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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

WOODS AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT

FOR THE

Year ended 31st December, 1905,

BY

G. G. RICHARDSON,

ACTING INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS.

Presented to both Houses of Parliament by His Excellency's Command.

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To the Hon. N. J. Moore, M.L.A., Minister for Lands.

Woods and Forests Department,
Perth, 10th May, 1906.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report upon the operations of the Woods and Forests Department for the year ended 31st December, 1905.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

C. G. RICHARDSON,
Acting Inspector General of Forests.

WOODS AND FORESTS DEPARTMENT.

Report by the Acting Inspector General of Forests.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

1. The following statement shows the revenue and expenditure of the Department since its inception in 1895:—

Year.	Revenue.	Expenditure.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st January to 31st December, 1895	3,175 5 2	1,108 5 5
.. .. . 1896	4,838 11 2	2,020 11 5
.. .. . 1897	12,320 6 4	3,489 14 4
.. .. . 1898	30,150 6 3	3,356 5 7
.. .. . 1899	16,999 11 3	2,438 7 5
.. .. . 1900	15,525 19 2	2,648 11 10
.. .. . 1901	18,477 16 2	2,747 6 3
.. .. . 1902	18,752 11 7	4,301 6 1
.. .. . 1903	20,478 9 1	3,789 3 4
.. .. . 1904	20,018 19 4	4,192 16 9
.. .. . 1905	18,479 18 6	5,089 18 6
	179,217 14 0	35,182 6 11

2. From the above statement it will be seen that to the end of 1905 the revenue has exceeded the expenditure by the large sum of £144,035 7s. 1d.

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR 1905.

3. The revenue derived from our Forests for rents of Timber Leases, Timber Concessions, Monthly Licenses, and Royalty amounted to £18,479 18s. 6d., and is £1,539 0s. 10d. less than that of the previous year.

4. The total expenditure of the Department for the year under review amounted to £5,089 18s. 6d., being £897 1s. 9d. more than that of last year; this increase being caused by the appointment of additional forest rangers.

THE STAFF.

5. The officers of the Department are as follow:—

Head Office.

C. G. Richardson, Acting Inspector General of Forests.	
F. U. Palmer, Clerk.	D. W. Arnold, Clerk.
R. Cooper, Typist.	R. R. Marshall, Clerk.

Forest Rangers.

H. S. Brockman, Donnybrook.	W. Pennell, Chidlow's Well.
C. Campbell, Kirupp.	S. Shore, Collie.
J. J. Fitzgerald, Waroona.	A. Stevenson, Bridgetown.
J. H. Gregory, Narrogin.	F. E. S. Willmott, Bridgetown.
G. F. Griffiths, Donnybrook.	T. C. Williams, Collie.
C. L. Hastie, Bunbury.	T. W. Allen, Caretaker, Point Walter Reserve.
E. Kelso, Coolgardie.	
D. McVicar, Katanning.	

PLANTATIONS.

6. The planting of about 70 acres of Pines has been completed this year at the State Nursery.

7. The pines planted in these permanent plantations include *Pinus insignis*, *Pinus pinaster*, *Pinus halypensis*, *Pinus excelsa*, *Pinus sylvestris*, and *Pinus ponderosa*.

8. A further area of about 100 acres is now being cleared, and it is hoped that it will be ready for planting next season.

9. All the pines mentioned in the plantations above are making very rapid growth, and the plantations generally are well worth the inspection of anyone interested in the planting of softwoods in this State.

THE STATE NURSERY.

LIST OF TREES AND SHRUBS RAISED IN NURSERY DURING THE YEAR 1905.

