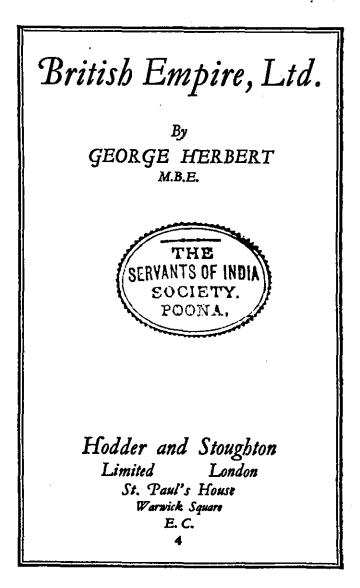
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## FOREWORD By The Rt. Hon. Lord Riddell

This bird's-eye view of Empire trade is a valuable contribution to commercial literature, and comes just at the right time. Many people do not know, and many are apt to forget, that our existence depends on our exports. Unless they can be preserved, we shall have to put up the shutters. In Trade Abroad Mr. Herbert gave an epitome of foreign trade. Now he has completed his survey by a graphic account of the trade of the Empire which should be studied not only by merchants and manufacturers, but also by politicians, schoolmasters, schoolmistresses and the man and woman in the street. Mr. Herbert's books might well form the basis of a series of lectures for schools and colleges. The rising generation will have to solve some knotty commercial problems, and it is essential they should be prepared for the task. Our industrial and commercial difficulties are mostly external. Our customers have become our competitors and tariff walls face us all on sides. The problem is how to meet these new conditions. Is it possible to weld the Empire together as an economic unit? Mr. Herbert is no doubt right in describing the scheme outlined in his second chapter as a "phantasy." But it is

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easy to conceive more practical plans that would increase reciprocal trade within the Empire. As it is, Great Britain takes enormous quantities of food and raw materials from the Dominions for which she pays in manufactured goods and shipping services. The aim must be to extend and increase these beneficial trade relations. Until recently foreign overseas trade was a mystery except to those engaged in itmerchants, manufacturers, bankers, ship-owners and bill-discounters. Even they, for the most part, only studied the branch in which they were specially concerned. But since the war the general public are beginning to realise that the nation lives on its exports and that the whole field of our trade relations demands careful and complete examination. Therefore, as stated, Mr. Herbert's books have come at the right time. The first step in the investigation is to ascertain the facts. These he has supplied in his two books. The schedules they contain may be dull to look at, but on examination will be found most interesting and instructive.

Americans, who have an almost passionate desife to extend their foreign trade, large as it is already, possess a voluminous and ever-increasing literature dealing with overseas markets. We, in the British Empire, are sadly deficient in books of this kind. That is another reason why Mr. Herbert's efforts should be welcomed.

RIDDELL.

ALTHOUGH it is in the best interests of the British Empire to maintain and develop trade contact with countries outside the Empire, I consider that closer trade contact within the Empire is essential. In my view, more intensive Inter-Empire trade must lead to greater industrial and individual efficiency, and I am confident that an automatic result of this would be to increase trade not only within the Empire, but also with countries outside the Empire. I think one of the greatest and most urgent problems facing the British Empire to-day is the need for an Empire Economic Policy. Such a policy cannot be formulated, however, without an analysis of British Empire trade, and, although this is a difficult task, I propose to investigate the problem for the following reasons :

1. When I was in New Zealand in 1928, a statesman in that country came to see me and said he had read my book, *Trade Abroad*, and he pressed me strongly to follow up this book with one on the British Empire as an Economic Unit. He said that political platforms throughout the Empire have talked Empire Unity for years, but he felt that the

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problem had never been analysed to permit of a definite co-ordinated policy being devised and operated. He realised the difficulties, but we both felt that an Empire Economic Unit must bring greater unity and prosperity, with a consequent greater influence for stability and peace throughout the world. I promised the statesman in question that I would try to produce a book on the lines he suggested, with particular reference to its price, brevity and conciseness, making an appeal to the average citizen.

2. I have visited the various parts of the Empire during recent years, and I am convinced that our resources in materials and peoples are capable of considerable further development.

3. I feel that the permanent solution of Great Britain's unemployment problem lies in Empire development for two main reasons, viz.—(a) there are resources within the Empire not sufficiently developed, and there are larger possibilities for inter-trading between the various parts of the Empire, and (b) the unemployed are the Empire's own kith and kin, and, from personal experience, the various parts of the Empire are only too anxious to assist.

4. Production within the Empire does not always meet the varied and special requirements of each part of the Empire, and it would be in the best interests of the Empire as a whole to organise pro-

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duction, where necessary, so that the right kind of goods are made which satisfy the requirements of the buyers. At the present time, many parts of the Empire have to look outside the Empire for goods which could be efficiently produced inside the Empire, and this state of affairs requires rectification.

5. I fail to see how Empire Trade Statistics, as at present prepared by the Board of Trade in the United Kingdom, can be of any real assistance in formulating any Empire economic policy, and so long as they are compiled under present methods, I am afraid Empire economic unity will continue to be a phrase to be talked about and will never become a reality.

6. There appears to be an unfortunate lack of co-ordination throughout the Empire, and I will give one or two examples of what I mean.

In the first place, I consider that tariffs between the various parts of the Empire are one of the chief hindrances to Empire unity. Tariffs should not be a political question, as they are fundamentally economic, and from this standpoint I would suggest —as a general principle—that tariffs should only be resorted to (either within or outside the Empire) where conditions of labour and standards of life vary, and then such tariffs as may be applied should be fixed on a basis to cover the varying conditions. If competition cannot be met in goods emanating from

a country with equivalent labour conditions and standards of life, there is something radically wrong with the industry, and diagnosis and remedy cannot be dispensed by political process. Within the Empire, however, excluding those parts with native labour, such as India, the need for tariffs is debatable, and, where levied, may retard the sound development of a country, an industry, and the individual, and, at the same time, not be a sound method of raising revenue. I will go further and suggest that a tariff within one part of the Empire might impede efficient progress in an industry, and, at the same time, react unfairly on other industries in another part of the same country. For example, when I was recently in Western Australia. I was not surprised to hear that tariffs which were fixed to assist industries in Victoria and New South Wales were not in the best interests of Western Australia, and I even heard it said that economic advantages would be derived if Western Australia seceded from the Commonwealth. Surely this is wrong, and if we cannot get unity in the economic policy in one part of the Empire by tariff barriers, we surely cannot attain it in the larger sphere.

A further example of the lack of Empire coordination might be eited by indicating how foreign policy and economic policy in the same country can operate with divergent results. In this connection, I will take the question of bananas produced in

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Australia. The foreign policy of Australia is-as it should be-pro-British, and one of the logical aims should be to maintain British prestige in the Pacific. How is this aim achieved? Australia used to import its bananas from another part of the British Commonwealth of Nations, namely, Fiji, which is an important strategic point in the Pacific. Australia, however, decided to grow its own bananas, but to do so a tariff wall against Fiji was necessary. What is the result? Fiji loses a big export market, goes through a trying period of depression, and has to find another adjacent market with the necessary purchasing power and population. What other outlet is there to take the place of Australia? Japan is the obvious market, so that we find Japanese influence given an opportunity to penetrate into an important part of the Empire. What can the Fijians think? They must surely feel perplexed when, although they owe their development to the excellent methods of British colonisation, they have to look outside the Empire for a market for one of their chief products. My point of criticism, however, is not Japanese prestige in the Pacific, but a lack of co-ordination between the foreign and economic policies in one part only of the Empire, and if such things multiply as we view the Empire as a whole, there is surely urgent need for Empire problems to be analysed from the economic standpoint.

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We hear much of British and Colonial preference, but generally the allowance only averages 10 per cent., and the duties remain very high, even against goods produced under somewhat similar conditions. Further, the regulations governing British preference are frequently so complex and difficult to comply with that, in many cases, they are merely an outward sign of Imperial loyalty. In my view, existing British Preference Regulations require complete revision, in conjunction with the general question of Imperial Tariffs, and it is only along this road that we can hope to achieve Empire unity, so vital to Empire progress and prosperity. In this connection, the prosperity of the U.S.A. is often attributed to their tariff policy, but a careful analysis indicates that U.S.A. prosperity is primarily due to the unified economic policy between the various States.

I am anxious to place this book on the market at a price within the purchasing power of the average citizen. This Empire problem can only be solved by all participating, both as workers and/or consumers, and in my efforts to produce a book at a low price, I must limit myself primarily to questions of principle rather than masses of detail. My object is to try to focus attention throughout the Empire to this problem of Empire unity, after which the various questions involved can be considered in

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greater detail in relation to the Empire, severally and collectively.

I propose to divide my book into two sections, viz. :

CHAPTER I.—An Economic analysis of British Empire Trade.

CHAPTER II.—An Empire Phantasy, which might become a Reality.

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IF we are to try to make Empire economic unity a reality, we must analyse the position. I have. therefore, endeavoured to prepare and co-ordinate various figures with a view to illustrating certain aspects of the present economic position of the British Empire. In this connection, the Board of Trade in the United Kingdom print periodically "Statistical Abstracts," relating to Empire trade, and though these contain a mass of interesting information, I consider that they could, and must, be made more helpful in the interests of Empire economic unity. If we, as an Empire, are to have a unified economic policy, I suggest that one of the first essentials is the provision of more unified and up-to-date trade statistics. Politicians of all parties in all parts of the Empire may stress the importance of Empire unity, but I fail to see that any definite steps can be taken, or any practical policy devised, unless Empire trade statistics are prepared by the Government Departments concerned with due regard to their efficient and prompt translation into action. How can sound Empire economic policy be formulated on trade statistics which are two or three years old and lack business-like unification? It is surely the responsibility of politicians to take steps to ensure that the necessary data are available to 15

bring to realisation that more intimate Inter-Empire trade contact they talk about so much. Business organisations must have up-to-date statistics affecting their trade if successful policies are to be pursued, and I suggest that, in this respect, the British Empire must try to work on business lines. I feel that this problem of Empire trade statistics is so vital to Empire trade policy that I ought to indicate how existing methods might be improved from the commercial standpoint. Any criticisms I make will be constructive and not destructive, as there may be certain difficulties to overcome.

1. The last Statistical Abstracts of Empire Trade issued by the Board of Trade in the United Kingdom was in 1928, and the figures were only in respect of years up to 1925, with few exceptions. As Statistical Abstracts of this nature have to form the base of my own Empire trade analysis in this chapter, I cannot take a later year than 1925 for the Empire as a whole, but I have endeavoured to so co-ordinate all available figures that facts are manifested which can be readily understood.

It will be observed that it took over two years for this Statistical Abstract to be published, but if the Empire is to be a live trade unit, we shall have to speed up considerably the preparation of these vital trade figures.

2. There is a distinct lack of unification in Empire Trade Statistics issued by the Board of Trade, viz. : ' (a) Units of weight, measurements, etc. vary in respect of the same commodities, such as—

Wheat is shown in centals, cwts., bushels, etc. Unification of these units could be arranged in each part of the Empire on an agreed basis, in respect of all commodities, but, in any event, such unification should be undertaken by the Board of Trade in preparing their Statistical Abstracts, and thus facilitate action being taken thereon.

(b) Descriptions of commodities vary in the various parts of the Empire, such as---

Canada shows under "Cotton and Manufactures "---

Raw Cotton, Yarn, White or Bleached Piece Goods, Printed Piece Goods, Yarn or Piece Dyed, Other, Apparel, knit and woven, Lace and Embroideries, Thread, Other.

South Africa shows under "Cotton and Manufactures"----

Blankets, Rugs and Sheets, Piece Goods, Sewing and Knitting Cotton, Other.

Illustrations of this lack of unification in description of commodities could be multiplied extensively, and it appears urgently necessary to co-ordinate these Empire descriptions of goods on an agreed Empire basis.

(c) Commodities are shown in some parts of the Empire and not in others, and there might be some justification for omissions if the figures were negligible, but this is often not the case.

(d) It may be that this lack of unification in Government Statistical Abstracts is responsible for certain misunderstandings arising, for example—

In the "Statistical Abstracts" issued by the Board of Trade in 1928, page 289 shows Wheat exported from Canada as 275,557,000 bushels, whereas on page 87 the figure is given as 191,764,587 bushels. Again, a comparison of other figures between certain pages shows figures on one page in one unit of weight, and on another page for the same commodity in a different unit of weight, and, even by calculating on a common denominator, the figures appear to be widely at variance.

In view of the foregoing illustrations of Government trade statistics in relation to Empire trade, it will be appreciated that their unification is vital if they are to be of real assistance in promoting British Empire trade. As a matter of fact, this lack of unification prevents me from analysing the economic position of the Empire in regard to many commodities, but I have endeavoured to deal with certain of the more important articles grown, manufactured and required in the various parts of the Empire in order to exemplify the present Empire economic position, and to stimulate interest in the further possibilities for Inter-Empire trade.

