

**36.—Area and Population of the British Empire, by Countries,
1911 and 1921—concluded.**

Countries.	Area in square miles, 1921.	Population.	
		Census of 1911.	Census of 1921.
Australasia.			
Australia, Commonwealth of—			
New South Wales.....	309,432	1,646,734	2,099,763
Federal Capital Terr.....	940	1,714	2,572
Victoria.....	87,884	1,315,551	1,531,529
South Australia.....	380,070	408,558	495,336
Northern Terr.....	523,620	3,310	3,870
Western Australia.....	975,920	282,114	332,213
Tasmania.....	26,215	191,211	213,877
Queensland.....	670,500	605,813	757,634
Total, Commonwealth¹⁸.....	2,974,581	4,455,005	5,436,794
Territory of Papua.....	90,540	380,000 ¹⁹	276,888
Dom. of New Zealand ¹⁶	103,861	1,008,468	1,218,913
Terr. of Western Samoa.....	1,260	-	37,157
Nauru.....	10	-	2,129
Fiji.....	7,083	139,541	157,266
Pacific Islands—			
Tongan Is. Prot. (Friendly Is.).....	385	23,737	23,572 ²⁰
Terr. of New Guinea (late German New Guinea)—			
New Guinea (Kaiser Wilhelm's Land).....	70,000	-	350,000
Bismarck Archipelago.....	15,752	-	188,000 ⁴
Solomon Is. Prot.....	3,800	-	17,000 ⁶
Brit. Solomon Islands Prot.....	11,000	150,000	150,650 ⁶
Gilbert and Ellice Is. Colony.....	208	31,121	36,122
Phoenix Group.....	16	59	59
Pitcairn.....	2	140 ¹⁹	140
Starbuck Is.....	1	-	-
Jarvis Is.....	1½	30	30
Malden.....	35	168	168
Total, Pacific Islands.....	101,200½	205,255	765,741
Total, Australasia.....	3,278,535½	6,188,269	7,894,888
Grand total.....	13,424,519½	424,133,976	449,719,258
SUMMARY BY CONTINENTS—			
Europe.....	121,751½	45,601,214	47,575,070
Asia.....	2,116,084	323,543,881	332,302,030
Africa.....	3,897,920	39,296,361	50,678,245
America.....	4,010,229	9,503,351	11,169,025
Australasia.....	3,278,535½	6,188,269	7,894,888

¹ Territory heretofore known as the United Kingdom: area, 121,633 square miles; population, 1921, 47,341,070. ² Estimated population Northern Ireland, 1922. ³ Census 1911. No census in 1921. ⁴ Estimated population. ⁵ Estimated population, 1919. ⁶ Excluding the military and persons on ships in harbours. ⁷ Administered by England under a convention dated 4th June, 1878; annexed on the 5th November, 1914. ⁸ By the Shantung settlement at Washington, January, 1922, Wei-Hai-Wei is restored to China. ⁹ Administered provinces only. ¹⁰ Including 16,169 square miles of water within the territorial limits of the Uganda Protectorate. ¹¹ Estimated population, December, 1921. ¹² Including 567,561 children—sex not stated. ¹³ Estimated population, 1917. ¹⁴ Exclusive of certain Aborigines estimated to number 13,000 at the census of 1911. ¹⁵ The population stated for Australia is exclusive of full-blooded Aborigines, estimated at 100,000 in 1911. ¹⁶ Number of Papuans estimated. ¹⁷ Population in 1920. ¹⁸ The area (280 square miles) and population (12,598 in 1911) of the Cook and other islands of the Pacific are excluded. The Maori population (49,844 in 1911) is also excluded. ¹⁹ Population in 1914. ²⁰ Preliminary return. ²¹ Northern Protectorate and Southern Nigeria and Colony in 1911.