Acacia acuminata	.. .. .	Raspberry Jam (W.A.)	190
Do. Baileyana	.. .. .	Silver Weeping Wattle (N.S.W.)	1,296
Do. cultiformis	.. .. .	Silver Wattle (Tasmania)	228
Do. decurrens	.. .. .	Black Wattle (N.S.W.)	828
Do. dealbata	.. .. .	Silver Wattle (Queensland)	970
Do. pycnantha	.. .. .	Golden Wattle	1,872
Albizzia Saman	.. .. .	Rain Tree or Guango	345
Aleuritis cordata	.. .. .	Chinese Wood-oil Tree	130
Araucaria Bidwilli	.. .. .	Queensland Pine	249
Agonis flexuosa	.. .. .	Peppermint (W.A.)	180
Araucaria excelsa	.. .. .	Norfolk Island Pine	630
Cassia Cinnamornum	.. .. .		119
Ceratonia siliqua	.. .. .	Carob Bean	1,008
Cupressus (of sorts)	.. .. .	Cypress	3,294
Eucalyptus citriodora	.. .. .	Lemon Scented Gum (Queensland)	700
Do. corynocalyx	.. .. .	Sugar Gum (S.A.)	4,326
Do. ficifolia	.. .. .	Red Flowering Gum	950
Do. cornuta	.. .. .	Yate Gum	816
Eugenia myrtifolia	.. .. .	Brush Cherry or Myrtle (N.S.W.)	180
Ficus Australis	.. .. .	Port Macquarrie Fig	1,577
Do. macrophylla	.. .. .	Morton Bay Fig	1,670
Lagunaria Patersonii	.. .. .	Pyramid Tree	1,252
Phoenix dactylifera	.. .. .	Date Palm	972
Pittosporum undulatum	.. .. .	Cheese Wood	1,088
Sterculia acerifolia	.. .. .	Queensland Flame Tree	360
Schinus molle	.. .. .	Pepper Tree	8,360
Grevillea robusta	.. .. .	Silky Oak	1,600
Thuja occidentalis	.. .. .	Northern White Cedar (Arbor Vitæ)	271
Tristiana conferta	.. .. .	White Box	272
Total number of trees raised			35,733

DISTRIBUTION OF TREES.

10. The following list shows the number of trees and the various public bodies to which same were supplied during the year under review:—

Agricultural Societies	581
Bowling Clubs	70
Cemetery Boards	405
Convents (R.C.)	213
Churches	352
Deaf and Dumb Institution	125
Experimental Farm	1,163
Experimental purposes	11,175
Government Gardens	40
Hospitals	24
King's Park	284
Lunatic Asylum	1,759
Monastery	341
Mundaring Weir	32
Municipalities	1,463
Orphanage (R.C.)	88
Progress Associations	175
Railway Stations	424
Railway Department Inspectors	3,042
Recreation Reserves	280
Road Boards	2,768
Salvation Army	836
Schools	2,190
Scotch College	268
Waroona Settlers	3,610
Zoological Gardens	2,725
	<u>34,433</u>
GOLDFIELDS.	
Board of Health	277
Cemetery Boards	66
Experimental purposes	130
Goldfields Water Supply	8,598
Hospitals	250
Municipalities	5,325
Post and Telegraph Department	12
Road Boards	3,493
	<u>18,151</u>
Total number of trees distributed	<u>52,584</u>

TIMBER IMPORTS AND EXPORTS.

11. The following statements show the value of the timber imports into Western Australia during the years ended 31st December, 1904 and 1905 :—

TIMBER IMPORTS FOR YEARS 1904 AND 1905.

A RETURN SHOWING THE VALUE OF TIMBER IMPORTED INTO WESTERN AUSTRALIA AND THE COUNTRIES WHENCE IMPORTED FOR THE YEAR 1904.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
	Lin. feet.	£
ARCHITRAVES, MOULDINGS, AND SKIRTINGS :		
Victoria	9,468	79
United Kingdom	500	11
U.S. of America	12,400	54
Total	22,368	144
	Super. feet.	
DRESSED, N.E.I. :		
New South Wales	11,040	184
Victoria	157,560	1,313
South Australia	19,080	159
Total Commonwealth .. .. .	..	1,656
United Kingdom	8,400	374
India	35,200	1,142
Norway	2,430,900	15,005
Singapore	12,500	101
Sweden	2,799,300	15,088
U.S. of America	869,800	6,946
Total	6,343,780	40,312
UNDRESSED OREGON, IN SIZES OF 12IN. X 6IN. (OR ITS EQUIVALENT) AND OVER :		
Victoria	31,600	108
U.S. of America	2,749,800	8,747
Total	2,781,400	8,855
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., IN SIZES OF 12IN. X 6IN. (OR ITS EQUIVALENT) AND OVER :		
New South Wales	80,800	670
Victoria	54,600	424
Queensland	76,130	643
South Australia	8,600	65
Tasmania	31,560	254
Total Commonwealth .. .. .	..	2,056
U.S. of America	564,100	4,210
Total	815,790	6,266