I propose also to indicate certain factors connected with Immigration and Shipping, as these have an important bearing on Empire Economic Policy.

I have endeavoured to set out the figures I am dealing with in such a manner as to stress their salient features, and I suggest that if Empire trade statistics were prepared on somewhat similar lines, much would be accomplished towards unification and the ultimate formulation of Empire economic policy.

I should like to have submitted more detailed figures, covering a wider range of Empire activities, but the lack of unification in Government trade statistics prevents my doing so. I feel, however, that the figures I indicate are adequate examples of certain facts connected with Inter-Empire trade, and I hope they will do something to draw attention to the need for a comprehensive survey of the Empire's resources in relation to its requirements.

## SHIPPING

## BRITISH EMPIRE SHIPPING

As more intensive Inter-Empire trade should require more British shipping, I propose to indicate hereunder the present position of British Empire shipping in relation to Empire trade :

Court	ıtry.				% British net tonnage of all vessels entered and cleared (excluding Coastal trade).
	ICLY.				•
Canada .	•	•	•	•	60%
Australia .	•	•	•		77
New Zealand	•	•			92
South Africa	•	•	•	•	· 78
British India	•				72
Ceylon	•		•	•	68
Irish Free State					86
Newfoundland					58
Straits Settlemen	ts				48
Hong-Kong .					51
West Indies .	-				65
Sierra Leone .	-				78
Gold Coast			-		62
Nigeria .	-		-		60
Kenya	-			-	55
Mauritius .		•			60
North Borneo	•	•	•	•	68
Fiji	•	•	•	•	75
Bermuda .	•	•	•	•	82
Zanzibar .	•	•	•	•	55
Seychelles .	•	•	•	•	87
Somaliland .	•	•	•	•	68
British Guiana	•	•	•	•	65
	•	•	-	•	
British Honduras	•	•	•	•	48 54
Falkland Islands	•	•	•	•	
Gambia .	•	•	٠	•	75
Gibraltar .	•	•	•	•	61
Malta	•	•	•	•	45
Cyprus .	•	٠	•	•	26

	BRJ	TISH	E	MP	IRE	S	HIPPING	21
	C	ountry	7.				% British net to of all vessels of and cleared (ex Coastal trad	ntered cluding
Aden .					-		68	
Solomon J	sles Pro	otector	Bt	е	-		71	
Papua	•	•			•	•	93	
Tongan Is	les Prot	tectora	te		-		72	
Gilbert an	d Ellice	Isles	•		•		82	
St. Helens	L .				•		100	
Federated	Malay	States				•	Cannot be st	ated
Anglo-Egy	ptian S	Sudan					do.	•
Sarawak	•	•	•		-	•	do.	
Total	British	Empi	re		•		64%	
% Foreign entered Coastal	and						86%	
	,	-			-	•		

This 86 per cent. Foreign Net Tonnage connected with Inter-Empire trade represents approximately 97,000,000 tons, and if more intensive Inter-Empire trade took place, with due regard to using British shipping, it will be realised that the effect would be appreciable on Empire industries connected with shipping. These shipping figures are surely a further illustration of the advisability of trying to formulate an Empire economic policy.

## IMMIGRATION

BRITISH EMPIRE POPULATION AND IMMIGRATION

I detail hereafter such parts of the Empire which show figures of Immigration and which are most suitable for emigrants, and these are indicated in relation to population :

## Canada

Population (last Census)	268,700
Population per sq. mile	2.5
Population per sq. mile in the United Kingdom .	286·9
Immigration from all Countries (1925)	96,064
Immigration from all Countries per sq. mile	0.02
Immigration from United Kingdom (1925)	87,080
Immigration from United Kingdom per sq. mile .	0.01
% Immigration from United Kingdom of Total	
Immigration	88.5

## Australia

Population (last Census)	5,992,084
Population per sq. mile	2.0
Population per sq. mile in the United Kingdom .	286-9
Immigration from all Countries (1925)	100.075
Immigration from all Countries per sq. mile	0.08
Immigration from United Kingdom (1925)	47.047
Immigration from United Kingdom per sq. mile .	0-01
% Immigration from United Kingdom of Total	
Immigration	47.0

## South Africa

Population (last Census)	7,472,777
Population per sq. mile	16.0
Population per sq. mile in the United Kingdom .	286·9
Immigration from all Countries (1925)	80,744
Immigration from all Countries per sq. mile	0-06
Immigration from United Kingdom (1925)	5,760
Immigration from United Kingdom per sq. mile .	0-01
% Immigration from United Kingdom of Total	
Immigration	18.7

## New Zealand

Population (last Census)	1,846,076
Population per sq. mile	18-1
Population per sq. mile in the United Kingdom .	286-9
Immigration from all Countries (1925)	41,846
Immigration from all Countries per sq. mile	0.4
Immigration from United Kingdom (1925)	14.084
Immigration from United Kingdom per sq. mile .	0.1
% Immigration from United Kingdom of Total	
Immigration	88-6

### POPULATION AND IMMIGRATION

I suggest that the foregoing figures indicate that the problem of efficiently peopling the Empire has not yet been tackled properly, and that there is urgent need for an Empire Emigration policy to be devised with due regard to (a) the absorption of some of our unemployed; (b) the creation of better opportunities for our rising and future generations; and (c) the further development of Empire resources on sound economic lines in the interests of the Empire as a whole. In this connection I am confident that an agreed Empire economic policy could do much to solve this problem of more effectively peopling the Empire in the best interests of our people and the Empire.

## BRITISH EMPIRE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES

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do.		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	26
do.		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	<b>26</b>
Canada	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	27
Australia .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	28
New Zealand South Africa	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	28
Newfoundland	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	29 30
Irish Free State		•	•	•	•	•	•	•	80
British India	-		•	•	•	•	•	• •	81
Malta .			•	:	•			:	82
Cyprus .									82

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## UNITED KINGDOM IMPORTS

## Food, Drink and Tobacco :

From British Empire From Foreign Countries	:	•	•	•	£ 228,877,000 841,228,000
Total . % from British Empire	•	•	•		570,105,000 42%

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Raw Materials and Articles	mai	nly U	nman	ufac	tured : £
From British Empire From Foreign Countries	•	•	•	:	159,196,000 265,587,000
Total . % from British Empire	•	:	•	•	424,788,000 87%
Articles mainly Manufactur From British Empire From Foreign Countries	ed :	•	•	•	£ 87,134,000 282,497,000
Total % from British Empire TOTAL IMPORTS :	•	•	•	•	819,681,000 12%
From British Empire From Foreign Countries	-	•	-	•	£ 429,186,000 891,579,000
Total % from British Empire	•	•	:	•	1,820,715,000 82%

## UNITED KINGDOM EXPORTS

Food, Drink and Tobacco :					£
To British Empire .	•	•	•		80,276,000
To Foreign Countries	•	•	•	•	24,711,000
Total	•		•	•	54,987,000
% to British Empire	•	•	•	•	55%

## Raw Materials and Articles mainly Unmanufactured :

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	£.
To British Empire	9,480,000
To Foreign Countries	74,920,000
	84,850,000
% to British Empire	11%
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	70 £
Articles mainly Manufactured : To British Empire	£ 288,960,000
	£
Articles mainly Manufactured : To British Empire	£ 288,960,000

### TOTAL EXPORTS :

					£
To British Empire .	•			•	885,114,000
To Foreign Countries	•	•	•	•	438,267,000
% to British Empire		•	•	•	778,881,000

## TOTAL BRITISH EMPIRE (including UNITED KINGDOM)

## Imports :

437,240,000		•.				Population .
£2,805,682,000			•	• •		Value of total 🕽
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	total	of	orts	Im	Empire	% of British
41%	•	•	•	•	•	Imports .
						Exports :
£1.955.695.000	_	_			Exports	Value of total

21,800,080,000
£4-45
£909.843.000
£2.08
±4°00
47%

#### UNITED KINGDOM

UNITED AINGDOM	
Imports :	
Population	45,040,000
Value of total Imports	£1,820,715,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	
tion	£29·8
Value of Imports from British Empire .	429,186,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£9·5
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	82%
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## Exports :

Value of total Exports	£778,881,000
Value of total Exports per head of popula-	
tion	£17·2
Value of Exports to British Empire .	£385,114,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per	• •
head of population	£7·4
% of British Empire Exports of total	
<b>F</b> -monta	43%
Expons	· · · · /0
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## CANADA

## Imports :

Population	9,269,000
Value of total Imports	£201,191,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	•••
tion	£21 7
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£43,638,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£4·7
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	22%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom .	£34,598,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£8.75
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports .	80%

## Exports :

Value of total Exports	£287,741,000
Value of total Exports per head of popula-	
tion	£81· <b>8</b>
Value of Exports to British Empire	£128,878,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£18·8
% of British Empire Exports of total	
Exports	48%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£104,683,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	£11.8
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	85%
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## TOTAL EXPORTS :

					£
To British Empire .				•	835,114,000
To Foreign Countries	•	•	•	-	488,267,000
% to British Empire	•	•		•	778,381,000 43%

## TOTAL BRITISH EMPIRE (including UNITED KINGDOM)

## Imports :

Population	437,240,000
Value of total Imports	£2,305,682,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	,,,
tion	£5·8
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£951,428,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£2.17
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	41%
	-~ /0
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£1,955,695,000
Value of total Exports per head of popula-	,,,
tion .	£4-45
Value of Exports to British Empire	£909.848.000
Value of Exports to British Empire per	2000,090,000
head of population	£2.08
Nead of population	22.00
% of British Empire Exports of total	
Exports	47%

#### UNITED KINGDOM

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Imports :				
Population .		•		45,040,000
Value of total Imports				£1,820,715,000
Value of total Imports p	er head	d of pe	pula-	
tion			· .	£29·3
Value of Imports from H	British	Empii	e.	429,186,000
Value of Imports from I	British	Empi	re per	
head of population	<u>.</u> .		•	£9·5
% of British Empire	Impor	ts of	total	
Imports	• •	•	•	82%

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES 27

Esports :	
Value of total Exports	£773,381,000
Value of total Exports per head of popula-	-
tion	£17-2
Value of Exports to British Empire .	£335,114,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per	
head of population	£7-4
% of British Empire Exports of total	
Exports	43%

### CANADA

## Imports :

Population	9,209,000
Value of total Imports	£201,191,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	
tion	£21/7
Value of Imports from British Empire	£12,622,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£4-7
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	22%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	224,592,600
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£\$⁄75
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	89%
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## Experts :

Value of total Exports	
tion	
Value of Exports to British Empire £123,378,989	
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population £124	
%_of British Empire Exports of total	
Exports 45%	,
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	1
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	i
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	)

## AUSTRALIA

Population	5,992,000
Value of total Imports	£157,148,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	,
tion .	£26-2
Value of Imports from British Empire	£90,604,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	220,009,000
head of population	£15·1
% of British Empire Imports of total	W10 1
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Imports	58%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£69,048,00Ŏ
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£11·6
%_of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	76%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£162,030,000
Value of total Exports	£162,080,000
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Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion	£26·8
Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion Value of Exports to British Empire	
Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion Value of Exports to British Empire Value of Exports to British Empire per head	£26·8 £85,960,000
Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion Value of Exports to British Empire Value of Exports to British Empire per head of population	£26·8
Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion Value of Exports to British Empire Value of Exports to British Empire per head of population %_of British Empire Exports of total	£26·8 £85,960,000 £14·8
Value of total Exports Value of total Exports per head of popula- tion Value of Exports to British Empire Value of Exports to British Empire per head of population % of British Empire Exports of total Exports	£26.8 £85,960,000 £14.8 58%
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### NEW ZEALAND

## Imports :

Imports :

Population	1,846,000
Value of total Imports	£52,456,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£88-8
Value of Imports from British Empire	£88,262,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£28.5
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	78%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£25,578,000

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY COUN	TRIES 29
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population % of United Kingdom Imports of British	£19·0
Empire Imports	67%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£55,262,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£41 1
Value of Exports to British Empire	£47,593,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£85·8
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	86%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom . Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	£44,078,00Ŏ
of population % of Exports to United Kingdom of British	£32·8
Empire Exports	98%

## SOUTH AFRICA

Imports :

Population	7,478,000
Value of total Imports	£67,988,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£9·1
Value of Imports from British Empire	£43,839,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	·····
head of population	£5 9
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	65%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom .	£33.911.000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	00030113000
head of population	£4.5
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	24.0
Empire Imports	MTY O/
Empire imports	77%
Exports :	· •
Value of total Exports	£87,012,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£11.6
Value of Exports to British Empire	£70,841,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	#10,031,000
of population	£9·5
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	81%
	£47,846,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	£6·4
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	67%

