

IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS, 1894—*Con.*

| COUNTRIES. | Imports. | Value per Head. | Exports. | Value per Head. |
|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | \$ | \$ cts. | \$ | \$ cts. |
| Africa— | | | | |
| Mauritius | 16,178,498 | 43 00 | 15,543,579 | 41 31 |
| Natal | 10,897,270 | 20 03 | 5,445,289 | 10 01 |
| Cape of Good Hope. | 56,395,401 | 32 95 | 67,218,701 | 39 27 |
| St. Helena | 154,648 | 39 89 | 24,587 | 6 34 |
| Lagos. | 3,623,530 | 42 33 | 3,998,853 | 46 71 |
| Gold Coast | 3,350,540 | 2 23 | 4,138,341 | 2 76 |
| Sierra Leone | 2,326,888 | 31 09 | 2,075,628 | 27 74 |
| Gambia | 634,365 | 48 58 | 725,829 | 55 58 |
| America— | | | | |
| Canada | 123,474,940 | 24 59 | 117,524,949 | 23 40 |
| Newfoundland | 7,264,249 | 35 09 | 5,891,879 | 28 46 |
| Bermuda | 1,512,788 | 96 71 | 478,768 | 30 61 |
| Honduras | 726,846 | 22 09 | 1,189,097 | 36 14 |
| British Guiana | 8,121,250 | 28 91 | 9,927,518 | 35 34 |
| West Indies— | | | | |
| Bahamas | 851,515 | 16 79 | 580,972 | 11 46 |
| Turks Island | 137,513 | 27 02 | 159,500 | 31 34 |
| Jamaica | 10,666,492 | 15 66 | 9,350,921 | 13 73 |
| Windward Islands | 8,615,396 | 24 41 | 7,149,104 | 20 25 |
| Leeward " | 2,242,974 | 17 58 | 2,746,207 | 21 52 |
| Trinidad | 10,477,364 | 47 05 | 9,736,973 | 43 72 |
| Australasia— | | | | |
| New South Wales. | 76,902,780 | 61 45 | 100,144,675 | 80 02 |
| Victoria | 60,690,248 | 51 47 | 68,262,524 | 57 89 |
| South Australia | 30,784,757 | 88 53 | 36,640,077 | 105 37 |
| Western Australia | 10,290,148 | 125 37 | 6,090,176 | 74 20 |
| Queensland | 21,108,680 | 47 42 | 42,805,054 | 96 16 |
| Tasmania | 4,767,757 | 30 28 | 7,246,666 | 46 02 |
| New Zealand | 33,035,031 | 48 15 | 44,924,429 | 65 47 |
| South Seas— | | | | |
| Fiji | 1,391,774 | 11 42 | 2,830,706 | 23 23 |
| Falkland Islands | 303,047 | 159 33 | 641,432 | 337 24 |
| Total | 3,026,596,289 | 10 83 | 2,584,071,831 | 9 25 |

849. With the exception of the United Kingdom and India the aggregate trade of Canada is larger than that of any other British colony, though, with the exception of the Straits Settlements, Bermuda, Labuan and the Falkland Islands, in proportion to population, the external trade of the Australian colonies is far in advance of that of any other British possession. The large proportion per head would, however, be much reduced if federation of the colonies should take place, as in that case the intercolonial trade would be no longer reckoned. The value of diamonds exported through the post office is now included in the exports of the Cape of Good Hope.

850. The value of the total trade of the United Kingdom and her possessions in 1894 was \$5,610,668,120 as compared with \$5,676,582,839 in