A Return showing the Value of Timber imported into Western Australia and the Countries from whence imported for the Year 1904—continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Value.
UNDRESSED, N.E.L., IN SIZES OF LESS THAN 12IN. X 6IN. (OR ITS EQUIVALENT):	Super. feet.	£
New South Wales	12,600	106
Victoria	158,600	1,322
Queensland	500	4
South Australia	21,600	174
Tasmania	6,100	52
Total Commonwealth		1,658
Norway	62,200	273
Russia	474,500	3,685
Singapore	118,900	510
Sweden	766,600	5,416
U.S. of America	8,934,000	42,221
Germany	767,000	549
Total	11,322,600	54,312
LATHS:	Number.	
New South Wales	50,000	58
Victoria	14,000	18
South Australia	70,000	111
Total Commonwealth		187
U.S. of America	4,273,000	3,775
Total	4,407,000	3,962
PICKETS (UNDRESSED):		
U.S. of America	10,000	39
DOORS, 1½IN. AND OVER:		
Victoria	31	26
U.S. of America	1,659	943
Total	1,690	969
DOORS OVER 1½IN. AND UNDER 1¾IN.:		
Queensland	1	2
South Australia	600	325
Total Commonwealth		327
U.S. of America	1,865	1,162
Total	2,466	1,489
DOORS, 1½IN. AND UNDER:		
New South Wales	54	32
Victoria	212	132
South Australia	519	337
Total Commonwealth		501
Sweden	12	6
U.S. of America	10,394	4,391
Total	11,191	4,898

A Return showing the Value of Timber imported into Western Australia and the Countries from whence imported for the Year 1904—continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
HICKORY (UNDRESSED):	Super. feet.	£
U.S. of America	8,967	183
LOGS, NOT SAWN, AND SPARS IN THE ROUGH:		
New Zealand	928	9
STAVES, UNDRESSED OR ROUGHLY DRESSED BUT NOT SHAPED:	Number.	
Victoria	2,865	50
South Australia	14,736	276
Total Commonwealth .. .. .	..	326
U.S. of America	576	17
Total	18,177	343
NEW ZEALAND PINE (UNDRESSED):		
New South Wales	1,100	11
Victoria	6,400	85
Total Commonwealth .. .. .	..	96
New Zealand	1,572,320	7,656
Total	1,579,820	7,752
OTHER (FREE):		
New South Wales	} Not available.	751
Victoria		786
Queensland		457
South Australia		374
Tasmania		211
Total Commonwealth		2,579
New Zealand		244
United Kingdom		549
India		1,974
Siam		799
Singapore	351	
U.S. of America	1,393	
	..	7,889
GRAND TOTAL VALUE OF IMPORTS .. .. .	..	£137,422

A RETURN SHOWING THE VALUE OF TIMBER IMPORTED INTO WESTERN AUSTRALIA AND
THE COUNTRIES FROM WHENCE IMPORTED, FOR THE YEAR 1905.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
ARCHITRAVES AND MOULDINGS :	Lin. feet.	£
Victoria	14,517	97
South Australia	68	1
	14,585	98
United Kingdom	839	17
	15,424	115
DRESSED, N.E.I. :	Super. feet.	
New South Wales	9,015	65
Victoria	60,645	513
Queensland	5,500	33
South Australia	10,277	139
Tasmania	412	4
	85,849	754
New Zealand	80	1
Singapore	1,774	21
Norway	1,084,869	5,538
Sweden	2,515,987	11,965
U.S. of America	676,664	6,020
	4,279,374	23,545
	4,365,223	24,299
UNDRESSED OREGON, 12IN. X 6IN. AND OVER :		
New South Wales	5,028	24
Victoria	12,777	66
	17,805	90
U.S. of America	1,551,642	2,850
	1,569,447	2,940
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., 12IN. X 6IN. AND OVER :		
Victoria	7,857	83
South Australia	6,937	42
	14,794	125
India	2,100	30
Singapore	9,000	42
U.S. of America	345,968	2,357
	357,068	2,429
	371,862	2,554
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., LESS THAN 12IN. X 6IN. OR ITS EQUIVALENT :		
New South Wales	48,201	326
Victoria	124,010	1,189
Queensland	357,410	2,813
South Australia	13,420	115
Tasmania	67,390	378
	610,431	4,821