## NEWFOUNDLAND

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Imports :	
Population	265,000
Value of total Imports	£7,488,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£28-0
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£5,814,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	
of population	£20-0
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	71%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£2,885,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£8·8
%_of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	44%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£4,849,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£18-5
Value of Exports to British Empire	£2,100,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£8·1
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	44%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£1,469,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£5·6
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	69%

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## **IRISH FREE STATE**

Imports :

Population	2,977,000
Value of total Imports	£62,960,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£21·1
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£58,947,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£18·0
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	86%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£51,034,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£17-0
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	95%

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Exports :

Value of total Exports	£44,477,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£15-0
Value of Exports to British Empire	£43,405,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£14·6
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	97%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£43,182,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	£14·5
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	99%
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# BRITISH INDIA (LAND AND SEA)

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Population	818,886,000
Value of total Imports	£248,486,000
Value of total Imports per head of popula-	
tion	£0-8
Value of Imports from British Empire	£120,941,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£0·4
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	50%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom .	£93,067,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	,,,
head of population	£0·8
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	75%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£281,921,000
Value of total Exports per head of popula-	**********
tion	£0-9
Value of Exports to British Empire	£89,528,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per	200,020,000
head of population	£0.8
% of British Empire Exports of total	£0.0
Exports	88%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£54,181,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	~~3,101,000
head of population	£0·2
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	20-2
Empire Exports	66%
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## MALTA

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Population	225,000
Value of total Imports	£4,496,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£20
Value of Imports from British Empire	£1,585,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£6·8
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	84%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£1,271,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£5·6
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports . `	88%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£866,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£4
Value of Exports to British Empire	£70,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	,
of population ,	£0·8
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	78%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£68,00Ŏ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	•
of population .	£0·8
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	97%

#### CYPRUS

Population	881,000	
Value of total Imports	£1,587,000	
Value of total Imports per head of population	£4·75	
Value of Imports from British Empire	£701,000	
Value of Imports from British Empire per	•	
head of population	£2·1	,
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	44%	
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£424,000	
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	-	
head of population	£1·8	1
% of United Kingdom Imports of British		6
Empire Imports	62%	

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## Exports :

Value of total Exports	£1,204,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£3-65
Value of Exports to British Empire	£264,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	′ £0•8
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	22%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£239,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£0-7
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	•
Empire Exports	88%

## GAMBIA

Population	280,000
Value of total Imports	£617,000
Value of total Imports per head of population.	£2.7
Value of Imports from British Empire	£885,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	•
of population	£1.5
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports.	56%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£257,00Ŏ
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	-
head of population	£1·1
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	78%

## Exports :

Imports :

Value of total Exports	£723,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£8-1
Value of Exports to British Empire	£886,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	•
population	£1.5
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports. Value of Exports to United Kingdom	48%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	000,088£
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	-
of population	£1·4
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	98%
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## GOLD COAST

Imports :	
Population	2,298,000
Value of total Imports	£9,266,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£4.05
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£6,102,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£2·7
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	67%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£5,861,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	,
head of population	£2·5
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	-
Empire Imports	96%

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS BY COUNTRIES 35

## Exports :

Value of total Exports	£10,890,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£4-9
Value of Exports to British Empire	£8,799,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£1-7
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	85%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£8,878,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£1.5
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	89%

## NIGERIA

## Imports :

Population	• •	•	•	•	•	18,504,000
Value of total	Imports	•		•	•	£16,228,000
Value of total I	imports pe	r head	l of p	opulat	ion	£0-88
Value of Impor	rts from B	ritish	Emp	ire	•	£12,829,000
Value of Impo	orts from	Britis	h En	apire j	per	
head of popu		•	•	- · ·	•	£0·7
% of British E	mpi <b>re Imp</b>	orts o	f tota	l Impo	rts	80%
Value of Impor	rts from U	nited	King	dom		£11,995,000
Value of Impo	rts from l	Jnited	King	<b>rdom</b> j	per	
head of popu	ulation	•	•		•	£0·65
% of United	Kingdom	Impo	orts o	f Brit	ish	
Empire Imp	orts .	•	•	•	•	98%

## Exports :

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Value of total Exports	£17,870,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£0-9
Value of Exports to British Empire	£9,889,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£0.58
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	59%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£9,668,00Õ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	£0·52
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	98%

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Population	8,589
Value of total Imports	£58,000
Value of total Imports per head of population .	£16-2
Value of Imports from British Empire	£58.000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	
of population	£16·2
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports .	100%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£44,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head	,
of population	£11·9
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	•
Empire Imports	76%
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Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£47,000
Value of total Exports per head of population .	£12·8
Value of Exports to British Empire	£47,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	
population	£12·8
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports .	100%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	\$42,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£11·8
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	#14 V
Empire Exports	88%
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#### SOUTHERN RHODESIA

#### Population 868,000 Value of total Imports £4,892,000 Value of total Imports per head of population Value of Imports from British Empire £5·6 £3,740,000 Value of Imports from British Empire per head of population . £4.8 % of British Empire Imports of total Imports 77% Value of Imports from United Kingdom £2,480,000 Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population . £2.8 % of United Kingdom Imports of British Empire Imports 65% .

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#### Exports :

Value of total Exports	£5,728,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£6-7
Value of Exports to British Empire	£4,531,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£5·2
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	78%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£2,967,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£3·4
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	63%

## NORTHERN RHODESIA

#### Imports : Population 1,145,000 Value of total Imports £1,818,000 -Value of total Imports per head of population Value of Imports from British Empire £1.14 £1,068,000 Value of Imports from British Empire per head ۰. of population . £0.9 % of British Empire Imports of total Imports 79% Value of Imports from United Kingdom £784,000 Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population . £0·64 %\_of United Kingdom Imports of British 72% Empire Imports • . . Exports : A . . . 3 13 . . A 400 000

Value of total Exports	\$438,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£0·4
Value of Exports to British Empire	£254,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	•
of population	£0·2
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	55%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£74.00Ŏ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	•
of population	£0-0£
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	29%
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## ZANZIBAR

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Population , , , , , , , ,	222,000
Value of total Imports	£1,884,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£8·8
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£1,882,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	,,
of population	£6·0
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	72%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£450,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£2·0
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	88%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£2,080,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£8·9
Value of Exports to British Empire	£1,287,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	,,
of population	£5·5
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	62%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£274,00Ŏ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	-
of population	£1·2
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	22%

### KENYA AND UGANDA

Population	. 2,608,000
Value of total Imports	£11,779,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	n £4-5
Value of Imports from British Empire	£9,254,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	1
of population	. £8·5
% of British Empire Imports of total Import	s 78%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£6,722,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom pe	2
head of population	. £2∙6
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	1
Empire Imports	. 74%

#### Exports :

Value of total Exports	£9,576,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£8·7
Value of Exports to British Empire	£7,761,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£8.0
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	81%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom .	£729,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	•
of population	£0·28
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	98%

#### NYASALAND

#### Population 1,208,000 Value of total Imports . £617.000 Value of total Imports per head of population. Value of Imports from British Empire £0.51 £456,000 Value of Imports from British Empire per head of population £0.88 % of British Empire Imports of total Imports. Value of Imports from United Kingdom 75% £816,000 Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population £0.26 % of United Kingdom Imports of British Empire Imports 69% .

#### Exports :

Imports :

Value of total Exports	£601,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£0·5
Value of Exports to British Empire	£566,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	-
population	£0-47
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports.	78%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£548,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£0·45
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	96%

Imports :

#### SOMALILAND

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Population	847,000
Value of total Imports	£361,000
Value of total Imports per head of population.	£1-04
Value of Imports from British Empire	£350,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	
of population	£1-01
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports.	97%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£13ĕ
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£0.004
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	0.04%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£245,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£0·74
Value of Exports to British Empire	£289,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	,
population	£0·69
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports.	93%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	Nil
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	Nil
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	Nil

#### ANGLO-EGYPTIAN SUDAN

#### Imports : Population 6,469,000 Value of total Imports £5,927,000 Value of total Imports per head of population £0.92 Value of Imports from British Empire . £2,609,000 Value of Imports from British Empire per head of population . £0-4 % of British Empire Imports of total Imports 48% Value of Imports from United Kingdom £1,835,000 Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population . £0.8 % of United Kingdom Imports of British Empire Imports 75% .

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Value of total Exports	8 0
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Value of Exports to British Empire per head	Ψ.
of population £0-8	ŧ .
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports 46%	
Value of Exports to United Kingdom . £2,802,00	Ō
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	6
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	6

## MAURITIUS

# Imports :

Population	894,000
Value of total Imports	£4,175,000
Value of total Imports per head of population Value of Imports from British Empire .	£10.6
Value of Imports from British Empire	£3,025,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	27.7
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	78%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£1,125,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	,,
head of population .	£2.85
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	+-
Empire Imports	87%
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# Exports :

Value of total Exports	£8,029,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£7-8
Value of Exports to British Empire	£2,763,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£7·0
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	90%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£1,841,00Ŏ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£4·7
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	67%
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## SEYCHELLES

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Imports :	
Population	26,000
Value of total Imports	£120,000
Value of total Imports per head of population.	£4·6
Value of Imports from British Empire	£91,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	-
of population	£8·5
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports.	76%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£41,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£1·6
%_of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	46%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£167,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£6·4
Value of Exports to British Empire	£128,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	,
population	£4·9
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports.	
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Value of Exports to United Kingdom	76% £90.000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom .	76% £90,000
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Imports :

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Population	170,000
Value of total Imports	£1,271,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£7.5
Value of Imports from British Empire	£1,109,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£6-5
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	87%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£382.00Ŏ
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£1·95
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	80%
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## Exports :

Value of total Exports	£2,156,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£12.6
Value of Exports to British Empire	£1,648,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£9·7
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	77%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£57,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	-
of population	£0-8
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	8%

## ADEN

# (Figures include Imports and Exports affecting countries served by the port of Aden.)

Imports :	f
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Population	57,000
Value of total Imports	£5,064,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£89.7
Value of Imports from British Empire .	£2,244,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population .	£39-6
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	44%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£788,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	-
head of population	£18·0
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	88%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£5,058,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£89·8
Value of Exports to British Empire	£1,152,000
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value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population £2	0.4
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports 28	3%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom £198.(	юõ
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
	8.5
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
	7%

Imports :

## BRITISH MALAYA

BRITISH MALAYA	
Imports :	
Population	8,699,000
Value of total Imports	£118,512,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£32·2
Value of Imports from British Empire	£89,692,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£10·8
% of British Empire Imports of total	
Imports	84%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£15,769,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£4·26
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	89%
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Value of total Exports	£150,791,000
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### CEYLON

Population	5,010,000
Value of total Imports	£24,025,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	24.8
Value of Imports from British Empire	£19,185,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£8·82
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	80%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£5,651,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£1-12
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	29%

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#### Exports : Value of total Exports £83,147,000 Value of total Exports per head of population £6.7 Value of Exports to British Empire £16,874,000 Value of Exports to British Empire per head £8-4 of population 51% % of British Empire Exports of total Exports Value of Exports to United Kingdom . £12,578,000 Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head of population £2.5 % of Exports to United Kingdom of British 74% Empire Exports .

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Imports :		
Population		270,000
Value of total Imports		£854,000
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Value of total Imports per head of		
population	_	£3·2
Value of Imports from British Empire.	Cannot l	e stated
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Value of total Exports per head of		
population		£7-7
Value of Exports to British Empire .	Cannot l	be stated
Value of Exports to British Empire per		
head of population		
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per head of population , ,	
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Exports :		
Value of total Exports	£	6,546,000
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head of population % of British Empire Exports of total	**	33
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## PAPUA

PAPUA		
Imports :		
Population	27	77,000
Value of total Imports	£4.	59,000
Value of total Imports per head of		-
population		£1.7
Value of Imports from British Empire.	Cannot be	stated
Value of Imports from British Empire		
per head of population		**
% of British Empire Imports of total		
Imports	**	**
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	33	**
Value of Imports from United Kingdom		
per head of population	11	
% of United Kingdom Imports of		
British Empire Imports		**
Exports :		
Value of total Exports	£3	68,000
Value of total Exports per head of		
population		£1·8
Value of Exports to British Empire .	Cannot be	stated
Value of Exports to British Empire per		
head of population	23	<b>5</b> 2
% of British Empire Exports of total		
Exports		
Value of Exports to United Kingdom .	33	11
Value of Exports to United Kingdom		
per head of population	"	**
% of Exports to United Kingdom of		
British Empire Exports	•>	57

#### GILBERT AND ELLICE ISLANDS

Imports :		
Population		80.000
Value of total Imports		£188,000
Value of total Imports per head of		
population		24-6
Value of Imports from British Empire.	Cannot h	
Value of Imports from British Empire		
per head of population		
% of British Empire Imports of total	,,	75
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Value of Imports from United Kingdom	,,	52
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	**	39
per head of population		
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### BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS

#### Imports : Population 151,000 Value of total Imports . £267,000 Value of total Imports per head of population. Value of Imports from British Empire £1.8 £215,000 Value of Imports from British Empire per head of population £1.4 . ٠ % of British Empire Imports of total Imports. 78% Value of Imports from United Kingdom £84,000 Value of Imports from United Kingdom per head of population . 20.3 .

