purpose may send the gold by an agent or under Police escort.

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	“	“	“	“

The 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 ...	0⅞	Not less than 1,000ozs.
Do.	Laverton	Every two months	...	Actual cost: 19s. 3d.
Coolgardie	Perth	Fortnightly	0¼	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	0¼	Special for Mint only.
Kanowna	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	0¼	
Kathleen Valley	Lawlers	Monthly ...	0½	
King of the Hills	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	2	
Laverton	Malcolm	Do. ...	0¾	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. ...	1¼	Not less than 500ozs.
Do.	Do.	Do. ...	0¾	Not less than 1,000ozs.
Wiluna	Malcolm	Do. ...	3¾	Not less than 2,000ozs.
Yalgoo	Geraldton	Do. ...	0½	
Yerilla	Kalgoorlie	Do. ...	1¼	

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:—

47413819·0·805	·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.