A Return showing the Value of Timber imported into Western Australia and the Countries from which imported for the Year 1905—continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., LESS THAN 12IN. X 6IN. OR ITS EQUIVALENT :	Super. feet.	£
United Kingdom	30,267	182
British Burmah	29,208	274
Singapore	131,097	841
Germany	146,617	1,021
Italy	14,760	207
Java	18,132	230
Norway	6,415	44
Sweden	614,389	3,889
U.S. of America	5,789,725	22,261
	6,780,610	28,949
	7,391,041	33,770
LATHES :	Number.	
Victoria	59,400	66
U.S. of America	1,449,500	682
	1,508,900	748
PALINGS :		
New South Wales	45,000	47
Tasmania	510	4
	45,510	51
HICKORY (UNDRESSED) :	Super. feet.	
South Australia	2,869	21
U.S. of America	6,661	117
	9,530	138
STAVES (UNDRESSED) :	Number.	
Victoria	180	6
U.S. of America	9,600	320
	9,780	326
NEW ZEALAND PINE :	Super. feet.	
Victoria	4,079	46
South Australia	736	11
New Zealand	4,815	57
	831,754	6,835
	836,569	6,892
TIMBER, OTHER :		
New South Wales .. .. .	..	268
Victoria .. .. .	..	536
Queensland .. .. .	..	715
South Australia .. .. .	..	339
Tasmania .. .. .	..	202
United Kingdom .. .. .	..	2,060
New Zealand .. .. .	..	152
Singapore .. .. .	..	31
Germany .. .. .	..	15
U.S. of America .. .. .	..	9
	..	1,297
	..	1,504
	..	3,564
GRAND TOTAL .. .. .	..	75,397

12. From the foregoing statements it will be seen that during the year 1904 the value of the timber imported into Western Australia amounted to £137,422, as compared with £75,397 in 1905, showing decrease of £62,025.

TIMBER EXPORTS FOR YEARS 1904 AND 1905.

13. The following statements show the value of timber exported from the State, and the countries to which same was exported.

14. Owing to the Customs returns not showing the species of timber exported, it is impossible to give particulars in the same form as in previous years.

EXPORT OF TIMBER FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING YEAR 1904.

West Australian Hardwoods.	Countries to which Exported.	Quantity in Super Feet.	Value.
			£
Dressed, N.E.L.	New Zealand	6,240	42
Undressed, size 12in. x 6in.	Do.	140,916	939
Do.	United Kingdom	2,943,330	20,282
Do.	Belgium	81,016	840
Do.	Cape Colony	601,663	4,013
Do.	Ceylon	9,852	80
Do.	India	920,726	6,140
Do.	Lorenzo Marquez	625,272	4,168
Do.	Mauritius	28,200	188
Do.	Natal	882,187	5,881
Do.	Philippine Islands	90,972	607
		6,324,134	43,138
Undressed, in sizes less than 12in. x 6in.	New Zealand	3,019,428	20,129
Do.	United Kingdom	25,200,417	166,773
Do.	Argentina	467,208	3,115
Do.	Cape Colony	8,546,368	57,136
Do.	Ceylon	2,682,540	17,728
Do.	Egypt	3,116,808	20,778
Do.	Hong Kong	580,758	3,878
Do.	Holland	703,980	4,693
Do.	India	21,845,673	145,633
Do.	Lorenzo Marquez	6,927,892	46,185
Do.	Mauritius	647,928	4,316
Do.	Natal	3,809,650	25,396
Do.	Philippine Islands	2,033,682	13,558
Do.	Singapore	37,500	250
Do.	Straits Settlements	947,046	6,314
Do.	United States of America	948	6
Do.	Belgium	17,983	120
		80,585,809	536,008
Pickets undressed	New Zealand	14,235	81
Logs, not sawn	New Zealand	5,340	36
Do.	United Kingdom	632,484	4,217
Do.	Argentina	135,012	900
		772,836	5,153

EXPORT OF TIMBER FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA TO OTHER STATES DURING 1904.