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Imports :	
% of United Kingdom Imports of British Empire Imports	16%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£419,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£2.7
Value of Exports to British Empire	£282,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	
population	£1.86
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports.	69%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	£40,000
of population	£0·26
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	14%
TONGAN ISLANDS	
Imports :	
Population	25,000
Value of total Imports	£258,000
Value of total Imports per head of population.	£10·2
Value of Imports from British Empire	£237,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	
of population	£9·4
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports.	92%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£38,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	01.40
head of population % of United Kingdom Imports of British	£1·49
Empire Imports	16%
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Exports :	•
Value of total Exports	£290,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£11.8
Value of Exports to British Empire	£290,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head of	A
population	£11·8
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports. Value of Exports to United Kingdom	100%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	£280,000
of population	611.9

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## BERMUDA

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Population	29,000
Value of total Imports	£1,825,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£46·1
Value of Imports from British Empire	£648,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£22·8
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	48%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£384,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	2003,000
head of population	£18·8
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	A10 0
Empire Imports	80.0/
	60%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£166,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£5·8
Value of Exports to British Empire	£26,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£0.88
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	16%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom .	£11.000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	A11,000
of population	£0-88
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% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	490/
Empire Exports	43%

## WEST INDIES

Population	1,729,000
Value of total Imports	£15,874,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£9-2
Value of Imports from British Empire	£9,181,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	
head of population	£5·8
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	58%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	24,916,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population	£2·88
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	58%

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Exports :	
	359,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£7 2
Value of Exports to British Empire £7,	577,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£4·4
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	61 %
Value of Exports to United Kingdom £4,	667,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per	
head of population	£2·7
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	61%

Imports :

## BRITISH HONDURAS

Imports :	
Population	48,000
Value of total Imports	£928,000
Value of total Imports per head of population.	£19.8
Value of Imports from British Empire	£281,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	•
of population	£5.9
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports.	80%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom .	£160,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	,
head of population	£3·8
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	56%
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Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£735,000
Value of total Exports per head of population.	£15·4
Value of Exports to British Empire	£96,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	,
of population .	£2·0
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports.	18%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£86,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	,
of population	£1.76
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	<i>M</i> 10
Empire Exports	87%
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## BRITISH GUIANA

Population	•		•		804,000
Value of total Imports	•	•	•	•	£2,908,000

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Imports :	
Value of total Imports per head of population	£9·6
Value of Imports from British Empire	£2,288,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per	,,
head of population	£7.5
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	78%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£1,589,000
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	,,
head of population	£5·06
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	67%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£3,181,000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£10-4
Value of Exports to British Empire	£2,461,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population .	£8·1
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	78%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£1,848,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£4·4
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	
Empire Exports	54%

## FALKLAND ISLES

FALALAND ISLES	
Imporis :	
Population	8,589
Value of total Imports	£584,000
Value of total Imports per head of population	£149·0
Value of Imports from British Empire	£887,000
Value of Imports from British Empire per head	
of population	£98·7
% of British Empire Imports of total Imports	68%
Value of Imports from United Kingdom	£837,00Ö
Value of Imports from United Kingdom per	
head of population .	£98·7
% of United Kingdom Imports of British	
Empire Imports	100%
Exports :	
Value of total Exports	£3.915.000
Value of total Exports per head of population	£1090-0
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Value of Exports to British Empire	£1,491,000
Value of Exports to British Empire per head	
of population	£417·0

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Exports :	
% of British Empire Exports of total Exports	88%
Value of Exports to United Kingdom	£1,481,000
Value of Exports to United Kingdom per head	
of population	£411-0
% of Exports to United Kingdom of British	000/
Empire Exports	98%

## BRIEF SUMMARY

It will be observed from these figures of British Empire trade by countries that the United Kingdom purchases a very large proportion of British Empire products, not only in relation to other countries within the Empire, but with the whole world. T suggest that this important factor might be realised in a more practical manner by certain parts of the Empire, when it will be a step nearer to the United Kingdom selling more of its products to such parts, and thus tend to enable the United Kingdom to purchase even larger quantities of many products from countries within the Empire. These figures relating to British Empire trade, as affecting each part of the Empire, indicate very clearly that there is large scope for the further development of trade between the various parts of the Empire, which, in turn, will increase production and efficiency and thus also facilitate the development of trade with markets outside the Empire.

I suggest that these figures can be helpful in the consideration of Empire economic policy, and they can assist in the intensification of Inter-Empire industrial activity.

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Tin Plat	tes, Sh	eets,	Ingots	, etc.	•	•	•	•	•	112
Lead	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	114
Copper	Ore an	nd Coj	pper	•	•	•	•	•	•	117
Coal	•	•	•	•	•	•	~		•	120
Wine	•	•	•	•	•	• ′	•	•		128
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## TEA

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# British Empire Production of Tea:

Total British Empire Production—575,412,000 lb British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage 	Production per Acre.	
	lbs.		lbs.	
South Africa	1,085,000	8,177	828	
British India .	863,507,000	727,700	500	
Nyasaland	1,159,000	5,485	210	
Ceylon	209,701,000	44.000	4750	
Fiji	10,000	200	50	
Total .	575,412,000	780,512	786	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Tea :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

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British Empire Imports of Tea :

Total British Empire Imports—641,862,000 lbs. Valued at £49,009,000. These Imports represent 11% more than British Empire Production. British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country.			orts.
country.		Quantity.	Values.
		lbs.	£
Canada		86,225,000	2,410,000
Australia		49,256,000	8,872,000
New Zealand		10,884,000	944,000
South Africa		9,814,000	791,000
Newfoundland		1,520,000	121,000
Irish Free State .		22,676,000	2,286,000
British India		7,885,000	419.000
St. Helena			1,000
Kenya and Uganda .		778.000	72,000
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan		8.181.000	168,000
British Malaya		9,127,000	424.000
United Kingdom .	•	490,566,000	87,506,000
Total		641,862,000	49,009,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Tea :

Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Tea:

Total British Empire Exports-560,083,000 lbs. Valued at £36,844,000. These Exports represent 97% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Exports by Countries :** 

Com			Exports.		
Country.				Quantity.	Value.
				lbs.	£
British India		•		849,228,000	22,978,000
Nyasaland				1,155,000	64,000
Ceylon .	•	•	•	209,700,000	18,807,000
Total	•		•	560,088,000	86,844,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Tea:

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

## SUGAR

## British Empire Production of Sugar :

Total British Empire Production—86,422,000 cwts. British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity. Produced. Production.		Production per Acre.
	cwts.		cwts.
Australia	10,864,000	278,512	8-8
South Africa	4,283,000	270,559	15-8
British India	59,540,000	2.680,000	22·2
Kenya and Uganda.	842,000	25,588	18.4
Mauritius	4,748,000	162,102	<b>29·1</b>
British Malava	4,000	<b>S</b> 8	$121 \cdot 2$
Fiji	1.276.000	20,188	638-2
West Indies	8,902,000	156,118	25.0
British Guiana .	1,968,000	55,728	85.4
Total	86,422,000	8,648,778	28.7

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Sugar :

Canada, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, Falkland Islands, United Kingdom. SUGAR

British Empire Imports of Sugar :

Total British Empire Imports-70,268,000 cwts. Valued at £65,886,000. These Imports represent 82% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

Country		Imp	orts.
Country.		Quantity.	Value.
		cwts.	£
Canada	•	8,387,000	7,860,000
Australia	•	61,000	65,000
New Zealand	•	1,896,000	1,216,000
South Africa	•	106,000	94,000
Newfoundland	•	185,000	142,000
Irish Free State .	•	-	1,785,000
British India	•	14,651,000	10,185,000
Malta	•	50,000	109,000
Cyprus	•	47,000	48,000
Gambia		17,000	21,000
Sierra Leone	•	10,000	16,000
Gold Coast	• 1	71,000	122,000
St. Helena	•	—	8,000
Southern Rhodesia .	•	47,000	59,000
Northern Rhodesia .	•	6,000	10,000
Zanzibar	•	Figure not	66,000
		available	
Kenya and Uganda .	.	27,000	82,000
Nyasaland	•	_	6,000
Somaliland	•	84,000	55,000
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan	•	270,000	890,000
Seychelles	.		6,000
Aden	. 1	196,000	151,000
British Malaya	•	2,258,000	1,844,000
Ceylon	•	Figure not	886,000
•		available	
North Borneo	•	82,000	27,000
Brunei		6,000	6,000
Sarawak	. I	60,000	54,000
Bermuda	.	23,000	20,000
West Indies		87,000	84,000
United Kingdom .	•	42,801,000	40,729,000
Total		70,268,000	65,386,000

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From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Sugar :

Nigeria, Mauritius, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Sugar :

Total British Empire Exports—14,814,000 cwts. Valued at £11,889,000. These Exports represent 17% of British Empire Production.

Cour	+		Exports.		
	ury.	I	Quantity.	Value.	
				cwts.	£
Canada .		•		1,045,000	1,682,000
South Africa	•	•		1,010,000	766,000
British India	•			882,000	522,000
Mauritius .	•			8,788,000	2,758,000
Aden .			•	188,000	149,000
British Malaya		•		521,000	480,000
Fiji .	•		. [	1,884,000	1,871,000
West Indies	•	•	. [	8,647,000	2,858,000
British Guiana	•	•	• [	1,954,000	1,418,000
Total		•		14,814,000	11,889,000

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Sugar :

Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda,

### COFFEE

Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Seychelles, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

#### COFFEE

British Empire Production of Coffee : Total British Empire Production—490,664 cwts. British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under ' Production.	Production per Acre.
·····	cwts.		cwts.
Australia	46	12	8-88
British India	197,000	148,900	1.82
Sierra Leone	94	1,000	0.09
Nigeria	1.000	No return	]
Kenya and Uganda.	188,000	98,645	1.9
British Malaya	180	4,983	0.08
Cevlon	12	No return	
West Indies	109,000	23,484	4.65
Nyasaland	882	875	0.44
Total	490,664	—	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Coffee :

Canada, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Gold Coast, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, North Borneo,

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Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

# British Empire Imports of Coffee :

Total British Empire Imports—1,497,000 cwts. Valued at £8,243,000. These imports represent more than three times the total of British Empire Production.

	British	Empire	Imports	by	<b>Countries</b> :
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Count			Imports.		
Count	лу.			Quantity.	Value.
Canada . Australia . New Zealand South Africa Newfoundland Irish Free State Cyprus . Anglo-Egyptian Seychelles Aden . British Malaya		• • • •	•	cwts. 214,000 Figure not available do. 259,000 Figure not available do. 5,000 82,000 112,000 168,000	£ 950,000 Figure not available do. 1,197,000 Figure not available do. 24,000 826,000 4,000 880,000 755,000
West Indies United Kingdom	1	•	•	656,000	1,000 4,656,000
Total	•	•		1,497,000	8,248,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Coffee :

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British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Coffee :

Total British Empire Exports 471,000 cwts. Valued at £2,842,000. These Exports represent 96% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Exports by Countries :** 

Country.		Exports.		
country.		Quantity.	Value.	
			cwts.	£
BritishIndia .			190,000	1,898,000
Kenya and Uganda		•	177,000	964,000
West Indies	•	•	104,000	485,000
Total .			471,000	2,842,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Coffee :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Aden, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

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Total British Empire Imports-1,497,000 cwts. Valued at £8,243,000. These imports represent more than three times the total of British Empire Production.

Count	-17		Imports.		
coant	L Y .		ľ	Quantity.	Value.
Canada . Australia	•	•		cwts. 214,000	£ 950,000
	•	•	•	Figure not available	Figure not available
New Zealand		•	•	do.	do.
South Africa	•		•	259,000	1,197,000
Newfoundland	•	۰.	•	Figure not available	Figure not available
Irish Free State			. [	do.	do.
Cyprus .			.	5,000	24.000
Anglo-Egyptian	Sude	m	•	82,000	826,000
Seychelles .		•	.	1,000	4,000
Aden	,		.	112,000	880,000
British Malaya		•	•	168,000	755,000
West Indies .			.		1.000
United Kingdom	L	•	•	656,000	4,656,000
Total .				1,497,000	8,248,000

British Empire Imports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Coffee : British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

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British	Empire	Exports	by	<b>Countries</b> :
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Country		Exports.		
Country.			Quantity.	Value.
			c <del>wt</del> s.	£
BritishIndia		•	190,000	1,898,000
Kenya and Uganda		•	177,000	964,000
West Indies .	•	•	104,000	485,000
Total ,			471,000	2,842,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Coffee :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Aden, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

#### WHEAT

## British Empire Production of Wheat :

Total British Empire Production-921,440,000 bushels.