West Australian Hardwoods	New South Wales		1,183
Do.	Victoria		26,609
Do.	South Australia		42,735
			70,527
	Grand total	Super. feet.	£654,907
		87,697,014	

EXPORT OF TIMBER FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA DURING YEAR 1905.

West Australian Hardwoods.	Countries to which Exported.	Quantity in Super. Feet.	Value.
Dressed, N.E.L.	New Zealand	5,172	£ 34
Undressed, N.E.L., in sizes of 12in. x 6in. or its equivalent and over	United Kingdom	2,402,059	15,384
Do.	Cape Colony	330,744	2,205
Do.	Ceylon	42,600	284
Do.	India	582,865	3,886
Do.	Mauritius	15,800	105
Do.	Natal	87,264	582
Do.	New Zealand	124,272	828
Do.	Singapore	4,356	29
Do.	Argentine	28,932	193
Do.	China	428,772	2,859
Do.	Germany	23,114	157
		4,070,778	26,512
Undressed, N.E.L., in sizes less than 12in. x 6in., or its equivalent	United Kingdom	26,232,979	168,493
Do.	Cape Colony	9,900,415	67,001
Do.	Ceylon	190,800	1,312
Do.	India	20,080,366	134,049
Do.	Mauritius	1,382,240	9,147
Do.	Natal	6,085,659	40,570
Do.	New Zealand	2,856,104	19,034
Do.	Singapore	242,325	1,518
Do.	Argentine	805,872	5,372
Do.	Belgium	2,160	14
Do.	China	7,783,970	51,893
Do.	Egypt	2,072,820	13,819
Do.	Germany	824,296	5,552
Do.	Java	12,300	82
Do.	Lorenzo Marquez	8,805,544	58,705
Do.	Uruguay	1,927,800	12,852
		89,211,650	589,413
Pickets, etc.	Cape Colony	Number. 10,551	73
Logs, etc.	Argentine	Super. feet. 53,148	355
	Total	*93,340,748	† 616,387

* Superficial feet, excluding pickets.

† Including value of pickets, £73.

15. It will be seen from the foregoing returns that the exports of timber during the year 1904 amounted to the sum of £654,907 as compared with £616,387 in 1905, showing a decrease during the year under review of £38,520.

16. The following statements show the sandalwood exports from Western Australia for the years 1904 and 1905, and the countries to which same was sent:—

EXPORT OF SANDALWOOD FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA FOR THE YEAR 1904.

Species.	Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
Sandalwood	Singapore	cwt. 9,007	£ 2,264
	China	14,987	5,719
	Hong Kong	65,946	11,396
	India	260	65
	Total	90,200	£25,417

EXPORT OF SANDALWOOD FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA FOR THE YEAR 1905.

Species.	Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
Sandalwood		ewt.	£
	Hong Kong	68,657	27,306
	Singapore	14,145	4,479
	China	27,564	7,008
	France	61	23
	Total \	110,427	£38,816

17. The above statements show that for the year 1904 sandalwood was exported to the value of £25,417, and that for the year 1905 the export was valued at £38,816, showing an increase of £13,399.

MALLET BARK EXPORT.

18. Through the courtesy of the Collector of Customs I am enabled to furnish the subjoined statement, showing the quantity of mallet bark exported during the years 1904 and 1905, and the countries to which same was sent.

EXPORTS DURING 1904.

Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
	ewt.	£
Belgium	685	254
Germany	53,941	16,771
Holland	400	140
United Kingdom	16,008	5,841
United States of America	200	70
Total	71,234	£23,076

EXPORTS DURING 1905.

Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
	ewt.	£
United Kingdom	10,898	3,648
Singapore	1,008	302
Germany	304,993	115,268
Holland	1,211	560
United States of America	205	77
Total	318,315	£119,855

19. The above statements only show the quantity and value of the bark exported beyond the Commonwealth, particulars of that exported to the Eastern States not being recorded by the Customs. It will be seen, upon comparing the two statements, that the exports for 1905 exceeded those of 1904 by the large sum of £96,779.

RAILWAY SLEEPERS, ETC., BRANDED FOR EXPORT.

20. The following statements show the number of sleepers, etc., passed and branded by various Inspectors of the Department during the years 1904 and 1905 respectively, and the countries to which same were sent:—

YEAR 1904.

Countries to which exported.	Loads.	Sleepers.	Pieces.	Lineal feet.	Tons.	Superficial feet.
Bombay, India .. .. .	..	23,121	..	..	..	..
Calcutta, India .. .. .	..	8,192	..	..	..	..
Central South Africa .. .. .	..	526,016	..	..	..	..
Ceylon .. .. .	..	41,679	..	..	..	..
Hong Kong, China .. .. .	..	20,584	..	..	..	..
Karachi, India .. .. .	..	321,222	..	..	..	..
Mauritius .. .. .	..	2,111	..	..	..	..
Natal, South Africa .. .. .	..	5,376	..	..	..	..
Rangoon, Burmah .. .. .	..	..	30	622	..	..
Singapore, Straits Settlements	272	..	..	32,669	..	..
South Australia .. .. .	..	2,057	..	..	..	..
Suakim, Egypt .. .. .	..	142,912	..	..	..	..
Wellington, New Zealand	1,372	..	..	451,588	391	282,651
Total	1,644	1,093,270	30	484,879	391	282,651

YEAR 1905.

Countries to which exported.	Loads.	Sleepers.	Pieces.
Adelaide, South Australia .. .. .	..	..	16
Batavia, Java	20	..	..
Bengal, India .. .. .	..	123,301	..
Bombay, India	595	9,101	..
Cape Town, South Africa .. .. .	..	56,852	..
Central South Africa	50	348,961	..
Karachi, India .. .. .	..	557,039	50
Madras, India	199	..	..
Manilla, Philippines .. .. .	..	..	2,829
Mauritius .. .. .	..	25,831	700
Natal, South Africa .. .. .	..	206,813	..
Singapore, Straits Settlements .. .. .	..	6,268	..
South America .. .. .	..	135,408	..
Total	864	1,469,574	3,595

STATE FORESTS.

LAND SET APART FOR STATE FORESTS DURING YEAR 1905.

State Forest.	Gazetted.	Approximate Area.
Boorara	13th October	49 square miles
Kurnalpie	30th June	96 ..
Kambalda	8th December	54 ..

APPENDICES.

- APPENDIX 1.—A return showing the Value of Timber Imported into Western Australia during the six months ended 30th June, 1906.
- .. 2.—A return showing the Value of Timber Exported from Western Australia during the six months ended 30th June, 1906.
- .. 3.—A return showing the Value of Sandalwood Exported from Western Australia during the six months ended 30th June, 1906.
- .. 4.—A return showing the Value of Mallet Bark Exported from Western Australia during the six months ended 30th June, 1906.
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Appendix No. 1.

A RETURN SHOWING THE VALUE OF TIMBER IMPORTED INTO WESTERN AUSTRALIA, AND THE COUNTRIES FROM WHENCE IMPORTED FROM THE 1ST JANUARY TO 30TH JUNE, 1906.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
ARCHITRAVES, MOULDINGS, AND SKIRTINGS, ETC. :	Super feet.	£
Victoria	2,077	10
United Kingdom	676	11
Germany	4,000	13
U.S. of America	12,567	113
Total	19,320	147
DRESSED, N.E.I. :		
New South Wales	2,772	28
Victoria	31,944	330
South Australia	2,271	25
U.S. of America	265,868	2,422
Sweden	1,509,367	8,187
Norway	264,094	1,330
Total	2,076,316	12,322
UNDRESSED OREGON, IN SIZES OF 12IN. X 6IN. AND OVER, ETC. :		
Victoria	8,963	67
U.S. of America	619,121	1,142
Total	628,084	1,209
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., IN SIZES OF 12IN. X 6IN. AND OVER, ETC. :		
New South Wales	2,110	16
Victoria	9,130	121
Queensland	5,353	94
Tasmania	600	9
U.S. of America	230,917	1,931
Total	248,110	2,171
UNDRESSED, N.E.I., IN SIZES OF LESS THAN 12IN. X 6IN., ETC. :		
New South Wales	16,917	231
Victoria	39,248	615
Queensland	27,302	346
South Australia	13,257	181
Tasmania	73,819	286
United Kingdom	134,888	1,094
U.S. of America	2,697,673	12,760
Singapore	32,334	236
Sweden	61,755	416
Lorenzo Marques	900	3
India	10,974	396
Cape Colony	2,543	5
Total	3,111,610	16,569
LATHS :	No.	
New South Wales	12,000	19
Victoria	18,000	28
South Australia	90,000	120
U.S. of America	774,720	378
Total	894,720	545