British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.
	Bushels.		Bushels.
Canada	411,876,000	21,972,782	18.7
Australia	114,504,000	10.201.276	11.4
New Zealand	4,617,000	151.678	80.5
South Africa .	9,210,000	968.057	9.5
Irish Free State .	751,000	22,252	84.1
British India .	824,949,000	80,740,000	10.5
Malta	810,000	9,878	84-4
Cyprus	2,079,000	188,885	11-4
Southern Rhodesia	89,000	4,626	8.5
Kenya and Uganda	267,000	80,627	8.7
Anglo-Egyptian	•		
Sudan	438,000	21,876	20.1
United Kingdom .	52,900,000	1,548,245	84-2
Total .	921,440,000	65,854,127	14.0

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Wheat :

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Newfoundland, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Imports of Wheat :

Total British Empire Imports—196,778,000 bushels. Valued at £73,634,000. These Imports represent 21% of British Empire Production. British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country		Imports.			
Country.		Quantity.	Value.		
			Bushels.	£	
Canada		.	879,000	50,000	
South Africa			4,760,000	1,641,000	
Irish Free State	•		9,854,000	8,658,000	
Malta		.	851,000	826,000	
Cyprus		.	16,000	7,000	
Southern Rhodesia			110,000	50,000	
Anglo-Egyptian Sud	an		14,000	6,000	
United Kingdom	•	•	180,794,000	67,901,000	
Total .	•	-,	196,778,000	78,634,000	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Wheat :

Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, British India, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, E

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St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Wheat :

Total British Empire Exports-387,802,000 bushels. Valued at £97,808,000. These exports represent 87% of British Empire Production. British Empire Exports by Countries :

Country.				Exports.		
				Quantity.	Value.	
				Bushels.	£	
Canada .			.	191,765,000	51,781,000	
Australia .				108,585,000	84,618,000	
British India	•			42,000,000	11,468,000	
Cyprus .	•	•	•	2,000	1,000	
Total	•	•	•	887,802,000	97,808,000	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Wheat :

New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irisl Free State, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius

# FLOUR (MANUFACTURES OF)

Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

# FLOUR (MANUFACTURES OF)

British Empire Imports of Flour (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Imports—£15,183,000. British Empire Imports by Countries:

	Value,					
			<b>-</b>			£
South Africa .		•	•	•	-	460,000
Newfoundland			•	•	•	566,000
Irish Free State	•		•	•	•	8,175,000
Malta	•		•	•	•	242,000
Cyprus	•		•	•	•	204,000
Gambia			•	•		16,000
Sierra Leone	•			•	•	87,000
Gold Coast .			•	•	•	225,000
Nigeria					.	68,000
St. Helena					. 1	7,000
Southern Rhode	sia .	•			•	41,000
Zanzibar .					.	57,000
Kenya and Uga	nda .		-		.	56,000
Somaliland	•				.	4,000
Anglo-Egyptian	Sudan				.	144,000
Mauritius .	•					167,000
Sevchelles .						4,000
Aden						181,000
British Malaya				-		890,000
Ceylon						820,000
Brunei			-		. I	8,000
Sarawak			•		- 1	24,000
Fiji	•			-		86,000
United Kingdor	n .	:			:,	8,256,000
Total			•	•		15,188,000

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From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Flour (Manufactures of):

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, British India, Northern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, North Borneo, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Flour (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Exports—£28,642,000. British Empire Exports by Countries:

	Value.								
					· · · ·	- 1	£		
Canada	•		-	•	•	• •	14,520,000		
Australia	•		•			. 1	6,186,000		
British India	•					. }	1,125,000		
Aden						.	46,000		
United Kingd	om	•	•	٠	•	•	6,765,000		
Tota	I				•		28,642,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Flour (Manufactures of):

New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan,

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Mauritius, Seychelles, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### BARLEY

# **British Empire Production of Barley :**

Total British Empire Production of Barley-299,601,000 bushels.

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.
	Bushels.		Bushels.
Canada	112,668,000	4,075,995	28
Australia	6,356,000	874,876	17
New Zealand	947,000	25,969	86-5
South Africa	1,111,000	106,940	10-4
Irish Free State .	5,925,000	145,626	41
British India	115,768,000	6,578,000	18
Malta	258,000	5,878	44
Cyprus	1,994,000	109,949	18
Kenya and Uganda	14,000	1,255	11
Anglo-Egyptian			
Sudan	280,000	11,202	25
United Kingdom .	54,285,000	1,470,781	87
Total .	299,601,000	12,901,421	28.2

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Barley : Newfoundland, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast,

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Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Imports of Barley :

Total British Empire Imports-86,817,000 bushels. Valued at £8,533,000. These Imports represent 12% of British Empire Production.

Country.	.	Imports.		
wantry.		Quantity.	Value.	
United Kingdom .		Bushels. 86,817,000	£ 8,588,000	
Total	•	86,817,000	8,588,000	

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Barley :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Sey-

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chelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## British Empire Exports of Barley :

Total British Empire Exports-22,944,000 bushels. Valued at £7,208,000. These exports represent 8% of British Empire Production.

	<b>'</b>	<b></b>		Exports.		
Country.					Quantity.	Value.
Canada . British Ind	ia	:	•	:	Bushels. 22,820,000	£ 8,724,000 8,462,000
Cyprus . To	tal	•	•		124,000 22,944,000	22,000

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Barley :

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

### OATS

## British Empire Production of Oats :

Total British Empire Production of Oats-784,902,000 bushels.

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.	
	Bushels.		Bushels	
Canada	518,884,000	14,672,820	85	
Australia	12,212,000	1,018,288	12	
New Zealand .	4,116,000	102,485	40	
South Africa	5,485,000	688,747	9	
Irish Free State	88,682,000	671,870	50	
Cyprus	248,000	15,414	16	
United Kingdom .	165,880,000	2,794,171	59	
Total .	784,902,000	19,902,740	87	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Oats :

Newfoundland, British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei,

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Sarawak,	Papua,	Fiji,	Gilbert	and	Ellice	Islands,

British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## British Empire Imports of Oats :

Total British Empire Imports 32,027,000 bushels. Valued at £3,829,000. These Imports represent 4% of British Empire Production.

Country.		Imports.		
country.		Quantity.	Value.	
Newfoundland Bermuda United Kingdom		•	Bushels. 2,026,000 724,000 29,277,000	£ 79,000 41,000 8,709,000
Total .	•	•	82,027,000	8,829,000

British Empire Imports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Oats :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice

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Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Oats :

Total British Empire Exports 39,116,000 bushels. Valued at £4,864,000. These exports represent 5% of British Empire Production.

Country.			Exports.		
			Quantity.	Value.	
Canada New Zealand . Irish Free State	•	•	Bushels. 85,266,000 8,850,000	·£ 8,916,000 2,000 446,000	
Total .	•		89,116,000	4,864,000	

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Oats :

Australia, South Africa, Newfoundland, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

### MAIZE

#### MAIZE

British Empire Production of Maize :

Total British Empire Production-141,752,000 bushels.

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.
	Bushels.		Bushels.
Canada	10,564,000	288,767	44.1
Australia	7,432,000	297,140	25.0
New Zealand	424,000	8,508	49-8
South Africa	89,000,000	4,240,850	9.2
British India	74,960,000	5,439,000	18.8
Southern Rhodesia	4,977,000	239.662	20.7
Northern Rhodesia	< 591,000	86,470	16.2
Swaziland	220,000	27,000	8.15
Kenya and Uganda	2,780,000	191,516	14.5
Nyasaland Anglo-Egyptian	72,000	8,688	19-8
Sudan	612,000	80,628	20.0
Mauritius	120,000	2,500	48-0
Total .	141,752,000	10,755,674	18-2

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Maize:

Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Somaliland, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom. British Empire Imports of Maize :

Total British Empire Imports—41,777,000 bushels. Valued at £21,884,000. These Imports represent 29% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

Country.		Imports.		
country.	,	Quantity.	Value.	
			Bushels.	£
Canada		.	8,192,000	1,779,000
Irish Free State	•		6,000,000	8,027,000
United Kingdom	•	•	27,585,000	17,078,000
Total			41,777,000	21,884,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Maize :

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Swaziland, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Maize :

Total British Empire Exports—21,035,000 bushels. Valued at £7,179,000. These Exports represent 15% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Exports by Countries :** 

Country			Ехр	orts.
Country.		Quantity.	Value.	
			Bushels.	£
South Africa .	•	•	18,969,000	6,489,000
Southern Rhodesia	•	•	748,000	284,000
Northern Rhodesia			99,000	89,000
Kenya and Uganda	•	•	1,219,000	417,000
Total .	•		21,085,000	7,179,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Maize :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Swaziland, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

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#### RICE

British Empire Production of Rice : Total British Empire Production—31,279,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity Produced,	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.	
	Tons.		Tons.	
Australia .	. 1,000	1,559	0.70	
British India .	. 80,787,000	82,878,000	0.92	
British Malaya	. 281,000	684,658	0.84	
Ceylon	. 236,000	880,292	0.28	
North Borneo	40,000	78,559	0.55	
Brunei.	1,000	5,000	0.2	
Fiji	7,000	9,727	0.78	
Trinidad and		,		
Tobago .	. 8,000	7,029	0-41	
British Guiana	. 23,000	29,888	0.79	
Total	. 81,279,000	84,019,152	0.92	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Rice :

Canada, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

## RICE

British Empire Imports of Rice :

Total British Empire Imports-83,935,000 short cwts. Valued at £24,452,000. These Imports represent 5% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country,		Imports.		
country.		Quantity.	Value.	
		Short cwts.	£	
Canada	•	542,000	471,000	
New Zealand		54,000	52,000	
South Africa		729,000	560,000	
Irish Free State .	.	4,698,000	1,847,000	
Cyprus	•	27,000	22,000	
Gambia	.	182,000	102,000	
Sierra Leone	.	15,000	16,000	
Gold Coast	- I	184,000	180,000	
Nigeria	•	208,000	204,000	
St. Helena	•	i	4,000	
Zanzibar	•		, 282,000	
Kenya and Uganda .	•	147,000	150,000	
Somaliland	. 1	92,000	79,000	
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan		42,000	86,000	
Mauritius		1,207,000	910,000	
Seychelles		48,000	26,000	
Aden		248,000	177,000	
British Malaya		18,000,000	9,409,000	
Ceylon		8,821,000	6,272,000	
Brunei		89,000	28,000	
Sarawak	.	890,000	808,000	
Fiji	-	8,000	2,000	
British Solomon Islands			27,000	
West Indies		565,000	581,000	
British Honduras		<b>-</b>	15,000	
United Kingdom .	•	8,259,000	2,742,000	
Total		88,985,000	24,452,000	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Rice :

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Australia, Newfoundland, British India, Malta, Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, North Borneo, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, Trinidàd and Tobago, Bermuda, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Rice :

Total British Empire Exports 51,249,000 short cwts. Valued at £28,680,000. These exports represent 8% of British Empire Production.

Court	<b>4-</b>		Exports.				
Cours	Country.				Value.		
				Short cwts.	£		
British India				46,007,000	24,820,000		
Aden .				165,000	110,000		
British Malaya	•			4,939,000	8,641,000		
British Guiana	•	•	•	188,000	109,000		
Total	•			51,249,000	28,680,000		

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Rice :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Trinidad

### COTTON (RAW)

and Tobago, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

### COTTON (RAW)

**British Empire Production of Cotton :** 

Total British Empire Production-25,726,000 centals (100 lbs.).

1	Quantity Produced.					
						Centals
						(100 lbs.).
Australia .	•	•	•	•	•	65,000
South Africa .			•		• 1	88,000
British India .					.	25,000,000
Malta		-	-			8.000
Cyprus .						14,000
Southern Rhodesi	<u>.</u>	•	•	•	•	27.000
Northern Rhodesi		**	•.	•	•	2,000
		•	•	•	•	
Nyasaland	:		•	•	•	22,000
Anglo-Egyptian S	udan	L .	•	•	•	509,000
Ceylon	•			•		1,000
West Indies .	•	•	•	•	•	No returns
Total		•	•	•		25,726,000

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Cotton :

Canada, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

British Empire Imports of Cotton (Raw):

Total British Empire Imports-20,876,000 centals. Valued at £131,400,000. These Imports represent 79% of British Empire Production.

Country,		Imports.				
Comitry.	•	Quantity.	Value.			
······································			Centals.	£		
Canada	•	.	1,009,000	5,126,000		
British India .	•	•	428,000	2,581,000		
West Indies .	•	•	2,000	28,000		
United Kingdom		•	18,942,000	123,720,000		
Total .	•		20,876,000	181,400,000		

British Empire Imports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Cotton (Raw):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Cotton (Raw) :

Total British Empire Exports of Cotton— 18,738,000 centals. Valued at £63,528,000. These Exports represent 53% of British Empire Production.

Country.	Exp	Exports.				
country.	Quantity.	Value.				
British India Cyprus	14,000	£ 60,887,000 47,000 797,000 96,000				
Anglo-Egyptian Sudan West Indies	58,000	1,679,000 17,000				
Total	18,788,000	68,528,000				

**British Empire Exports by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Cotton (Raw):

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda,

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British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

## COTTON (MANUFACTURES OF)

British Empire Imports of Cotton (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Imports—£128,220,000. British Empire Imports by Countries:

C	oun	try.				Value.
		•		. ,		£
Canada .	•	•	•	•	•	7,072,000
Australia .	•	•	•	•	•	10,567,000
New Zealand .	•	•	•	•		2,468,000
South Africa .	•	•	•	•	•	6,602,000
Newfoundland	•	•	•	•	•	196,000
Irish Free State	•	•	•	•	•	22,721,000
British India .	•	•		•	•	44,697,000
Malta	•	•	•	•	•	178,000
Cyprus.	•	• `	•	•	•	281,000
Gambia .	•	•	•		•	141,000
Sierra Leone .	•	•		•	•	556,000
Nigeria	•	•	•	•	•	7,215,000
Southern Rhodesia		•	•	•	• •	540,000
Northern Rhodesia		•	•	•	•	188,000
lanzibar .	•	•	•	•	• ]	885,000
Kenya and Uganda		•	•	•	•	1,626,000
Nyasaland	•	•	•	•	• f	259,000
Inglo-Egyptian Su	lan	•	•	•		1,211,000
lauritius .	•		•	•	•	19,000
Seychelles .	•	٠	•	•	•	14,000
Aden	•			•	•	1,466,000
British Malaya	•	•		•	•	7,628,000
Jeylon	•	•	•	•	•	1,796,000
arawak .	•	•	•	•	•	288,000
British Honduras	•	•	•	•	•	69,000
British Guiana	•	•	•	•	•	872,000
Jnited Kingdom	•	•	•	•	•	9,880,000
Total		•	•	•		128,220,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Cotton (Manufactures of):

Gold Coast, St. Helena, Somaliland, North Borneo, Brunei, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Cotton (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Exports—£185,809,000. British Empire Exports by Countries:

	Value.									
Canada .						. 1	182,000			
British India		•				.	11,922,000			
Malta		•	•			•	4,000			
Aden .						. 1	1,486,000			
British Malayı	8		-			. l	2.809.000			
United Kingd	om	•	•	•	•	•	168,906,000			
Tota	l	•	•	•	•	•	185,809,000			

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Cotton (Manufactures of):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei,

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Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

### WOOL (IN GREASE)

British Empire Production of Wool (in Grease):

Total British Empire Production-12,518,000 centals (100 lbs.).

	Quantity Produced.										
Canada	•	•	•	•	•	156,000					
Australia .					.	8,805,000					
New Zealand .					.	1,784,000					
South Africa					. 1	1,679,000					
Irish Free State	•				.	158,000					
British India .						484,000					
Cyprus .	-					7.000					
Kenya and Ugano	la		-			6,000					
Falkland Isles	•	•	. •	•		84,000					
Total				•		12,518,000					

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Wool (in Grease):

Newfoundland, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles,

WOOL	(IN	<b>GREASE</b> )	
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Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, Northern Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, United Kingdom.

## British Empire Imports of Wool (in Grease):

Total British Empire Imports-7,616,000 centals (100 lbs.). Valued at £73,898,000. These imports represent 61% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country.		Imports.				
country.		ľ	Quantity.	Value.		
		[	Centals.	£		
Canada		.	144,000	1,412,000		
British India .		.	208,000	689,000		
United Kingdom	•	•	7,269,000	71,797,000		
Total .	•	•	7,616,000	73,898,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Wool (in Grease):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, AngloEgyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Wool (in Grease) :

Total British Empire Exports—9,544,000 centals (100 lbs.). Valued at £96,591,000. These exports represent 76% of British Empire Production.

Country.		Exports.				
country.		Quantity.	Value.			
	<u>.</u>		Centals.	£		
Australia		.	4,928,000	55.581.000		
New Zealand			1.660.000	14,248,000		
South Africa			1,600,000	18,888,000		
Irish Free State			88,000	286,000		
British India			484,000	2,538,000		
Cyprus	•	. i	7.000	26,000		
Kenya and Uganda	•		6,000	88,000		
Falkland Isles	•		84,000	808,000		
United Kingdom	•	•	842,000	9,788,000		
Total .	•	•	9,544,000	96,591,000		

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Wool (in Grease):

### WOOL (MANUFACTURES OF)

Canada, Newfoundland, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana.

### WOOL (MANUFACTURES OF)

British Empire Imports of Wool (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Imports-£83,983,000. British Empire Imports by Countries:

	Imports.						
······							£
Canada .	•	•	•			.	8,876,000
Australia	•	•	•	•		.	4,172,000
New Zealand		•					880,000
South Africa			•				1,548,000
Newfoundland	•						116,000
British India							8,174,000
Malta .			-	-			75,000
Cyprus .	-	2		-			60,000
Sierra Leone		-		-			22.000
Gold Coast			•				2.074.000
Kenya and Ug	hne	a .					48.000
Cevion .	-			•	•		76,000
United Kingdo	m	•	•	•	•		18,872,000
Total		•	•	•	•		88,988,000

From records available, the following parts of the

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British Empire do not appear to import Wool (Manufactures of):

Irish Free State, Gambia, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Wool (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Exports-£54,011,000. British Empire Exports by Countries:

	Exports.					
Canada .	•	•	•	•		£ 68,000
Irish Free State British India	•	•	•	:	:	249,000 78,000
United Kingdom	•	•	•	•	•	58,621,000
Total	•	•	٠	٠	•	54,011,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Wool (Manufactures of):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda,

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Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

### HEMP, FLAX AND JUTE (RAW)

British Empire Production of Hemp, Flax and Jute : Total British Empire Production-1,672,000 tons.

British I	Smpire	Production	by	Countries :	
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	Quantity. Produced.					
~ .					Ĩ	Tons.
Canada	•	•	•	•	• ]	1,000
New Zealand	•				•	17,000
Irish Free State					.	2,000
British India	-					1,628,000
Cyprus						1,000
Kenya and Uganda			-			18,000
Mauritius					- 1	2,000
West Indies						2,000
United Kingdom	•					6,000
Total						1,672,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Hemp, Flax and Jute :

Australia, South Africa, Newfoundland, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Imports of Hemp, Flax and Jute :

Total British Empire Imports-825,770 tons. Valued at £16,862,000. These Imports represent 19% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country.			Imports.				
country.		ĺ	Quantity.	Value.			
United Kingdom			Tons. 825,770	£ 16,862,000			
Total .	•	•	825,770	16,862,000			

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Hemp, Flax and Jute:

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland,

Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

Total British Empire Exports—729,000 tons. Valued at £20,548,000. These Exports represent 44% of British Empire Production.

Country.	Exp	orts.
country.	Quantity.	Value.
British India	Tons. 729,000	£ 20,548,000
Total	729,000	20,548,000

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Hemp, Flax and Jute:

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles,

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British Empire Exports of Hemp, Flax and Jute :

Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

### HEMP, FLAX AND JUTE ROPE, BAGS, Etc. (MANUFACTURES OF)

# British Empire Imports of Hemp, Flax and Jute Rope, Bags, etc:

Total British Empire Imports—£8,548,000. British Empire Imports by Countries :

	Imports.					
						£
Canada	•	•	•	•	•	2,855,000
Australia .		•		•	•	1,871,000
South Africa		•		•	•	2,071,000
Cyprus			•	•		21,000
Gambia			•			11,000
Sierra Leone				•	•	54,000
Gold Coast		•				814,000
Nigeria	•	•			.	465,000
Southern Rhodes	ia.	•				188,000
Zanzibar .					.	21,000
Kenya and Ugan	đa.	•			. 1	228,000
Nyasaland			•	•	·. ]	15,000
Anglo-Egyptian S	Sudan					168,000
Mauritius .		•	•	•		154,000
Seychelles .		•		•		2,000
Fiji			•	•		89,000
Tongan Islands	•	•		•	. 1	17,000
British Guiana	•	•	•	•	•	54,000
Total					•	8,548,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import manufactures of Hemp, Flax and Jute Rope, Bags, etc. :

New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Somaliland, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

British Empire Exports of Hemp, Flax and Jule Rope, Bags, etc. :

Total British Empire Exports-£52,183,000.

	Exports.					
British India Papua United Kingdom	•	•	•	•	•	£ 84,325,000 13,000 17,845,000
Total	•	•	•	•	•	52,188,000

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Hemp, Flax and Jute Rope, Bags, etc. (Manufactures of):

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## RUBBER (RAW)

British Empire Production of Rubber :

Total British Empire Production of Rubber-5,981,000 centals.

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

Country.	Quantity Produced.	Acreage under Production.	Production per Acre.
	Centals (100 lbs.).		Centals.
British India	200.000	182.600	1.5
Gold Coast	11,000	No returns	
Nigeria	21,000	do.	
Kenya and Uganda.	9,000	16,279	0.56
Nyasaland	2,000	1,865	1.47
British Malaya .	4,854,000	1,959,000	2.28
Ceylon	1,022,000	488,950	2.8
North Borneo .	122,000	70,466	1.7
Brunei	18,000	No returns	—
Sarawak	205,000	do.	
Papua	11,000	7,728	1.4
Fiji	1,000	1,918	0.52
West Indies	1,000	No returns	
British Guiana	9,000	2,200	4.0
Total .	5,981,000		_

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From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Rubber :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, Falkland Isles. United Kingdom.

British Empire Imports of Rubber :

Total British Empire Imports—£58,594,000. British Empire Imports by Countries :

Count	ry.	·	Imports. Value.		
Canada British Malaya Ceylon United Kingdom	•	•	•	£ 2,013,000 27,722,000 (Para Rubber) 1,020,000 (Raw Rubber) 27,889,000	
Total	•	•	•	58,594,000	

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Rubber :

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfound-I land, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, I Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. I Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, 9

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Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Exports of Rubber :

Total British Empire Exports—£104,280,000. British Empire Exports by Countries :

	Exports. Value.						
							£
British India	•	•	•		•		958,000
Gold Coast							84,000
Nigeria .		•		-			108,000
Kenya and Up	zand	la .					78,000
British Malaya	8.			-			87.486.000
Cevlon .							11.888.000
North Borneo						.	1.898.000
Brunei .						-	174.000
Sarawak .							2,702,000
Papua .	•		•	•	•	•	69,000
Total		•	•				104,280,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Rubber :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somali-

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land, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

### RUBBER (MANUFACTURES OF)

British Empire Imports of Rubber (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Imports—£9,679,000. British Empire Imports by Countries:

· c	Imports Value,					
	£					
Canada		•				860,000
Australia	•			•	.	2,919,000
South Africa	•				•	820,000
Irish Free State			•	•	• • •	- 480,000
Southern Rhodesia		•	•	•	.	86,000
British Malaya	•		•	•	-	471,000
Ceylon	•	•		•		225,000
United Kingdom	•	•	٠	•	•	8,868,000
Total	•			-		9,679,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Rubber (Manufactures of):

New Zealand, Newfoundland, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, North Borneo,

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Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

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British Empire Exports of Rubber (Manufactures of): Total British Empire Exports-£9,951,000. British Empire Exports by Countries:

	Exports. Value.					
						£
Canada	•	•		•	•	2,835,000
United Kingdom	•	•	•	•	•	2,835,000 7,616,000
Total		•	•	•	•	9,951,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Rubber (Manufactures of):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

### **IRON ORE**

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## British Empire Production of Iron Ore :

Total British Empire Production—18,884,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

C	Quantity. Produced.					
		Tons.				
Australia .	•		•		•	789,000
Newfoundland					.	1,132,000
British India		•			.	1,544,000
Southern Rhodesia		-	-	-		1.000
British Malaya						272,000
United Kingdom	•	•	•	•		10,146,000
Total	•		•			13,884,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Iron Ore:

Canada, New Zealand, South Africa, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasalaad, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

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British Empire Imports of Iron Ore :

Total British Empire Imports 5,201,000 tons. Valued at £5,087,000. These Imports represent 88% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country.			Imports.				
country.			Quantity.	Value.			
Canada United Kingdom		:	Tons. 911,000 4,290,000	£ 479,000 4,608,000			
Total .			5,201,000	5,087,000			

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Iron Ore:

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## British Empire Exports of Iron Ore :

Total British Empire Exports. Valued at £1,488,000.