A Return showing the Value of Timber imported into Western Australia, and the Countries from whence imported from 1st January to 30th June, 1906.—
continued.

Articles and Countries whence imported.	Importations.	
	Quantities.	Values.
PICKETS (UNDRESSED):	No.	£
U.S. of America	14,475	36
HICKORY (UNDRESSED):	Super. feet.	
New South Wales	616	5
U.S. of America	672	13
Total	1,288	18
LOGS NOT SAWN, AND SPARS IN THE ROUGH:		
Victoria	1,285	13
STAVES, UNDRESSED OR ROUGHLY DRESSED, BUT NOT SHAPED:		
South Australia	2,900	58
NEW ZEALAND PINE, UNDRESSED:		
Victoria	4,639	55
New Zealand	85,521	797
Total	90,160	852
OTHER TIMBER:		
New South Wales .. .. .	..	66
Victoria .. .. .	..	162
Queensland .. .. .	..	166
South Australia .. .. .	..	102
Tasmania .. .. .	..	51
United Kingdom .. .. .	..	163
U.S. of America .. .. .	..	489
Germany .. .. .	..	2
France .. .. .	..	12
Total .. .. .	..	1,222
GRAND TOTAL OF VALUE .. .. .	..	£35,162

Appendix No. 2.

A RETURN SHOWING VALUE OF TIMBER EXPORTED FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA
DURING THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.

Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
TIMBER (UNDRESSED), N.E.I., 12IN. X 6IN. AND OVER :		
	Super. feet.	£
United Kingdom	617,437	4,491
Cape Colony	126,336	842
India	695,946	4,539
Natal	55,452	367
New Zealand	142,944	951
Argentine	33,360	222
China	662,628	4,418
Egypt	11,424	76
Germany	65,748	438
Holland	46,500	310
Uruguay	27,638	184
Total	2,485,413	16,838
TIMBER (UNDRESSED), N.E.I., LESS THAN 12IN. X 6IN. :		
United Kingdom	5,907,155	38,937
Cape Colony	371,700	2,486
India	19,730,266	132,706
Mauritius	279,000	1,628
Natal	830,616	5,536
New Zealand	1,127,404	7,174
Argentine	1,002,096	6,681
China	1,300,608	8,670
Egypt	9,036	60
Germany	496,641	3,275
Holland	534,240	3,562
Uruguay	2,463,518	16,423
Total	34,052,280	227,138
TIMBER, LOGS NOT SAWN, ETC. :		
Cape Colony	49,848	332
India	32,769	218
New Zealand	7,500	50
Argentine	27,384	183
Total	117,501	783
PICKETS (DRESSED) :		
Natal	Number.	99
	17,689	
PICKETS (UNDRESSED) :		
New Zealand	23,612	133
GRAND TOTAL		
	Super. feet.	£244,991
	36,655,194	
	No. of pickets.	
	41,301	

Appendix No. 3.

A RETURN SHOWING VALUE OF SANDALWOOD EXPORTED FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA
DURING THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.

Species.	Country to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
Sandalwood		cwt.	£
	United Kingdom	309	140
	Hong Kong	87,395	36,491
	India	1,415	526
	Singapore	3,789	1,477
	China	21,081	6,421
	France	120	54
	Germany	310	141
	Total	114,419	£45,250

Appendix No. 4.

A RETURN SHOWING VALUE OF MALLET BARK EXPORTED FROM WESTERN AUSTRALIA
DURING THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1906.

Countries to which exported.	Quantity.	Value.
	cwt.	£
United Kingdom	16,622	5,991
Singapore	217	75
Germany	153,056	55,623
Total	169,895	£61,689