British Empire Exports by Countries :

Country.	Exports.			
councily.	Quantity.	Value,		
British India	Tons. No records available	£ 1,438,000		
Total		1,438,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Iron Ore :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

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#### PIG IRON

## **British Empire Production of Pig Iron :**

Total British Empire Production—4,966,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

	Quantity Produced.						
							Tons.
Canada .	•	•	•		•	•	596,000
Australia	•					• [	489,000
New Zealand							1,000
British India							887,000
United Kingd	om		•	•	•	•	8,048,000
Tota	1	•	•	•	•	•	4,966,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Pig Iron :

South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### PIG IRON

#### British Empire Imports of Pig Iron :

Total British Empire Imports—864,000 tons. Valued at £1,484,000. These Imports represent 7% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

- Country.		Imports.				
country.		ľ	Quantity.	Value.		
			Tons.	£		
Canada		.	90,000	861,000		
Mauritius	•	- 1	10,000	42,000		
United Kingdom	•	•	264,000	1,081,000		
Total .			864,000	1,484,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Pig Iron :

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## British Empire Exports of Pig Iron :

Total British Empire Exports—938,000 tons. Valued at £5,434,000. These Exports represent 19% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Exports by Countries :

Country,	•	Exports.				
country,	•		Quantity.	Value.		
British India . United Kingdom	•	:	Tons. 841,000 597,000	£ 1,445,000 8,989,000		
Total .			988,000	5,484,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Pig Iron :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## **IRON AND STEEL (MANUFACTURES OF) 107**

IRON AND STEEL (MANUFACTURES OF)

British Empire Imports of Iron and Steel (Manufactures of):

Total British Empire Imports—£78,297,000. British Empire Imports by Countries :

	Country.								
		·					£		
Canada .	•	•	•	-	•		11,417,000		
Australia	•	•			•		11,016,000		
New Zealand	•		•	•	•	• [	8,879,000		
South Africa			•		•	•	8,828,000		
Newfoundland				-			285,000		
lrish Free Stat	æ					. (	2,094,000		
British India					•	. (	12,046,000		
Cyprus .							14,000		
Gambia						I	21,000		
Sierra Leone							148,000		
Nigeria .					-		1,051,000		
St. Helena	-						568,000		
Nyasaland	-	-		-			18,000		
Anglo-Egyptia	n Su	เปล่า		-		Ĭ	892,000		
British Malaya			-		•		2,802,000		
Ceylon .	_		•	-	•		789,000		
North Borneo		•	•	•	•		419,000		
Fongan Island					•		22,000		
Bermuda		•	•	•	•	•	44,000		
British Hondu	709	•	•	•	•	•	23,000		
British Guiana		•	•	•	•	•	169,000		
United Kingdo		•	•	•	•	•	22,802,000		
Curve Kunger		_•	•	•	•	•	22,002,000		
Total	•	•	•		•	•	78,297,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Iron and Steel (Manufactures of):

Malta, Gold Coast, Southern Rhodesia, Northern

Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, West Indies, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Iron and Steel (Manufactures of):

Total British Empire Exports-66,453,000 tons. British Empire Exports by Countries :

	Exports.					
Canada British Malaya United Kingdom	•	•		•	•	£ 1,977,000 610,000 68,866,000
Total	•	•	•	•	•	66,458,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Iron and Steel (Manufactures of):

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands,' Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### TIN

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# British Empire Production of Tin:

Total British Empire Production—98,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

	Quantity. Produced.					
Australia						Tons. 8,000
South Africa	:	•	•		:1	1,000 (Tin Ore)
British India	:	:		-		2,000
Nigeria .			•		. ]	6,000
British Malay	8	•		•	.	79,000
United Kingd	om	•	٠	• ,	. •	2,000
Tota	1	•	•	•	•	98,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Tin :

Canada, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

British Empire Imports of Tin :

Total British Empire Imports-66,000 tons. Valued at £9,759,000. These Imports represent 69% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

Country.		Imports.				
country.	I		Quantity.	Value.		
Canada United Kingdom	•	•	Tons. 2,000 64,000	£ 452,000 9,807,000		
Total .	•		66,000	9,759,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Tin :

Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### TIN

#### British Empire Exports of Tin :

Total British Empire Exports 88,000 tons. Valued at £22,177,000. These Exports represent 92% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Exports by Countries :

Countr			Exports.				
Willing .	<b>y</b> .			Quantity.	Value.		
Nigeria British Malaya		:	:	Tons. 9,000 79,000	£ 1,787,000 20, <b>440,000</b>		
Total .		•		88,000	22,177,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Tin :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

TIN PLATES, SHEETS, INGOTS, ETC.

British Empire Imports of Tin Plates, Sheets, Ingots, etc.:

Total British Empire Imports-£6,869,000. British Empire Imports by Countries :

	Imports.						
Canada New Zealand .		•	•	•	•	•	£ 1,885,000 216,000
British India United Kingdom	1	•	•		•		652,000 4,166,000
Total			•		- <u>-</u>		6,869,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Tin Plates, Sheets, Ingots, etc. :

Australia, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Tin Plates, Sheets, Ingots, etc.:

Total British Empire Exports—£20,049,000. British Empire Exports by Countries :

	Country.								
Australia South Africa United Kingdom	•	•	•	•		£ 406,000 ] 220,000 19,423,000			
Total	•	•	•	•	•	20,049,000			

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Tin Plates, Sheets, Ingots, etc. :

Canada, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### LEAD

British Empire Production of Lead : Total British Empire Production—821,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries 2

	Quantity Produced.						
							Tons.
Canada .	•	•	•	•	•	•	110,000
Australia	•	•	•			•	149,000
British India	•		•	•	•	•	47,000
Northern Rho	desia			•			8,000
United Kingdo	m	•	•	•	•	•	12,000
Total	l				•		821,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Lead :

New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

#### LEAD

## British Empire Imports of Lead :

Total British Empire Imports—335,000 tons. Valued at £11,938,000. These Imports represent 8% more than British Empire Production.

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

Counting	·	Imports.				
Country.			Quantity.	Value.		
British India Ceylon United Kingdom	•	•	Tons. 54,000 6,000 275,000	£ 1,758,000 195,000 9,985,000		
Total ,	•	•	885,000	11,938,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Lead :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

## British Empire Exports of Lead :

Total British Empire Exports—179,000 tons. Valued at £6,281,000. These Exports represent 56% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Exports by Countries :

Country.		Exports.				
country.		Quantity.	Value.			
			Tons.	£		
Australia	•	.	118,000	4,154,000		
British India .		.	47,000	1,581,000		
Northern Rhodesia	•	. 1	8,000	66,000		
United Kingdom	•	•	11,000	480,000		
Total .	•		179,000	6,281,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Lead :

Canada, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

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## **British Empire Production of Copper:**

Total British Empire Production—110,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

Country.	Quantity Produced.					
country.	Copper.	Copper Ore.	Total.			
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.			
Canada	15,000	50,000	65,000			
Australia	11,000	12,000	28,000			
Southern Rhodesia	2,000	2,000	4,000			
Northern Rhodesia	(74)	_	(74)			
Papua	(87)	2,000	2,000			
South Africa		8,000	8,000			
British India	I _	5,000	5,000			
Cyprus	I —	8,000	8,000			
Total .	28,000	82,000	110,000			

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Copper or Copper Ore :

New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

British Empire Imports of Copper Ore and Copper : Total British Empire Imports-80,000 tons. Valued at £4,756,000. These Imports represent 72% of British Empire Production.

British Empire Imports by Countries :

Country.			Imports.			
country.	country.		-		Quantity.	Value.
British India . Kenya and Uganda United Kingdom	•	•	Tons. 48,000 Not stated 87,000	£ 2,974,000 87,000 1,745,000		
Total .			80,000	4,756,000		

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Copper or Copper Ore:

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

NOTE.—The above Import figures include Copperware and articles manufactured with Copper. British Empire Exports of Copper:

Total British Empire Exports—88,000 tons. Valued at £5,590,000. These Exports represent 75% of British Empire Production.

Country.		Exports.			
country.		Quantity.	Value.		
•			Tops.		
Canada		.	49,000	2,885,000	
Australia	•		4,000	236,000	
South Africa .	•		1,000	56,000	
British India .			Not stated	198,000	
Papua	•	.	2,000	42,000	
Southern Rhodesia	•	. ]	2,000	260,000	
Northern Rhodesia		•••	Not stated	1,000	
United Kingdom	•	•	25,000	2,412,000	
Total .			83,000	5,590,000	

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Copper or Copper Ore:

New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

NOTE.—The above export figures include Copperware and articles manufactured with Copper.

#### COAL

British Empire Production of Coal:

Total British Empire Production-805,980,000 tons.

**British Empire Production by Countries :** 

	Quantity Produced.						
	Tons.						
Canada .	•		•	•	•		11,728,000
Australia							14,508,000
New Zealand	•	•					2,115,000
South Africa							12.125.000
British India							20,904,000
Nigeria .		-	-				248,000
Southern Rho	desia					-	678,000
British Malay		-					408.000
North Borneo						•	80,000
Sarawak .	•	-	•	•	•	•	20,000
United Kingd		•	•	•	•	•	243,176,000
	Jul	•	•	•	•	•	230,170,000
Total	1	•	•			•	805,980,000

From records available, the following countries of the British Empire do not appear to produce Coal:

Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Ceylon, Brunei, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Imports of Coal:

Total British Empire Imports—20,744,000 tons. These Imports represent 7% of British Empire Production.

**British Empire Imports by Countries :** 

Co	Quantity.					
						Tons.
Canada	•	•		•	•	14,870,000
Australia .	•	•			•	6,000
New Zealand	•	•	•	•	•	573,000
South Africa	•	•		•	•	16,000
Newfoundland	•	•	•	•	•	888,000
Irish Free State	•	•	•	•	- 1	2,289,000
British India	•	•	•	•	•	448,000
Malta	•	•	•	•	•	237,000
Cyprus .	•	•	•		•	6,000
Sierra Leone	•	•	•	•	- [	85,000
Gold Coast	•	•	•	•	.	49,000
Nigeria .	•	•		•	-	19,000
Northern Rhodesia	•		•	•	- 1	89,000
Zanzibar .	•	•	•	•	•	6,000
Kenya and Uganda	•		-	•	•	74,000
Anglo-Egyptian Sud	an	•	•	•		184,000
Mauritius .	•	•	•	•	•	48,000
British Malaya		•	•			627,000
Ceylon			•	•	•	672,000
Fiji .	•				.	41,000
Bermuda .		•			. 1	12,000
West Indies .		•			.	171,000
British Honduras			•			88,000
British Guiana	•	•	•	•	•	1,000
Total	•		•	•		20,744,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Coal :

Gambia, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Seychelles, Aden, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

## British Empire Exports of Coal:

Total British Empire Exports—62,285,000 tons. These Exports represent 20% of British Empire Production.

British Empi	re Exports by	y Countries :
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	Quantity.								
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Canada	•		•			690,000			
Australia .	•			•	.	2,098,000			
New Zealand		•			.	145,000			
South Africa .		•			ł	8,829,000			
Irish Free State	•	•	•			12,000			
British India .			•			288,000			
Malta						181,000			
Sierra Leone						26,000			
Gold Coast	-	-	-			22,000			
Southern Rhodesia	. I					186.000			
Anglo-Egyptian Si		-	-			108,000			
British Malaya					- 1	468.000			
Ceylon						584.000			
North Borneo					Ţ	64,000			
West Indies	-			•		100.000			
United Kingdom	•	•	•	•	•	54,089,000			
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Total	•	•	•	•	•	62,285,000			

From records available, the following parts of the. British Empire do not appear to export Coal:

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Newfoundland, Cyprus, Gambia, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

Note.—The above export figures include Bunker Coal.

#### WINE

#### British Empire Imports of Wine :

Total British Empire Imports—19,888,000 gallons. Valued at £7,945,000.

British	Empire	Imports	by	Countries :
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Country.		Imports.			
country.		ľ	Quantity.	Value.	
			Gallons.	£	
Canada		•	561,000	286,000	
New Zealand		•	240,000	141.000	
British India	•	•	274,000	192,000	
Malta				106.000	
Gambia		.	49,000	6,000	
Gold Coast .		•	180,000	71,000	
Kenya and Uganda	•	•	44,000	29.000	
Mauritius .	•		260,000	117.000	
Seychelles .		.	8,000	8.000	
United Kingdom	•	•	17,767,000	6,994,000	
Total .			19,888,000	7,945,000	

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From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Wine :

Australia, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, Cyprus, Sierra Leone, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles.

# British Empire Exports of Wine :

Total British Empire Exports-2,469,000 gallons. Valued at £283,000.

Country.			Exports.			
country.			Quantity.	Value.		
			Gallons.	£		
Australia		. !	875,000	188,000		
South Africa .			166.000	24,000		
Cyprus	•	•	1,158,000	56,000		
British Honduras	•	•	270,000	20,000		
Total	•		2,469,000	288,000		

British Empire Exports by Countries :

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Wine :

#### ASBESTOS

Canada, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

#### ASBESTOS

## **British Empire Production of Asbestos :**

Total British Empire Production—295,000 tons. British Empire Production by Countries :

	Quantity. Produced.						
							Tons.
Canada .	•	•			•	•	251,000
South Africa	•		•				10,000
Cyprus .	•	•	•		•	- 1	8,000
Southern Rho	desia	•	•	•	•	•	81,000
Tota	J	•	-		•		295,000

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to produce Asbestos :

Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone,

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Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

# British Empire Imports of Asbestos :

## NIL.

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to import Asbestos :

Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Cyprus, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

#### ASBESTOS

# British Empire Exports of Asbestos :

Total British Empire Exports—148,000 tons. Valued at £2,111,000. These Exports represent 50% of British Empire Production.

Country.			Exports.	
			Quantity.	Value.
· · · · ·			Tons.	£
Canada	•		108,000	1,818,000
South Africa .			6,000	102,000
Cyprus			8,000	55,000
Southern Rhodesia	•	•	81,000	686,000
Total .	•		148,000	2,111,000

**British Empire Exports by Countries :** 

From records available, the following parts of the British Empire do not appear to export Asbestos :

Australia, New Zealand, Newfoundland, Irish Free State, British India, Malta, Gambia, Sierra Leone, Gold Coast, Nigeria, St. Helena, Northern Rhodesia, Zanzibar, Kenya and Uganda, Nyasaland, Somaliland, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Mauritius, Seychelles, Aden, British Malaya, Ceylon, North Borneo, Brunei, Sarawak, Papua, Fiji, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, British Solomon Islands, Tongan Islands, Bermuda, West Indies, British Honduras, British Guiana, Falkland Isles, United Kingdom.

#### BRIEF SUMMARY

I think it will be agreed that this chapter of figures relating to the trade of the British Empire, as affecting certain commodities, indicates that there is wide scope for intensifying Inter-Empire trade, with due regard to the production of food-stuffs and raw materials not being sacrificed in some parts of the Empire in order to make certain manufactured goods which can be produced efficiently in the United Kingdom and other parts of the Empire. In these circumstances, I propose to make certain suggestions in the next chapter in the hope that they will stimulate consideration of the problem and help in its ultimate solution.

Chapter II
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## An Empire Phantasy

WHAT can we all do, individually and collectively, to assist in promoting the economic development of the Empire? I do not think we require anything on the lines of the Empire Marketing Board because, however useful the work of this Board may be in encouraging the consumption and use of Empire products, the masses of the people are not directly connected nor influenced. I suggest we need something which will first of all promote a real personal interest in the Empire; then I suggest we require something which will provide an opportunity for the individual to actively co-operate, irrespective of age, sex or position; and then I think we require something which can provide a base of equality to all, from which co-ordination of status, interest and activity can emanate. I suggest we want the children to take an active and practical interest in the Empire; we want to inculcate in all a live realisation of Empire tradition and destiny; and we want to have an opportunity of consecrating the efforts of our Empire pioneers by consolidating their work and sacrifices, and erecting a structure which will bring greater contentment and prosperity to all.

How can these objects be achieved? I suggest by the formation of a Company under the title, "British Empire, Ltd.," with shares of such denomination that all Empire citizens can become shareholders in a great work which can continue for all time. The formation of such a Company will be a difficult proposition, and many may consider that it is not practicable, but I am convinced that something could be done on the lines suggested, and possible results appear to justify an attempt being made. I am submitting, therefore, a draft prospectus and economic policy as a base for consideration, and if anything is attempted, the initiative should no doubt be taken by the Mother Country.

# DRAFT PROSPECTUS

## BRITISH EMPIRE, LTD.

Authorised Capital . . . . Unlimited.

# **Divided** into

Unlimited Ordinary Shares of 1s. each.

Issue of

Unlimited number of Ordinary Shares of 1s. each.

The BANK OF ENGLAND, together with such other British and Empire banks as they may appoint, are authorised to receive applications in respect of the above at any and all times.

#### Directors :

One Nominee of the British Government and of each component part of the British Empire.

## Purposes of Issue :

The purpose of this Issue is to advise and assist in the development of the resources of the British Empire so far as the production, the use and consumption of products grown and manufactured within the British Empire are concerned, thus helping to knit the Empire together as a more progressive economic unit, and assisting to alleviate unemployment.

## Allotment of Shares :

Any number of Shares may be applied for, but a large number of small Shareholders will be considered more advantageous to the Company's development than a small number of large Shareholders.

## Dividends :

No monetary Dividends on Capital will be paid, and the Directors of "British Empire, Ltd." will use and/or invest the Capital of the Company with a view to the realisation of the purposes of the Issue, which, if achieved, will bring greater contentment, prosperity and fellowship within the British Empire, in which all Shareholders will participate.

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It is conceivable that if such a Company were formed, and energetic and patriotic action taken throughout the Empire to float it, the number of applications for shares would be so large that active steps could be taken by the Company to assist in the solution of many problems confronting the Empire to-day.

It is not the intention that the Company should in any way attempt to fix or control Empire economic policy; this would be impossible and inadvisable. The Company would simply function in an advisory capacity, undertaking such research work as may be necessary, and generally acting as a helpful Empire subsidiary in the formulation and operation of Empire economic policy.

There would be many avenues through which to use and invest the capital of the Company, such as loans for Empire development, assistance to Overseas settlers, and advertising Empire products. In these connections a co-ordinated policy for the Empire as a whole would ensure that developments were assisted in the most suitable parts of the Empire, in the interests of the Empire as a whole, and not of individual parts.

In the event of any further consideration being given to the floatation of "British Empire, Ltd.," the question of the Company refunding the par value of shares to Shareholders on demand might be analysed, and any necessary notification inserted in the Prospectus, although it is doubtful whether any Shareholders would wish to take advantage thereof.

It is conceivable that even a child would view with pride a Share Certificate in "British Empire, Ltd.," and the natural effect on all sections of the community in all parts of the Empire having a common interest would do much to harmonise outlook and purpose.

It would, of course, be understood that all Share Certificates should be printed on Empire paper, by Empire labour, and I would suggest that the Staff of "British Empire, Ltd." should be composed of Ex-service men and women (and their dependents), as we owe to them the preservation of our Empire. It would, therefore, be fitting that they should assist to maintain and develop the Empire during peace. And, after all, what better Staff to promote their interests could the Shareholders of "British Empire, Ltd." have than their Ex-service men and women and their dependents?

I suggest that, with the co-operation of the various parts of the Empire, and their different Government departments, the practical interests of our children and all sections of people could be obtained in "British Empire, Ltd." Many methods could be adopted in order to ensure that shares could be purchased on various bases—not once, but regularly for all time—and these could be con-

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sidered, from time to time, by the Directors of "British Empire, Ltd."

Whether a Company such as "British Empire, Ltd." is formed or not, there is surely urgent need for an agreed Empire economic policy, which will provide a guide to Empire industries. In my view, such a policy must not, in any way, involve Government control of the Empire's commercial activities, but I do think a broad outline of economic policy for the Empire as a whole could be formulated for the guidance of Empire industrial activity. In this connection, I would suggest the following draft for consideration :

## Suggested Outline of Empire Economic Policy

1. With the development, particularly since the war, in the intensity and scope of the competition throughout the world, it has become increasingly necessary that the British Empire should set before itself a definite and progressive policy. It is the aim that the varied requirements of each part of the Empire and the world should be catered for by producing the kind of goods required, and not simply offering the kind of goods generally manufactured and produced. In the main, it is proposed that all industrial fields should be more intensively developed by the Empire, on an agreed policy. The extension of more co-ordinated trading through the Empire is, therefore, being undertaken in order that

(a) maximum efficiency in production and selling is ensured; (b) the requirements of the Empire can be met, as far as ever possible, by production within the Empire; (c) Empire progress and development can be participated in on a more equitable basis throughout the Empire; and (d) in view of the specially uneasy and particularly volatile condition of the trade of the world at present, safeguards are furnished against any substantial change in the requirements of the world's markets.

2. Competition in world trade has three main features directly affecting the Empire, viz. (a) Foodstuffs, (b) Raw Materials, and (c) Manufactured Goods.

In regard to (a) Food-stuffs :—The policy is to render the Empire self-supporting as far as ever possible.

In regard to (b) Raw Materials:—It is also the policy to render the Empire self-supporting as far as ever possible.

In regard to (c) Manufactured Goods:—It is the policy to produce these to meet the requirements of the Empire and the world in such parts of the Empire as are most suitable, with due regard to existing conditions and facilities.

8. Although healthy competition within the limits of this policy is not to be discouraged between the various parts of the Empire, a judicious measure of co-ordination and co-operation is desirable. Great Britain's policy in this matter may be summarised as follows:

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(a) That the requirements of Great Britain should be fully understood by each part of the Empire.

(b) That points of difficulties arising in the application of any policy shall be discussed and reviewed by a Conference of Representatives of each component part of the Empire.

(c) That production and distribution shall be wholly the responsibility of each part of the Empire, and that conferences between commercial representatives of the various parts shall be held from time to time to effect reasonable co-ordination when necessary, and to facilitate the exchange of information and views, in order that a progressive and successful policy is pursued in the best interests of all concerned.

4. In operating any policy of development for the Empire, it is vital that the absorption of the unemployed should not be compromised. Great Britain's policy is calculated to increase steadily the employment of its people, but a major foundation of this point of policy is that Great Britain's costs cannot be reduced in some industries to such an extent as to meet competition with countries with comparatively lower standards of life, and parts of the Empire with equivalent standards of life to Great Britain can assist, as their conditions enable certain British goods of quality to be within their purchasing power.

With this problem of absorbing unemployed before us, it is important that any proposed increase in the production and manufacturing capacity of any part of the Empire should be most carefully reviewed before policy is decided upon and extensions under-Such a review should include consideration taken. as to the possibility of any further potential turnover for any part of the Empire being manufactured or produced in any other part of the Empire. This will clearly involve difficulties, but particularly remembering the surplus labour capacity which already exists throughout the Empire, it would be desirable if contemplated industrial developments in any part of the Empire were considered in relation to the possibilities and the existing capacity of other parts of the Empire.

5. It is the policy that the export of goods from each part of the Empire both within and outside the Empire shall be in the hands of Industry in each part of the Empire, but co-ordination will be aimed at, in order to avoid undue competition. The principal object shall be to obtain for the Empire, severally and collectively, the largest possible export trade, bearing in mind the capacity of each part of the Empire, and the extent to which trade within the Empire and in its own market is still undeveloped. It should not be the policy to develop export trade where avenues exist for the more profitable development of trade in the Home market.

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Although I have described this chapter as a "Phantasy," I venture to suggest that if something were attempted and accomplished on the lines described, the Empire would become a greater asset to all its citizens.

I have had the privilege of travelling the world intensively, and I am convinced that many of the citizens of the British Commonwealth of Nations do not realise that their heritage makes them the most favoured people in the world. With a heritage, however, there is a tradition and a responsibility, and, in my view, I do not think that either of these factors are sufficiently realised.

Let us consider briefly this question of Tradition, and analyse whether to-day we are obsessed with the spirit of our pioneers of the past. If we reflect that less than a century ago we had ancestors who faced hard work in foreign lands without present-day comforts, who suffered hardships and sacrifices without financial and physical security, we must wonder whether we have not reversed, in recent years, these great qualities, and that, as a people, we now want present-day comforts without hard work, and desire financial security without hardships and sacrifice. I am confident that, as a people, we still possess the good old qualities of our Empire pioneers, but I do feel that they will continue to lie dormant in many of our people unless we create an Empire economic revival which can only emanate from

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a sound and progressive Inter-Empire Trade Policy.

Now let us take the question of Responsibility; the British Empire has wonderful resources and has manifold requirements. In such circumstances we surely have a responsibility, not only to our Empire builders, but to one another, to try to make our resources balance our requirements as far as ever possible and advisable. I think it will be agreed that at the present time the Empire is a very long way from this objective, and I suggest that it is the responsibility of this generation to put the economic policy of the Empire on such a basis that we ensure that those that follow us receive an enhanced heritage, with a realisation of its attendant responsibilities.